

- Provisional allocations for recurrent grants totalling £6,300 million to higher education institutions (HEIs) were released in March 2009 by HEFCE
- 41 HEIs in London<sup>1</sup>, comprising 32% of 130 HEIs in England, are to receive £1, 500 million, or 24%, of £6, 300 million in recurrent grants for 2009/10<sup>2</sup>
- London's HEIs are to receive 22% of £4, 600 million allocated for teaching and 30% of £1, 600 million allocated for research
- £130 million has been provided under widening participation and London HEIs are to receive 9% of this while HEIs in the North West will receive 22%
- A Top 20 list for total recurrent grant allocation contains four research-intensive HEIs from London
- Top 20 lists for total teaching grant and total research funding feature three and four HEIs from London, respectively
- Within London, the four research-intensive HEIs will receive 37% of teaching grants and 62% of research grants
- Comparing research funding grants in 2008/09<sup>3</sup> with 2009/10 for London;
  - the largest percent increases are for several small- and medium-sized HEIs
  - 17 HEIs will have research funding raised between £125, 000 to £7 million
  - increases in research grants will be less than the UK inflation rate (considered to be 2%) for two HEIs
  - 14 HEIs will face reductions in research funding of between £42, 000 to £5 million

**Source:** [HEFCE \(2009\). Recurrent Grants for 2009-10, March 2009/08.](#) Higher Education Funding Council for England, Bristol, England.

<sup>1</sup> Including Royal Holloway, University of London, but excluding Open University, London Regional Office (data not available)

<sup>2</sup> Figures from Table 08\_12\_01.xls at [http://www.hefce.ac.uk/pubs/hefce/2008/08\\_12/](http://www.hefce.ac.uk/pubs/hefce/2008/08_12/)

<sup>3</sup> HEFCE (2008). Recurrent Grants for 2008-09, March 2008/12. Higher Education Funding Council for England, Bristol, England

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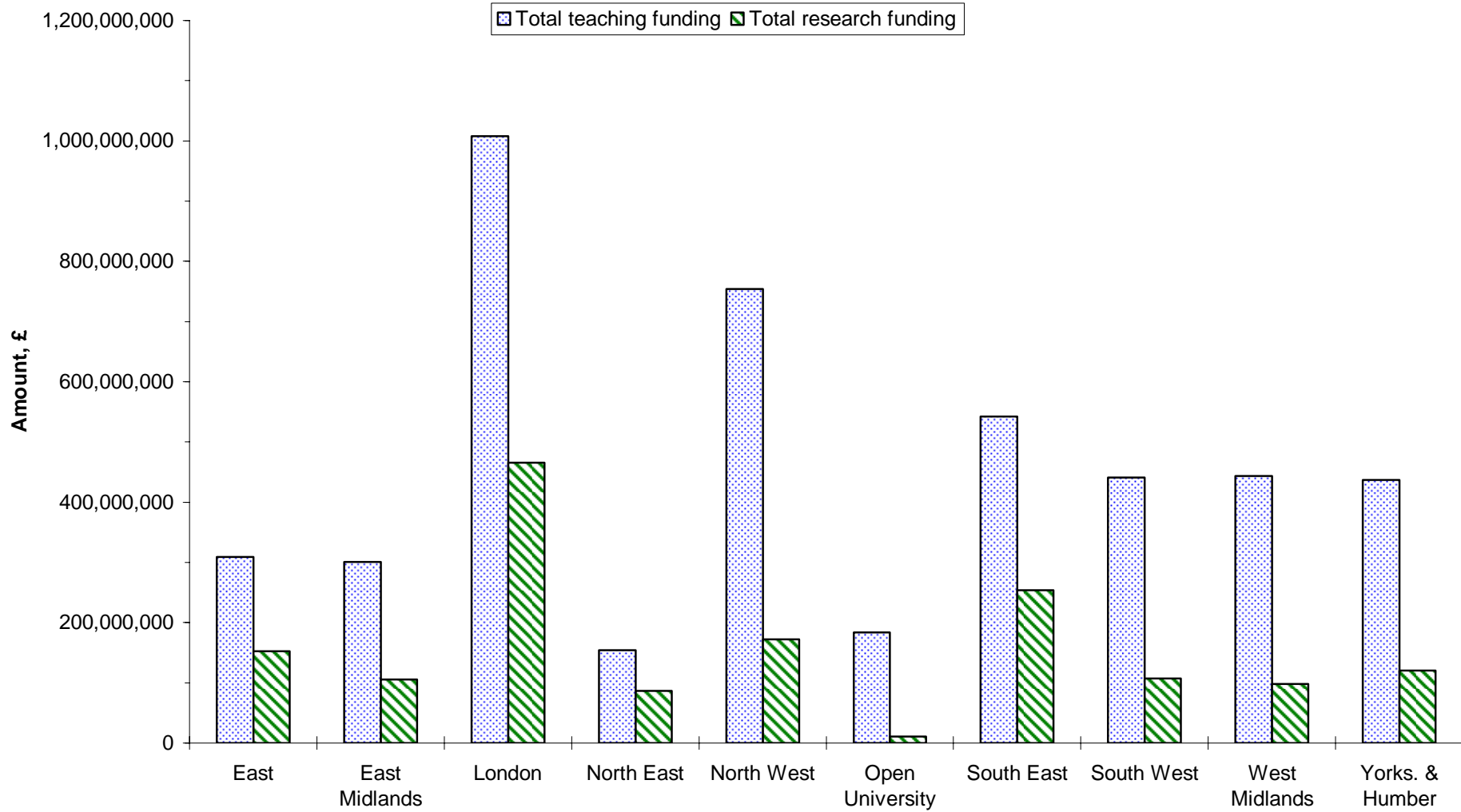
**Selected elements of recurrent grant allocations by Region, figures in £**

Region	Core teaching funding	Widening Participation	Total teaching funding	Total research funding	Transitional QR funding	HEIF	Total recurrent grant
East	242,507,247	8,388,358	308,657,284	152,595,943	595,587	9,856,514	471,933,806
East Midlands	260,913,501	6,939,742	300,415,088	105,454,666	818,739	8,271,312	414,959,805
London	805,384,836	12,449,708	1,007,744,345	465,538,984	3,028,537	35,161,220	1,524,750,396
North East	133,908,586	2,116,207	154,262,399	86,593,378	598,751	5,425,565	246,880,093
North West	610,579,807	29,747,888	754,469,652	172,014,839	1,494,748	18,307,593	947,112,806
Open University	102,198,701	19,955,654	183,717,511	10,721,423	92,819	1,717,146	196,248,899
South East	457,069,804	12,043,593	542,709,669	253,815,962	2,200,637	18,720,810	825,347,383
South West	373,056,451	9,677,013	440,965,998	107,236,744	999,201	11,422,930	560,624,873
West Midlands	357,800,486	16,882,163	443,766,440	97,666,893	1,006,923	14,309,112	557,509,001
Yorks. & Humber	365,779,783	14,170,716	437,183,895	120,361,590	1,039,535	10,882,810	569,467,830
<b>Total, £</b>	<b>3,709,199,202</b>	<b>132,371,042</b>	<b>4,573,892,281</b>	<b>1,572,000,422</b>	<b>11,875,477</b>	<b>134,075,012</b>	<b>6,314,834,892</b>

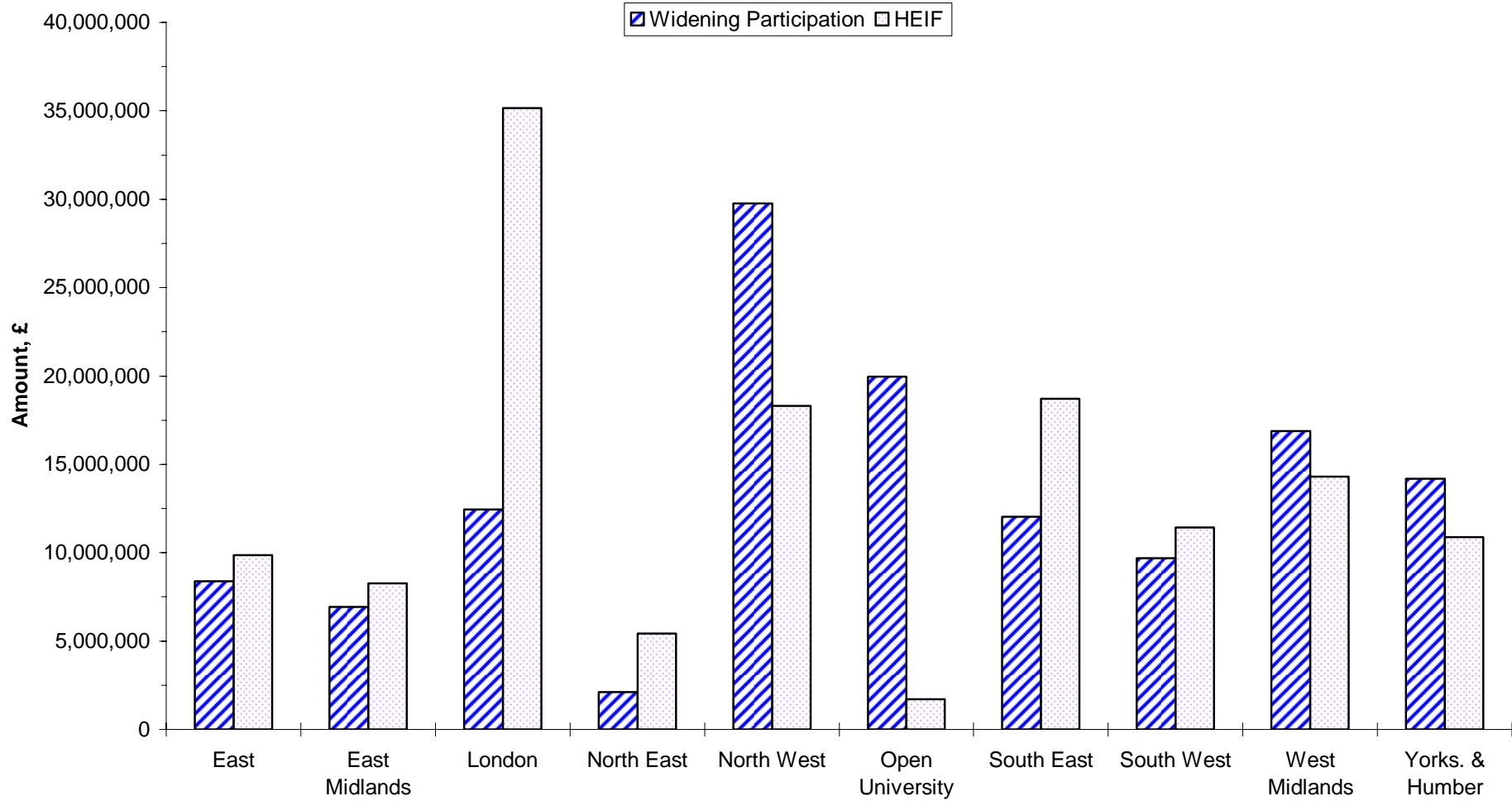
**Recurrent grant allocations as percentages by Region**

Region	Core teaching funding	Widening Participation	Total teaching funding	Total research funding	Transitional QR funding	HEIF	Total recurrent grant
East	6.5%	6.3%	6.7%	9.7%	5.0%	7.4%	7.5%
East Midlands	7.0%	5.2%	6.6%	6.7%	6.9%	6.2%	6.6%
London	21.7%	9.4%	22.0%	29.6%	25.5%	26.2%	24.1%
North East	3.6%	1.6%	3.4%	5.5%	5.0%	4.0%	3.9%
North West	16.5%	22.5%	16.5%	10.9%	12.6%	13.7%	15.0%
Open University	2.8%	15.1%	4.0%	0.7%	0.8%	1.3%	3.1%
South East	12.3%	9.1%	11.9%	16.1%	18.5%	14.0%	13.1%
South West	10.1%	7.3%	9.6%	6.8%	8.4%	8.5%	8.9%
West Midlands	9.6%	12.8%	9.7%	6.2%	8.5%	10.7%	8.8%
Yorks. & Humber	9.9%	10.7%	9.6%	7.7%	8.8%	8.1%	9.0%
totals within columns add to 100% (subject to rounding errors)							

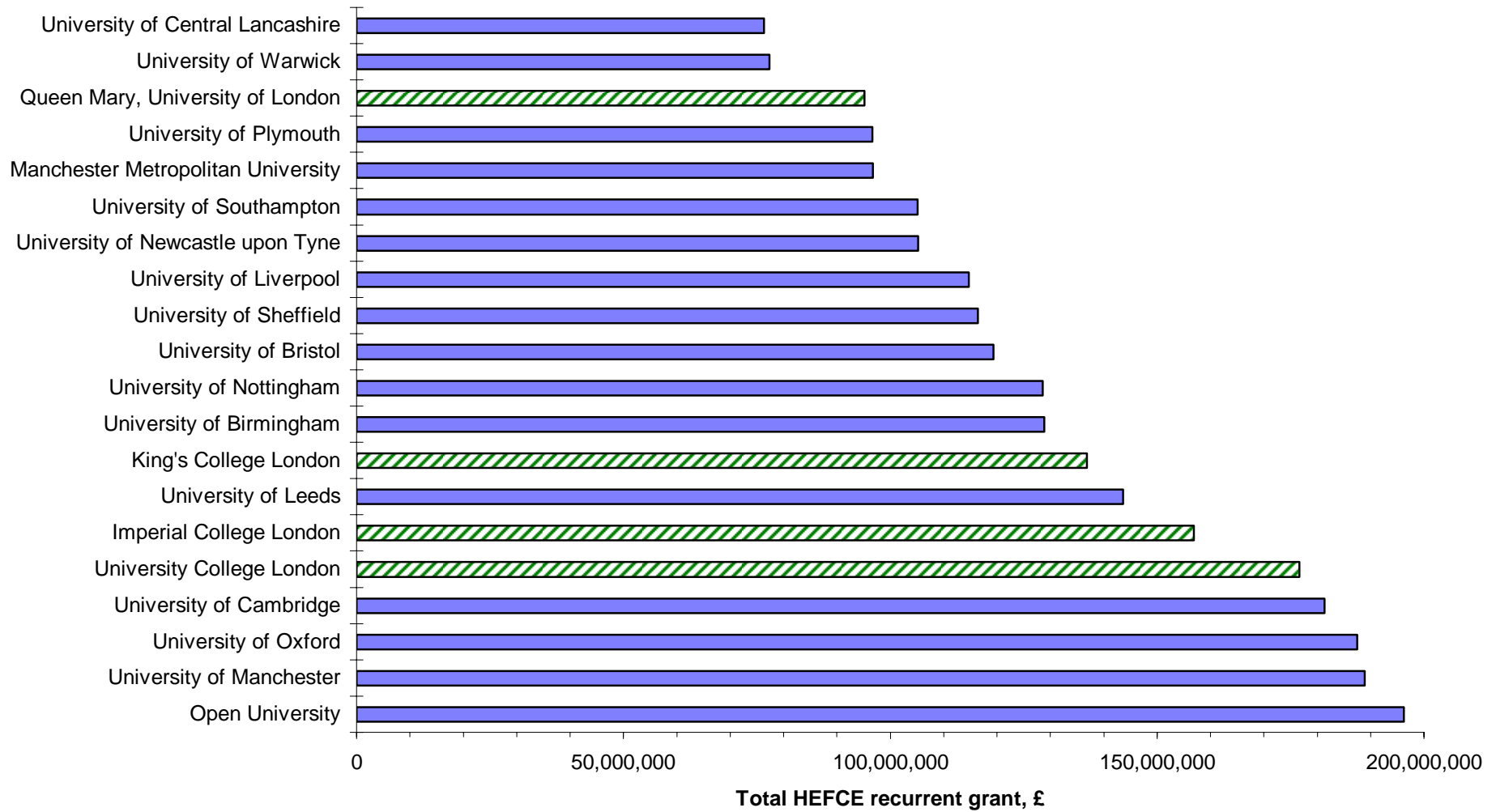
Teaching and Research funding by Region, 2009/10



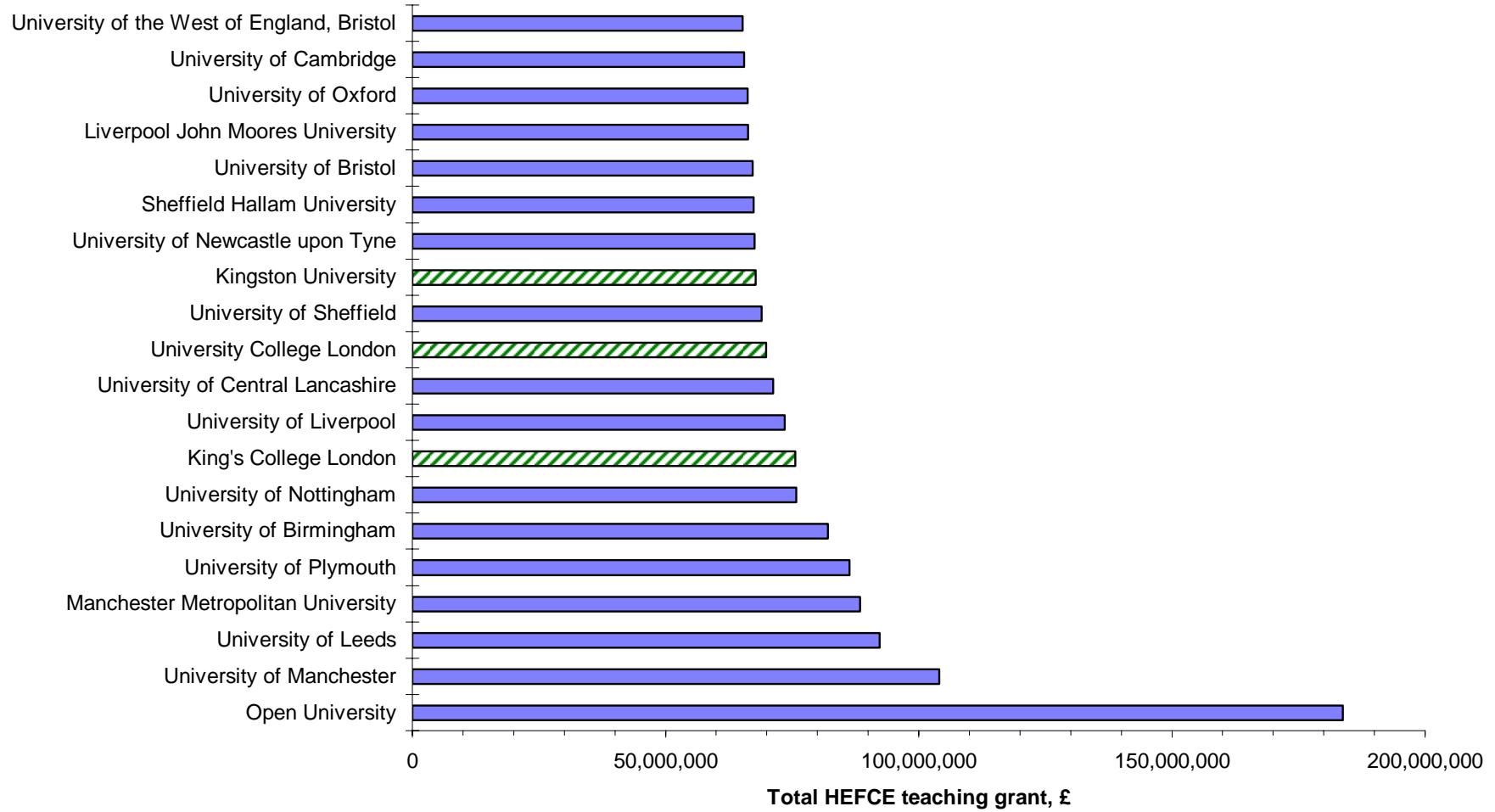
**Widening Participation and HEIF grants by Region, 2009/10**  
**Total for WP = £132,371,042; Total for HEIF = £134,075,012**



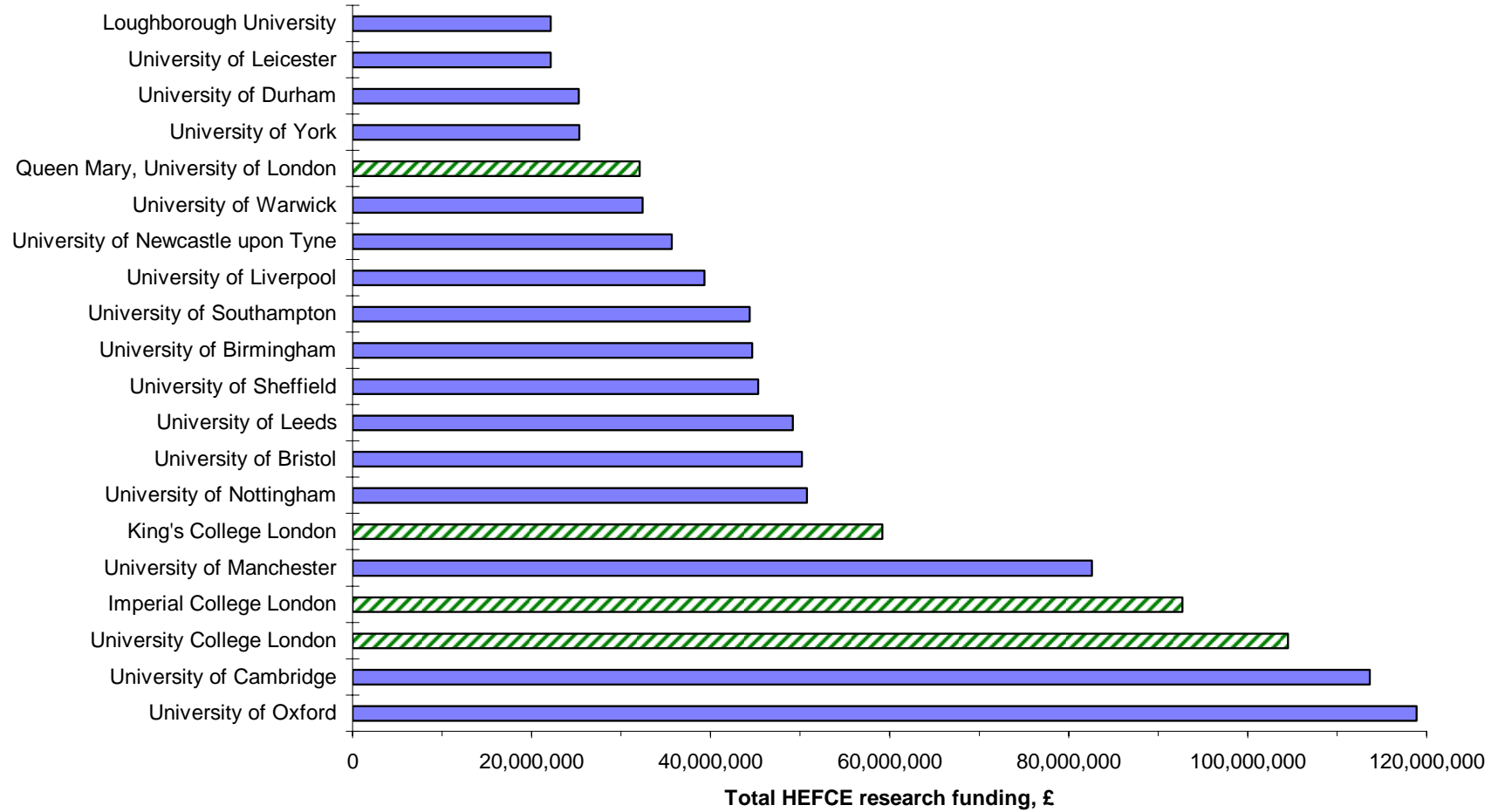
**Top 20 for total recurrent grant, 2009/10**



**Top 20 for total teaching grant, 2009/10**

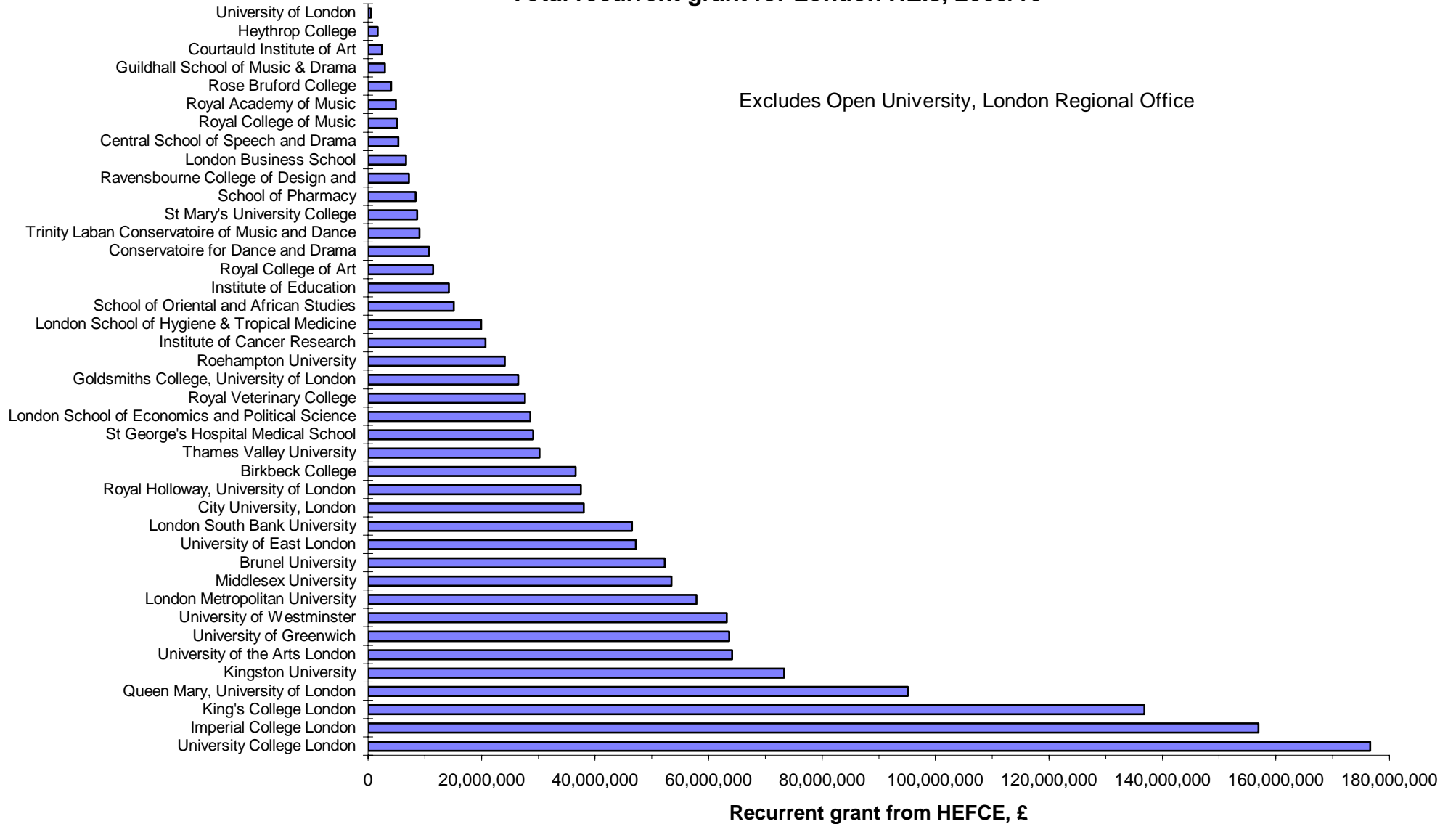


**Top 20 for total research funding, 2009/10**



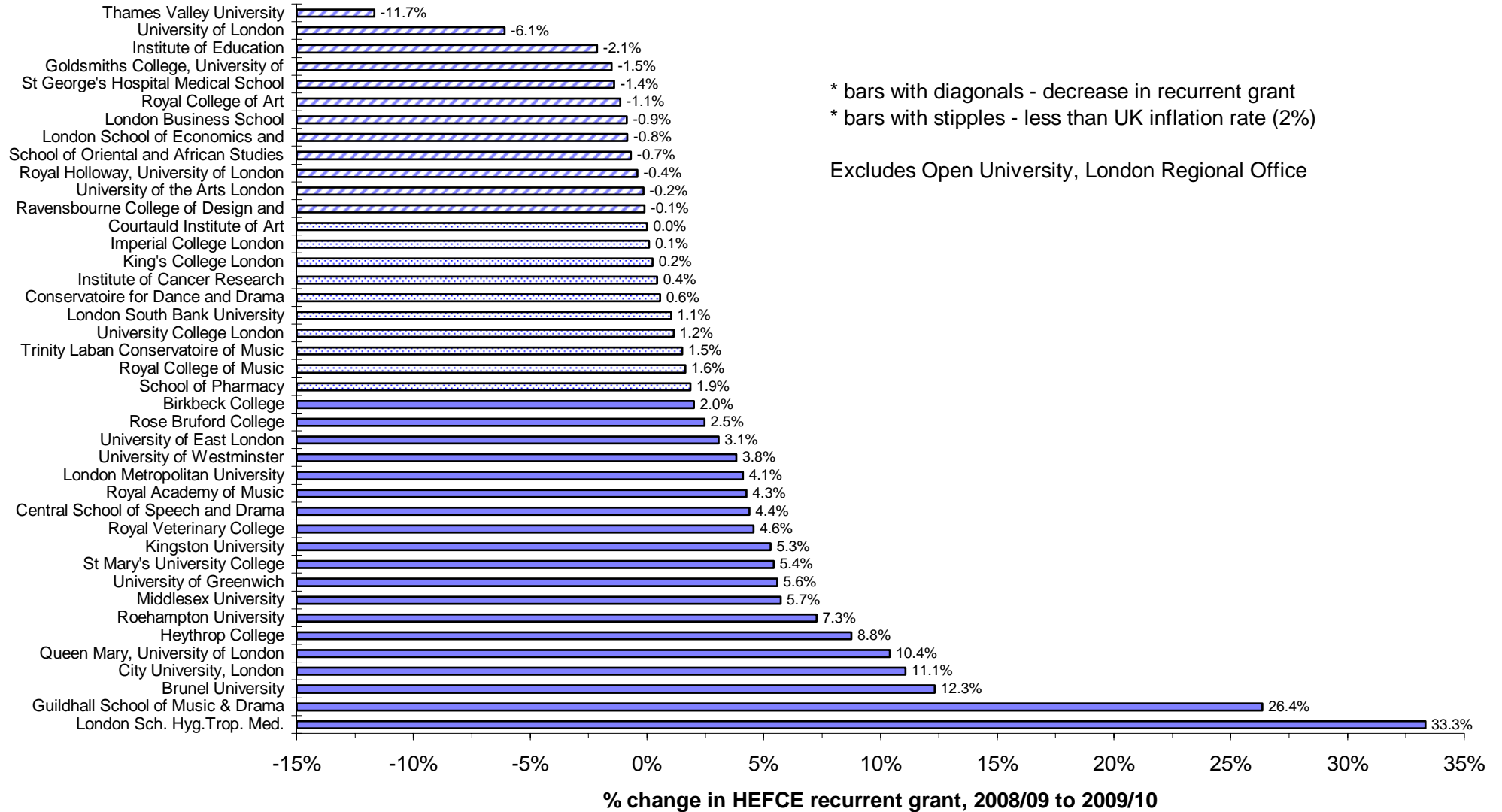
**Total recurrent grant for London HEIs, 2009/10**

Excludes Open University, London Regional Office

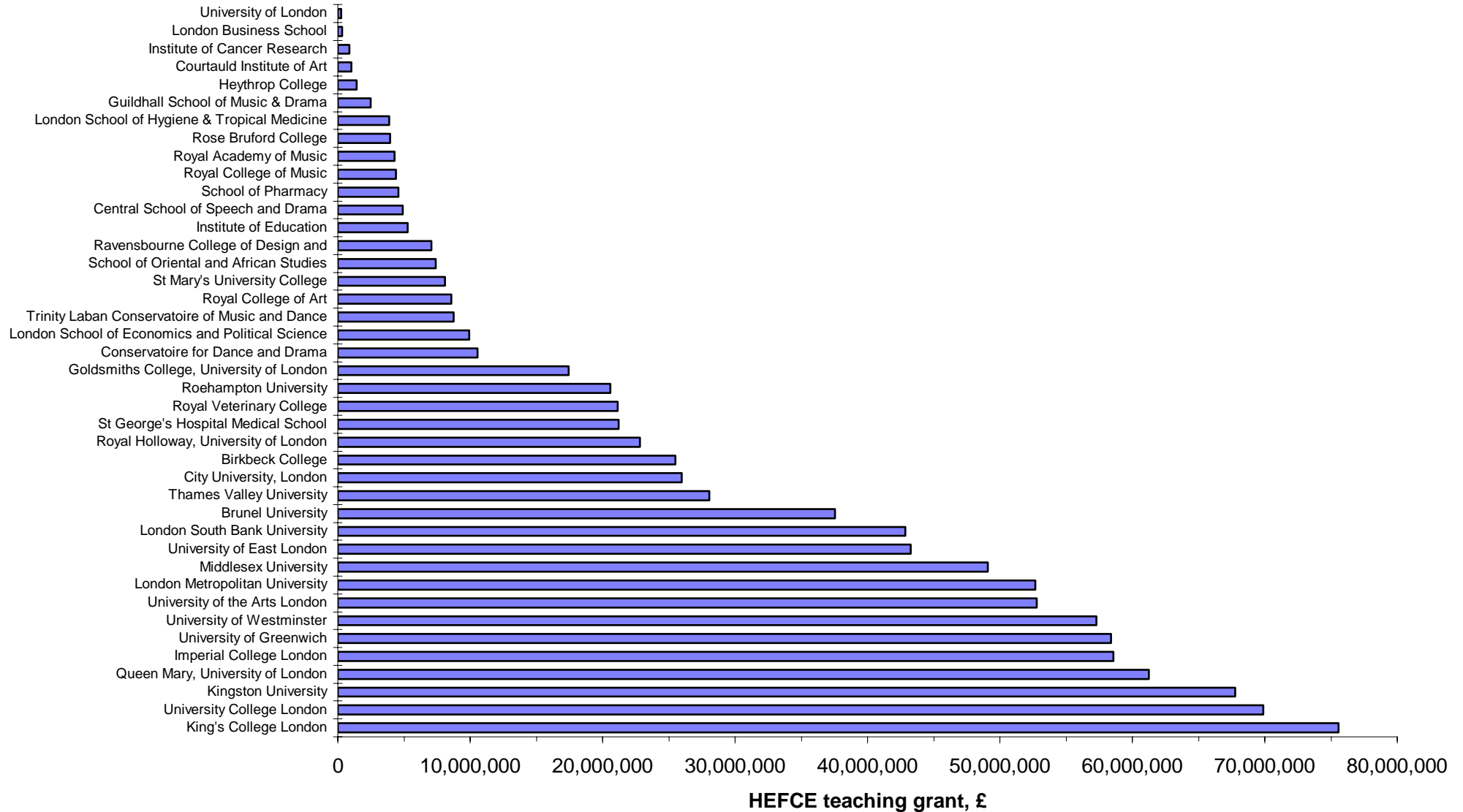




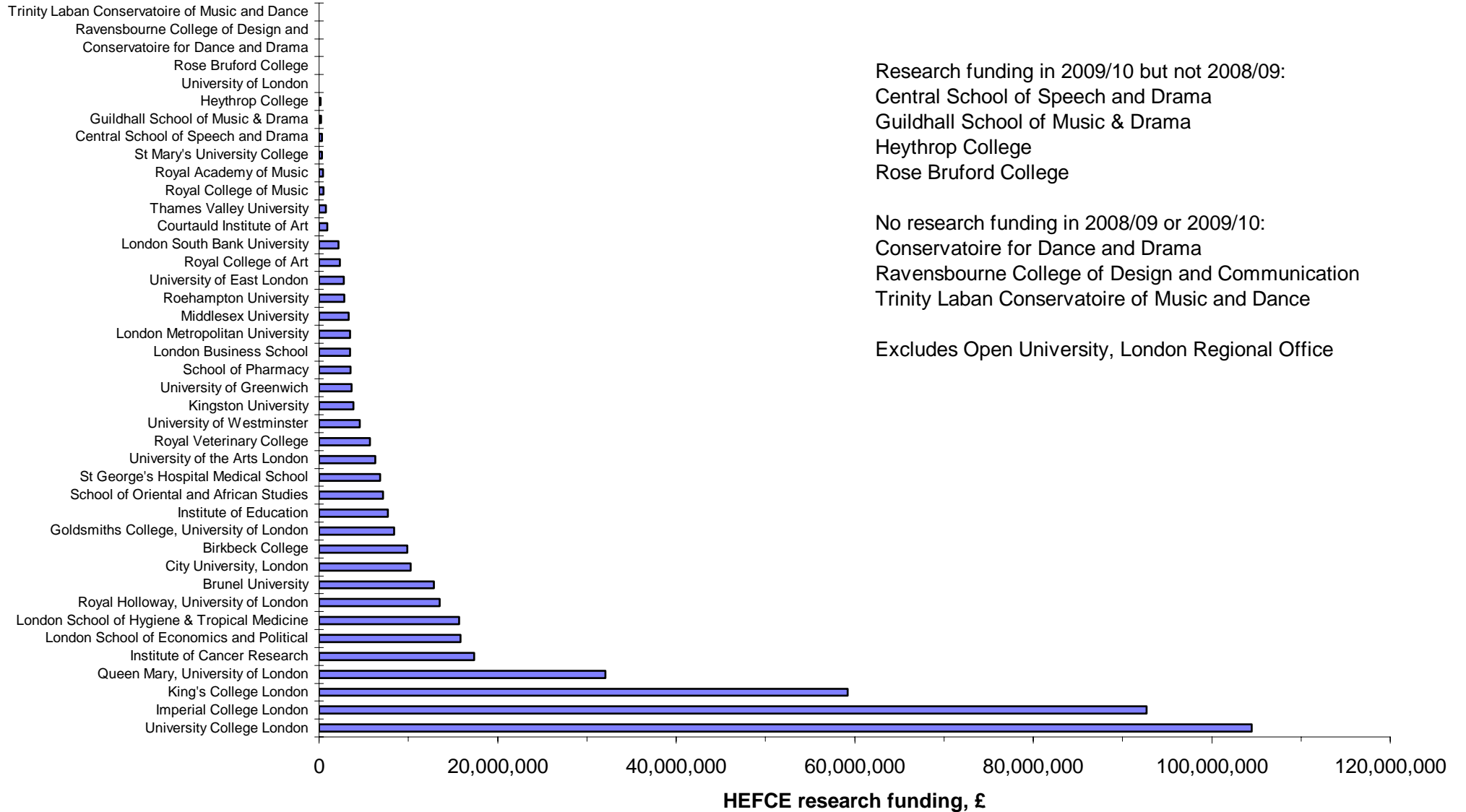
**Percent change in total recurrent grant for London HEIs**



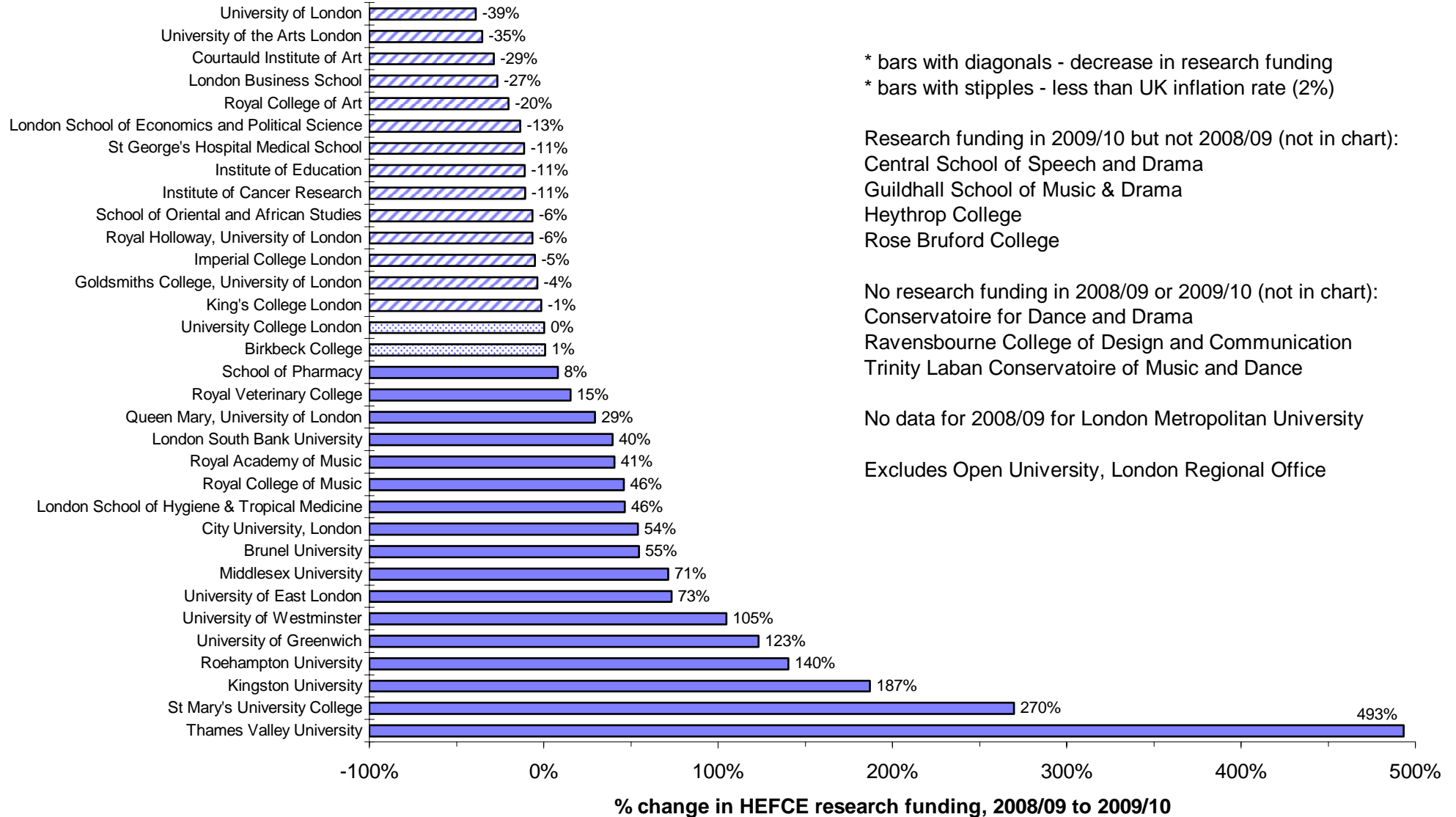
**Total teaching grant for London HEIs, 2009/10**



**Total research funding for London HEIs, 2009/10**



**Percent change in research funding for London HEIs**



**Changes in research funding for London HEIs by amount**

\* bars with diagonals - decrease in research funding

Research funding in 2009/10 but not 2008/09 (not in chart):

- Central School of Speech and Drama
- Guildhall School of Music & Drama
- Heythrop College
- Rose Bruford College

No research funding in 2008/09 or 2009/10 (not in chart):

- Conservatoire for Dance and Drama
- Ravensbourne College of Design and Communication
- Trinity Laban Conservatoire of Music and Dance

No data for 2008/09 for London Metropolitan University

Excludes Open University, London Regional Office

