What is After Act 10 service?

For executives, legislators, local elected officials, judges, and state constitutional officers the formula multiplier for creditable service earned was changed from 2.0% to 1.6% by 2011 Wisconsin Act 10. If you are not in one of these categories, because your formula multiplier did not change with Act 10, you will not enter anything as After Act 10 service in the online retirement calculator. The date of the formula multiplier change depends on your employment category and is shown on the table below.

How much After Act 10 service do I have and where do I find it?

You earn creditable service based on the hours your employer reports for each earnings period. Your Annual Statement of Benefits shows how much service you have earned through the end of the previous calendar year. Your January 1, 2012 Annual Statement of Benefits, which will be sent to you some time after June of 2012, is the first statement that could reflect any After Act 10 service. Until these statements are issued, you must estimate how much service was earned before and after the formula multiplier changed. The table below shows approximate values of service that most full-time employees in your particular category are *likely* to be credited with for calendar year 2011.

Category	Effective Date of Reduced Formula Multiplier*	**2011 Service Before Act 10 (1/1/2011 to Act 10)	**2011 Service After Act 10 (Act 10 to 12/31/2011)
State Executive Retirement Plan	June 29, 2011	0.50	0.50
State Teacher Executive Pay Plan		0.50	0.50
Supreme Court Justice	July 18, 2011	0.54	0.46
Appellate Court Judge			
Circuit Court Judge			
Local Elected Official	The first day of a new term of office	See your employer	
Legislative or State Constitutional Officers, including District Attorneys	The first day of a new term of office that begins on or after June 29, 2011.		

*The formula multiplier change will occur on the first pay period following the dates shown above. Employers have different pay periods (e.g. monthly, weekly, bi-weekly etc.). Check with your employer to confirm when the first new pay period began after Act 10 affected your formula multiplier. **These are estimated values only. Actual service will be reported by your employer and will appear on your January 1, 2012 Annual Statement of Benefits.

Contact ETF with questions.