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Introduction

Enclosed is a collection of quantitative metrics and state rankings that compare Georgia to states across the nation. While several of the comparisons focus on total state or local government revenue and expenditures, the report also includes a number of measures that provide comparisons of either expenditures or state characteristics within specific functional areas, such as education, health, and transportation. The state rankings for each topic are generally (with a few exceptions) determined by the reported total dollar value or percentage, with the highest state value or percentage ranked number one. This 2017 edition is an annual publication from the Fiscal Research Center. We hope it will serve as a convenient reference guide for policymakers, the media and the public.

Sources

The 37 metrics contained within the report are based upon data from a variety of sources. Each metric within the report contains a listing of the sources used to produce the reported information. Although each source is updated periodically in accordance with its own unique schedule, we have made an attempt to use the latest information available for each measure. A partial list of the data sources includes:

- ▶ U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Population Estimates
- ▶ U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances
- ▶ U.S. Census Bureau, Poverty: American Community Survey Briefs
- ▶ Bureau of Economic Analysis
- ▶ College Board, Trends in College Pricing
- ▶ National Association of State Budget Officers State Expenditure Report
- ▶ State Higher Education Executive Officers Association
- ▶ Bureau of Labor Statistics
- ▶ Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Georgia Trends, 2017 Edition

	RANK	MEASURE	TREND
1 Population	8	10,214,860	▲
2 Percentage Change in Population (2005-15)	13	12.6%	▼
3 Per Capita Personal Income	40	\$40,306	▲
4 Annual Unemployment Rate	38	5.9%	▼
5 Percentage of Population Living in Poverty	9	17.0%	▼
6 Per Capita State & Local General Revenue from Own Sources	47	\$4,989	▲
7 State & Local General Revenue from Own Sources as a Percentage of Personal Income	46	12.4%	▼
8 Per Capita State General Revenue from Own Sources	50	\$2,416	▲
9 Per Capita Local General Revenue from Own Sources	25	\$2,573	▼
10 Percentage of Total State & Local Tax Revenue from Individual Income Tax	16	26.3%	▼
11 Per Capita State & Local Taxes	44	\$3,377	▲
12 State & Local Taxes as Percentage of Personal Income	42	8.4%	▼
13 Per Capita Local Taxes	28	\$1,532	▼
14 Per Capita State Taxes	47	\$1,845	▲
15 Per Capita Federal Revenue	45	\$1,563	▼
16 Per Capita State Expenditures	42	\$4,406	▲
17 Percentage Change in Total State Expenditures (FY 2005-15)	41	1.3%	▼
18 Per Capita General Fund Expenditures	33	\$1,931	▲
19 Per Capita State & Local Debt Outstanding	42	\$5,632	▲
20 State Credit Ratings	1	AAA	—

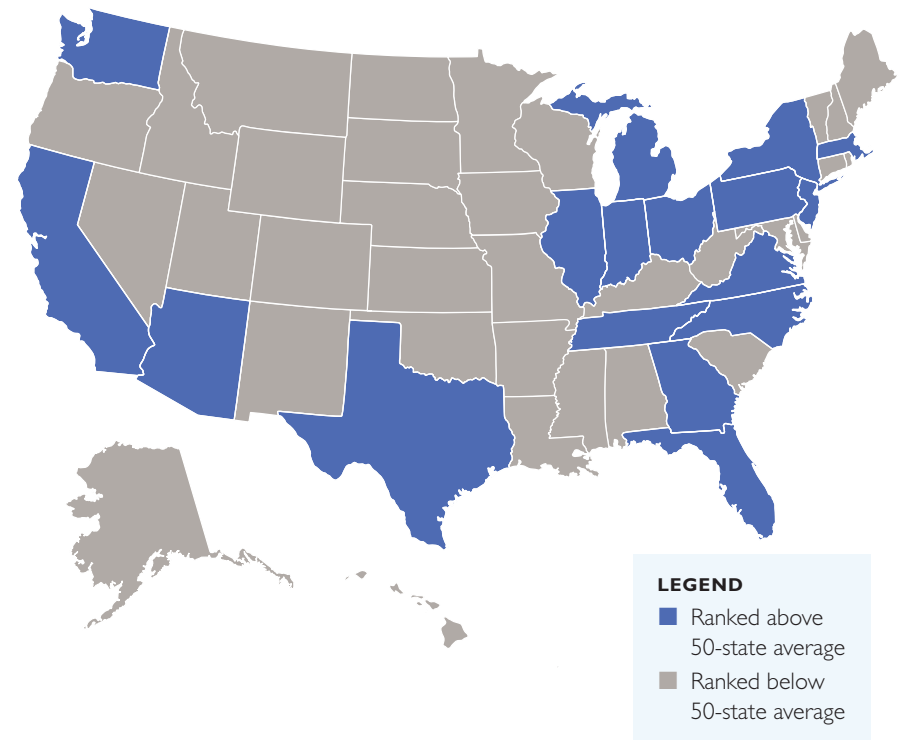
	RANK	MEASURE	TREND
21 Per Capita Medicaid Expenditures	49	\$965	▲
22 Percentage of Total State Expenditures for Public Assistance	33	23.6%	▼
23 Percentage of Population Under Age 65 With Health Insurance	46	84.3%	▲
24 Infant Mortality Rate	7	7.5	▲
25 State & Local Per-Pupil Funding, Pre-K to 12	38	\$9,424	▲
26 State Per-Pupil Funding, Pre-K to 12	40	\$4,612	▲
27 Average Salary of Public School Teachers	23	\$53,382	▲
28 Percentage of Population 25 Years & Older With at Least a High School Education, 2015	39	86.1%	▲
29 Average Annual In-State Tuition & Fees at Public Four-Year Institutions	32	\$8,453	▲
30 Percentage Change in In-State Tuition & Fees at Public Four-Year Institutions (2011-12 to 2016-17)	30	8.7%	▼
31 Per Capita State Support for Public & Private Higher Education	16	\$288	▲
32 FTE Student Enrollment in Public Higher Education	10	344,325	▼
33 Higher Education Appropriations per FTE Student	16	\$7,490	▲
34 State Motor Fuel Taxes (Gas)	19	\$0.3117	▲
35 Per Capita State & Local Road Expenditures	47	\$345	▲
36 Per Capita State Corrections Expenditures	27	\$142	▼
37 State Government Workers per 100 Persons	39	1.3	—

Change in Measure from 2016 Edition: ▲ Up ▼ Down — Unchanged

Population, 2015

RANK	STATE	IN \$
1	California	39,144,818
2	Texas	27,469,114
3	Florida	20,271,272
4	New York	19,795,791
5	Illinois	12,859,995
6	Pennsylvania	12,802,503
7	Ohio	11,613,423
8	Georgia	10,214,860
9	North Carolina	10,042,802
10	Michigan	9,922,576
11	New Jersey	8,958,013
12	Virginia	8,382,993
13	Washington	7,170,351
14	Arizona	6,828,065
15	Massachusetts	6,794,422
16	Indiana	6,619,680
17	Tennessee	6,600,299
►	50-State Average	6,414,932
18	Missouri	6,083,672
19	Maryland	6,006,401
20	Wisconsin	5,771,337
21	Minnesota	5,489,594
22	Colorado	5,456,574
23	South Carolina	4,896,146
24	Alabama	4,858,979

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Louisiana	4,670,724
26	Kentucky	4,425,092
27	Oregon	4,028,977
28	Oklahoma	3,911,338
29	Connecticut	3,590,886
30	Iowa	3,123,899
31	Utah	2,995,919
32	Mississippi	2,992,333
33	Arkansas	2,978,204
34	Kansas	2,911,641
35	Nevada	2,890,845
36	New Mexico	2,085,109
37	Nebraska	1,896,190
38	West Virginia	1,844,128
39	Idaho	1,654,930
40	Hawaii	1,431,603
41	New Hampshire	1,330,608
42	Maine	1,329,328
43	Rhode Island	1,056,298
44	Montana	1,032,949
45	Delaware	945,934
46	South Dakota	858,469
47	North Dakota	756,927
48	Alaska	738,432
49	Vermont	626,042
50	Wyoming	586,107



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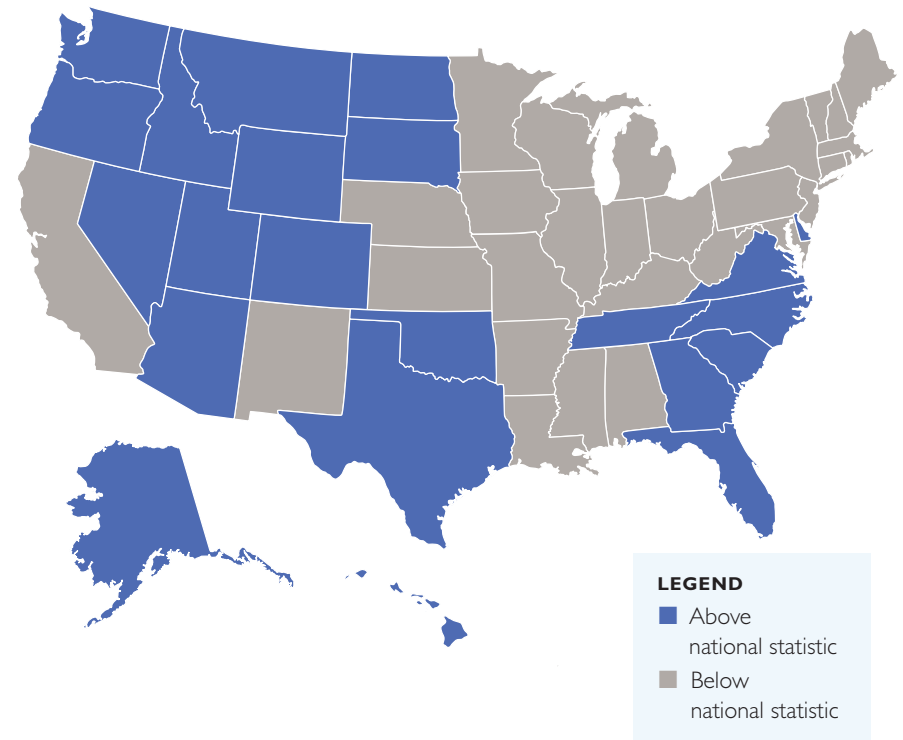
- Georgia's population increased by 1.2 percent from 2014 to 2015, compared to 0.8 percent nationally.
- The U.S. population was an estimated 321,418,820 in 2015.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau Annual Population Estimates (July 2015)

2. Percentage Change in Population (2005-15)

RANK	STATE	IN %
1	Utah	21.3%
2	Texas	20.2%
3	Nevada	19.7%
4	North Dakota	18.9%
5	Colorado	17.0%
6	Idaho	15.8%
7	North Carolina	15.7%
8	Wyoming	15.1%
9	South Carolina	15.1%
10	Arizona	15.0%
11	Washington	14.0%
12	Florida	13.9%
13	Georgia	12.6%
14	Hawaii	12.3%
15	Delaware	12.1%
16	Alaska	11.3%
17	Virginia	10.8%
18	Tennessee	10.7%
19	Oregon	10.7%
20	South Dakota	10.6%
21	Montana	10.4%
22	Oklahoma	10.2%
►	United States	8.7%
23	California	8.3%
24	New Mexico	8.1%

RANK	STATE	IN %
25	Nebraska	7.8%
26	Maryland	7.2%
27	Arkansas	7.2%
28	Minnesota	7.0%
29	Alabama	6.6%
30	Massachusetts	6.2%
31	Kansas	6.1%
32	Kentucky	6.0%
33	Indiana	5.5%
34	Iowa	5.3%
35	Missouri	4.9%
36	Wisconsin	4.2%
37	Louisiana	3.3%
38	Pennsylvania	3.0%
39	New York	2.8%
40	New Jersey	2.8%
41	Mississippi	2.4%
42	Connecticut	2.3%
43	New Hampshire	1.6%
44	West Virginia	1.5%
45	Ohio	1.3%
46	Illinois	0.8%
47	Maine	0.6%
48	Vermont	0.5%
49	Rhode Island	-1.8%
50	Michigan	-2.0%



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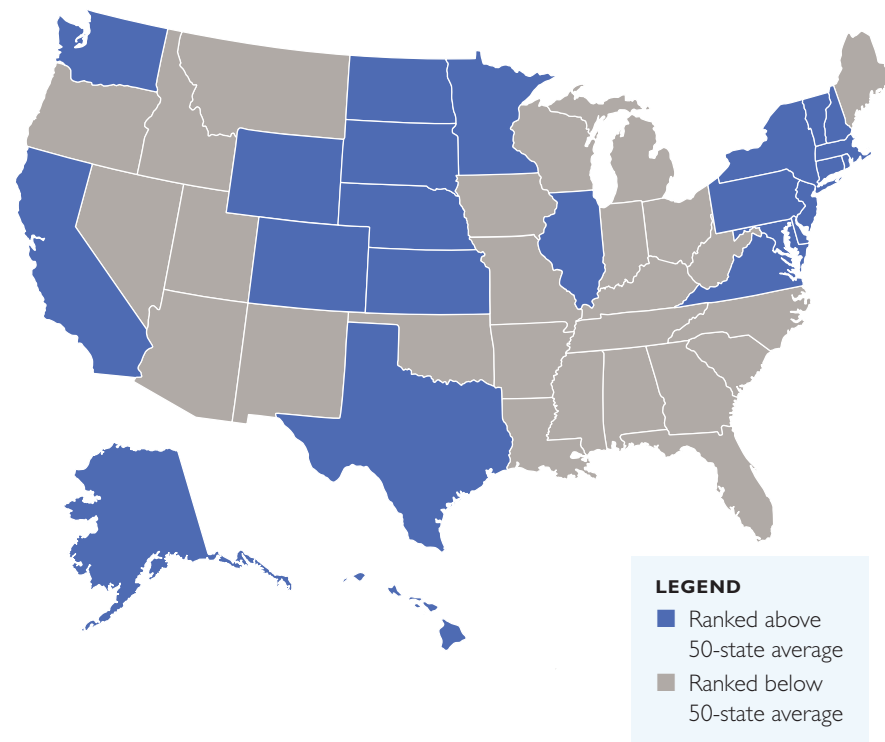
- Georgia's population increased by 12.6 percent from 2005 to 2015, compared to an 8.7 percent overall increase for the United States.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau Annual Population Estimates

3. Per Capita Personal Income, 2015

RANK	STATE	IN \$
1	Connecticut	68,704
2	Massachusetts	62,603
3	New Jersey	59,949
4	New York	58,670
5	Alaska	56,147
6	Wyoming	56,081
7	Maryland	55,972
8	North Dakota	55,950
9	New Hampshire	55,905
10	California	53,741
11	Virginia	52,052
12	Washington	51,898
13	Colorado	50,899
14	Minnesota	50,871
15	Illinois	50,295
16	Rhode Island	50,018
17	Pennsylvania	49,745
18	Vermont	48,587
19	Nebraska	48,544
20	Hawaii	48,288
21	South Dakota	47,881
22	Delaware	47,633
23	Kansas	47,161
24	Texas	46,947
►	50-State Average	46,857

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Wisconsin	45,914
26	Iowa	45,902
27	Oklahoma	45,573
28	Florida	44,429
29	Oregon	43,783
30	Ohio	43,566
31	Louisiana	42,947
32	Michigan	42,812
33	Maine	42,799
34	Missouri	42,300
35	Tennessee	42,094
36	Indiana	41,940
37	Nevada	41,889
38	Montana	41,809
39	North Carolina	40,759
40	Georgia	40,306
41	Utah	39,308
42	Arizona	39,156
43	Kentucky	38,588
44	Idaho	38,392
45	South Carolina	38,302
46	Arkansas	38,252
47	Alabama	38,030
48	New Mexico	37,938
49	West Virginia	36,758
50	Mississippi	34,771



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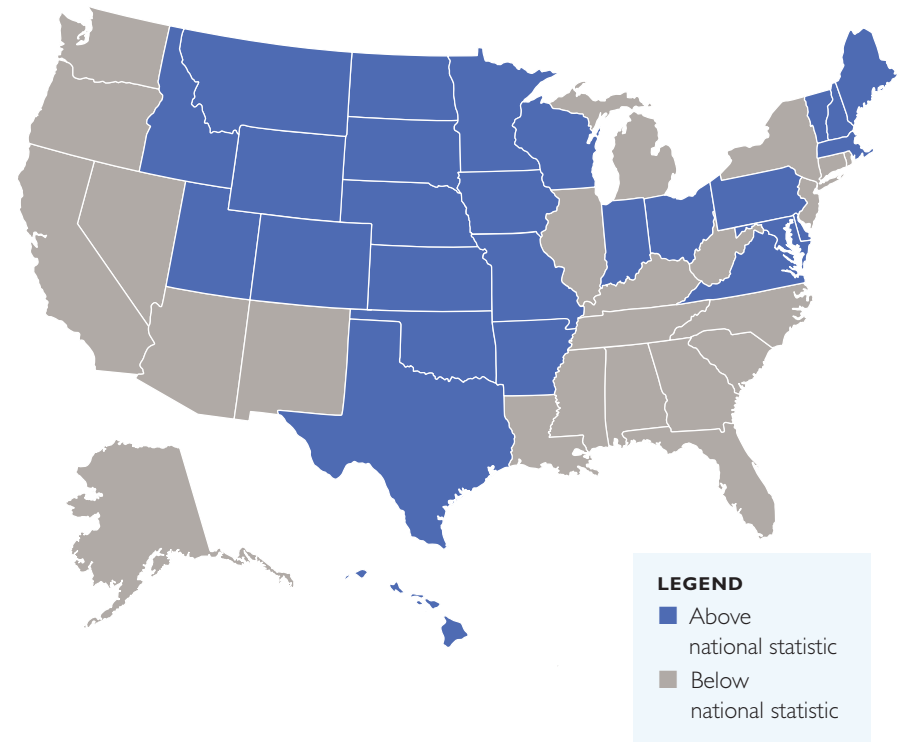
- Georgia's per capita personal income increased by 3.4 percent from 2014 to 2015.
- The national average per capita personal income increased by \$1,774 (3.9 percent) from 2014 to 2015.

Note: Personal income is the income from net earnings (wages, salaries, and other labor income); property (personal dividend, interest, and rental income); and transfer payments such as Social Security and unemployment benefits. Personal income is measured before personal taxes are deducted.

Sources: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis and U.S. Census Bureau Annual Population Estimates

4. Annual Unemployment Rate, 2015

RANK	STATE	IN %	RANK	STATE	IN %
1	North Dakota	2.7	26	Maryland	5.2
2	Nebraska	3.0	►	United States	5.3
3	South Dakota	3.1	28	New York	5.3
4	New Hampshire	3.4	29	Florida	5.4
5	Utah	3.5	29	Kentucky	5.4
6	Hawaii	3.6	29	Michigan	5.4
7	Iowa	3.7	32	Connecticut	5.6
7	Minnesota	3.7	32	New Jersey	5.6
7	Vermont	3.7	34	North Carolina	5.7
10	Colorado	3.9	34	Oregon	5.7
11	Idaho	4.1	34	Washington	5.7
11	Montana	4.1	37	Tennessee	5.8
13	Kansas	4.2	38	Georgia	5.9
13	Oklahoma	4.2	38	Illinois	5.9
13	Wyoming	4.2	40	Rhode Island	6.0
16	Maine	4.4	40	South Carolina	6.0
16	Virginia	4.4	42	Alabama	6.1
18	Texas	4.5	42	Arizona	6.1
19	Wisconsin	4.6	44	California	6.2
20	Indiana	4.8	45	Louisiana	6.3
21	Delaware	4.9	46	Alaska	6.5
21	Ohio	4.9	46	Mississippi	6.5
23	Massachusetts	5.0	48	New Mexico	6.6
23	Missouri	5.0	49	Nevada	6.7
25	Pennsylvania	5.1	49	West Virginia	6.7
26	Arkansas	5.2			



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- Georgia's annual unemployment rate decreased by 1.3 percentage points from 2014 to 2015.
- The U.S. annual unemployment rate was 5.3 percent in 2015, a 0.5 percentage point decrease from 2014.

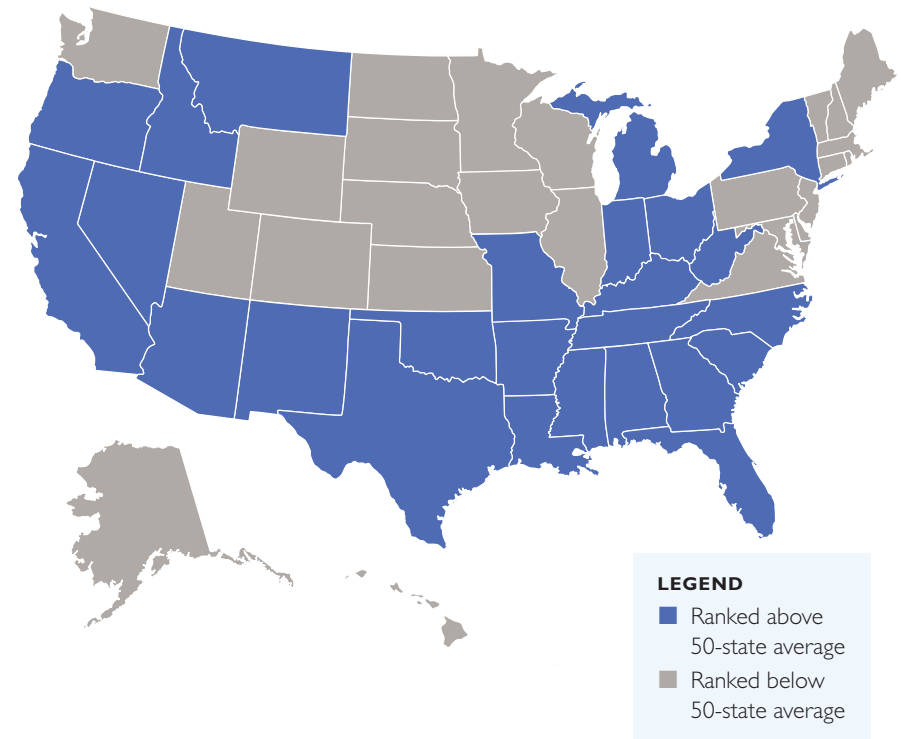
Note: Annual statewide average unemployment rate: percentage of labor force

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

5. Percentage of Population Living in Poverty, 2015

RANK	STATE	IN %
1	Mississippi	22.0
2	New Mexico	20.4
3	Louisiana	19.6
4	Arkansas	19.1
5	Alabama	18.5
6	Kentucky	18.5
7	West Virginia	17.9
8	Arizona	17.4
9	Georgia	17.0
10	Tennessee	16.7
11	South Carolina	16.6
12	North Carolina	16.4
13	Oklahoma	16.1
14	Texas	15.9
15	Michigan	15.8
16	Florida	15.7
17	New York	15.4
18	Oregon	15.4
19	California	15.3
20	Idaho	15.1
21	Missouri	14.8
22	Ohio	14.8
23	Nevada	14.7
24	Montana	14.6
25	Indiana	14.5

RANK	STATE	IN %
►	50-State Average	14.2
26	Rhode Island	13.9
27	South Dakota	13.7
28	Illinois	13.6
29	Maine	13.4
30	Pennsylvania	13.2
31	Kansas	13.0
32	Nebraska	12.6
33	Delaware	12.4
34	Iowa	12.2
35	Washington	12.2
36	Wisconsin	12.1
37	Colorado	11.5
38	Massachusetts	11.5
39	Utah	11.3
40	Virginia	11.2
41	Wyoming	11.1
42	North Dakota	11.0
43	New Jersey	10.8
44	Hawaii	10.6
45	Connecticut	10.5
46	Alaska	10.3
47	Minnesota	10.2
48	Vermont	10.2
49	Maryland	9.7
50	New Hampshire	8.2



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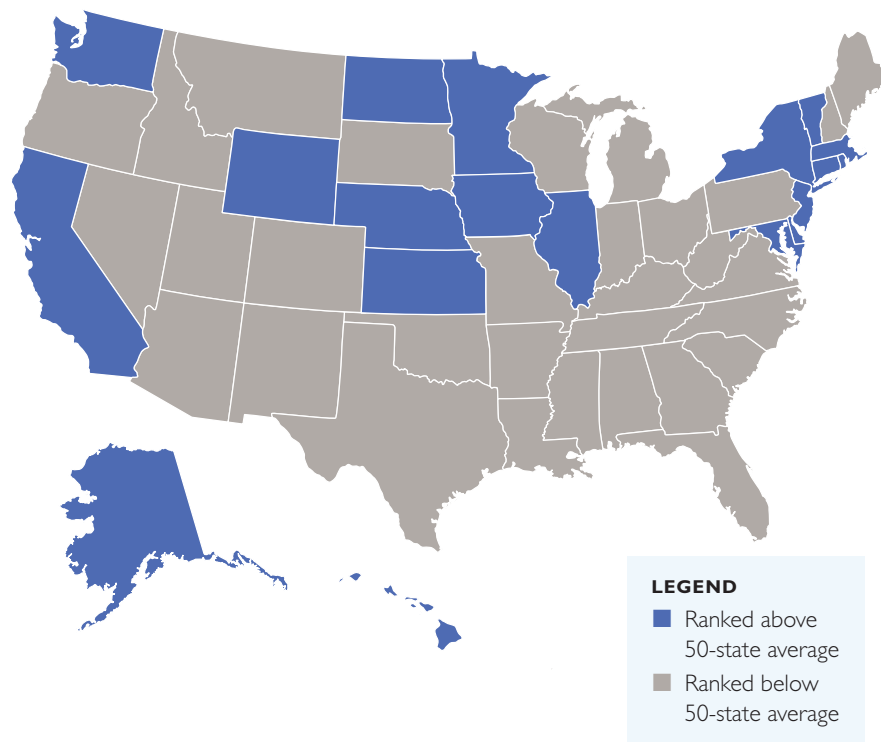
- The 17.0 percent of Georgians living in poverty in 2015 represents a decrease of 1.3 percentage points from 2014.
- 14.7 percent of Americans were living in poverty in 2015, a decrease of 0.8 percentage points from 2014.

Notes: The poverty threshold, as designated by the Census Bureau, was \$24,036 for a family of four, including two children, in 2015. This threshold is updated annually for changes in the cost of living.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Selected Economic Characteristics by State: 2014 and 2015 (Sept. 2016)

6. Per Capita State & Local General Revenue from Own Sources, FY 2014

RANK	STATE	IN \$	RANK	STATE	IN \$
1	Alaska	15,166	25	Virginia	6,486
2	North Dakota	12,462	26	Maine	6,319
3	New York	10,909	27	Ohio	6,269
4	Wyoming	10,676	28	New Hampshire	6,161
5	Connecticut	8,662	29	Louisiana	6,074
6	New Jersey	8,415	30	West Virginia	6,011
7	Massachusetts	8,018	31	South Carolina	5,983
8	Hawaii	8,010	32	Michigan	5,962
9	Minnesota	7,791	33	Texas	5,934
10	California	7,711	34	Utah	5,759
11	Delaware	7,500	35	Indiana	5,738
12	Vermont	7,442	36	North Carolina	5,670
13	Maryland	7,365	37	Oklahoma	5,667
14	Rhode Island	7,229	38	Mississippi	5,660
15	Iowa	7,089	39	Montana	5,614
16	Nebraska	7,069	40	South Dakota	5,538
17	Illinois	7,053	41	Nevada	5,475
18	Washington	7,003	42	Florida	5,472
19	Kansas	6,895	43	Arkansas	5,333
►	50-State Average	6,841	44	Alabama	5,292
20	Colorado	6,767	45	Missouri	5,245
21	New Mexico	6,657	46	Kentucky	5,204
22	Pennsylvania	6,655	47	Georgia	4,989
23	Oregon	6,613	48	Arizona	4,929
24	Wisconsin	6,528	49	Idaho	4,894
			50	Tennessee	4,696



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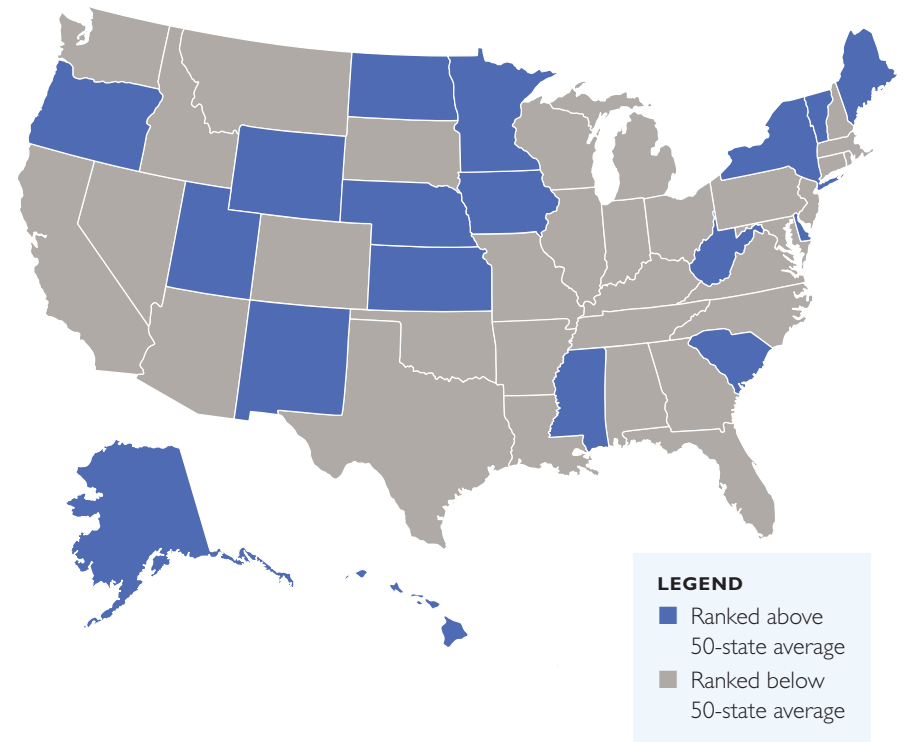
- Georgia's per capita state and local general revenue from own sources increased by \$29 (0.6 percent) from FY 2014 to FY 2015.
- The U.S. 50-state average per capita state and local government general revenue from own sources increased by \$71 (1.0 percent) from FY 2014 to FY 2015.

Note: The table uses own-source general revenue data; this includes taxes, charges, and miscellaneous general revenue, but excludes utility revenue, liquor store revenue, insurance trust revenue and inter-governmental revenue.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances and U.S. Census Bureau Annual Population Estimates

7. State & Local Revenue from Own Sources as a Percentage of Personal Income, FY 2014

RANK	STATE	IN %	RANK	STATE	IN %
1	Alaska	27.0%	25	Illinois	14.0%
2	North Dakota	22.3%	26	Arkansas	13.9%
3	Wyoming	19.0%	27	Michigan	13.9%
4	New York	18.6%	28	Alabama	13.9%
5	New Mexico	17.5%	29	North Carolina	13.9%
6	Hawaii	16.6%	30	Indiana	13.7%
7	West Virginia	16.4%	31	Washington	13.5%
8	Mississippi	16.3%	32	Kentucky	13.5%
9	Delaware	15.7%	33	Montana	13.4%
10	South Carolina	15.6%	34	Pennsylvania	13.4%
11	Iowa	15.4%	35	Colorado	13.3%
12	Vermont	15.3%	36	Maryland	13.2%
13	Minnesota	15.3%	37	Nevada	13.1%
14	Oregon	15.1%	38	Massachusetts	12.8%
15	Maine	14.8%	39	Idaho	12.7%
16	Utah	14.7%	40	Texas	12.6%
17	Kansas	14.6%	41	Connecticut	12.6%
18	Nebraska	14.6%	42	Arizona	12.6%
►	50-State Average	14.5%	43	Virginia	12.5%
19	Rhode Island	14.5%	44	Oklahoma	12.4%
20	Ohio	14.4%	45	Missouri	12.4%
21	California	14.3%	46	Georgia	12.4%
22	Wisconsin	14.2%	47	Florida	12.3%
23	Louisiana	14.1%	48	South Dakota	11.6%
24	New Jersey	14.0%	49	Tennessee	11.2%
			50	New Hampshire	11.0%



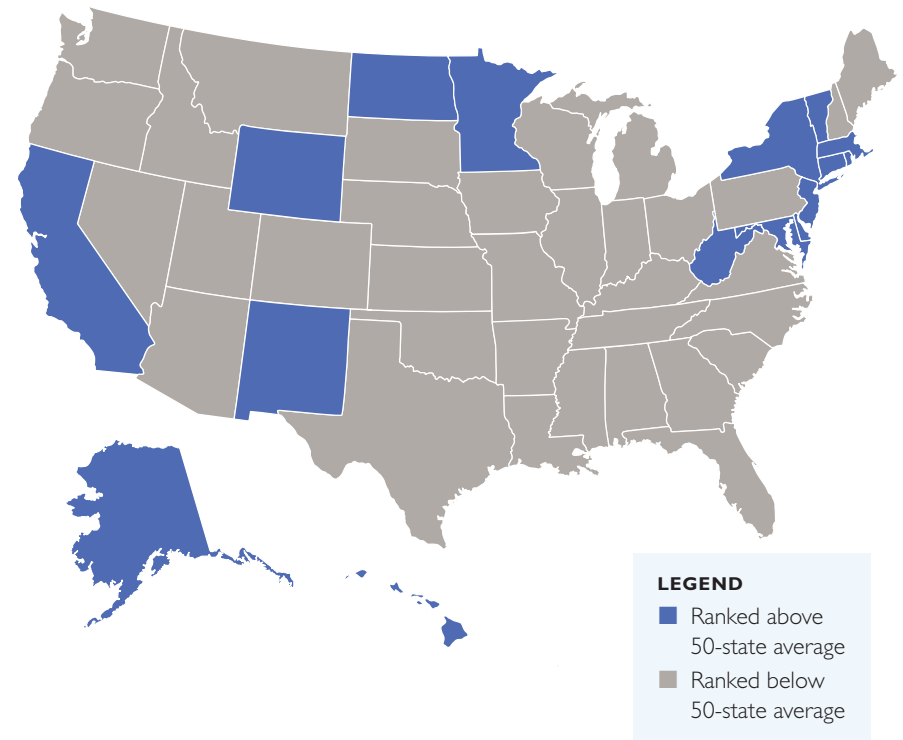
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- In FY 2014, Georgia's state and local general revenue from own sources as a percentage of personal income decreased by 0.8 percentage points from FY 2013.
- The U.S. 50-state average state and local general revenue from own sources as a percentage of personal income decreased by 1 percentage point from FY 2013 to FY 2014.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances and Bureau of Economic Analysis, State Income and Employment Summary

8. Per Capita State General Revenue from Own Sources, FY 2014

RANK	STATE	IN \$	RANK	STATE	IN \$
1	Alaska	10,351	25	Pennsylvania	3,792
2	North Dakota	9,893	26	Virginia	3,776
3	Wyoming	6,115	27	Michigan	3,754
4	Vermont	6,110	28	Utah	3,659
5	Hawaii	5,983	29	Oklahoma	3,618
6	Delaware	5,882	30	Nebraska	3,558
7	Connecticut	5,416	31	Montana	3,552
8	Massachusetts	5,171	32	Kentucky	3,512
9	Minnesota	5,117	33	Ohio	3,429
10	New York	4,950	34	Mississippi	3,406
11	New Mexico	4,810	35	Indiana	3,366
12	New Jersey	4,532	36	Colorado	3,260
13	Rhode Island	4,366	37	Louisiana	3,255
14	California	4,310	38	South Carolina	3,194
15	West Virginia	4,271	39	North Carolina	3,152
16	Maryland	4,224	40	New Hampshire	3,062
►	50-State Average	4,231	41	Alabama	3,055
17	Iowa	4,078	42	South Dakota	3,034
18	Arkansas	4,032	43	Texas	3,005
19	Wisconsin	4,019	44	Idaho	2,999
20	Kansas	3,931	45	Nevada	2,979
21	Oregon	3,920	46	Arizona	2,784
22	Maine	3,883	47	Missouri	2,685
23	Illinois	3,816	48	Florida	2,565
24	Washington	3,798	49	Tennessee	2,420
			50	Georgia	2,416



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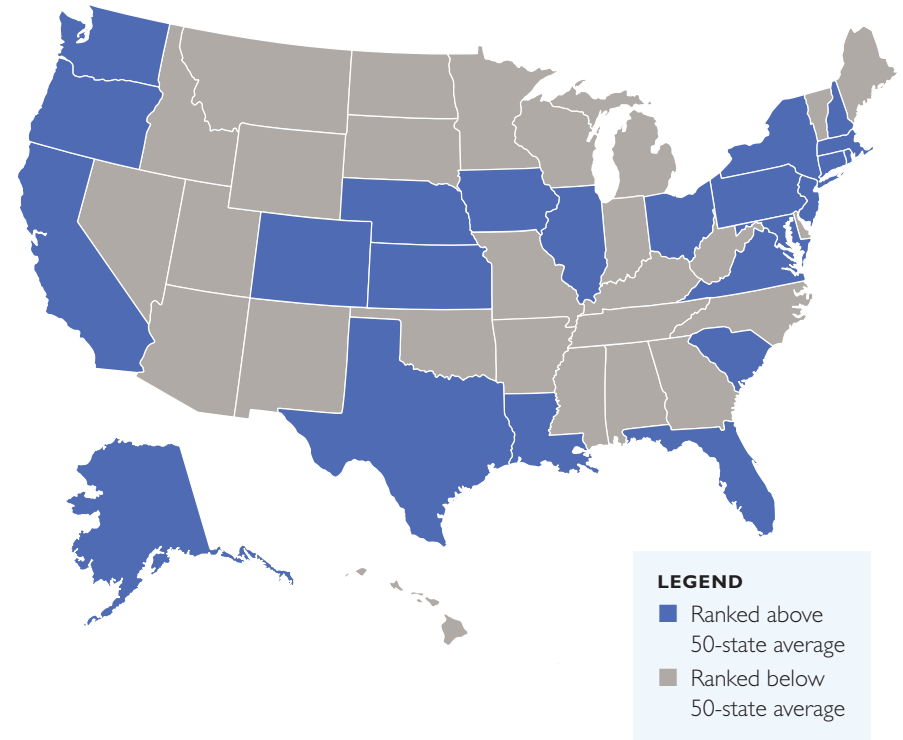
- Georgia's per capita state general revenue from own sources increased by \$35 (1.5 percent) in FY 2014.
- The U.S. 50-state per capita state revenue average increased by \$125, or 3.0 percent, between FY 2013 and FY 2014.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances and U.S. Census Bureau Annual Population Estimates

9. Per Capita Local General Revenue from Own Sources, FY 2014

RANK	STATE	IN \$
1	New York	5,959
2	Alaska	4,814
3	New Jersey	3,883
4	Nebraska	3,511
5	Colorado	3,507
6	California	3,401
7	Connecticut	3,246
8	Illinois	3,237
9	Washington	3,205
10	Maryland	3,141
11	New Hampshire	3,099
12	Iowa	3,012
13	Kansas	2,964
14	Texas	2,929
15	Florida	2,907
16	Pennsylvania	2,863
17	Rhode Island	2,862
18	Massachusetts	2,847
19	Ohio	2,840
20	Louisiana	2,818
21	South Carolina	2,789
22	Virginia	2,710
23	Oregon	2,693
►	50-State Average	2,675
24	Minnesota	2,674

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Georgia	2,573
26	North Dakota	2,569
27	Missouri	2,559
28	North Carolina	2,519
29	Wyoming	2,509
30	Wisconsin	2,509
31	South Dakota	2,504
32	Nevada	2,496
33	Maine	2,436
34	Indiana	2,372
35	Tennessee	2,276
36	Mississippi	2,254
37	Alabama	2,237
38	Michigan	2,208
39	Arizona	2,146
40	Utah	2,100
41	Montana	2,062
42	Oklahoma	2,049
43	Hawaii	2,027
44	Idaho	1,895
45	New Mexico	1,847
46	West Virginia	1,740
47	Kentucky	1,692
48	Delaware	1,617
49	Vermont	1,331
50	Arkansas	1,300



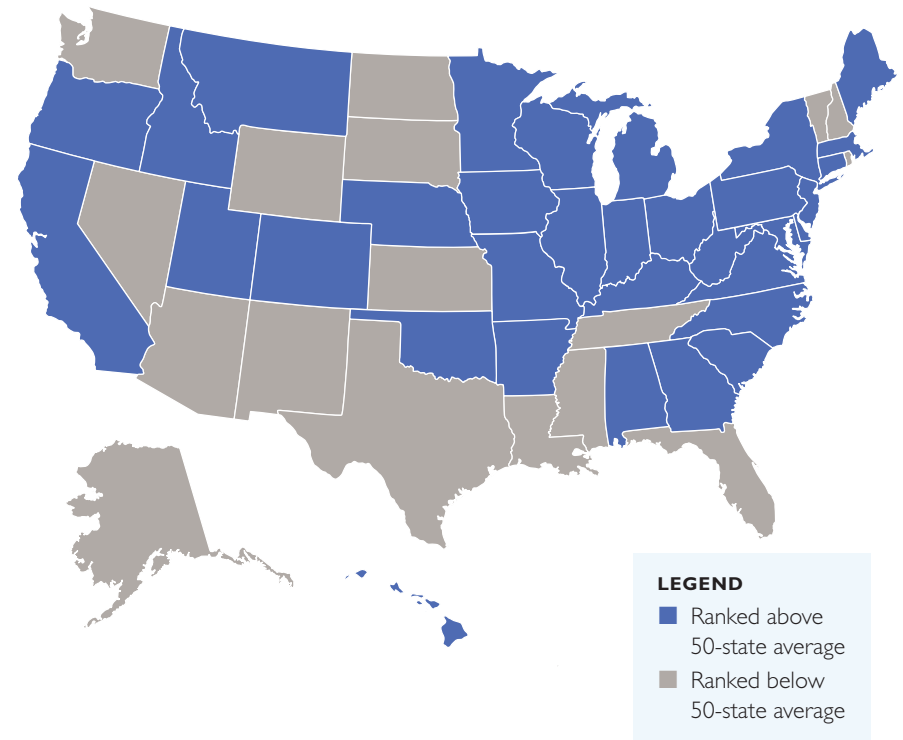
Quick Stats

- Georgia's per capita local general revenue from own sources decreased by \$6 in FY 2014, about 0.2 percent.
- The U.S. 50-state average per capita local general revenue from own sources increased by \$11, 0.4 percent.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances and U.S. Census Bureau Annual Population Estimates

10. Percentage of Total State & Local Tax Revenue from Individual Income Tax, FY 2014

RANK	STATE	IN %	RANK	STATE	IN %
1	Oregon	40.8	26	Nebraska	23.1
2	Maryland	37.4	27	Alabama	22.7
3	Massachusetts	32.6	28	Michigan	22.3
4	California	32.2	29	Maine	22.1
5	New York	32.1	30	South Carolina	22.0
6	Kentucky	31.3	31	Hawaii	21.5
7	Minnesota	31.3	32	Oklahoma	21.4
8	Virginia	31.1	33	New Jersey	20.8
9	Connecticut	29.8	► 50-State Average		20.3
10	North Carolina	28.9	34	Rhode Island	20.0
11	Utah	28.0	35	Kansas	19.8
12	Montana	27.1	36	Vermont	19.4
13	Missouri	27.0	37	Mississippi	15.9
14	Ohio	26.7	38	New Mexico	15.7
15	Delaware	26.6	39	Arizona	15.4
16	Georgia	26.3	40	Louisiana	15.2
17	Pennsylvania	25.9	41	North Dakota	6.9
18	Wisconsin	25.7	42	New Hampshire	1.6
19	Idaho	25.3	43	Tennessee	1.2
20	Indiana	24.4	44	Alaska	0.0
21	West Virginia	24.2	44	Florida	0.0
22	Colorado	24.2	44	Nevada	0.0
23	Iowa	24.1	44	South Dakota	0.0
24	Illinois	23.5	44	Texas	0.0
25	Arkansas	23.4	44	Washington	0.0
			44	Wyoming	0.0



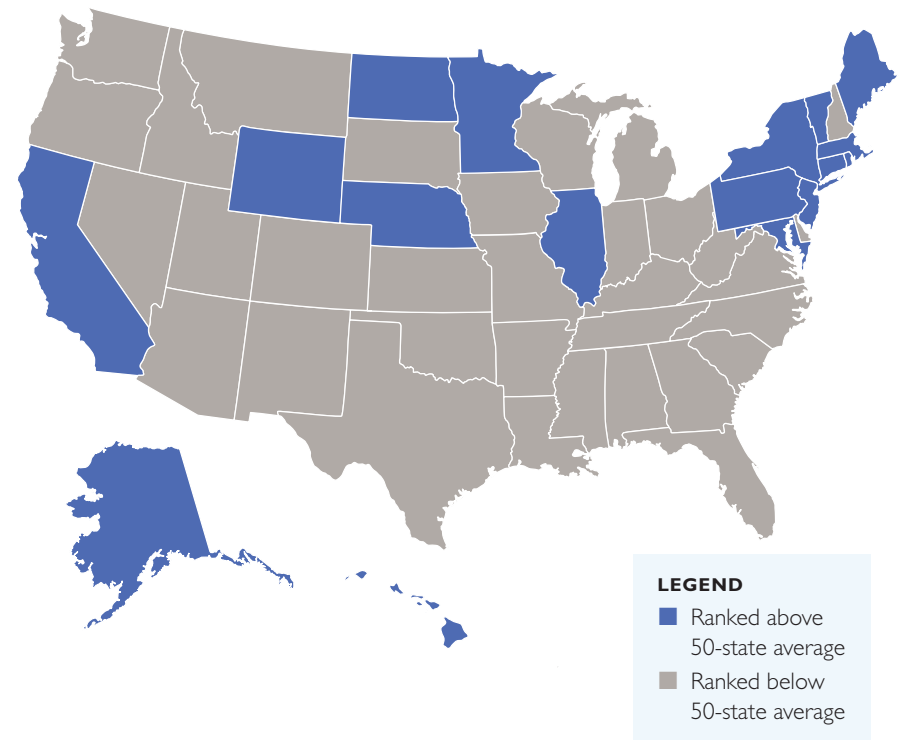
Quick Stats

- Georgia's per capita individual income tax revenue was \$889 in FY 2014, up \$20 (1.2 percent) from FY 2013.
- Seven states have no state individual income tax. New Hampshire and Tennessee only tax dividend and interest income.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances and U.S. Census Bureau Annual Population Estimates

Per Capita State & Local Taxes, FY 2014

RANK	STATE	IN \$	RANK	STATE	IN \$
1	North Dakota	9,753	25	Ohio	4,208
2	New York	8,411	26	Virginia	4,205
3	Alaska	7,558	27	Oregon	4,101
4	Connecticut	7,245	28	Texas	4,048
5	New Jersey	6,448	29	New Mexico	3,967
6	Massachusetts	6,022	30	West Virginia	3,953
7	Wyoming	5,945	31	Louisiana	3,888
8	Hawaii	5,708	32	Nevada	3,874
9	Minnesota	5,640	33	Montana	3,839
10	Maryland	5,600	34	Michigan	3,777
11	Vermont	5,543	35	Arkansas	3,756
12	Illinois	5,498	36	Indiana	3,748
13	California	5,447	37	South Dakota	3,684
14	Rhode Island	5,169	38	North Carolina	3,621
15	Nebraska	4,882	39	Kentucky	3,607
16	Maine	4,808	40	Oklahoma	3,567
17	Pennsylvania	4,709	41	Utah	3,505
►	50-State Average	4,607	42	Mississippi	3,501
18	Wisconsin	4,585	43	Missouri	3,473
19	Washington	4,558	44 Georgia	3,377	
20	Iowa	4,427	45	Arizona	3,344
21	Delaware	4,408	46	Florida	3,324
22	Kansas	4,375	47	Idaho	3,236
23	Colorado	4,365	48	South Carolina	3,218
24	New Hampshire	4,331	49	Tennessee	3,091
			50	Alabama	3,000



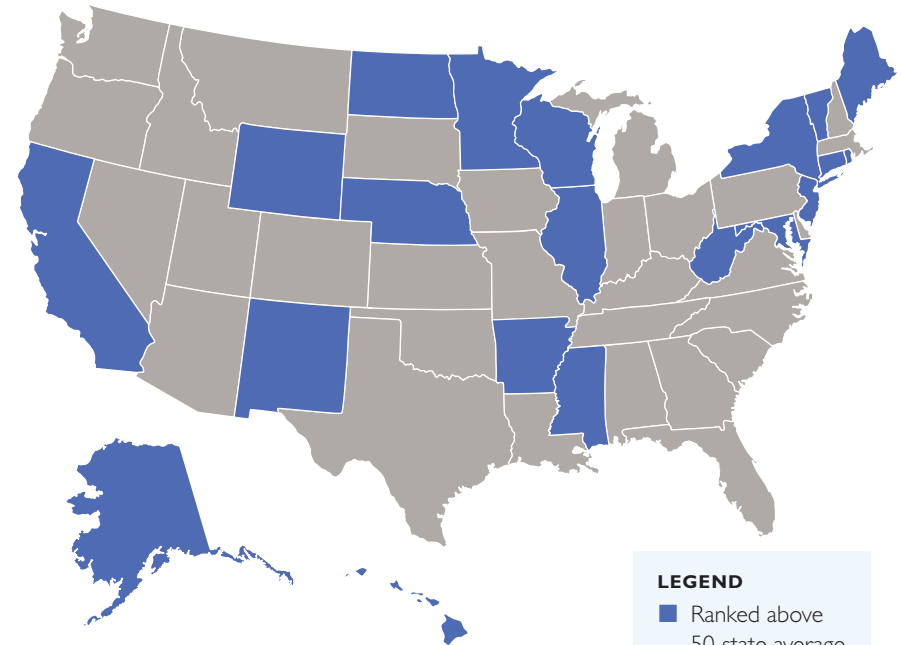
Quick Stats

- Georgia recorded \$54 more in per capita state and local taxes in FY 2014 compared to FY 2013, an increase of 1.6 percent.
- Nationwide, state and local governments recorded 1.7 percent more per capita state and local taxes in FY 2014.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances and U.S. Census Bureau Annual Population Estimates

12. State & Local Taxes as a Percentage of Personal Income, FY 2014

RANK	STATE	IN %	RANK	STATE	IN %
1	North Dakota	17.4%	25	Oregon	9.4%
2	New York	14.3%	26	Kentucky	9.3%
3	Alaska	13.5%	27	Kansas	9.3%
4	Hawaii	11.8%	28	Delaware	9.3%
5	Vermont	11.4%	29	Nevada	9.2%
6	Maine	11.2%	30	Montana	9.2%
7	Minnesota	11.1%	31	Louisiana	9.1%
8	Illinois	10.9%	32	Indiana	8.9%
9	New Jersey	10.8%	33	Utah	8.9%
10	West Virginia	10.8%	34	North Carolina	8.9%
11	Wyoming	10.6%	35	Michigan	8.8%
12	Connecticut	10.5%	36	Washington	8.8%
13	New Mexico	10.5%	37	Texas	8.6%
14	Rhode Island	10.3%	38	Colorado	8.6%
15	California	10.1%	39	Arizona	8.5%
16	Mississippi	10.1%	40	Idaho	8.4%
17	Nebraska	10.1%	41	South Carolina	8.4%
18	Maryland	10.0%	42	Georgia	8.4%
19	Wisconsin	10.0%	43	Missouri	8.2%
20	Arkansas	9.8%	44	Virginia	8.1%
►	50-State Average	9.7%	45	Alabama	7.9%
21	Ohio	9.7%	46	Oklahoma	7.8%
22	Iowa	9.6%	47	New Hampshire	7.7%
23	Massachusetts	9.6%	48	South Dakota	7.7%
24	Pennsylvania	9.5%	49	Florida	7.5%
			50	Tennessee	7.3%



LEGEND

- Ranked above 50-state average
- Ranked below 50-state average

Quick Stats

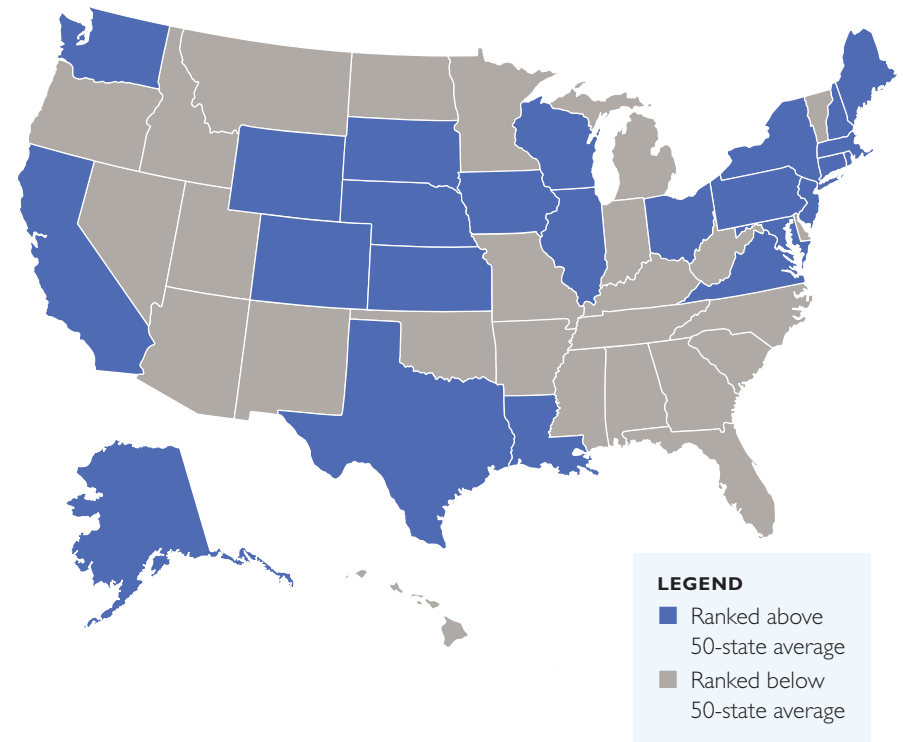
- Georgia's state and local taxes as a percentage of personal income decreased by 0.4 percentage points from FY 2013 to FY 2014.
- The 50-state average for state and local taxes decreased as a percentage of personal income by 0.7 percentage points.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances and Bureau of Economic Analysis, State Income and Employment Summary

13. Per Capita Local Taxes, FY 2014

RANK	STATE	IN \$
1	New York	4,513
2	New Jersey	3,128
3	Alaska	2,953
4	Connecticut	2,814
5	New Hampshire	2,609
6	Maryland	2,433
7	Illinois	2,399
8	Rhode Island	2,358
9	Nebraska	2,284
10	Massachusetts	2,281
11	Colorado	2,170
12	Wyoming	2,070
13	Pennsylvania	2,035
14	Texas	2,002
15	Virginia	1,929
16	Maine	1,915
17	California	1,889
18	Ohio	1,878
19	Kansas	1,850
20	Washington	1,804
21	Louisiana	1,803
22	South Dakota	1,799
23	Iowa	1,765
24	Wisconsin	1,743
►	50-State Average	1,739

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Oregon	1,662
26	Missouri	1,620
27	Florida	1,546
28	Georgia	1,532
29	North Dakota	1,476
30	Hawaii	1,458
31	Minnesota	1,381
32	South Carolina	1,369
33	Utah	1,360
34	Nevada	1,358
35	Arizona	1,350
36	Tennessee	1,288
37	North Carolina	1,261
38	Montana	1,244
39	Michigan	1,244
40	Oklahoma	1,219
41	New Mexico	1,207
42	Indiana	1,195
43	Kentucky	1,091
44	Alabama	1,083
45	West Virginia	1,042
46	Delaware	1,014
47	Idaho	991
48	Mississippi	971
49	Vermont	815
50	Arkansas	744



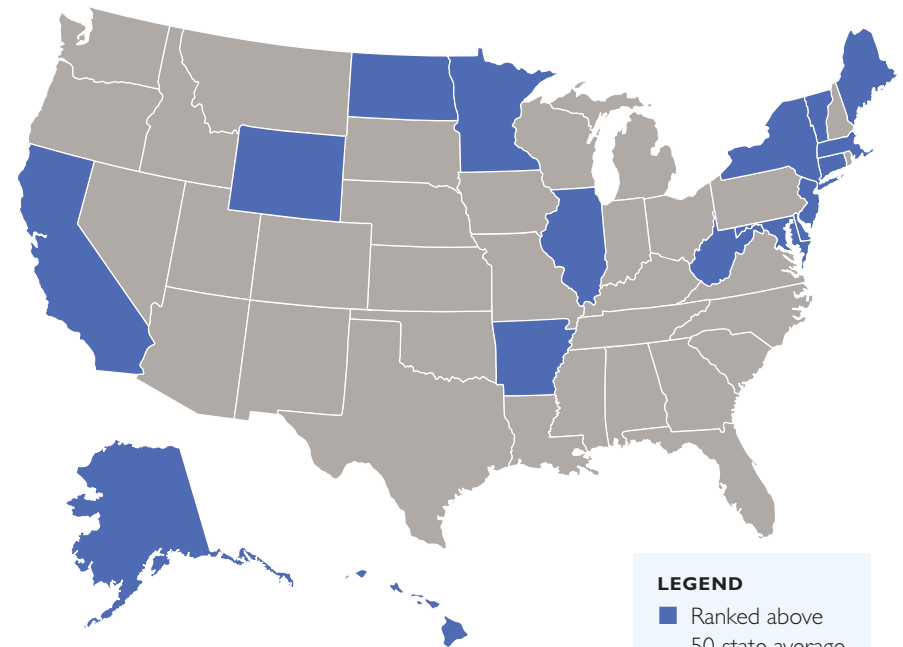
Quick Stats

- Georgia's per capita local taxes decreased by \$9 (0.6 percent) from FY 2013 to FY 2014.
- Nationwide, per capita local taxes increased by \$30 (1.6 percent) to \$1,951.
- The U.S. 50-state average per capita local taxes increased by \$41 (2.4 percent).

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances and U.S. Census Bureau Annual Population Estimates

14. Per Capita State Taxes, FY 2014

RANK	STATE	IN \$	RANK	STATE	IN \$
1	North Dakota	8,277	25	Montana	2,594
2	Vermont	4,728	26	Indiana	2,554
3	Alaska	4,605	27	Michigan	2,533
4	Connecticut	4,431	28	Mississippi	2,530
5	Minnesota	4,260	29	Kansas	2,526
6	Hawaii	4,250	30	Nevada	2,516
7	New York	3,898	31	Kentucky	2,516
8	Wyoming	3,875	32	Oregon	2,439
9	Massachusetts	3,741	33	North Carolina	2,360
10	California	3,558	34	Oklahoma	2,347
11	Delaware	3,395	35	Ohio	2,331
12	New Jersey	3,321	36	Virginia	2,276
13	Maryland	3,167	37	Idaho	2,245
14	Illinois	3,099	38	Colorado	2,195
15	Arkansas	3,013	39	Utah	2,145
16	West Virginia	2,911	40	Louisiana	2,085
17	Maine	2,892	41	Texas	2,046
►	50-State Average	2,868	42	Arizona	1,994
18	Wisconsin	2,842	43	Alabama	1,916
19	Rhode Island	2,811	44	South Dakota	1,885
20	New Mexico	2,761	45	Missouri	1,854
21	Washington	2,754	46	South Carolina	1,848
22	Pennsylvania	2,674	47	Georgia	1,845
23	Iowa	2,662	48	Tennessee	1,803
24	Nebraska	2,598	49	Florida	1,779
			50	New Hampshire	1,723



LEGEND

- Ranked above 50-state average
- Ranked below 50-state average

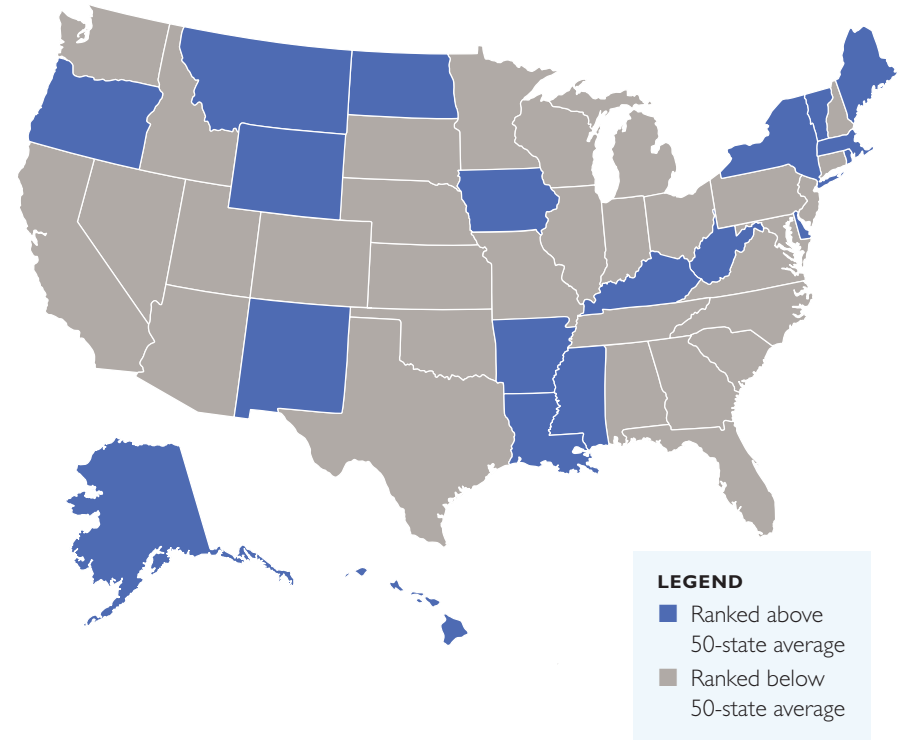
Quick Stats

- Georgia's per capita state taxes increased by \$62 in FY 2014, a 3.5 percent increase.
- Nationwide per capita state taxes increased by \$42 an increase of 1.6 percent.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances and U.S. Census Bureau Annual Population Estimates

15. Per Capita Federal Revenue, FY 2014

RANK	STATE	IN \$	RANK	STATE	IN \$
1	Alaska	4,232	25	Connecticut	1,924
2	Wyoming	3,786	26	Pennsylvania	1,886
3	Vermont	3,216	27	California	1,881
4	New York	2,785	28	Washington	1,865
5	New Mexico	2,754	29	Alabama	1,863
6	Mississippi	2,552	30	New Jersey	1,852
7	Montana	2,552	31	Nebraska	1,822
8	Rhode Island	2,496	32	Minnesota	1,817
9	Oregon	2,481	33	Missouri	1,813
10	North Dakota	2,449	34	North Carolina	1,811
11	Louisiana	2,403	35	Arizona	1,768
12	West Virginia	2,397	36	Tennessee	1,750
13	Maine	2,351	37	Indiana	1,741
14	Kentucky	2,329	38	Wisconsin	1,678
15	Delaware	2,285	39	Idaho	1,668
16	Massachusetts	2,268	40	Utah	1,661
17	Hawaii	2,245	41	Illinois	1,657
18	Iowa	2,172	42	Texas	1,645
19	Arkansas	2,154	43	Colorado	1,614
►	50-State Average	2,077	44	South Carolina	1,585
20	Ohio	2,066	45 Georgia	1,563	
21	South Dakota	2,052	46	Florida	1,531
22	Maryland	2,036	47	Kansas	1,458
23	Oklahoma	2,017	48	Virginia	1,379
24	Michigan	1,951	49	New Hampshire	1,367
			50	Nevada	1,220



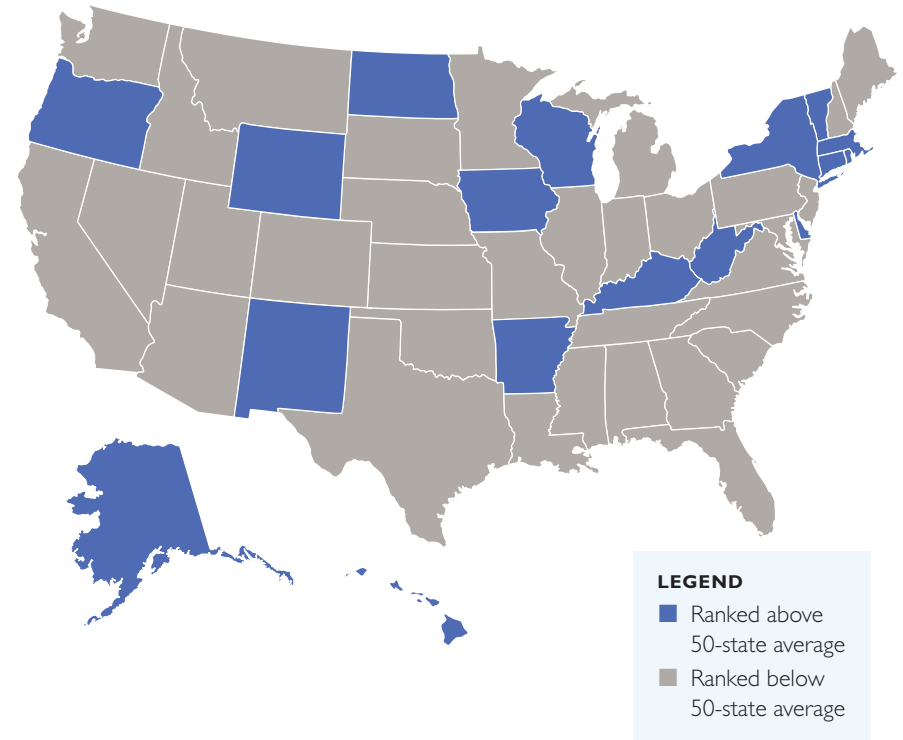
Quick Stats

- Georgia's per capita revenue from federal sources decreased by \$15 (1.0 percent) in FY 2014.
- The U.S. 50-state per capita federal revenue increased by \$65, or 3.2 percent, between FY 2013 and FY 2014.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances and U.S. Census Bureau Annual Population Estimates

16. Per Capita State Expenditures, FY 2015

RANK	STATE	IN \$	RANK	STATE	IN \$
1	Alaska	18,178	25	Louisiana	5,942
2	Wyoming	15,083	26	Maine	5,812
3	North Dakota	10,467	27	Nebraska	5,791
4	Delaware	10,327	28	Pennsylvania	5,741
5	Rhode Island	9,270	29	Oklahoma	5,724
6	Oregon	9,235	30	Arizona	5,686
7	Hawaii	8,992	31	Virginia	5,613
8	Vermont	8,678	32	Ohio	5,605
9	West Virginia	8,649	33	Washington	5,590
10	Massachusetts	8,591	34	Michigan	5,362
11	Connecticut	8,224	35	Alabama	5,205
12	New Mexico	8,190	36	Kansas	5,182
13	Arkansas	7,991	37	Illinois	4,939
14	Wisconsin	7,985	38	Tennessee	4,673
15	New York	7,269	39	South Carolina	4,619
16	Iowa	7,026	40	South Dakota	4,580
17	Kentucky	6,963	41	Indiana	4,433
►	50-State Average	6,678	42	Georgia	4,406
18	Maryland	6,646	43	North Carolina	4,361
19	Mississippi	6,562	44	Texas	4,343
20	Minnesota	6,520	45	Idaho	4,340
21	California	6,395	46	Utah	4,295
22	New Jersey	6,366	47	New Hampshire	4,096
23	Colorado	6,311	48	Nevada	4,023
24	Montana	6,179	49	Missouri	3,961
			50	Florida	3,505



Quick Stats

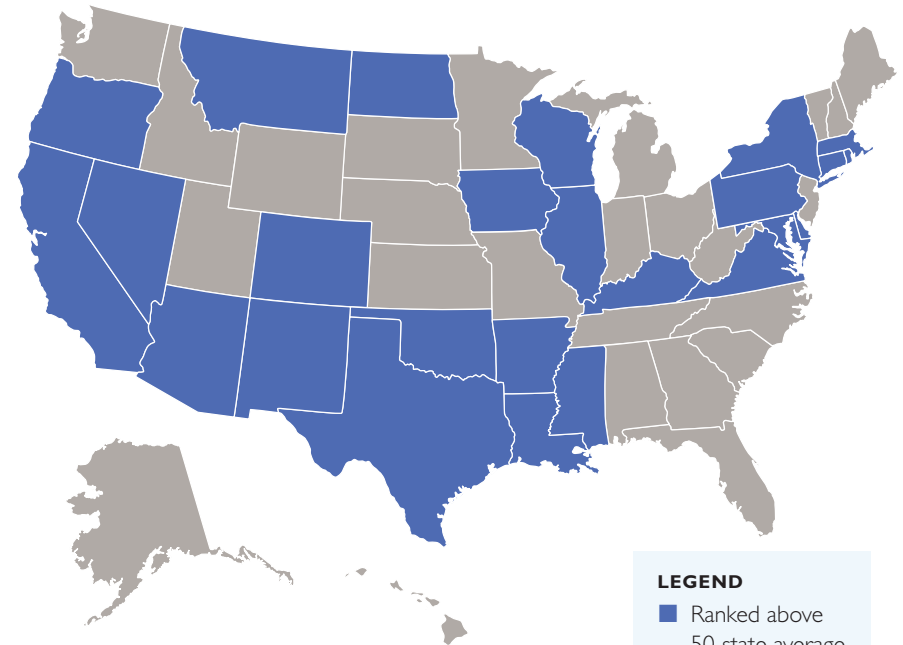
- Georgia's per capita state expenditures increased by \$103 in FY 2015 compared to FY 2014, an increase of 2.4 percent.
- The U.S. 50-state average per capita state expenditure increased by 4.7 percent between FY 2014 and FY 2015.

Sources: National Association of State Budget Officers, State Expenditure Report and Fiscal 2014-2016 U.S. Census Annual Population Estimates

17. Percentage Change in Total State Expenditures, FY 2005 – FY 2015*

RANK	STATE	IN %
1	North Dakota	72.6
2	Colorado	71.0
3	Oregon	43.0
4	Delaware	41.5
5	Rhode Island	33.7
6	Arkansas	28.3
7	Illinois	27.0
8	Maryland	26.3
9	Kentucky	24.5
10	Texas	24.0
11	Iowa	23.4
12	Massachusetts	20.7
13	Mississippi	20.6
14	Oklahoma	19.1
15	California	18.5
16	Arizona	17.5
17	New Mexico	16.6
18	Montana	16.5
19	Nevada	16.2
20	Louisiana	15.6
21	New York	15.4
22	Virginia	15.2
23	Pennsylvania	14.8
24	Wisconsin	14.7
25	Connecticut	14.5

RANK	STATE	IN %
►	50-State Average	13.2
26	Minnesota	12.2
27	Nebraska	11.5
28	Kansas	10.9
29	Washington	10.8
30	Alaska	10.5
31	Michigan	10.2
32	New Jersey	9.3
33	Vermont	7.8
34	Hawaii	7.5
35	Idaho	6.5
36	Indiana	6.4
37	Ohio	4.9
38	Utah	4.5
39	South Dakota	3.9
40	Wyoming	1.6
41	Georgia	1.3
42	New Hampshire	-0.3
43	Missouri	-0.5
44	Tennessee	-3.0
45	Maine	-6.7
46	South Carolina	-9.7
47	North Carolina	-10.2
48	Florida	-11.7
49	West Virginia	-27.3
50	Alabama	-39.1



LEGEND

- Ranked above 50-state average
- Ranked below 50-state average

Quick Stats

- Total state expenditures, not adjusted for inflation and population, increased by 55.9 percent in Georgia and by an average rate of 46.4 percent across all 50 states, from FY 2005-15.

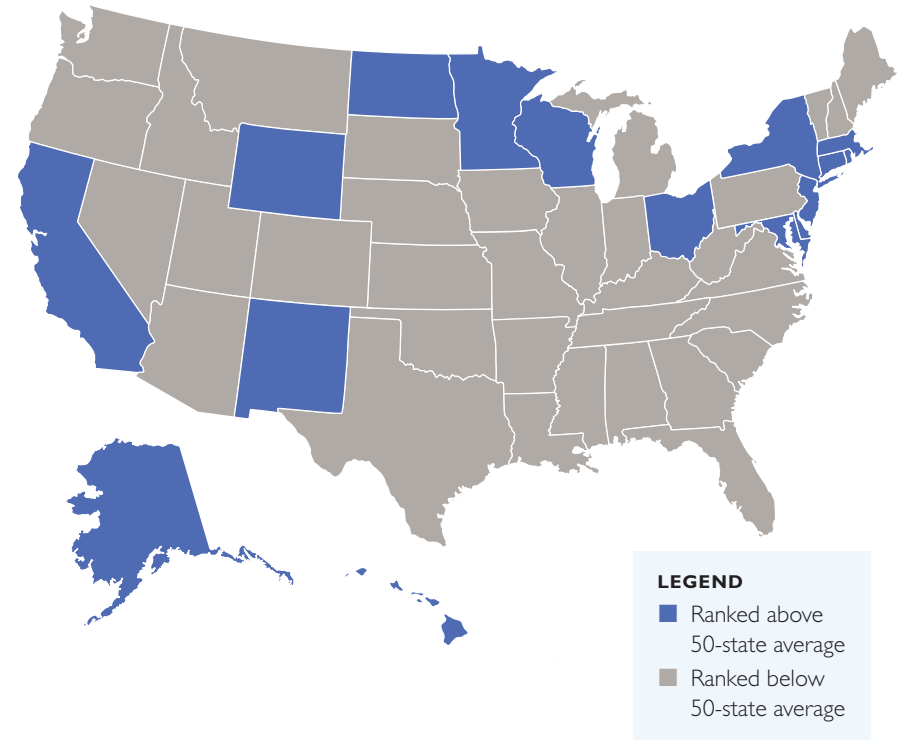
*Adjusted for inflation and population

Sources: National Association of State Budget Officers, *State Expenditure Report, Fiscal 2014-2016*, National Association of State Budget Officers, *State Expenditure Report, Fiscal 2004-2006*, U.S. Census Bureau, *Annual Population Estimates*; and U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis, *Price Indexes for Gross Domestic Product*

18. Per Capita General Fund Expenditures, FY 2015

RANK	STATE	IN \$
1	Alaska	8,002
2	Connecticut	4,851
3	Hawaii	4,480
4	North Dakota	4,410
5	Massachusetts	4,339
6	Delaware	4,051
7	Minnesota	3,697
8	New Jersey	3,601
9	Wyoming	3,583
10	Rhode Island	3,208
11	New York	3,175
12	New Mexico	2,944
13	California	2,898
14	Wisconsin	2,657
15	Ohio	2,655
16	Maryland	2,648
►	50-State Average	2,492
17	Maine	2,380
18	Washington	2,325
19	Indiana	2,318
20	West Virginia	2,298
21	Pennsylvania	2,277
22	Kentucky	2,270
23	Vermont	2,270
24	Iowa	2,257

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Illinois	2,247
26	Virginia	2,219
27	Kansas	2,142
28	Nebraska	2,125
29	Montana	2,070
30	North Carolina	2,058
31	Texas	1,990
32	Tennessee	1,945
33	Georgia	1,931
34	Utah	1,919
35	Louisiana	1,866
36	Oregon	1,850
37	Mississippi	1,826
38	Colorado	1,751
39	Idaho	1,746
40	Oklahoma	1,744
41	Arkansas	1,699
42	South Dakota	1,616
43	Alabama	1,616
44	Missouri	1,442
45	South Carolina	1,423
46	Florida	1,362
47	Arizona	1,330
48	Nevada	1,176
49	Michigan	973
50	New Hampshire	945



Quick Stats

- Georgia's per capita general fund expenditures increased by \$65 (3.5 percent) from FY 2014 to FY 2015.
- Georgia's total general fund expenditures were \$19.7 billion in FY 2015, an increase of \$879 million over FY 2014.

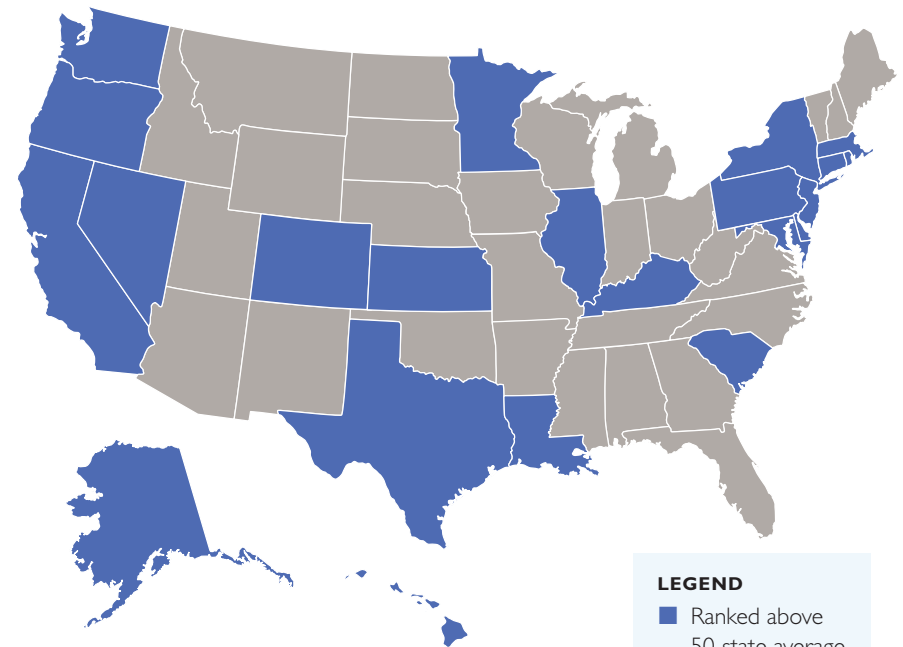
Note: The general fund, the predominant fund for financing a state's operations, receives revenues from broad-based state taxes. Specific functions are financed differently from state to state.

Sources: National Association of State Budget Officers, State Expenditure Report, Fiscal 2014-2016, and U.S. Census Bureau Annual Population Estimates

19. Per Capita State & Local Debt Outstanding, FY 2014

RANK		STATE -----IN \$-----	LOCAL -----IN \$-----	S&L -----IN \$-----
1	New York	6,910	10,558	17,468
2	Massachusetts	11,005	2,544	13,550
3	Connecticut	9,239	3,168	12,407
4	Alaska	8,210	4,076	12,286
5	Illinois	5,111	6,477	11,588
6	Rhode Island	8,897	2,537	11,435
7	Washington	4,475	6,881	11,356
8	New Jersey	7,394	3,716	11,110
9	California	4,041	6,934	10,976
10	Colorado	3,161	6,935	10,096
11	Hawaii	5,936	4,135	10,071
12	Pennsylvania	3,720	6,278	9,998
13	Texas	1,553	8,419	9,971
14	Nevada	1,240	7,993	9,233
15	Kentucky	3,360	5,748	9,109
16	Oregon	3,673	5,329	9,002
17	Minnesota	2,899	6,080	8,978
18	Kansas	2,322	6,613	8,935
19	South Carolina	3,122	5,758	8,880
20	Louisiana	4,085	4,498	8,583
21	Delaware	5,723	2,689	8,412
22	Maryland	4,414	3,948	8,361
►	50-State Average	3,766	4,483	8,249
23	New Hampshire	6,104	1,981	8,085
24	Nebraska	1,014	7,024	8,038

RANK		STATE -----IN \$-----	LOCAL -----IN \$-----	S&L -----IN \$-----
25	Virginia	3,332	4,534	7,866
26	Florida	1,827	5,972	7,799
27	Michigan	3,181	4,555	7,737
28	Missouri	3,140	4,517	7,658
29	New Mexico	3,302	4,229	7,531
30	Wisconsin	3,885	3,601	7,486
31	Indiana	3,202	4,239	7,440
32	Ohio	2,903	4,503	7,406
33	Vermont	5,253	2,024	7,276
34	Arizona	2,127	5,113	7,240
35	North Dakota	2,552	4,601	7,153
36	Utah	2,490	4,399	6,889
37	South Dakota	3,797	2,876	6,673
38	Alabama	1,837	4,571	6,408
39	Maine	4,115	2,236	6,352
40	West Virginia	4,316	1,893	6,209
41	Iowa	2,042	4,019	6,061
42	Georgia	1,325	4,307	5,632
43	Arkansas	1,528	3,864	5,393
44	Tennessee	924	4,385	5,309
45	Montana	3,324	1,902	5,226
46	North Carolina	1,795	3,240	5,035
47	Oklahoma	2,333	2,475	4,808
48	Mississippi	2,373	2,385	4,757
49	Idaho	2,206	1,605	3,812
50	Wyoming	1,591	1,795	3,386



LEGEND

- Ranked above 50-state average
- Ranked below 50-state average

Quick Stats

- Georgia's per capita state and local government debt outstanding increased by \$61 (1.1 percent) from FY 2013 to FY 2014.
- Nationwide, per capita state and local government debt outstanding decreased by \$151 (1.6 percent) to \$9,336.

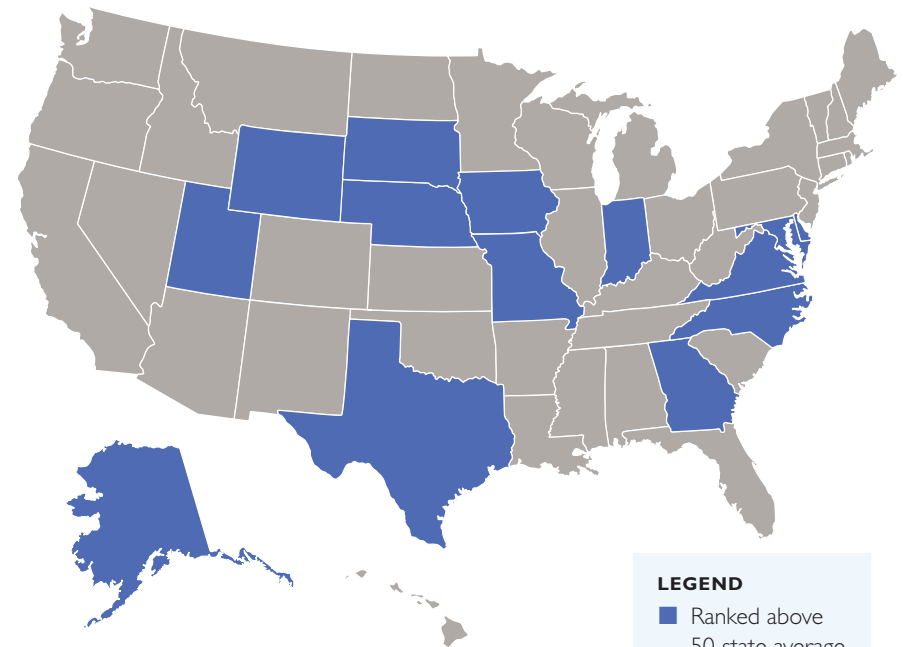
Note: The ranking is based on state and local debt combined.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances and U.S. Census Bureau Annual Population Estimates

20. State Credit Ratings, 2015

RANK	STATE	S&P	MOODY'S	FITCH
1	Alaska	AAA	Aaa	AAA
1	Delaware	AAA	Aaa	AAA
1	Georgia	AAA	Aaa	AAA
1	Iowa*	AAA	Aaa	AAA
1	Maryland	AAA	Aaa	AAA
1	Missouri	AAA	Aaa	AAA
1	North Carolina	AAA	Aaa	AAA
1	Texas	AAA	Aaa	AAA
1	Utah	AAA	Aaa	AAA
1	Virginia	AAA	Aaa	AAA
1	Indiana*	AAA	Aaa	--
1	Nebraska*	AAA	--	--
1	South Dakota*	AAA	--	--
1	Wyoming*	AAA	--	--
15	Florida	AAA	Aa1	AAA
15	South Carolina	AA+	Aaa	AAA
15	Tennessee	AA+	Aaa	AAA
15	Vermont	AA+	Aaa	AAA
19	New Mexico	AA+	Aaa	--
19	North Dakota*	AAA	Aa1	--
21	Massachusetts	AA+	Aa1	AA+
21	Minnesota	AA+	Aa1	AA+
21	Ohio	AA+	Aa1	AA+
21	Oregon	AA+	Aa1	AA+

RANK	STATE	S&P	MOODY'S	FITCH
21	Washington	AA+	Aa1	AA+
21	Idaho*	AA+	Aa1	--
27	Alabama	AA	Aa1	AA+
27	Montana	AA	Aa1	AA+
27	New Hampshire	AA	Aa1	AA+
27	Oklahoma	AA+	Aa2	AA+
27	West Virginia	AA	Aa1	AA+
32	Arkansas	AA	Aa1	--
32	Colorado*	AA	Aa1	--
34	Mississippi	AA	Aa2	AA+
34	Nevada	AA	Aa2	AA+
34	New York	AA+	Aa2	AA
37	Hawaii	AA	Aa2	AA
37	Louisiana	AA	Aa2	AA
37	Maine	AA	Aa2	AA
37	Michigan	AA-	Aa1	AA
37	Rhode Island	AA	Aa2	AA
37	Wisconsin	AA	Aa2	AA
37	Arizona*	AA	Aa2	--
37	Kansas*	AA	Aa2	--
45	Connecticut	AA	Aa3	AA
46	Kentucky*	AA-	Aa2	AA-
47	Pennsylvania	AA-	Aa3	AA-
48	California	AA-	Aa3	A
49	New Jersey	A	Aa2	A
50	Illinois	A-	Baa1	BBB+



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- Ranked above 50-state average
- Ranked below 50-state average

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► Georgia has maintained a AAA rating from S&P since 2001.

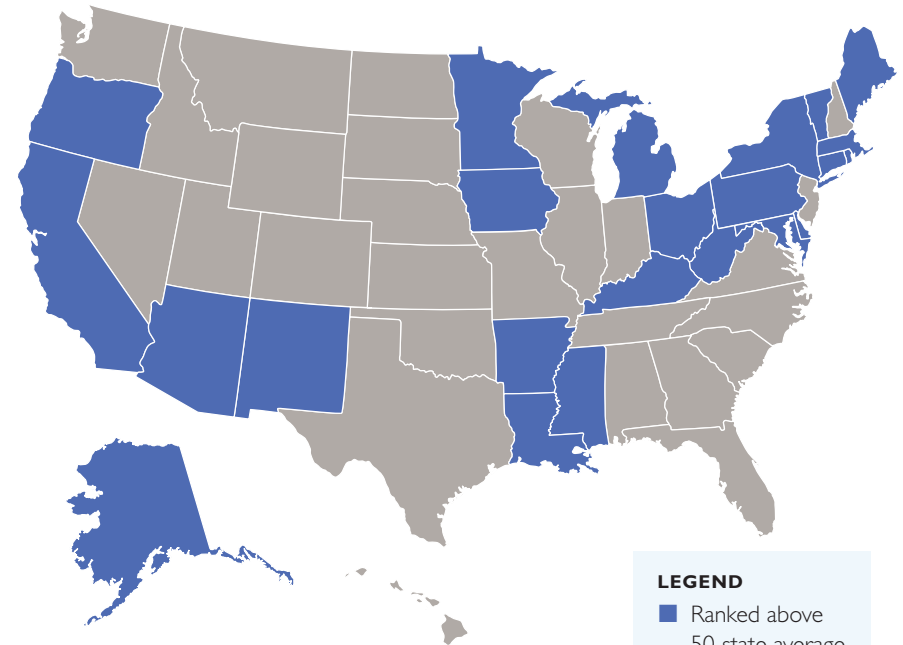
*States with no outstanding general obligation debt. Shown are the ratings these states would likely receive if they decided to issue general obligation debt.

Note: States are ranked based on the average value of their bond ratings on a 10-point scale, with AAA rating equal to 10 points.

Source: JLARC, "Virginia Compared to the Other States," 2016 Edition (ratings as of December 2015)

21. Per Capita Medicaid Expenditures, FY 2015

RANK	STATE	IN \$	RANK	STATE	IN \$
1	New Mexico	2,481	25	New Jersey	1,539
2	Vermont	2,477	26	Tennessee	1,523
3	Rhode Island	2,326	27	North Dakota	1,468
4	New York	2,307	28	Missouri	1,431
5	Oregon	2,158	29	Colorado	1,420
6	Kentucky	2,152	30	Indiana	1,384
7	California	2,143	31	North Carolina	1,372
8	Pennsylvania	2,127	32	Oklahoma	1,372
9	Alaska	2,106	33	Hawaii	1,359
10	Ohio	2,095	34	Illinois	1,338
11	Massachusetts	2,046	35	Texas	1,330
12	Arkansas	2,034	36	South Carolina	1,271
13	Delaware	1,982	37	Alabama	1,252
14	Minnesota	1,952	38	New Hampshire	1,215
15	Connecticut	1,944	39	Idaho	1,207
16	West Virginia	1,914	40	Kansas	1,127
17	Maine	1,905	41	Florida	1,112
18	Arizona	1,723	42	Washington	1,082
19	Louisiana	1,639	43	Montana	1,075
20	Mississippi	1,629	44	Wyoming	1,065
21	Michigan	1,619	45	Nevada	1,029
22	Maryland	1,605	46	Virginia	983
23	Iowa	1,594	47	South Dakota	980
►	50-State Average	1,584	48	Nebraska	978
24	Wisconsin	1,539	49 Georgia	965	
			50	Utah	814



LEGEND

- Ranked above 50-state average
- Ranked below 50-state average

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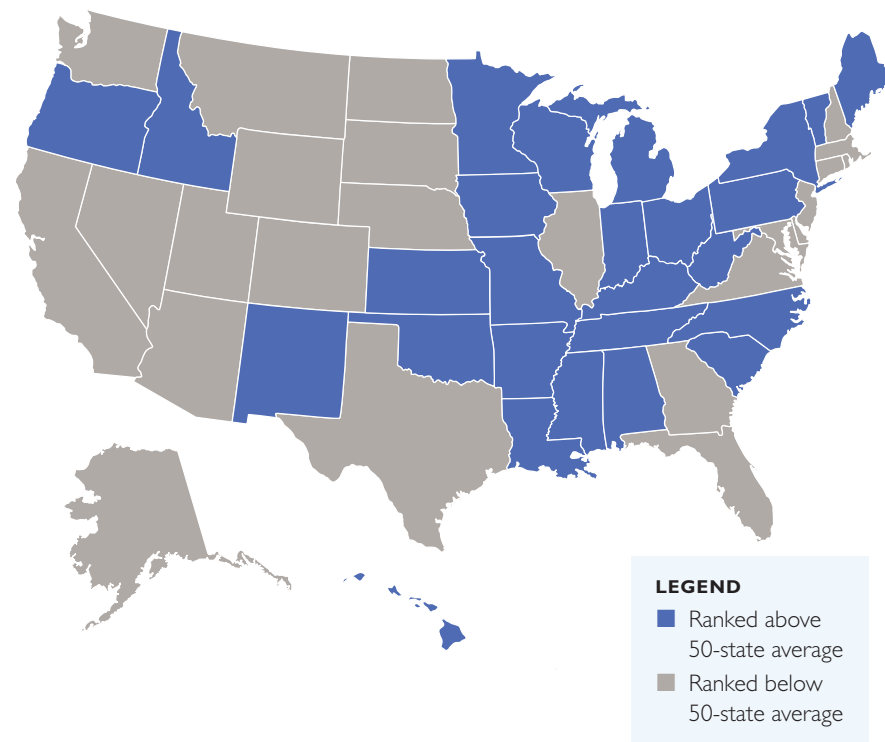
- Georgia's per capita Medicaid expenditures increased by \$37 (3.8 percent), from FY 2014 to FY 2015.
- Georgia's total Medicaid expenditures in FY 2015 were \$9.9 billion, a \$482 million or 4.9 percent increase from FY 2014.
- Nationwide, Medicaid expenditures grew by 62.6 billion, or 13.6 percent, from FY 2014 to FY 2015.

Sources: National Association of State Budget Officers, *State Expenditure Report, Fiscal 2014-2016*, and U.S. Census Bureau, *Annual Population Estimates*

22. Percentage of Total State Expenditures for Public Assistance, FY 2014

RANK	STATE	IN %
1	Mississippi	34.1
2	Maine	32.2
3	South Carolina	31.1
4	Indiana	30.9
5	North Carolina	30.6
6	Arkansas	29.1
7	Alabama	29.0
8	Iowa	28.5
9	New Mexico	28.3
10	Minnesota	27.8
11	Kentucky	27.8
12	Louisiana	27.3
13	Vermont	27.2
14	West Virginia	27.1
15	Idaho	27.1
16	Oklahoma	26.9
17	Ohio	26.8
18	Missouri	26.6
19	Pennsylvania	26.5
20	Oregon	26.3
21	Tennessee	25.8
22	Wisconsin	25.5
23	Kansas	25.5
24	Michigan	25.3
25	New York	25.1

RANK	STATE	IN %
26	Hawaii	25.0
► 50-State Average		24.7
27	California	24.5
28	Delaware	24.4
29	Florida	24.4
30	Arizona	24.3
31	Wyoming	24.0
32	Rhode Island	23.7
33	Georgia	23.6
34	Massachusetts	23.3
35	Virginia	23.2
36	Texas	23.1
37	Washington	23.1
38	Connecticut	21.7
39	Maryland	21.1
40	Montana	20.4
41	Utah	20.4
42	Nevada	20.3
43	Colorado	20.3
44	Nebraska	20.0
45	New Jersey	18.8
46	New Hampshire	18.4
47	Illinois	18.4
48	South Dakota	18.3
49	Alaska	16.7
50	North Dakota	15.0



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- Georgia's per capita expenditure for public assistance was \$1,845 in FY 2014.
- Georgia's share of state expenditures on public assistance increased by 0.9 percentage points from FY 2013 to FY 2014.

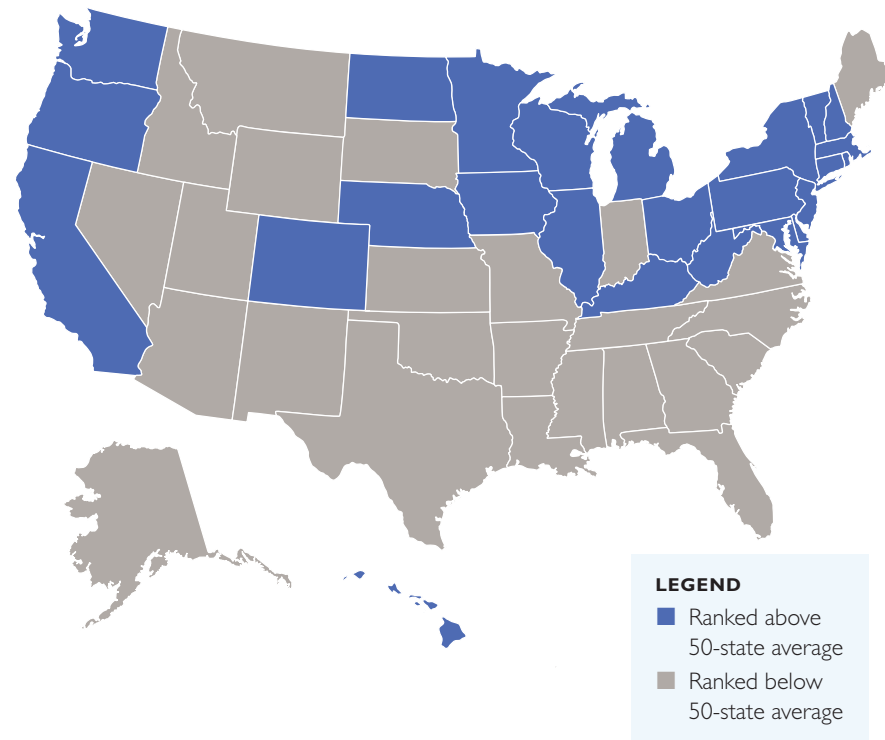
Note: Public assistance expenditures include public welfare, hospital, health, employment security administration, veteran services and other public welfare expenditures.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances and U.S. Census Bureau Population Estimates

23. Percentage of Population Under Age 65 With Health Insurance, 2015

RANK	STATE	IN %
1	Massachusetts	96.7
2	Vermont	95.4
3	Hawaii	95.3
4	Minnesota	94.8
5	Iowa	94.1
6	Wisconsin	93.4
7	Rhode Island	93.3
8	Delaware	93.2
9	Connecticut	93.1
10	Kentucky	93.0
11	Michigan	92.9
12	West Virginia	92.8
13	Maryland	92.5
14	New Hampshire	92.5
15	Pennsylvania	92.5
16	Ohio	92.4
17	Washington	92.4
18	Illinois	91.9
19	New York	91.9
20	Oregon	91.7
21	North Dakota	91.1
22	Colorado	90.8
23	Nebraska	90.5
24	California	90.3
25	New Jersey	90.0

RANK	STATE	IN %
►	50-State Average	89.8
26	Maine	89.7
27	Virginia	89.5
28	Kansas	89.4
29	Arkansas	88.9
30	Indiana	88.8
31	Missouri	88.6
32	Utah	88.5
33	Alabama	88.1
34	South Dakota	88.0
35	Tennessee	88.0
36	Arizona	87.2
37	New Mexico	87.2
38	Idaho	87.1
39	South Carolina	87.1
40	North Carolina	86.9
41	Wyoming	86.6
42	Louisiana	86.2
43	Montana	86.0
44	Nevada	86.0
45	Mississippi	85.2
46	Georgia	84.3
47	Florida	83.8
48	Oklahoma	83.8
49	Alaska	83.6
50	Texas	80.9



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- The percentage of persons under 65 covered by health insurance in Georgia increased from 82.1 to 84.3 percent between 2014 and 2015.
- In 2015, 66.1 percent of Georgians under 65 years of age had private insurance, and 21.4 percent had public health insurance (Medicare, Medicaid, VA Health Care, CHIP, state health plans).*

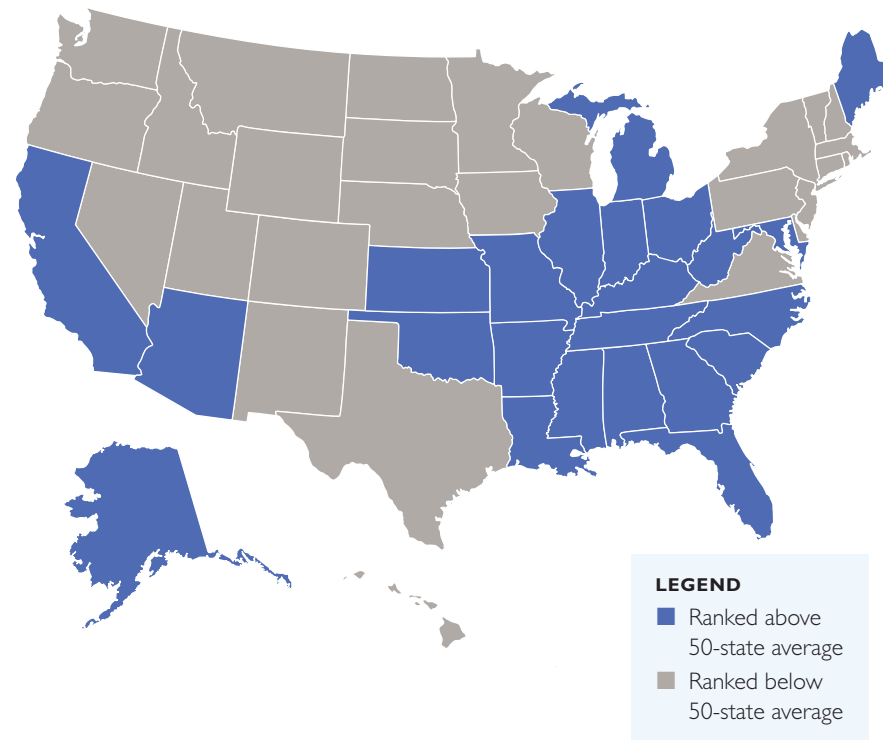
*Percentages for private/public health insurance do not add to total coverage because some individuals report having health insurance coverage from both private and public sources.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey

24. Infant Mortality Rate, 2014

RANK	STATE	PER 1,000 LIVE BIRTHS
1	Alabama	8.7
2	Mississippi	8.2
3	Oklahoma	8.1
4	Arkansas	7.5
5	California	7.5
6	Maine	7.5
7	Georgia	7.5
8	Louisiana	7.1
9	Kentucky	7.1
10	Indiana	7.1
11	North Carolina	7.1
12	West Virginia	7.0
13	Tennessee	6.9
14	Ohio	6.9
15	Illinois	6.6
16	Alaska	6.6
17	Michigan	6.5
18	Maryland	6.5
19	South Carolina	6.5
20	Kansas	6.3
21	Arizona	6.2
22	Missouri	6.1
23	Florida	6.1
►	50-State Average	6.0
24	Pennsylvania	5.9

RANK	STATE	PER 1,000 LIVE BIRTHS
25	South Dakota	5.9
26	Texas	5.9
27	Virginia	5.8
28	Wisconsin	5.7
29	Wyoming	5.7
30	Montana	5.5
31	Nebraska	5.5
32	Idaho	5.5
33	New Mexico	5.4
34	Oregon	5.1
35	Nevada	5.1
36	Minnesota	5.0
37	North Dakota	5.0
38	Utah	4.9
39	Delaware	4.9
40	Connecticut	4.9
41	Iowa	4.8
42	Colorado	4.8
43	New York	4.7
44	Vermont	4.6
45	Washington	4.5
46	Hawaii	4.5
47	Rhode Island	4.4
48	New Jersey	4.4
49	Massachusetts	4.4
50	New Hampshire	4.3



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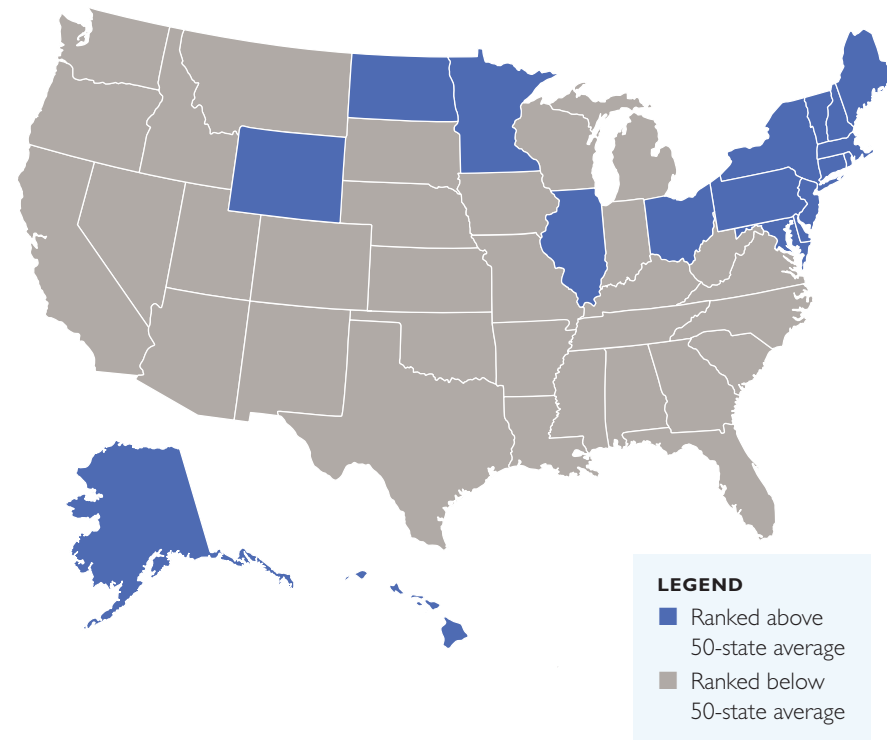
- Georgia's infant mortality rate increased from 6.9 to 7.5 per 1,000 live births from 2013 to 2014.
- The 50-state average infant mortality rate fell from 6.1 to 6.0 per 1,000 live births from 2013 to 2014.

Source: CDC, Detailed tables for the National Vital Statistics Report: "Deaths, final data for 2014" (Table 22)

25. State and Local Per-Pupil Funding, Pre-K to 12, 2013-14

RANK	STATE	IN \$
1	New York	22,048
2	Connecticut	19,754
3	New Jersey	19,675
4	Wyoming	17,883
5	Vermont	17,845
6	Alaska	17,200
7	Massachusetts	17,037
8	Pennsylvania	16,094
9	Rhode Island	15,567
10	Maryland	15,203
11	New Hampshire	15,045
12	Delaware	14,672
13	Illinois	13,639
14	Maine	13,580
15	North Dakota	13,307
16	Ohio	12,984
17	Minnesota	12,909
18	Hawaii	12,898
►	50-State Average	11,954
19	Wisconsin	11,756
20	Nebraska	11,738
21	Michigan	11,709
22	Iowa	11,438
23	Washington	11,263
24	West Virginia	11,241

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Indiana	11,137
26	Virginia	11,054
27	Kansas	10,844
28	Oregon	10,682
29	Louisiana	10,596
30	Montana	10,491
31	South Carolina	10,410
32	Missouri	10,379
33	California	10,032
34	Colorado	9,751
35	Arkansas	9,633
36	New Mexico	9,598
37	Texas	9,489
38	Georgia	9,424
39	Kentucky	9,321
40	Alabama	8,866
41	South Dakota	8,853
42	Nevada	8,766
43	Florida	8,479
44	North Carolina	8,279
45	Tennessee	8,180
46	Oklahoma	7,973
47	Mississippi	7,722
48	Arizona	7,618
49	Utah	7,039
50	Idaho	6,580



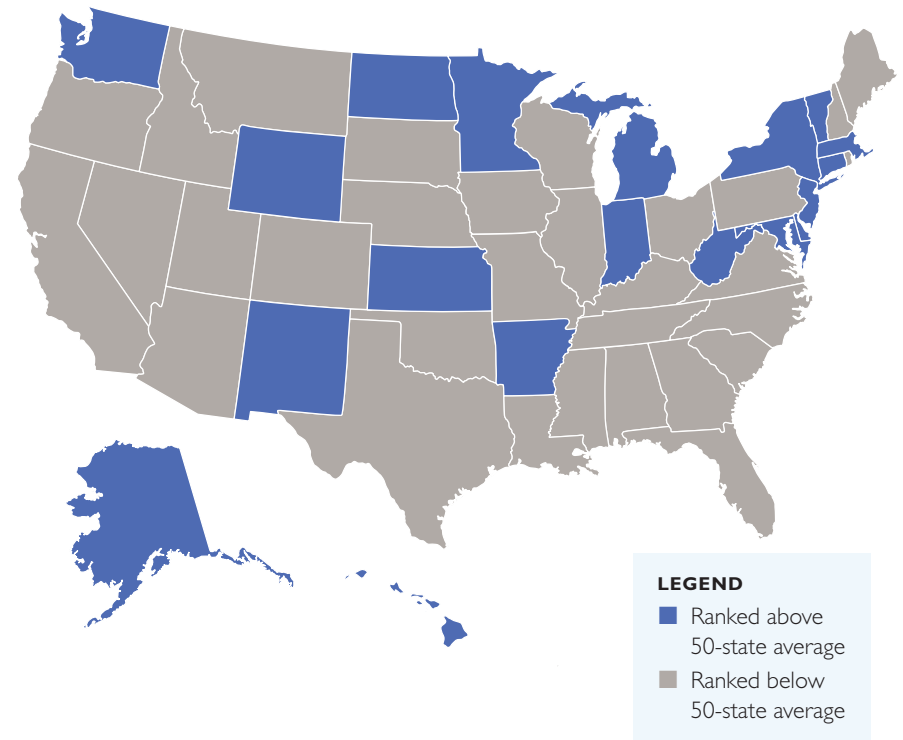
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- Per pupil state and local funding in Georgia increased by \$127 or 1.4 percent between the 2012-13 and 2013-14 school years.
- The 50-state average per pupil state and local funding increased by \$700 or 6.2 percent between 2012-13 and 2013-14.
- For the nation, 44.7 percent of public school funding came from local sources, 46.7 percent from state sources, and 8.6 percent from federal sources.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2014 Survey of School System Finances (Table 11)

26. State Per-Pupil Funding, Pre-K to 12, 2013-14

RANK	STATE	IN \$	RANK	STATE	IN \$
1	Vermont	16,996	25	Nevada	6,086
2	Alaska	13,143	26	Oregon	5,989
3	Hawaii	12,603	27	Ohio	5,927
4	Wyoming	10,409	28	Maine	5,776
5	New York	9,477	29	Kentucky	5,775
6	Minnesota	9,450	30	Montana	5,712
7	Delaware	9,432	31	Alabama	5,447
8	North Dakota	8,725	32	North Carolina	5,446
9	Arkansas	8,350	33	New Hampshire	5,432
10	New Jersey	8,275	34	Illinois	5,417
11	Connecticut	8,104	35	South Carolina	5,351
12	New Mexico	7,671	36	Louisiana	5,193
13	Indiana	7,578	37	Missouri	4,778
14	Washington	7,405	38	Virginia	4,708
15	Michigan	7,388	39	Idaho	4,688
16	West Virginia	7,257	40	Georgia	4,612
17	Massachusetts	7,156	41	Colorado	4,579
18	Maryland	7,146	42	Mississippi	4,555
19	Kansas	6,715	43	Oklahoma	4,453
►	50-State Average	6,650	44	Tennessee	4,348
20	Wisconsin	6,600	45	Nebraska	4,174
21	Iowa	6,471	46	Texas	4,144
22	Rhode Island	6,422	47	Utah	4,143
23	Pennsylvania	6,399	48	Florida	3,863
24	California	6,171	49	Arizona	3,371
			50	South Dakota	3,165



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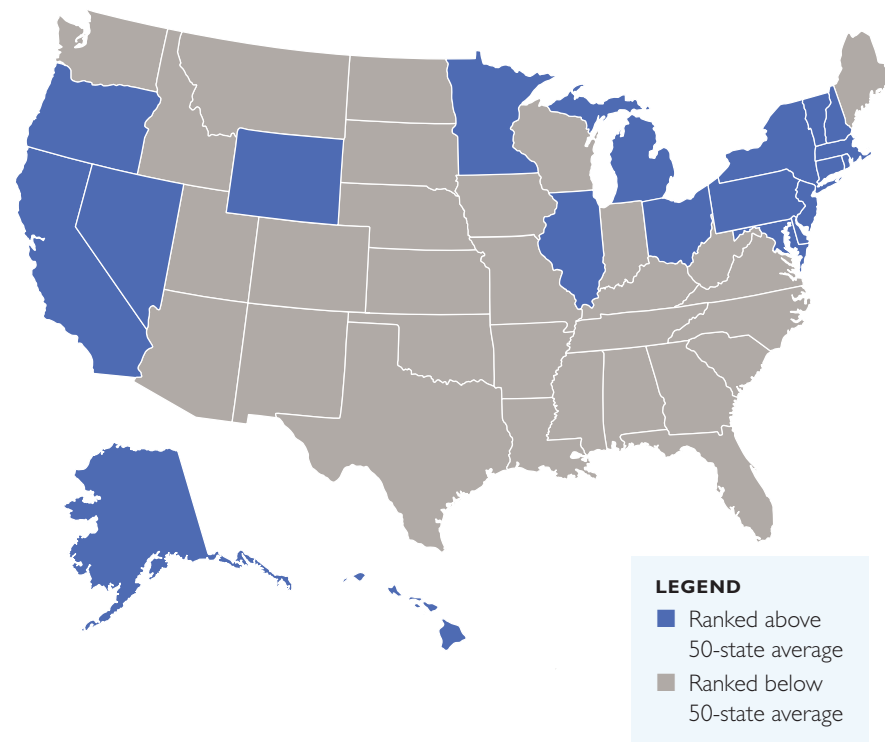
- State per-pupil funding in Georgia increased by \$109 or 2.4 percent from 2012-13 to 2013-14.
- The 50-state average spending per pupil increased by \$343 or 5.4 percent between 2012-13 and 2013-14.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2014 Survey of School System Finances (Table 11)

27. Average Salary of Public School Teachers, 2014-15

RANK	STATE	IN \$
1	New York	77,628
2	Massachusetts	75,398
3	California	72,535
4	Connecticut	71,709
5	New Jersey	69,038
6	Alaska	66,755
7	Rhode Island	65,918
8	Maryland	65,477
9	Pennsylvania	64,447
10	Michigan	63,856
11	Illinois	61,083
12	Oregon	59,811
13	Delaware	59,195
14	New Hampshire	58,554
15	Vermont	57,642
16	Wyoming	57,414
17	Hawaii	57,189
18	Nevada	56,703
19	Minnesota	56,670
20	Ohio	56,172
►	50-State Average	54,663
21	Wisconsin	54,535
22	Iowa	53,408
23	Georgia	53,382
24	Washington	52,502

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Kentucky	51,155
26	Indiana	50,877
27	Texas	50,713
28	Montana	50,670
29	Virginia	50,620
30	Nebraska	50,525
31	North Dakota	50,025
32	Maine	50,017
33	Colorado	49,828
34	Florida	48,992
35	Kansas	48,990
36	Alabama	48,611
37	South Carolina	48,486
38	Tennessee	47,979
39	Louisiana	47,886
40	Arkansas	47,823
41	North Carolina	47,819
42	Missouri	47,409
43	New Mexico	46,625
44	Utah	45,848
45	West Virginia	45,783
46	Arizona	45,406
47	Oklahoma	45,317
48	Idaho	45,218
49	Mississippi	42,564
50	South Dakota	40,934



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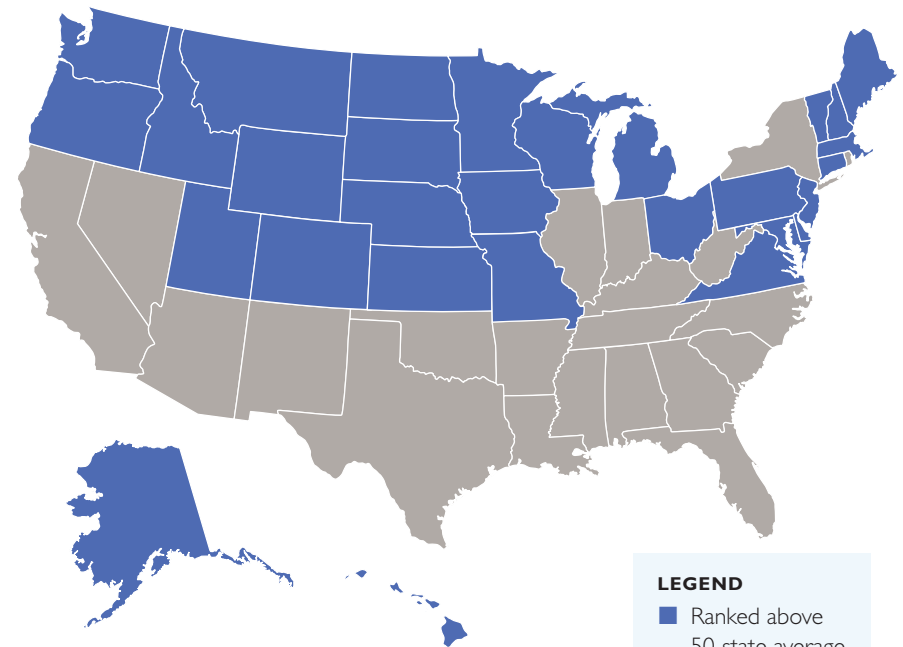
- In Georgia, the average salary of public school teachers increased by \$485 (0.9 percent) from 2013-14 to 2014-15.
- Nationally, the average teacher salary increased by \$927 (1.6 percent) from school year 2013-14 to 2014-15.

Source: National Education Association Rankings & Estimates: Rankings of the States 2015 and Estimates of School Statistics 2016

28. Percentage of Population 25 Years & Older With at Least a High School Education, 2015

RANK	STATE	2015 (IN %)
1	Montana	93.5
2	New Hampshire	93.1
3	Minnesota	92.8
4	Alaska	92.6
5	North Dakota	92.5
6	Wyoming	92.2
7	Vermont	91.7
8	Maine	91.7
9	Iowa	91.7
10	Utah	91.5
11	Wisconsin	91.4
12	Colorado	91.2
13	South Dakota	91.1
14	Nebraska	91.0
15	Hawaii	90.9
16	Washington	90.8
17	Kansas	90.3
18	Connecticut	90.2
19	Massachusetts	90.2
20	Michigan	90.1
21	Oregon	90.0
22	Idaho	90.0
23	Pennsylvania	89.7
24	Ohio	89.7
25	Maryland	89.6

RANK	STATE	2015 (IN %)
26	New Jersey	89.1
27	Delaware	88.9
28	Missouri	88.9
29	Virginia	88.9
► 50-State Average		88.7
30	Illinois	88.6
31	Indiana	88.2
32	Rhode Island	87.7
33	Florida	87.6
34	Oklahoma	87.3
35	North Carolina	86.6
36	South Carolina	86.3
37	Arizona	86.1
38	Tennessee	86.1
39	Georgia	86.1
40	New York	86.0
41	West Virginia	86.0
42	Nevada	85.6
43	Arkansas	85.4
44	Kentucky	85.1
45	Alabama	84.9
46	Louisiana	84.6
47	New Mexico	84.6
48	Mississippi	83.5
49	Texas	82.4
50	California	82.2



LEGEND

- Ranked above 50-state average
- Ranked below 50-state average

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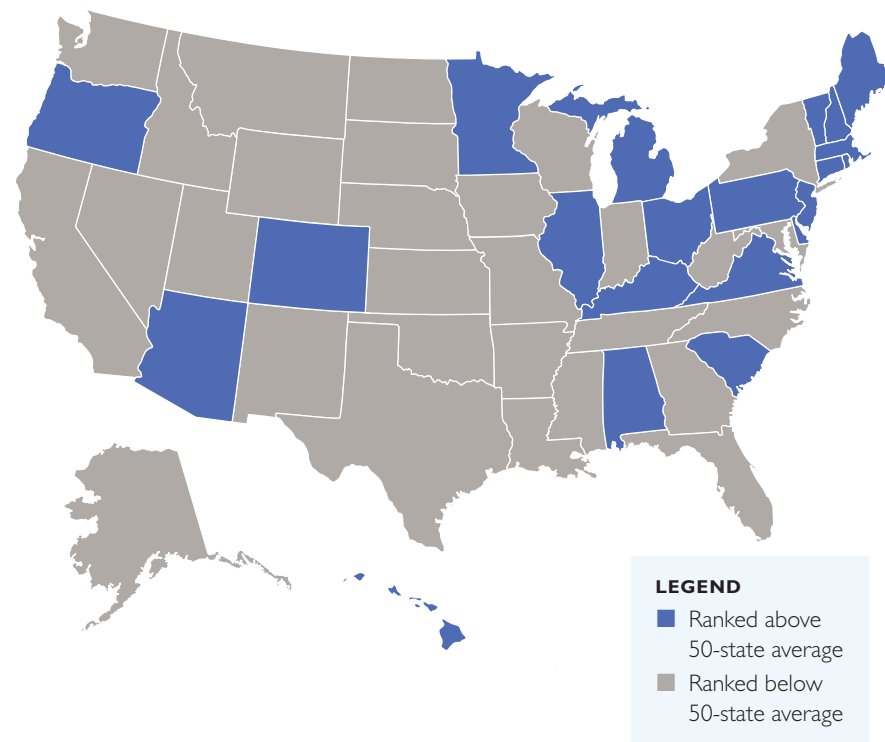
- The share of Georgia's population over age 25 with at least a high school education increased from 85.6 percent to 86.1 percent from 2014 to 2015.
- In 2015, 29.9 percent of Georgians 25 years and older had earned at least a bachelor's degree, 0.8 percentage points higher than in 2014.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey

29. Average Annual In-State Tuition & Fees at Public Four-Year Institutions, 2016-17

RANK	STATE	IN \$
1	New Hampshire	15,650
2	Vermont	15,446
3	Pennsylvania	13,884
4	New Jersey	13,560
5	Illinois	13,278
6	Michigan	12,464
7	Virginia	12,323
8	Massachusetts	12,276
9	South Carolina	12,192
10	Delaware	11,935
11	Connecticut	11,734
12	Rhode Island	11,407
13	Arizona	10,957
14	Minnesota	10,952
15	Hawaii	10,671
16	Ohio	10,266
17	Colorado	10,257
18	Alabama	10,040
19	Kentucky	9,953
20	Oregon	9,693
21	Maine	9,687
►	50-State Average	9,581
22	Texas	9,566
23	Tennessee	9,518
24	Maryland	9,366

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	California	9,346
26	Washington	9,265
27	Indiana	9,201
28	Wisconsin	8,928
29	Kansas	8,917
30	Louisiana	8,900
31	Missouri	8,632
32	Georgia	8,453
33	Iowa	8,271
34	Arkansas	8,247
35	South Dakota	8,138
36	Oklahoma	8,026
37	North Dakota	7,884
38	Nebraska	7,883
39	New York	7,707
40	West Virginia	7,488
41	Mississippi	7,409
42	North Carolina	7,203
43	Alaska	7,130
44	Idaho	7,010
45	Nevada	6,907
46	New Mexico	6,618
47	Utah	6,581
48	Montana	6,409
49	Florida	6,356
50	Wyoming	5,055



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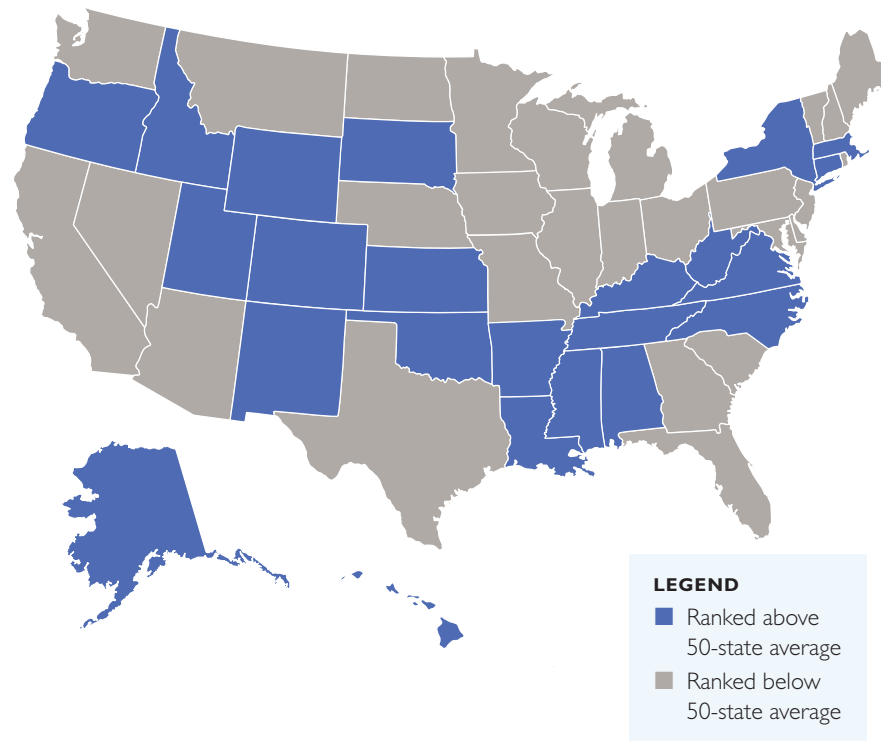
- Average tuition and fees at Georgia's public four-year colleges fell by \$6 from 2015-16 school year levels.
- The 50-state average increased by \$263, an increase of 2.8 percent from 2015-16.

Source: College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2016

30. Percentage Change in In-State Tuition & Fees at Public Four-Year Institutions, 2011-12 to 2016-17

RANK	STATE	IN %
1	Louisiana	59.3
2	West Virginia	27.0
3	Tennessee	24.6
4	Oklahoma	24.1
5	Alaska	22.7
6	Mississippi	22.6
7	Colorado	22.3
8	Virginia	21.3
9	Kansas	21.0
10	Hawaii	19.7
11	Connecticut	19.5
12	North Carolina	18.9
13	Alabama	17.8
14	Kentucky	17.2
15	New York	16.6
16	Utah	16.6
17	Arkansas	16.4
18	Idaho	15.8
19	Wyoming	15.0
20	New Mexico	14.3
21	Oregon	13.8
22	Massachusetts	13.4
23	South Dakota	12.5
►	50-State Average	12.4
24	Texas	11.5

RANK	STATE	IN %
25	Vermont	10.7
26	South Carolina	10.5
27	Maryland	10.5
28	Arizona	9.0
29	New Hampshire	8.8
30	Georgia	8.7
31	Michigan	7.9
32	North Dakota	7.9
33	Pennsylvania	7.9
34	Delaware	7.3
35	Nevada	7.3
36	Illinois	7.2
37	Nebraska	7.2
38	Rhode Island	6.9
39	Florida	6.1
40	New Jersey	5.8
41	Missouri	5.4
42	Indiana	3.5
43	Iowa	2.7
44	Minnesota	2.6
45	Montana	2.3
46	Wisconsin	2.3
47	Ohio	2.0
48	California	-1.8
49	Maine	-2.9
50	Washington	-8.4



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- In-district tuition and fees at Georgia's public two-year colleges increased by 11 percent, inflation-adjusted, over the latest five years.

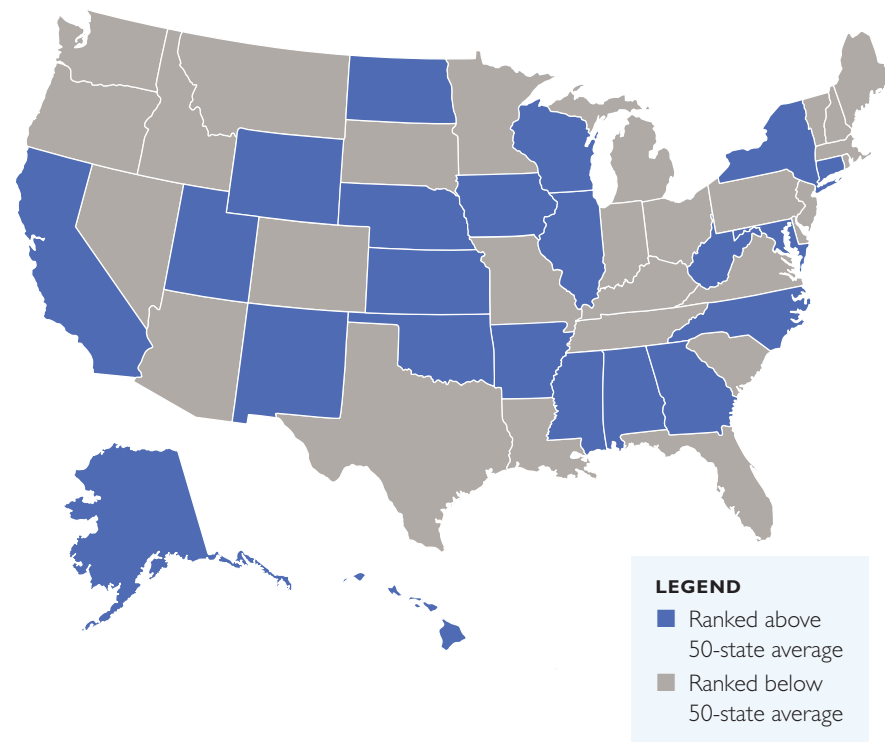
Note: Data provided by The College Board is adjusted for inflation using the Consumer Price Index – All Urban Consumers.

Source: College Board, Trends in College Pricing, 2016

31. Per Capita State Support for Public & Private Higher Education, FY 2015

RANK	STATE	IN \$
1	Wyoming	645
2	North Dakota	554
3	Alaska	522
4	New Mexico	431
5	Hawaii	400
6	Illinois	384
7	Nebraska	381
8	North Carolina	369
9	Mississippi	337
10	Arkansas	334
11	California	317
12	Connecticut	310
13	Alabama	303
14	Maryland	303
15	Utah	301
16	Georgia	288
17	New York	280
18	Wisconsin	278
19	Kansas	277
20	West Virginia	273
21	Iowa	273
22	Oklahoma	272
►	50-State Average	271
23	Kentucky	266
24	Minnesota	265

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	South Dakota	255
26	Indiana	255
27	Texas	253
28	Idaho	246
29	Delaware	242
30	Tennessee	241
31	Louisiana	241
32	Montana	235
33	New Jersey	232
34	Washington	224
35	Virginia	217
36	Massachusetts	217
37	Florida	212
38	Maine	205
39	South Carolina	201
40	Ohio	184
41	Michigan	180
42	Nevada	172
43	Missouri	170
44	Oregon	169
45	Rhode Island	163
46	Vermont	146
47	Colorado	145
48	Arizona	137
49	Pennsylvania	130
50	New Hampshire	93



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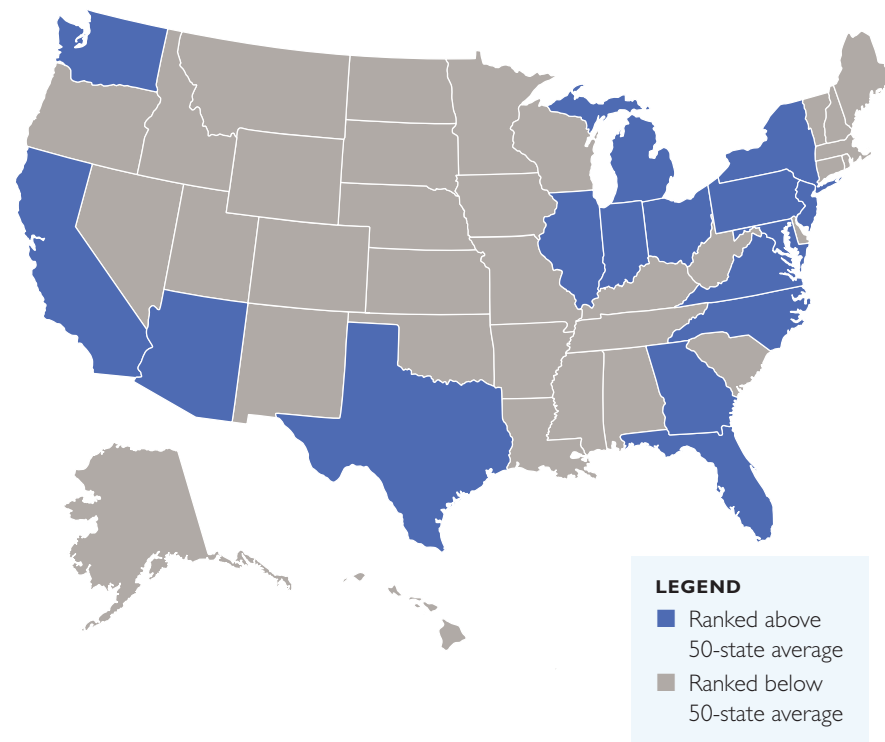
- Georgia's per capita state funding for public and private higher education decreased by 3.7 percent from FY 2014 to FY 2015.

Source: James C. Palmer, ed. *Grapevine, Summary Tables, Fiscal Year 2015-16*

32. FTE Student Enrollment in Public Higher Education, FY 2015

RANK	STATE	FTE
1	California	1,539,822
2	Texas	993,485
3	Florida	601,292
4	New York	567,465
5	Illinois	423,146
6	Michigan	392,275
7	North Carolina	391,990
8	Ohio	379,032
9	Pennsylvania	355,062
10	Georgia	344,325
11	Virginia	314,066
12	Arizona	274,235
13	New Jersey	270,053
14	Indiana	249,218
15	Washington	242,221
16	Maryland	231,570
►	50-State Average	222,731
17	Wisconsin	219,490
18	Minnesota	197,724
19	Alabama	195,411
20	Missouri	186,936
21	Tennessee	185,316
22	Colorado	181,867
23	South Carolina	176,789
24	Massachusetts	170,703

RANK	STATE	FTE
25	Louisiana	165,329
26	Oregon	155,505
27	Kentucky	152,317
28	Kansas	137,036
29	Oklahoma	136,311
30	Mississippi	129,481
31	Iowa	124,883
32	Utah	120,352
33	Arkansas	116,948
34	New Mexico	96,110
35	Connecticut	87,403
36	Nebraska	79,182
37	West Virginia	72,765
38	Nevada	66,924
39	Idaho	56,726
40	Hawaii	39,432
41	Montana	38,732
42	New Hampshire	38,398
43	North Dakota	36,801
44	Delaware	36,742
45	Maine	35,608
46	South Dakota	33,938
47	Rhode Island	31,547
48	Wyoming	24,041
49	Vermont	20,652
50	Alaska	19,904



Quick Stats

- From FY 2014 to FY 2015, Georgia's FTE enrollment in public higher education decreased by 1.0 percent.
- Although FTE enrollment decreased annually in Georgia from FY 2011 to FY 2015, FTE enrollment in Georgia in FY 2015 was 10.8 percent higher than in FY 2008.

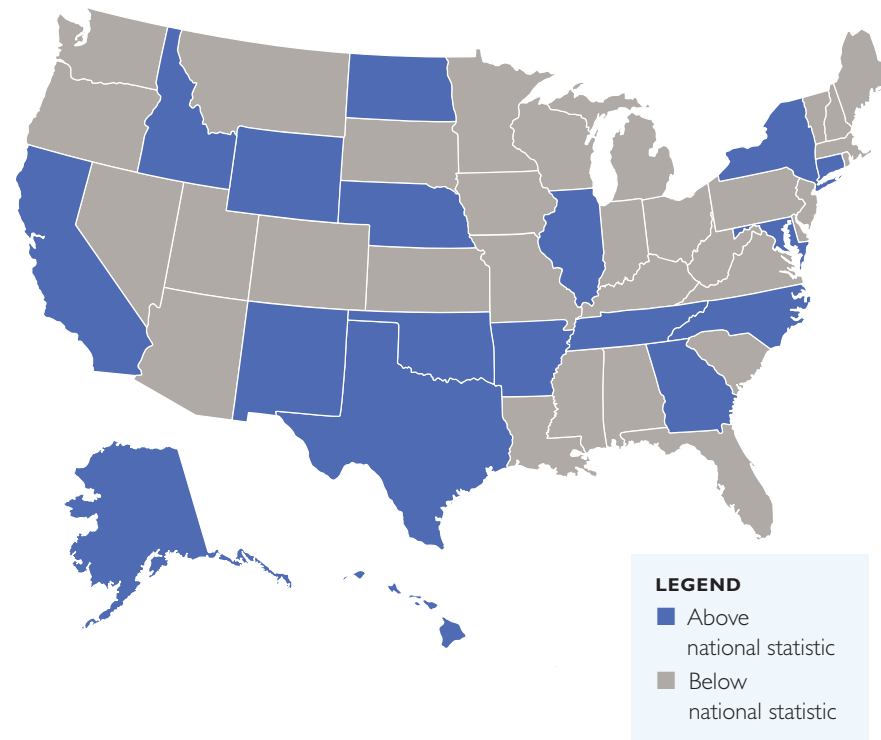
Note: Full-time equivalent enrollment equates student credit hours to full-time, academic year students but excludes medical students.

Source: State Higher Education Executive Officers, State Higher Education Finance FY 2015

33. Higher Education Appropriations per FTE Student, FY 2015

RANK	STATE	IN \$
1	Wyoming	17,300
2	Alaska	14,112
3	Illinois	11,518
4	North Carolina	8,894
5	New York	8,830
6	New Mexico	8,799
7	California	8,522
8	Hawaii	8,405
9	Nebraska	8,202
10	Connecticut	8,090
11	Maryland	8,024
12	North Dakota	7,766
13	Texas	7,748
14	Arkansas	7,626
15	Oklahoma	7,521
16	Georgia	7,490
17	Idaho	7,379
18	Tennessee	7,051
►	United States	6,966
19	Kentucky	6,898
20	Mississippi	6,896
21	Massachusetts	6,728
22	Nevada	6,682
23	Maine	6,546
24	Florida	6,271

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Missouri	6,102
26	Utah	6,062
27	Wisconsin	5,991
28	Kansas	5,837
29	Alabama	5,774
30	New Jersey	5,766
31	Washington	5,764
32	Minnesota	5,695
33	Louisiana	5,564
34	West Virginia	5,542
35	Iowa	5,515
36	Arizona	5,350
37	Montana	5,248
38	Indiana	5,142
39	Michigan	5,097
40	Ohio	5,078
41	South Carolina	5,077
42	South Dakota	5,062
43	Virginia	4,911
44	Delaware	4,804
45	Oregon	4,788
46	Rhode Island	4,785
47	Pennsylvania	3,758
48	Colorado	3,529
49	Vermont	2,818
50	New Hampshire	2,591



Quick Stats

- Georgia's higher education appropriations per FTE student increased by 3.5 percent from FY 2014 to FY 2015.
- Georgia's higher education appropriations per FTE student in FY 2015 were 20.6 percent lower, adjusted for inflation, than in FY 2008.

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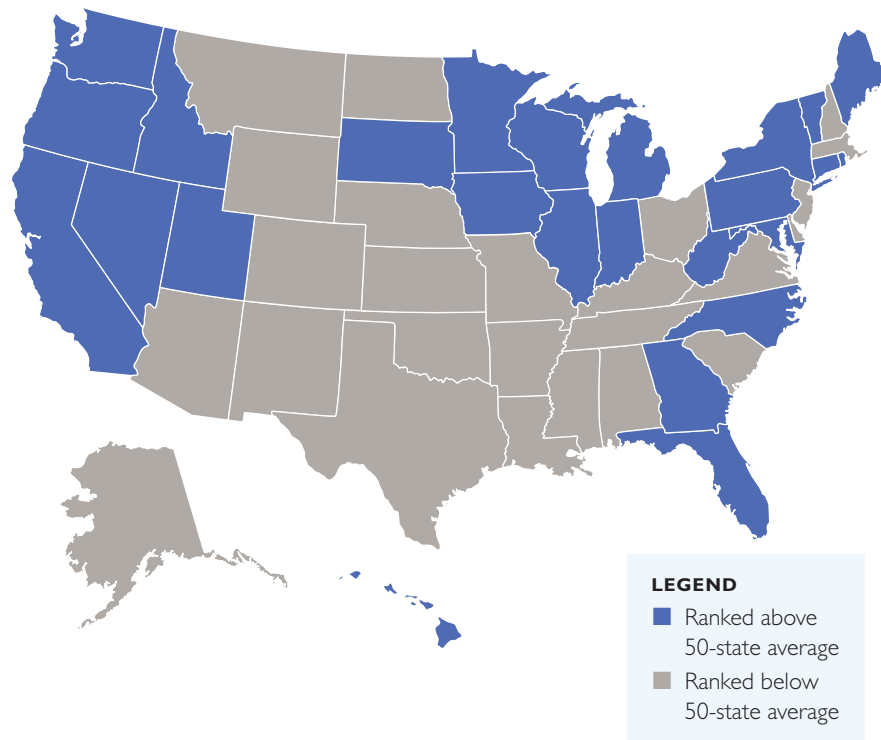
1. Educational appropriations are a measure of state and local support available for public higher education operating expenses, including from ARRA funds; excludes appropriations for independent institutions, financial aid for students attending independent institutions, research, hospitals and medical education.
2. Adjustment factors, to arrive at constant dollar figures, include Cost of Living Adjustment (COLA), Enrollment Mix Index (EMI), and Higher Education Cost Adjustment (HECA). The COLA is not a measure of inflation over time.

Source: State Higher Education Executive Officers, State Higher Education Finance FY 2015

34. State Motor Fuel Taxes, 2016

RANK	STATE	GAS (IN CENTS PER GALLON)	DIESEL (IN CENTS PER GALLON)
1	Pennsylvania	51.4	65.1
2	Washington	49.4	49.4
3	Hawaii	44	41.64
4	New York	43.07	41.85
5	Connecticut	38.3	41.7
6	California	38.19	38.69
7	Florida	36.58	33.77
8	North Carolina	34.25	34.25
9	Rhode Island	34	34
10	Nevada	33.52	28.56
11	Maryland	33.5	34.25
12	West Virginia	33.2	33.2
13	Idaho	33	32.9
14	Wisconsin	32.9	32.9
15	Illinois	32.73	34.64
16	Michigan	32.45	29.08
17	Indiana	32.13	40.44
18	Iowa	31.7	33.5
19	Georgia	31.17	34.82
20	Oregon	31.12	30.36
21	Vermont	30.46	32
22	Maine	30.01	31.21
23	South Dakota	30	30
24	Utah	29.41	29.41
25	Minnesota	28.6	28.6

RANK	STATE	GAS (IN CENTS PER GALLON)	DIESEL (IN CENTS PER GALLON)
►	50-State Average	28.26	28.87
26	Ohio	28.01	28.01
27	Montana	27.75	28.5
28	Nebraska	26.7	26.1
29	Massachusetts	26.54	26.54
30	Kentucky	26	23
31	Kansas	24.03	26.03
32	Wyoming	24	24
33	New Hampshire	23.83	23.83
34	North Dakota	23	23
35	Delaware	23	22
36	Alabama	22.99	21.89
37	Virginia	22.39	26.08
38	Colorado	22	20.5
39	Arkansas	21.8	22.8
40	Tennessee	21.4	18.4
41	Louisiana	20.01	20.01
42	Texas	20	20
43	Arizona	19	27
44	New Mexico	18.88	22.88
45	Mississippi	18.79	18.4
46	Missouri	17.3	17.3
47	Oklahoma	17	14
48	South Carolina	16.75	16.75
49	New Jersey	14.5	17.5
50	Alaska	12.25	12.75



Quick Stats

- The federal gasoline tax, collected in all states in addition to the amounts at left, is 18.4 cents per gallon; the federal tax per gallon of diesel is 24.4 cents.

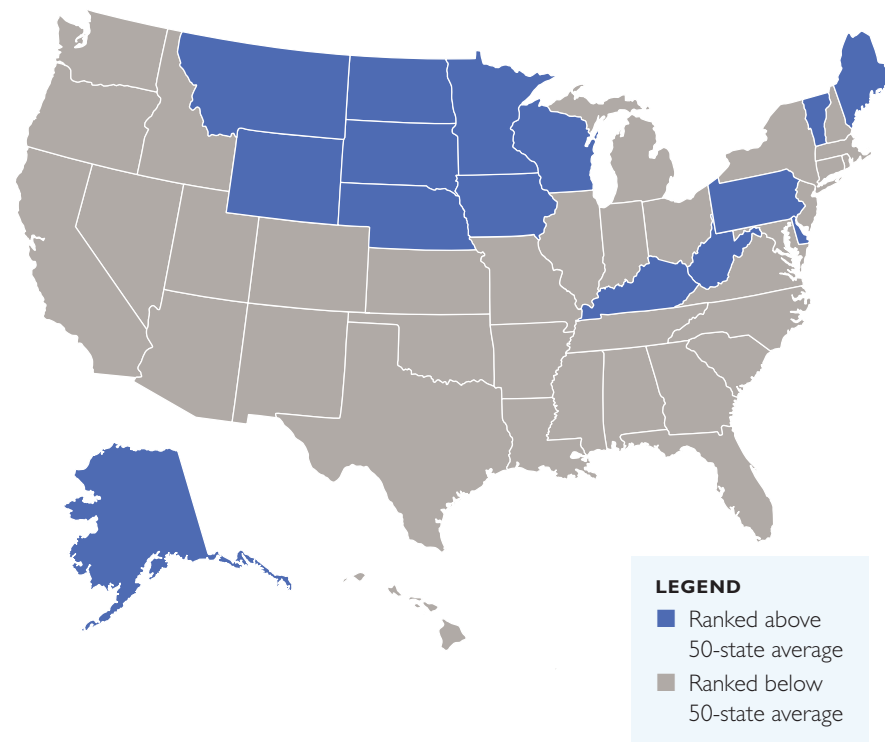
Note: Rankings are based on gas tax.

Source: American Petroleum Institute (October 2016)

35. Per Capita State & Local Road Expenditures, FY 2014

RANK	STATE	IN \$
1	North Dakota	2,264
2	Alaska	2,140
3	Wyoming	1,212
4	Vermont	1,115
5	South Dakota	1,100
6	Montana	932
7	Iowa	781
8	Minnesota	761
9	Wisconsin	718
10	Delaware	718
11	Nebraska	672
12	Pennsylvania	665
13	Maine	658
14	West Virginia	658
15	Kentucky	633
►	50-State Average	630
16	Kansas	613
17	Oklahoma	612
18	Illinois	595
19	New Hampshire	578
20	Washington	575
21	Arkansas	551
22	Idaho	546
23	Virginia	531
24	New York	531

RANK	STATE	IN \$
25	Mississippi	529
26	New Jersey	528
27	New Mexico	524
28	Maryland	519
29	Colorado	514
30	Hawaii	505
31	Connecticut	476
32	Louisiana	470
33	Texas	469
34	Ohio	467
35	California	465
36	Alabama	464
37	Oregon	457
38	Florida	455
39	Massachusetts	453
40	Rhode Island	426
41	North Carolina	416
42	Missouri	406
43	Nevada	396
44	Indiana	381
45	Tennessee	374
46	Utah	364
47	Georgia	345
48	Michigan	344
49	South Carolina	314
50	Arizona	289



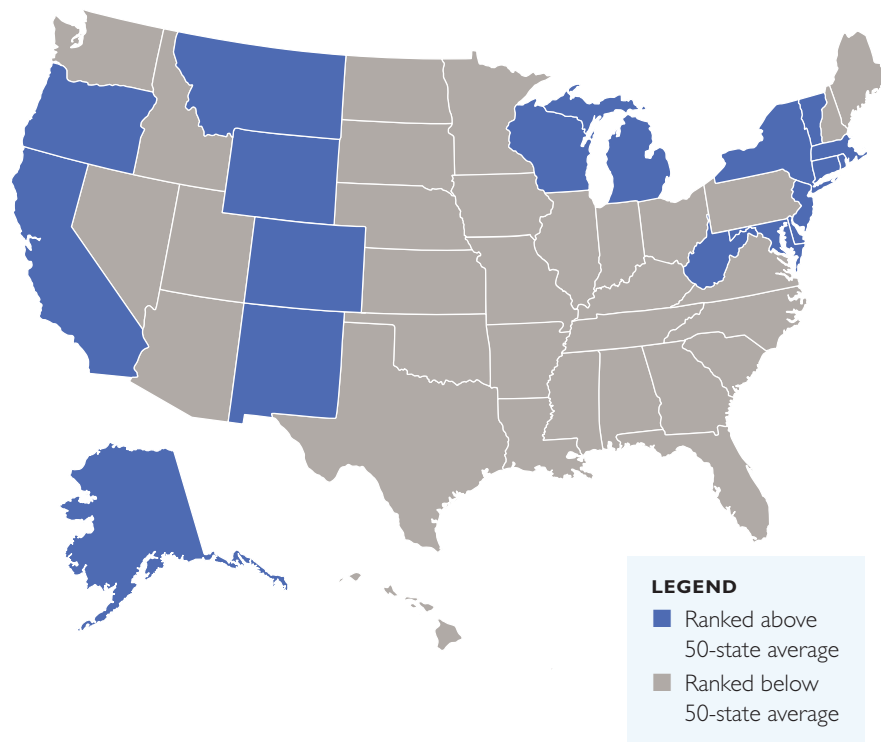
Quick Stats

- Georgia per capita highway expenditures grew by 2.6 percent in FY 2014.
- The 50-state average for per capita road expenditures increased by \$18 or 2.9 percent.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances; and U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Population Estimates

36. Per Capita State Corrections Expenditures, FY 2014

RANK	STATE	IN \$	RANK	STATE	IN \$
1	Alaska	457	25	Virginia	146
2	Delaware	314	26	South Dakota	145
3	Wyoming	246	27	Georgia	142
4	Maryland	236	28	Washington	138
5	California	228	29	Texas	136
6	Vermont	223	30	Arkansas	132
7	New Mexico	211	31	Missouri	130
8	Montana	194	32	North Dakota	120
9	Connecticut	193	33	North Carolina	119
10	Michigan	186	34	Ohio	118
11	Massachusetts	179	35	Louisiana	116
12	Wisconsin	179	36	Kentucky	114
13	Rhode Island	177	37	Florida	110
14	Oregon	168	38	Utah	110
15	West Virginia	164	39	Illinois	110
16	New York	157	40	Tennessee	109
17	Colorado	156	41	Mississippi	108
18	New Jersey	154	42	Kansas	106
►	50-State Average	154	43	Alabama	105
19	Arizona	153	44	South Carolina	104
20	Hawaii	153	45	Maine	96
21	Idaho	153	46	Indiana	96
22	Nebraska	150	47	Iowa	95
23	Oklahoma	150	48	Nevada	94
24	Pennsylvania	150	49	Minnesota	88
			50	New Hampshire	74



Quick Stats

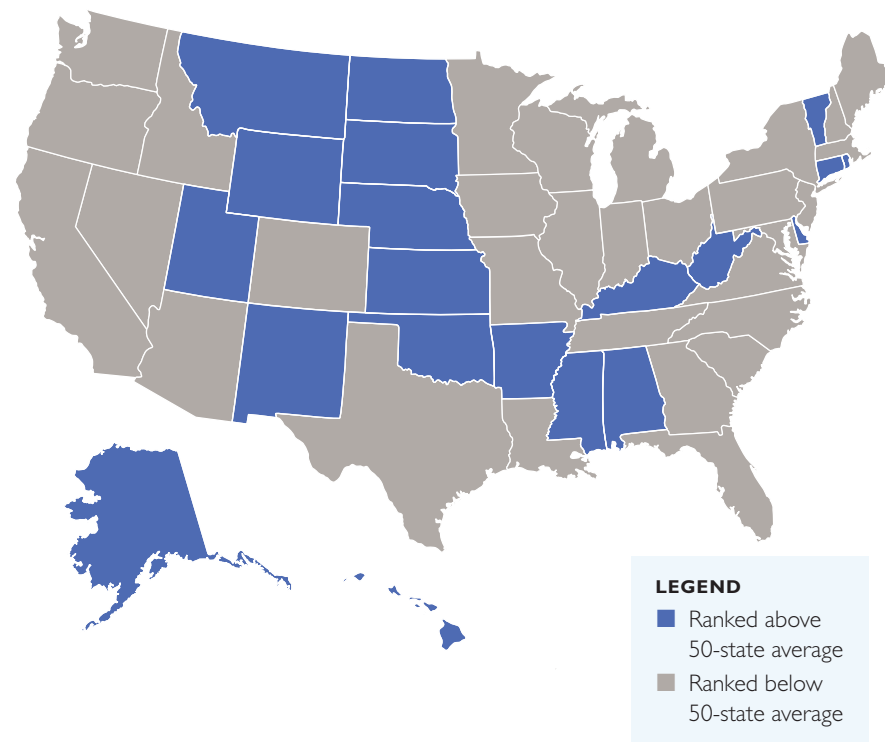
- Georgia's state correctional expenditures decreased by \$3 per capita, or 2.1 percent from FY 2013 to FY 2014.
- Georgia's total adult correctional population fell by about 7.0 percent in the year ended December 2014.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, *Annual Surveys of State and Local Government Finances*; U.S. Census Bureau, *Annual Population Estimates*; and U.S. Department of Justice, *Bureau of Justice Statistics, Correctional Populations in the United States, 2014*

37. State Government Workers per 100 Persons, 2014

RANK	STATE	FTE PER 100 PERSONS
1	Hawaii	4.1
2	Alaska	3.7
3	Delaware	2.8
4	North Dakota	2.5
5	Vermont	2.3
6	Wyoming	2.3
7	New Mexico	2.2
8	West Virginia	2.2
9	Arkansas	2.1
10	Montana	2.0
11	Mississippi	1.9
12	Kentucky	1.9
13	Utah	1.8
14	Alabama	1.8
15	Rhode Island	1.8
16	Connecticut	1.8
17	Oklahoma	1.7
18	South Dakota	1.7
19	Nebraska	1.7
20	Kansas	1.7
►	50-State Average	1.7
21	Washington	1.7
22	Oregon	1.7
23	Louisiana	1.6
24	South Carolina	1.6

RANK	STATE	FTE PER 100 PERSONS
25	New Jersey	1.6
26	Iowa	1.6
27	Maine	1.6
28	Virginia	1.5
29	Minnesota	1.5
30	Colorado	1.5
31	Massachusetts	1.5
32	North Carolina	1.5
33	Idaho	1.5
34	Missouri	1.5
35	Maryland	1.5
36	Michigan	1.4
37	New Hampshire	1.4
38	Indiana	1.3
39	Georgia	1.3
40	Wisconsin	1.3
41	Pennsylvania	1.3
42	New York	1.2
43	Tennessee	1.2
44	Ohio	1.2
45	Arizona	1.2
46	Texas	1.2
47	California	1.0
48	Nevada	1.0
49	Illinois	1.0
50	Florida	0.9



Quick Stats

- In 2014, Georgia had 131,355 FTE state government employees.

Notes:

1. Full-time equivalent (FTE) is a computed statistic representing the number of full-time employees that could have been employed if the reported number of hours worked by part-time employees had been worked by full-time employees. This statistic is calculated by dividing the "part-time hours paid" by the standard number of hours for full-time employees and then adding the resulting quotient to the number of full-time employees.
2. FTE per 100 persons is calculated as state government FTE divided by state population in hundreds of persons.

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, 2014 Annual Survey of Public Employment and Payroll and U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Population Estimates

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