

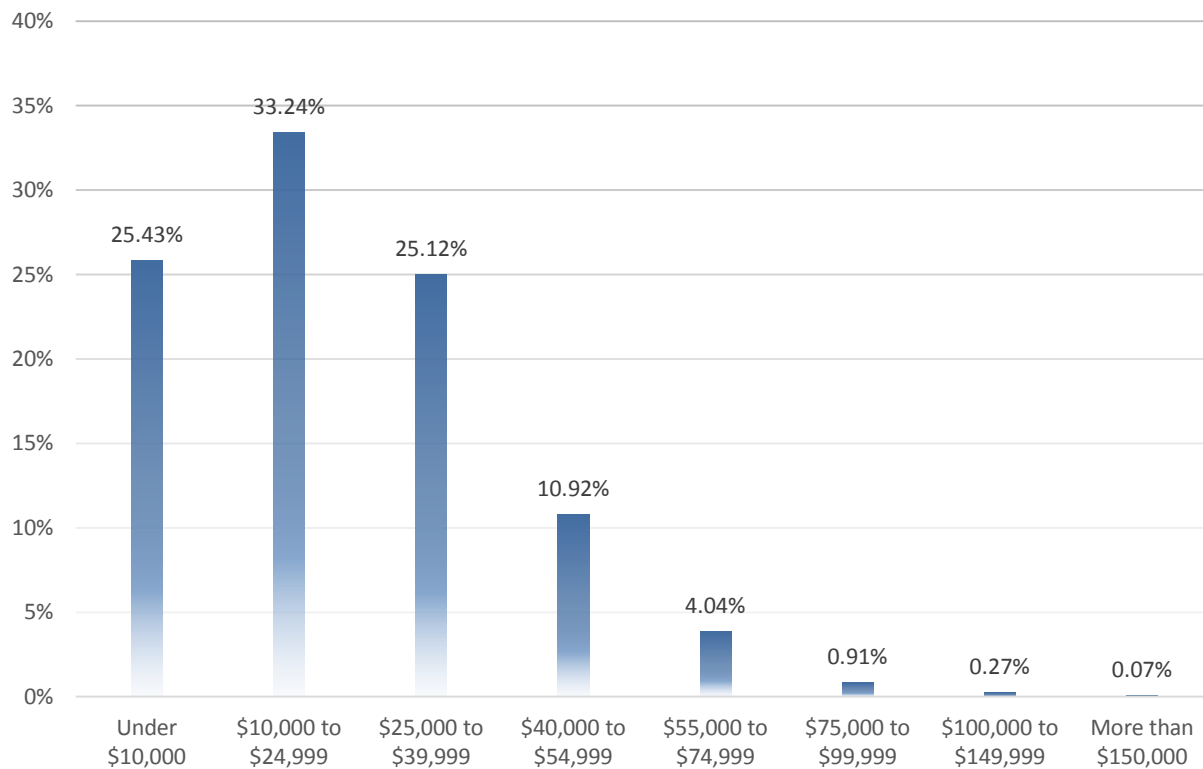


2017 Wisconsin Retirement System Annuities Fact Sheet

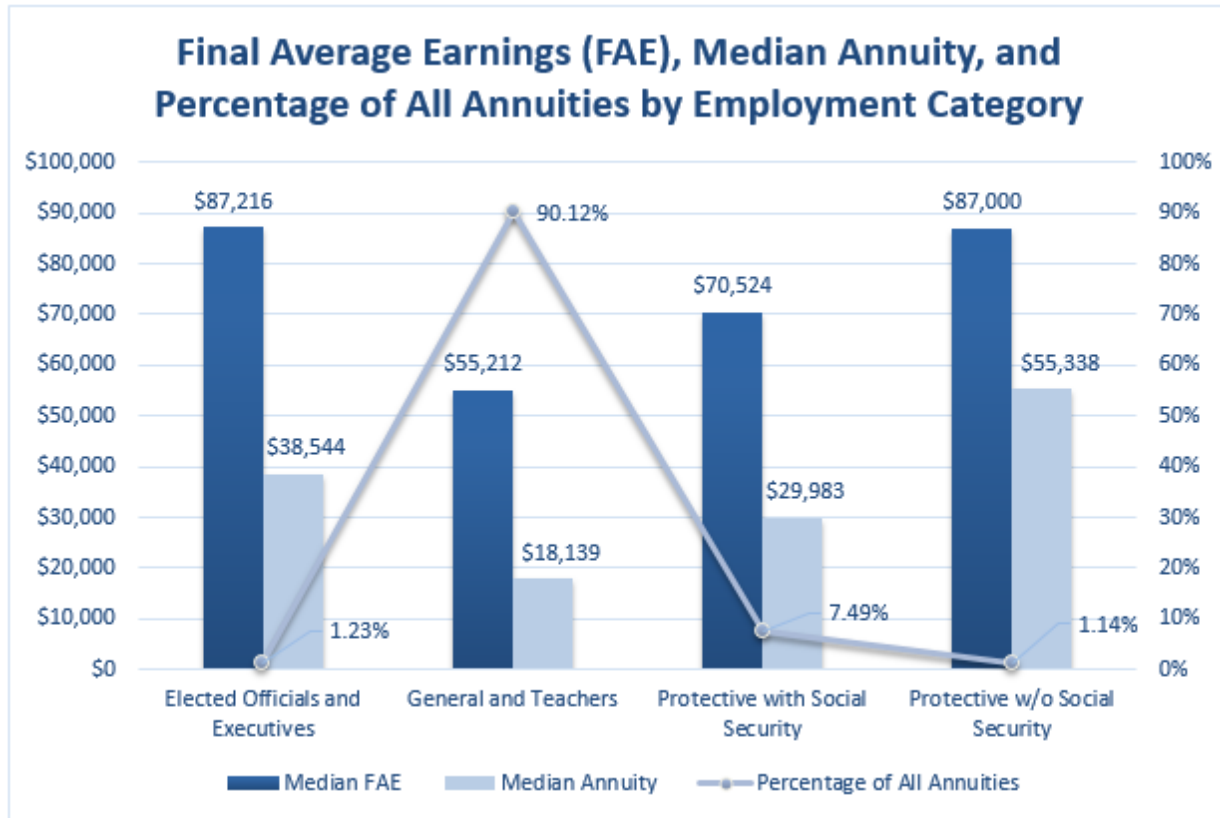
Average annual WRS pension: \$23, 896 (Up \$284 or 1.2% from 2016)

Median annual WRS pension: \$20,758 (Up \$193 or 0.9% from 2016)

Number of WRS Annuities by Amount in 2017



Annual amount	Number of annuities	Percentage	Change from previous year
Under \$10,000	52,284	25.43%	(0.39%)
\$10,000 to \$24,999	69,650	33.24%	(0.16%)
\$25,000 to \$39,999	52,621	25.12%	0.13%
\$40,000 to \$54,999	22,870	10.92%	0.12%
\$55,000 to \$74,999	8,467	4.04%	0.18%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	1,910	0.91%	0.08%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	573	0.27%	0.02%
More than \$150,000	136	0.065%	0.015%
2017 total	209,511		3.41%
2016 total	202,601		



WRS Retirement Data for 2017³

Employment category	Median years of service	Median age at retirement	Final average earnings at retirement	Median annuity (Annual)	Income replacement ratio ¹	Weighted ² income replacement ratio
Elected officials and executives	22.83	63	\$87,216	\$38,544	41.19%	58.07%
General and teachers	22.08	61	\$55,212	\$18,139	32.85 %	44.63%
Protective with social security	24.34	54	\$70,524	\$29,983	42.51%	52.40%
Protective without social security	26.74	55	\$87,000	\$55,338	63.61%	71.37%

¹ The income replacement ratio represents the relative relationship between the annual annuity amount and the retiree's prior average earnings: the percent at which the annuity replaces prior income.

² The weighted income replacement ratio represents an income replacement ratio in the event the retiree worked a full 30-year career. Because average years of service vary between employment categories, this ratio more accurately reflects a comparison of income replacement between the various employment categories.

³ Calculated using median, except Elected Officials and Executives (mean) due to the small number of annuitants in the data set.