



**The Local Government Pension Scheme
(England and Wales)
Purchase of Additional Survivor Benefits**

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1 Legislative Background

- 1.1 Under Regulation 14A of the Local Government Pension Scheme (Benefits, Membership and Contributions) Regulations 2007 (“the Benefits Regulations”) (SI 2007/1166), a member may elect to make additional contributions to the LGPS in respect of the whole or part of any period of membership occurring prior to 6th April 1988 to be credited with additional benefits in respect of a surviving nominated cohabiting partner (within the meaning of regulation 25 of the Benefits Regulations). The election should be made on or before 31st March 2011.
- 1.2 Regulation 24A of the Local Government Pension Scheme (Administration) Regulations 2008 (“the Administration Regulations”) (SI 2008/239) provides further conditions relating to the purchase of additional survivor benefits (“ASBs”) by members.
- 1.3 Regulation 24A of the Administration Regulations provides that the amount of the additional survivor benefits contributions (“ASBCs”) paid by a member purchasing ASBs must be the amount for the time being determined by the actuary appointed by the Secretary of State.
- 1.4 Regulation 24B of the Administration Regulations provides that the amount of ASBs credited to a member who ceases contributions before the end of the payment period for a reason other than retirement on ill-health under regulations 20(2) or 20(3) of the Benefits Regulations (ie they are not likely to obtain gainful employment within three years of leaving their employment) or death must be determined by the actuary appointed by the Secretary of State.
- 1.5 The purpose of this note prepared by the Government Actuary's Department for Communities and Local Government (CLG), and issued to them for onward transmission to administering authorities and employing authorities, is to provide this guidance as agreed in the letter of appointment dated 23 December 2009 with reference LGR 136/7/10.

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2 Benefits purchased

- 2.1 A member may choose to pay ASBCs in respect of the whole or any part of any period of membership occurring prior to 6th April 1988 in order to be credited with ASBs in respect of a surviving nominated cohabiting partner.
- 2.2 The payment of ASBCs may be made only in respect of complete years of membership unless the member chooses to pay ASBCs in respect of all of their period of membership occurring prior to 6th April 1988.
- 2.3 If a member chooses to purchase ASBs, the partner's benefits will be based on the period of membership occurring after 5th April 1988 plus the period of membership occurring before that date in respect of which the member chooses to pay ASBCs.
- 2.4 If a member stops contributing before the end of the payment period for reason other than retirement on ill-health under regulations 20(2) or 20(3) of the Benefits Regulations or death, the ASBs which the member had applied for will be reduced pro rata. The ASBs awarded is the ASBs originally applied for multiplied by the number of monthly contributions actually made divided by the number of monthly contributions that would have been paid had the contributions continued to the end of the payment period (see Example 3).
- 2.5 If a member retires on ill-health under regulations 20(2) or 20(3) of the Benefits Regulations or dies before the end of the contract, ASBs which the member had applied for will be granted to the surviving nominated cohabiting partner.

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3 Contributions

- 3.1 The ASBCs may be paid for over a number of years but not exceeding the period to the member's normal retirement age. For any part years, ASBC rates will need to be interpolated (see Example 2).
- 3.2 Contracts may commence at any time in the year.
- 3.3 Tables are attached to this Guidance Note that should be used in order to determine the ASBCs, expressed as a percentage of salary, for an increase in respect of partner's benefits of one year.
- 3.4 The factor depends on the member's age at their last birthday at the calculation date, their sex and the sex of their partner, and on the payment period selected.
- 3.5 ASBC rates in this note are subject to change in the future. Any revision to rates would apply to any contracts that still had contributions outstanding at the time of the revision. The revised ASBC rates would take effect for existing contracts on the 1st April following the revision.
- 3.6 A member who leaves service must stop contributing for ASBs. An active member may stop contributing for ASBs if he or she notifies the administering authority in writing.

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4 Other considerations

- 4.1 Administering authorities have the option to request a medical report from members wishing to purchase ASBs and if the report does not satisfy the authority that the member is in reasonably good health, it may refuse the request. There may be a strain on the fund if a member is awarded an ill-health pension from an early age or dies leaving a young nominated cohabiting partner.



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5 Examples

Example 1

Calculation date – 1 October 2009

Sex of member – male

Sex of partner – male

Member's date of birth – 1 July 1959

Date member joined scheme – 1 March 1987

Member's age last birthday at calculation date – 50 years

Period to purchase – 1 March 1987 to 5 April 1988 (inclusive) (ie whole period of membership before 6 April 1988)

$$\begin{aligned} &= 1 \text{ year and } 36 \text{ days} \\ &= 1.10 \text{ years } (= 1 + 36/365) \end{aligned}$$

Payment period – 10 years

Factor from Table C, age 50 and payment period of 10 years = 0.26%

ASBC rate (deducted from salary) = $0.26\% \times 1.10 = 0.286\%$

Example 2

Calculation date – 1 October 2009

Sex of member – female

Sex of partner – male

Member's date of birth – 1 July 1959

Date member joined scheme – 15 October 1985

Member's age last birthday at calculation date – 50 years

Period to purchase = 2 years

Payment period – up to Normal retirement age 65
= 14.76 years

Factor from Table B, age 50 and payment period of 14 years = 0.11%
Factor from Table B, age 50 and payment period of 15 years = 0.10%
Interpolating = $0.76 \times 0.10\% + 0.24 \times 0.11\% = 0.102\%$

ASBC rate (deducted from salary) = $0.102\% \times 2 = 0.204\%$

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Example 3

Calculation date – 1 October 2009

Sex of member – male

Sex of partner – female

Member's date of birth – 1 July 1959

Member's age last birthday at calculation date – 50 years

Date member joined scheme – 5 June 1984

Period to purchase = 3 years

Payment period = 10 years

Factor from Table A, age 50 and payment period of 10 years = 0.28%

ASBC rate (deducted from salary) = $0.28\% \times 3 = 0.84\%$

Date member leaves active service = 1 October 2014

ASBs purchased:

= $3 \times 60 \text{ months} / 120 \text{ months}$ (see paragraph 2.4)

= 1.5 years

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Table A – Cost of one year's additional survivor benefits – Male Member with Female Partner (1)

Additional survivor benefit contribution rate - cost expressed as a percentage of Salary

Age at first contribution	Payment period (years)														
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
37	2.06	1.03	0.69	0.52	0.42	0.35	0.30	0.26	0.23	0.21	0.19	0.18	0.16	0.15	0.14
38	2.10	1.06	0.71	0.53	0.43	0.36	0.31	0.27	0.24	0.22	0.20	0.19	0.17	0.16	0.15
39	2.14	1.07	0.72	0.54	0.43	0.36	0.31	0.27	0.24	0.22	0.20	0.19	0.17	0.16	0.15
40	2.18	1.10	0.74	0.56	0.45	0.37	0.32	0.28	0.25	0.23	0.21	0.19	0.18	0.17	0.16
41	2.22	1.12	0.75	0.57	0.46	0.39	0.33	0.29	0.26	0.24	0.22	0.20	0.19	0.18	0.17
42	2.26	1.14	0.76	0.57	0.46	0.39	0.33	0.29	0.26	0.24	0.22	0.20	0.19	0.18	0.17
43	2.30	1.16	0.78	0.59	0.47	0.40	0.34	0.30	0.27	0.24	0.22	0.21	0.19	0.18	0.17
44	2.34	1.18	0.79	0.60	0.48	0.41	0.35	0.31	0.28	0.25	0.23	0.21	0.20	0.19	0.17
45	2.38	1.20	0.81	0.61	0.49	0.42	0.36	0.32	0.28	0.26	0.24	0.22	0.20	0.19	0.18
46	2.41	1.22	0.82	0.62	0.50	0.42	0.37	0.32	0.29	0.26	0.24	0.22	0.21	0.19	0.18
47	2.45	1.24	0.83	0.63	0.51	0.43	0.37	0.33	0.29	0.27	0.25	0.23	0.21	0.20	0.19
48	2.48	1.25	0.84	0.64	0.52	0.43	0.38	0.33	0.30	0.27	0.25	0.23	0.21	0.20	0.19
49	2.52	1.27	0.86	0.65	0.52	0.44	0.38	0.34	0.30	0.27	0.25	0.23	0.22	0.20	0.19
50	2.56	1.30	0.87	0.66	0.54	0.45	0.39	0.35	0.31	0.28	0.26	0.24	0.23	0.21	0.20
51	2.60	1.31	0.88	0.67	0.54	0.46	0.39	0.35	0.31	0.28	0.26	0.24	0.23	0.21	
52	2.64	1.33	0.90	0.68	0.55	0.46	0.40	0.36	0.32	0.29	0.27	0.25	0.23		
53	2.68	1.35	0.91	0.69	0.56	0.47	0.41	0.36	0.32	0.29	0.27	0.25			
54	2.71	1.37	0.93	0.71	0.57	0.48	0.42	0.37	0.33	0.30	0.28				
55	2.73	1.39	0.94	0.71	0.58	0.49	0.43	0.38	0.34	0.31					
56	2.76	1.40	0.95	0.72	0.58	0.49	0.43	0.38	0.34						
57	2.77	1.40	0.95	0.72	0.58	0.49	0.43	0.38							
58	2.78	1.41	0.95	0.72	0.59	0.50	0.43								
59	2.78	1.41	0.95	0.72	0.59	0.50									
60	2.78	1.41	0.95	0.72	0.59										
61	2.78	1.41	0.95	0.72											
62	2.78	1.41	0.95												
63	2.78	1.41													
64	2.78														

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Table A – Cost of one year's additional survivor benefits – Male Member with Female Partner (2)

Additional survivor benefit contribution rate - cost expressed as a percentage of Salary

Age at first contribution	Payment period (years)												
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
37	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.08	0.08
38	0.14	0.13	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.10	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09
39	0.14	0.13	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.10	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09
40	0.15	0.14	0.13	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10
41	0.16	0.15	0.14	0.13	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11
42	0.16	0.15	0.14	0.13	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11
43	0.16	0.15	0.14	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12
44	0.16	0.16	0.15	0.14	0.14	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13
45	0.17	0.16	0.15	0.15	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14
46	0.17	0.16	0.16	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15
47	0.18	0.17	0.17	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16
48	0.18	0.17	0.17	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16
49	0.18	0.17	0.17	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16

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Table B – Cost of one year's additional survivor benefits – Female Member with Male Partner (1)

Additional survivor benefit contribution rate - cost expressed as a percentage of Salary

Age at first contribution	Payment period (years)														
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
37	1.03	0.52	0.35	0.26	0.21	0.17	0.15	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.10	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.07
38	1.07	0.54	0.36	0.27	0.22	0.18	0.16	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.08
39	1.10	0.55	0.37	0.28	0.23	0.19	0.16	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.08
40	1.14	0.57	0.38	0.29	0.23	0.19	0.17	0.15	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.08
41	1.16	0.59	0.39	0.30	0.24	0.20	0.18	0.16	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.10	0.09	0.09
42	1.18	0.59	0.40	0.30	0.24	0.20	0.18	0.16	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.10	0.09	0.09
43	1.21	0.61	0.41	0.31	0.25	0.21	0.18	0.16	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.10	0.09	0.09
44	1.23	0.62	0.42	0.32	0.26	0.22	0.19	0.16	0.15	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.10	0.09
45	1.25	0.63	0.42	0.32	0.26	0.22	0.19	0.16	0.15	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.10	0.09
46	1.27	0.64	0.43	0.33	0.27	0.22	0.19	0.17	0.15	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.10	0.10
47	1.29	0.65	0.44	0.33	0.27	0.22	0.19	0.17	0.15	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.10	0.10
48	1.31	0.66	0.45	0.34	0.27	0.23	0.20	0.18	0.16	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.10
49	1.33	0.67	0.45	0.34	0.27	0.23	0.20	0.18	0.16	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.10
50	1.34	0.68	0.45	0.34	0.28	0.23	0.20	0.18	0.16	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.10
51	1.36	0.69	0.46	0.35	0.28	0.24	0.21	0.18	0.16	0.15	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.11
52	1.37	0.69	0.47	0.35	0.29	0.24	0.21	0.19	0.17	0.15	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.12	
53	1.38	0.70	0.47	0.36	0.29	0.24	0.21	0.19	0.17	0.15	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.13	
54	1.38	0.70	0.47	0.36	0.29	0.24	0.21	0.19	0.17	0.15	0.14	0.13	0.12		
55	1.38	0.70	0.47	0.36	0.29	0.24	0.21	0.19	0.17	0.15					
56	1.38	0.70	0.47	0.36	0.29	0.25	0.21	0.19	0.17						
57	1.38	0.70	0.47	0.36	0.29	0.25	0.21	0.19							
58	1.38	0.70	0.47	0.36	0.29	0.25	0.21								
59	1.38	0.70	0.47	0.36	0.29	0.25									
60	1.38	0.70	0.47	0.36	0.29										
61	1.38	0.70	0.47	0.36											
62	1.38	0.70	0.47												
63	1.38	0.70													
64	1.38														

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Table B – Cost of one year's additional survivor benefits – Female Member with Male Partner (2)

Additional survivor benefit contribution rate - cost expressed as a percentage of Salary

Age at first contribution	Payment period (years)												
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
37	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04
38	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05
39	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05
40	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05
41	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06
42	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06
43	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06
44	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07
45	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07
46	0.09	0.09	0.08	0.08									
47	0.09	0.09	0.08										
48	0.09	0.09											
49	0.09												

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Table C – Cost of one year's additional survivor benefits – Male Member with Male Partner (1)

Additional survivor benefit contribution rate - cost expressed as a percentage of Salary

Age at first contribution	Payment period (years)														
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
37	1.90	0.96	0.64	0.48	0.39	0.33	0.28	0.25	0.22	0.20	0.18	0.17	0.16	0.15	0.14
38	1.94	0.98	0.65	0.49	0.40	0.33	0.29	0.25	0.22	0.20	0.18	0.17	0.16	0.15	0.14
39	1.98	1.00	0.67	0.50	0.41	0.34	0.30	0.26	0.23	0.21	0.19	0.18	0.16	0.15	0.14
40	2.02	1.01	0.68	0.51	0.41	0.34	0.30	0.26	0.23	0.21	0.19	0.18	0.16	0.15	0.14
41	2.05	1.03	0.69	0.52	0.42	0.35	0.31	0.27	0.24	0.22	0.20	0.18	0.17	0.16	0.15
42	2.09	1.05	0.70	0.53	0.43	0.36	0.31	0.27	0.24	0.22	0.20	0.18	0.17	0.16	0.15
43	2.12	1.07	0.72	0.54	0.44	0.37	0.32	0.28	0.25	0.22	0.21	0.19	0.18	0.16	0.15
44	2.16	1.09	0.73	0.55	0.45	0.38	0.32	0.29	0.26	0.23	0.21	0.20	0.18	0.17	0.16
45	2.19	1.11	0.74	0.56	0.46	0.38	0.33	0.29	0.26	0.24	0.22	0.20	0.19	0.18	0.17
46	2.23	1.13	0.76	0.58	0.47	0.39	0.34	0.30	0.27	0.24	0.22	0.21	0.19	0.18	0.17
47	2.26	1.14	0.76	0.58	0.47	0.39	0.34	0.30	0.27	0.24	0.22	0.21	0.19	0.18	0.17
48	2.29	1.16	0.78	0.59	0.48	0.40	0.35	0.31	0.28	0.25	0.23	0.22	0.20	0.19	0.18
49	2.33	1.18	0.79	0.60	0.49	0.41	0.36	0.31	0.28	0.26	0.24	0.22	0.20	0.19	0.18
50	2.37	1.20	0.81	0.61	0.49	0.41	0.36	0.32	0.28	0.26	0.24	0.22	0.20	0.19	0.18
51	2.40	1.22	0.82	0.62	0.50	0.43	0.37	0.33	0.29	0.27	0.25	0.23	0.21	0.20	
52	2.44	1.23	0.83	0.63	0.51	0.43	0.37	0.33	0.29	0.27	0.25	0.23	0.21		
53	2.47	1.25	0.84	0.64	0.52	0.43	0.38	0.33	0.30	0.27	0.25	0.23			
54	2.49	1.26	0.85	0.64	0.52	0.44	0.38	0.33	0.30	0.27	0.25				
55	2.52	1.28	0.86	0.65	0.53	0.45	0.39	0.34	0.31	0.28					
56	2.53	1.28	0.87	0.66	0.53	0.45	0.39	0.34	0.31						
57	2.55	1.29	0.87	0.66	0.54	0.45	0.39	0.35							
58	2.55	1.30	0.88	0.67	0.54	0.46	0.40								
59	2.55	1.30	0.88	0.67	0.54	0.46									
60	2.55	1.30	0.88	0.67	0.54										
61	2.55	1.30	0.88	0.67											
62	2.55	1.30	0.88												
63	2.55	1.30													
64	2.55														

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Additional survivor benefit contribution rate - cost expressed as a percentage of Salary

Age at first contribution	Payment period (years)												
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
37	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.10	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.08
38	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.10	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.08
39	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.10	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09
40	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.10	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09
41	0.14	0.13	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10
42	0.14	0.13	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10
43	0.15	0.14	0.13	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11
44	0.15	0.14	0.14	0.13	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11
45	0.16	0.15	0.14	0.14	0.13	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11
46	0.16	0.15	0.15	0.14	0.14	0.13	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12
47	0.16	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.14	0.14	0.13	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12
48	0.17	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.15	0.15	0.14	0.14	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13
49	0.17												

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Purchase of Additional Survivor Benefits

Table D – Cost of one year's additional survivor benefits – Female Member with Female Partner (1)

Additional survivor benefit contribution rate - cost expressed as a percentage of Salary

Age at first contribution	Payment period (years)														
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
37	1.12	0.57	0.38	0.29	0.23	0.20	0.17	0.15	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.10	0.10	0.09	0.08
38	1.16	0.58	0.39	0.30	0.24	0.20	0.17	0.15	0.14	0.12	0.11	0.10	0.10	0.09	0.08
39	1.20	0.61	0.41	0.31	0.25	0.21	0.18	0.16	0.15	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.10	0.09
40	1.23	0.62	0.42	0.32	0.26	0.21	0.19	0.16	0.15	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.10	0.09
41	1.26	0.63	0.43	0.32	0.26	0.22	0.19	0.16	0.15	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.10	0.09
42	1.29	0.65	0.44	0.33	0.27	0.23	0.20	0.17	0.16	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.10
43	1.31	0.66	0.44	0.34	0.27	0.23	0.20	0.17	0.16	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.10
44	1.34	0.67	0.45	0.34	0.27	0.23	0.20	0.17	0.16	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.10
45	1.36	0.69	0.46	0.35	0.28	0.24	0.21	0.18	0.16	0.15	0.14	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.10
46	1.39	0.70	0.47	0.35	0.28	0.24	0.21	0.18	0.16	0.15	0.14	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.10
47	1.41	0.71	0.48	0.36	0.29	0.25	0.21	0.19	0.17	0.15	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.11
48	1.43	0.72	0.49	0.37	0.30	0.25	0.22	0.19	0.17	0.16	0.15	0.13	0.13	0.12	0.11
49	1.45	0.73	0.49	0.37	0.30	0.25	0.22	0.19	0.17	0.16	0.15	0.13	0.13	0.12	0.11
50	1.47	0.74	0.50	0.38	0.30	0.26	0.22	0.20	0.17	0.16	0.15	0.13	0.13	0.12	0.11
51	1.49	0.75	0.51	0.38	0.31	0.26	0.23	0.20	0.18	0.16	0.15	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.12
52	1.50	0.76	0.51	0.39	0.31	0.26	0.23	0.20	0.18	0.16	0.15	0.14	0.13		
53	1.51	0.76	0.51	0.39	0.31	0.26	0.23	0.20	0.18	0.16	0.15	0.14			
54	1.52	0.77	0.52	0.39	0.31	0.26	0.23	0.20	0.18	0.16	0.15				
55	1.52	0.77	0.52	0.40	0.32	0.27	0.23	0.21	0.19	0.17					
56	1.52	0.77	0.52	0.40	0.32	0.27	0.23	0.21	0.19						
57	1.52	0.77	0.52	0.40	0.32	0.27	0.23	0.21							
58	1.52	0.77	0.52	0.40	0.32	0.27	0.23								
59	1.52	0.77	0.52	0.40	0.32	0.27									
60	1.52	0.77	0.52	0.40	0.32										
61	1.52	0.77	0.52	0.40											
62	1.52	0.77	0.52												
63	1.52	0.77													
64	1.52														

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Purchase of Additional Survivor Benefits

Table D – Cost of one year's additional survivor benefits – Female Member with Female Partner (2)

Additional survivor benefit contribution rate - cost expressed as a percentage of Salary

Age at first contribution	Payment period (years)												
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
37	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05
38	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05
39	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06
40	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06
41	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06
42	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07
43	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07
44	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08
45	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08
46	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08
47	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08
48	0.11	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09
49	0.11												