# Defined Benefit Supplement elections and annuity estimates



Your Defined Benefit election and the amount in your Defined Benefit Supplement account determine which election choices are available for your account. You must have \$3,500 or more in your Defined Benefit Supplement account to elect an annuity.

## If you elected the Member-Only Benefit, your Defined Benefit Supplement election choices are:

- Lump-sum payment\*
   Period-certain annuity
  - Combination of a lump-sum payment and annuity

## If you elected the Modified Benefit, your Defined Benefit Supplement election choices are:

Lump-sum payment\*

Member-Only Annuity

- 50% Beneficiary Annuity
  Period-certain annuity
- 100% Beneficiary Annuity
- 75% Beneficiary Annuity
   Combination of a lump-sum payment and annuity

\*If you have less than \$3,500 in your Defined Benefit Supplement account, your only choice is a lump-sum payment.

## Lump-sum payment

This is a one-time payment of the total amount in your Defined Benefit Supplement account as either a direct payment or a rollover to a qualified plan, such as CalSTRS Pension2<sup>®</sup>, if you have at least \$200 in your account to rollover.

## **Period-certain annuity**

This choice provides a monthly payment made for any number of whole years from three to 10.

If you die before the annuity period ends, the remaining payments will be paid to your one-time death benefit recipients.

Period-certain annuities of three to nine years may be rolled over to another qualified plan each month. A Period-Certain Annuity of 10 years may not be rolled over.

Period-certain	Period-certain annuity estimates													
Defined Benefit	Number of whole years													
Supplement account balance	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10						
\$3,500	\$108	\$83	\$69	\$59	\$52	\$47	\$43	\$40						
\$5,000	\$154	\$119	\$99	\$85	\$75	\$68	\$62	\$58						
\$7,500	\$231	\$179	\$148	\$127	\$112	\$101	\$93	\$86						
\$10,000	\$308	\$238	\$197	\$169	\$150	\$135	\$124	\$115						
\$15,000	\$462	\$358	\$296	\$254	\$225	\$203	\$186	\$173						
\$20,000	\$616	\$477	\$394	\$339	\$300	\$271	\$248	\$230						
\$25,000	\$769	\$596	\$493	\$424	\$375	\$338	\$310	\$288						
\$30,000	\$923	\$715	\$591	\$508	\$450	\$406	\$372	\$345						
\$40,000	\$1,231	\$954	\$788	\$678	\$600	\$541	\$496	\$460						
\$50,000	\$1,539	\$1,192	\$985	\$847	\$749	\$676	\$620	\$575						

# **Member-Only Annuity**

## A lifetime annuity

This choice provides you with a lifetime monthly payment. The payments end on your death.

Any balance remaining in your account will be paid to your one-time death benefit recipients.

## Member-Only Annuity estimates

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Defined Benefit Supplement	Your age at retirement											
account balance	50	55	60	65								
\$3,500	\$22	\$22	\$23	\$25								
\$5,000	\$31	\$32	\$33	\$35								
\$7,500	\$47	\$48	\$50	\$53								
\$10,000	\$62	\$64	\$67	\$71								
\$15,000	\$93	\$96	\$100	\$106								
\$20,000	\$125	\$128	\$134	\$141								
\$25,000	\$156	\$161	\$167	\$177								
\$30,000	\$187	\$193	\$201	\$212								
\$40,000	\$249	\$257	\$268	\$283								
\$50,000	\$311	\$321	\$335	\$354								

## **Beneficiary annuity**

### A lifetime annuity

You can choose one of the following beneficiary annuity options for your Defined Benefit Supplement election if you chose the Modified Benefit for your Defined Benefit election. The amount of your monthly payment depends on the beneficiary annuity you choose—100%, 75% or 50%—your age and the age of your annuity beneficiary. Your Defined Benefit Supplement annuity beneficiary will be the same person or persons you named as your Defined Benefit beneficiary.

#### **100% Beneficiary Annuity**

This choice provides a lifetime monthly annuity payment for your lifetime and the lifetime of your annuity beneficiary.

Upon your death, 100% of your monthly annuity amount will be paid to your annuity beneficiary.

If your annuity beneficiary dies first, your monthly annuity benefit will rise to the Member-Only Annuity amount.

#### **75% Beneficiary Annuity**

This choice provides a lifetime monthly annuity payment for your lifetime and the lifetime of your annuity beneficiary.

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Upon your death, 75% of your monthly annuity amount will be paid to your annuity beneficiary.

If your annuity beneficiary dies first, your monthly annuity benefit will rise to the Member-Only Annuity amount.

100% Beneficiary Annuity estimates																	
Defined	Your age at retirement																
Benefit Supplement		5	0		55				60				65				
account	Age of annuity beneficiary at retirement																
balance	50	55	60	65	50	55	60	65	50	55	60	65	50	55	60	65	
\$3,500	\$21	\$21	\$21	\$21	\$21	\$21	\$21	\$22	\$21	\$21	\$22	\$22	\$21	\$21	\$22	\$22	
\$5,000	\$30	\$30	\$30	\$30	\$30	\$30	\$31	\$31	\$30	\$30	\$31	\$32	\$30	\$31	\$31	\$32	
\$15,000	\$89	\$90	\$90	\$91	\$89	\$90	\$92	\$93	\$90	\$91	\$93	\$95	\$90	\$92	\$94	\$96	
\$25,000	\$148	\$149	\$151	\$152	\$149	\$151	\$153	\$154	\$150	\$152	\$155	\$158	\$150	\$153	\$157	\$161	
\$40,000	\$237	\$239	\$241	\$243	\$238	\$241	\$244	\$247	\$239	\$243	\$248	\$252	\$240	\$245	\$251	\$257	
\$50,000	\$296	\$299	\$301	\$303	\$298	\$302	\$305	\$309	\$299	\$304	\$310	\$315	\$300	\$306	\$313	\$321	

## 75% Beneficiary Annuity estimates

Defined Benefit Supplement account balance	Your age at retirement																
		5	0		55					6	0		65				
		Age of annuity beneficiary at retirement															
	50	55	60	65	50	55	60	65	50	55	60	65	50	55	60	65	
\$3,500	\$21	\$21	\$21	\$22	\$21	\$22	\$22	\$22	\$22	\$22	\$22	\$23	\$22	\$23	\$23	\$23	
\$5,000	\$30	\$30	\$31	\$31	\$31	\$31	\$31	\$31	\$31	\$32	\$32	\$32	\$32	\$32	\$33	\$33	
\$15,000	\$91	\$91	\$92	\$92	\$92	\$93	\$94	\$94	\$93	\$95	\$96	\$97	\$95	\$97	\$99	\$100	
\$25,000	\$151	\$152	\$153	\$154	\$153	\$155	\$156	\$157	\$156	\$158	\$160	\$162	\$159	\$161	\$164	\$167	
\$40,000	\$241	\$243	\$244	\$246	\$245	\$247	\$250	\$252	\$249	\$252	\$256	\$259	\$254	\$258	\$263	\$268	
\$50,000	\$302	\$304	\$306	\$307	\$306	\$309	\$312	\$315	\$311	\$315	\$320	\$324	\$318	\$323	\$328	\$335	

#### **50% Beneficiary Annuity**

This choice provides a lifetime monthly annuity payment for your lifetime and the lifetime of your annuity beneficiary.

Upon your death, 50% of your monthly annuity amount will be paid to your annuity beneficiary.

If your annuity beneficiary dies first, your monthly annuity benefit will rise to the Member-Only Annuity amount.

## 50% Beneficiary Annuity estimates

Defined Benefit Supplement account balance	Your age at retirement																
		5	0		55				60				65				
		Age of annuity beneficiary at retirement															
	50	55	60	65	50	55	60	65	50	55	60	65	50	55	60	65	
\$3,500	\$21	\$22	\$22	\$22	\$22	\$22	\$22	\$22	\$23	\$23	\$23	\$23	\$23	\$24	\$24	\$24	
\$5,000	\$31	\$31	\$31	\$31	\$31	\$32	\$32	\$32	\$32	\$32	\$33	\$33	\$33	\$34	\$34	\$35	
\$15,000	\$92	\$92	\$93	\$93	\$94	\$95	\$95	\$96	\$97	\$97	\$98	\$99	\$100	\$101	\$102	\$104	
\$25,000	\$153	\$154	\$155	\$155	\$157	\$158	\$159	\$159	\$161	\$162	\$164	\$165	\$167	\$168	\$171	\$173	
\$40,000	\$245	\$246	\$247	\$248	\$251	\$252	\$254	\$255	\$258	\$260	\$262	\$264	\$267	\$270	\$273	\$276	
\$50,000	\$307	\$308	\$309	\$310	\$313	\$315	\$317	\$319	\$322	\$325	\$328	\$330	\$333	\$337	\$341	\$345	

Note: The Defined Benefit Supplement annuity estimates are adjusted periodically and are not valid for CalSTRS disability benefit recipients.