



# BASIC EDUCATION AND ISSUES OF COSTS, ACCESS, AND EQUITY: EVIDENCE FROM GHANA (1991-2006)

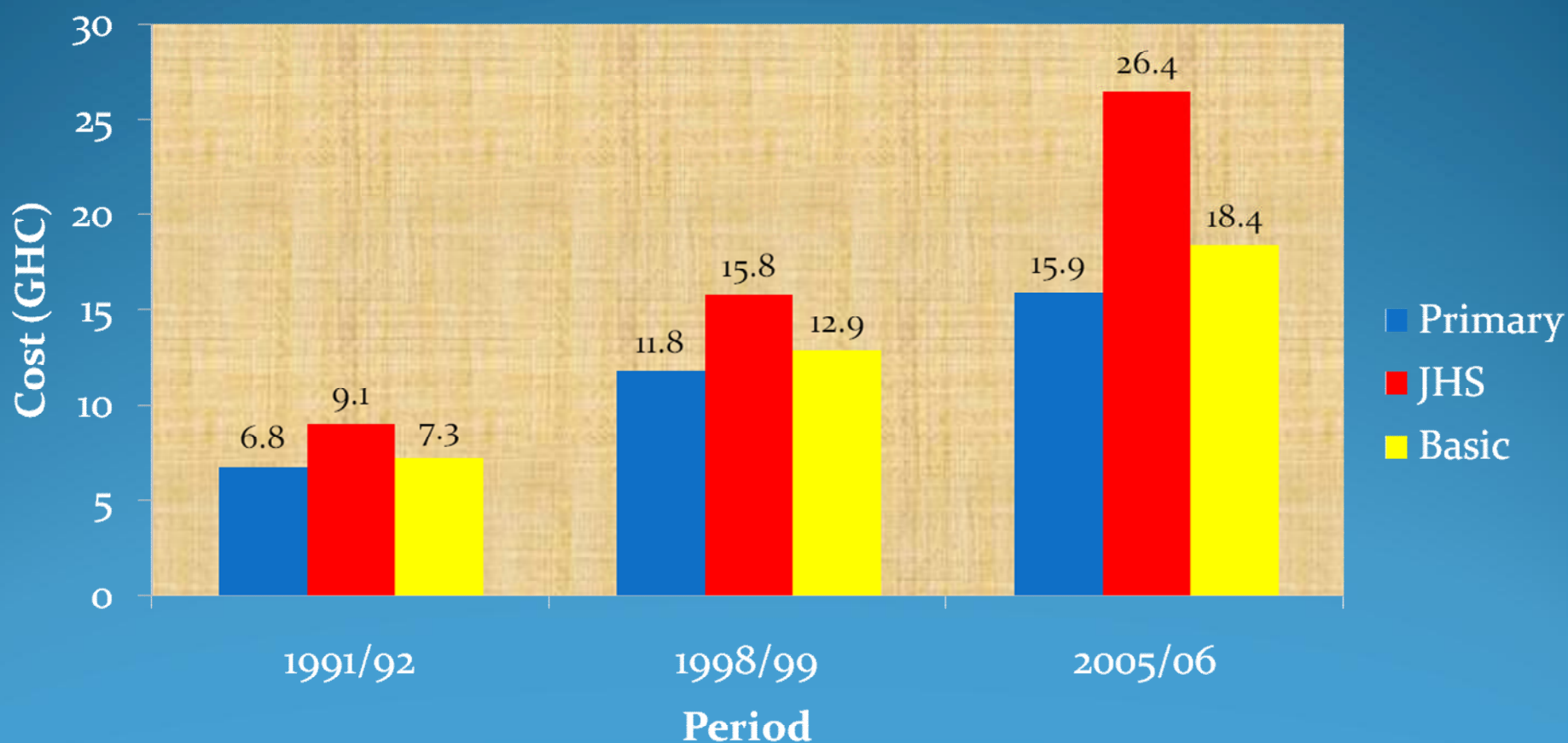
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# Introduction

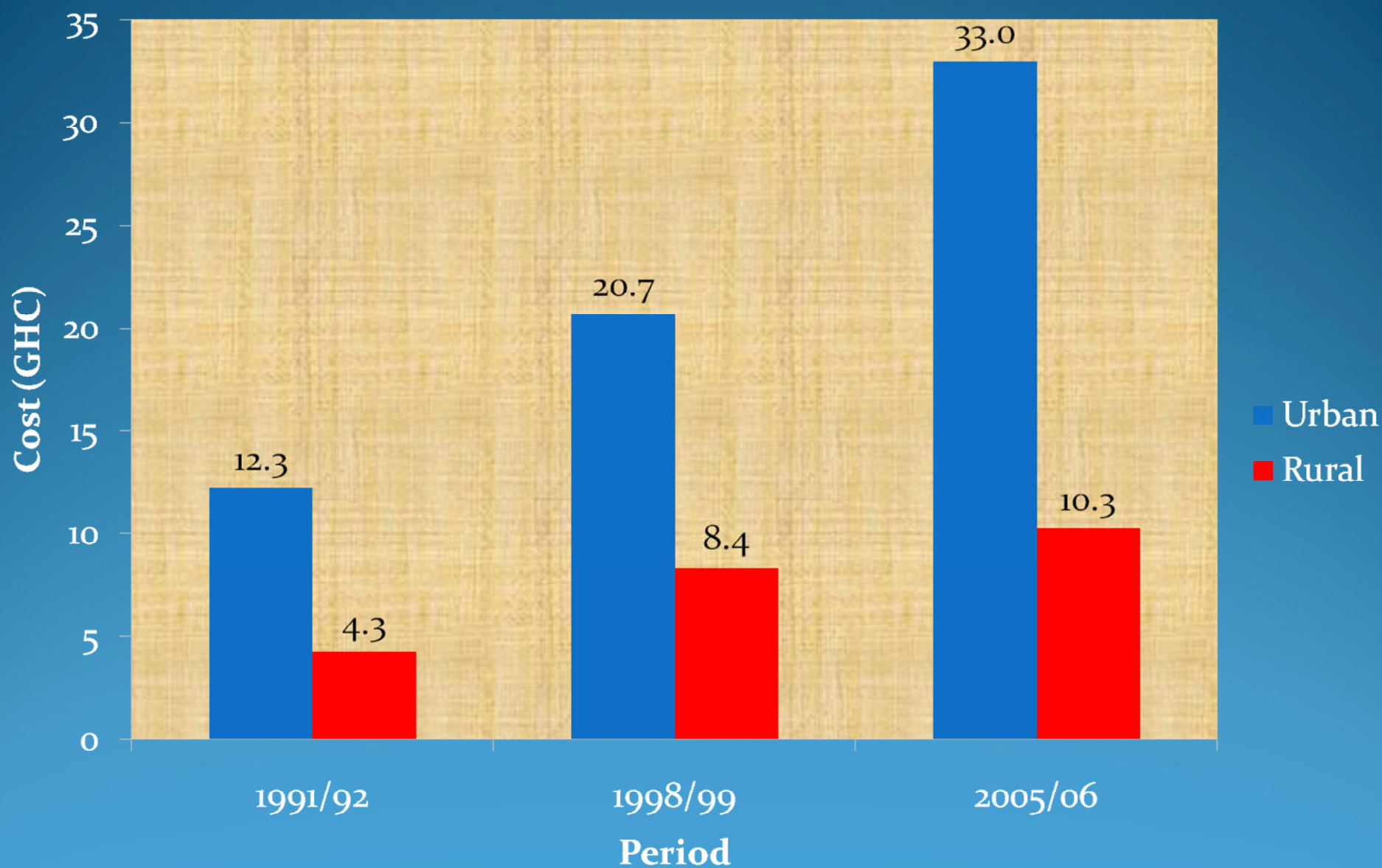
- The importance of basic education to the improvement in wellbeing;
- Ghana's efforts towards the provision of basic education for all;
- Issues of costs, access, and equity;
- This study's use of GLSS data to examine the issues;
- Poor and rural children are more vulnerable to educational deprivation.

# Key Findings

## Inflation-adjusted average expense on basic education, by schooling stage



## Inflation-adjusted average expenditure on basic schooling, by urban-rural status



## Average schooling expense

