



Benefit Payments by County of Residence

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County	Number of Retirees	FY24 Total Gross Pay (In Thousands)	Number of Active Members
Appling	380	\$ 15,317	539
Atkinson	109	4,456	230
Bacon	207	8,080	328
Baker	54	2,099	59
Baldwin	897	34,381	1,528
Banks	240	8,695	481
Barrow	970	35,621	3,147
Bartow	1,347	51,148	2,874
Ben Hill	300	11,262	467
Berrien	303	11,299	536
Bibb	2,086	80,839	3,497
Bleckley	337	12,047	453
Brantley	230	7,912	522
Brooks	276	10,046	242
Bryan	480	16,853	1,507
Bulloch	1,733	67,791	3,519
Burke	371	12,341	612
Butts	330	12,867	638
Calhoun	115	4,275	130
Camden	595	22,119	1,314
Candler	214	7,640	303
Carroll	2,261	87,354	4,399
Catoosa	741	26,870	1,508
Charlton	121	4,663	219
Chatham	3,446	136,635	6,511
Chattahoochee	32	1,274	137
Chattooga	368	13,753	543
Cherokee	3,378	135,511	7,745
Clarke	3,610	168,960	7,695
Clay	49	1,873	53
Clayton	1,605	60,934	5,127
Clinch	124	5,430	185
Cobb	7,585	311,512	18,357
Coffee	656	25,204	1,131
Colquitt	753	29,088	1,126
Columbia	2,948	118,862	5,501
Cook	281	10,068	541
Coweta	2,028	81,883	4,149
Crawford	195	7,206	195
Crisp	363	14,770	462

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Dade	158	\$ 5,683	232
Dawson	402	16,961	1,014
Decatur	408	15,144	641
DeKalb	7,100	330,776	17,823
Dodge	365	13,575	523
Dooly	166	6,581	197
Dougherty	1,667	68,682	2,480
Douglas	1,143	42,869	3,875
Early	247	9,843	278
Echols	51	1,644	53
Effingham	762	26,120	2,216
Elbert	385	13,453	543
Emanuel	479	18,597	701
Evans	182	6,516	298
Fannin	494	19,971	442
Fayette	2,320	101,854	3,339
Floyd	1,772	73,341	2,286
Forsyth	2,023	82,142	5,487
Franklin	474	18,520	693
Fulton	7,196	334,409	21,418
Gilmer	573	23,605	572
Glascocock	38	1,121	101
Glynn	1,658	71,058	2,027
Gordon	729	27,172	1,357
Grady	374	14,967	576
Greene	404	19,023	397
Gwinnett	6,631	259,394	21,502
Habersham	802	31,599	1,294
Hall	2,987	125,583	5,402
Hancock	190	6,985	237
Haralson	471	17,114	914
Harris	785	31,154	1,200
Hart	522	22,071	481
Heard	150	5,148	242
Henry	2,377	94,155	8,507
Houston	2,128	82,554	4,760
Irwin	181	7,374	269
Jackson	1,582	61,543	3,908
Jasper	277	10,788	519
Jeff Davis	205	8,035	404

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Jefferson	281	\$ 10,881	352
Jenkins	168	5,991	210
Johnson	162	6,372	192
Jones	452	17,664	719
Lamar	331	12,712	531
Lanier	114	4,209	230
Laurens	894	36,180	1,323
Lee	485	18,968	1,136
Liberty	486	16,343	1,349
Lincoln	209	9,100	218
Long	97	3,217	478
Lowndes	1,991	76,341	3,683
Lumpkin	692	26,698	1,072
Macon	184	6,452	220
Madison	987	32,785	1,547
Marion	121	3,847	189
McDuffie	381	14,674	568
McIntosh	222	8,914	283
Meriwether	309	11,873	344
Miller	115	4,321	150
Mitchell	303	11,109	513
Monroe	489	19,645	654
Montgomery	206	8,069	265
Morgan	525	22,749	730
Murray	461	18,925	818
Muscogee	2,695	106,319	4,010
Newton	1,113	41,710	3,499
Oconee	1,767	83,007	2,634
Oglethorpe	553	19,204	622
Paulding	1,387	49,038	4,683
Peach	561	23,267	858
Pickens	820	33,715	791
Pierce	357	13,401	627
Pike	403	15,407	660
Polk	592	24,107	1,177
Pulaski	176	7,118	242
Putnam	535	22,094	569
Quitman	29	936	28
Rabun	391	17,360	344
Randolph	125	5,142	177

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Richmond	3,335	\$ 120,573	4,856
Rockdale	1,050	42,821	2,793
Schley	76	2,552	175
Screven	306	11,299	422
Seminole	172	6,953	195
Spalding	1,083	44,613	1,516
Stephens	466	18,227	685
Stewart	82	3,323	82
Sumter	606	24,992	854
Talbot	107	3,577	82
Taliaferro	21	770	28
Tattnall	277	9,699	598
Taylor	157	5,862	205
Telfair	207	7,884	280
Terrell	148	5,585	193
Thomas	846	34,278	1,238
Tift	975	38,125	1,609
Toombs	437	16,166	761
Towns	327	13,438	241
Treutlen	132	4,796	162
Troup	1,006	39,034	1,629
Turner	183	6,638	262
Twiggs	102	3,419	141
Union	530	21,533	481
Upson	488	17,922	725
Walker	728	26,713	1,484
Walton	1,534	60,239	3,992
Ware	596	23,173	979
Warren	83	3,015	127
Washington	332	12,907	530
Wayne	506	18,435	774
Webster	38	1,489	47
Wheeler	112	4,940	120
White	638	25,248	744
Whitfield	1,207	49,741	2,252
Wilcox	156	6,867	203
Wilkes	218	8,486	263
Wilkinson	167	5,859	232
Worth	322	11,771	384
Outside GA*		785,437	

Total Gross Pay \$6,224,330

The Economic Impact of Teachers' Pensions in Georgia



Teachers Retirement System of Georgia

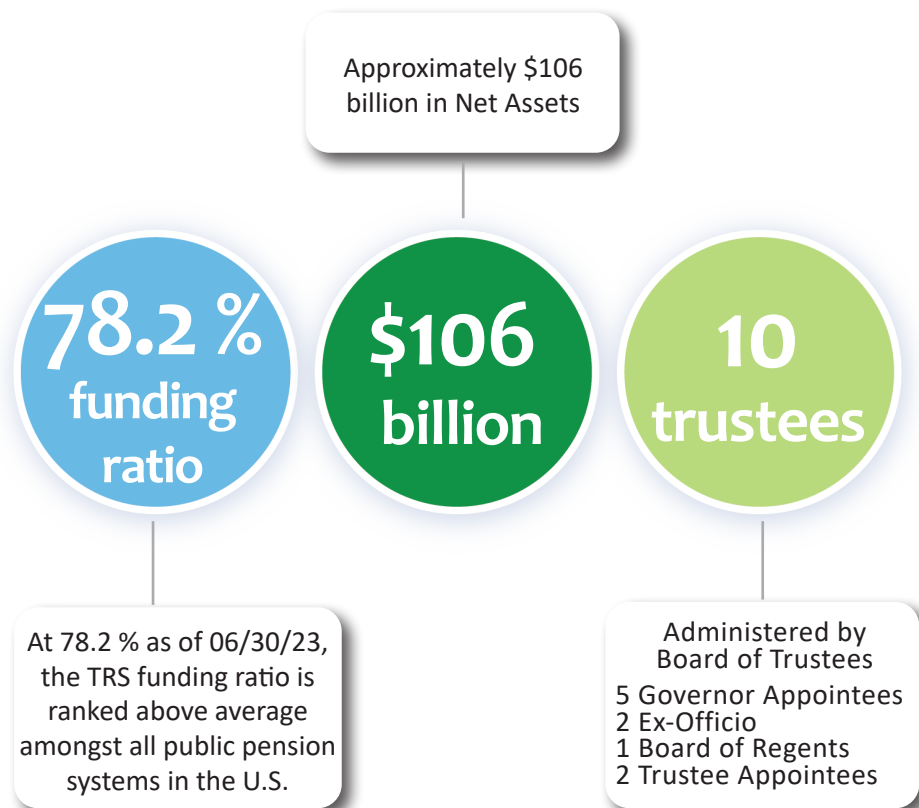
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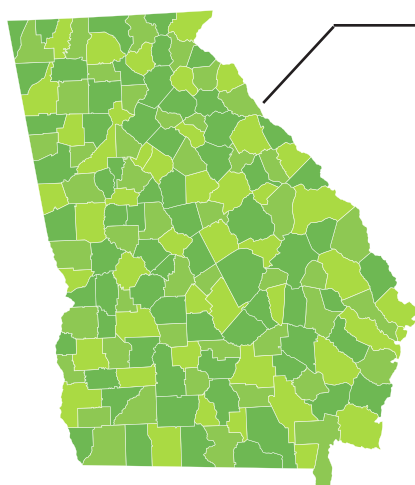
*Pension benefits paid to TRS retirees and beneficiaries residing outside the State of Georgia.

Note: Data compiled according to address on file with TRS at 6/30/2024.

TRS at a Glance



Economic Impact of Retired Educators

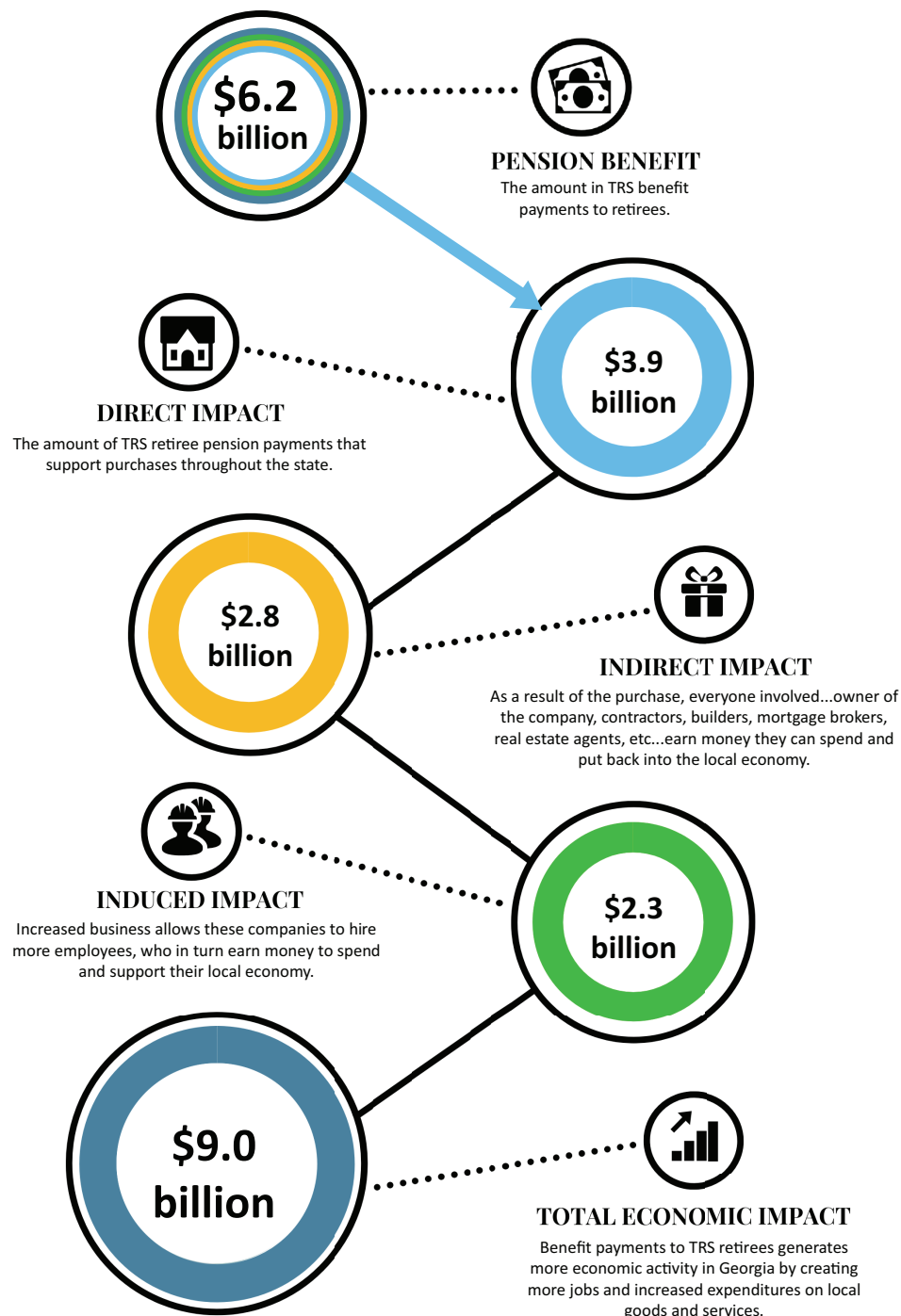


IN FISCAL YEAR 2024:

- TRS paid **\$6.2 billion** to its retirees.
- **68,293 jobs** in Georgia were supported by TRS retirees' pension income.
- TRS pension benefits contributed to **\$9.0 billion** in total economic output.

The Multiplier Effect

Pensions generate spending, and the economic impact of retired educators throughout Georgia is significant. This “multiplier” incorporates the direct, indirect, and induced impacts of retiree spending, as it ripples through the state economy.



Based on a pension study by www.nirsonline.org.

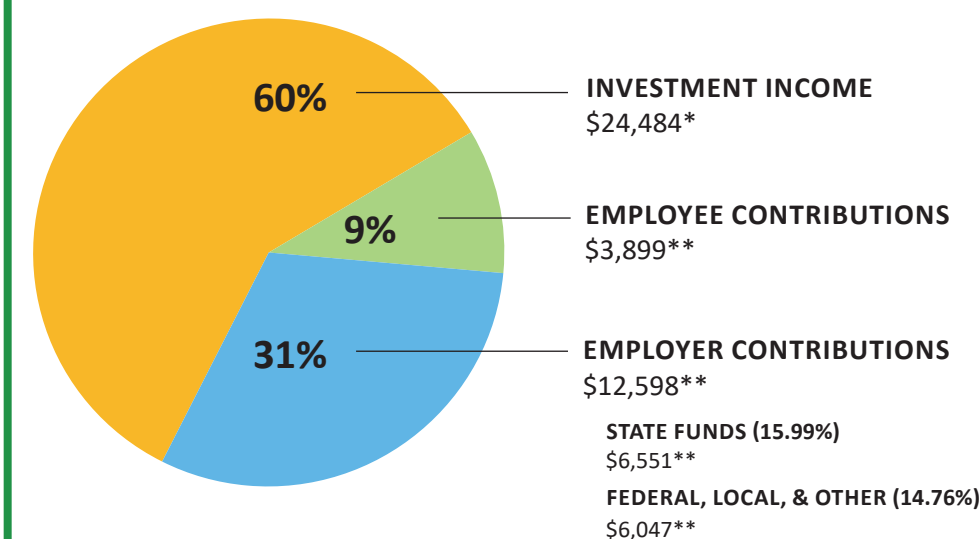
Member Stats as of 06/30/2024

240,562	Number of active members
60 years	Average age at retirement
25.50 years	Average service credit at retirement for service retirees
86.7%	TRS retirees living in Georgia
7,558	Number of retirees this fiscal year
151,881	Number of retired members
\$3,415/mo or \$40,980/yr	Average benefit for all retirees

Each \$1 in state and local pension benefits paid to Georgia residents ultimately supports \$1.45 in total output in the state.*

*Based on the *Pensionomics 2025* report by www.nirsonline.org.

Did you know...
 the majority of TRS' pension funding comes from investment income?



*Based on an average of investment income over the past 30 years.
 **Based on the average annual benefits TRS Retirees received in 2024.