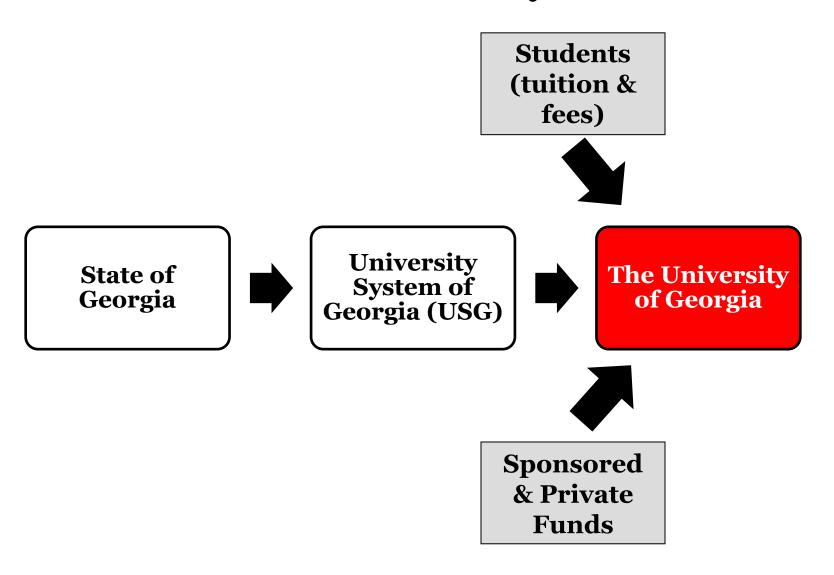
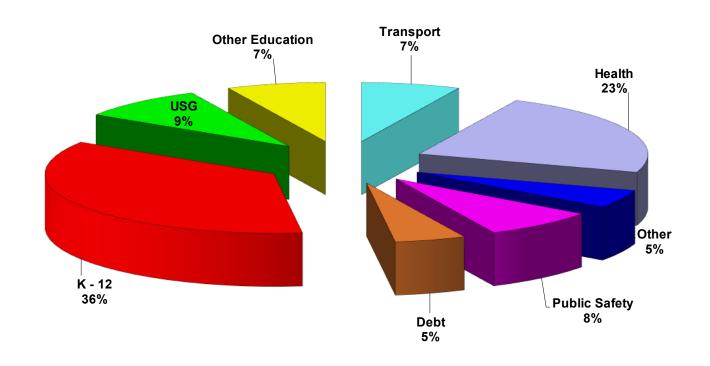
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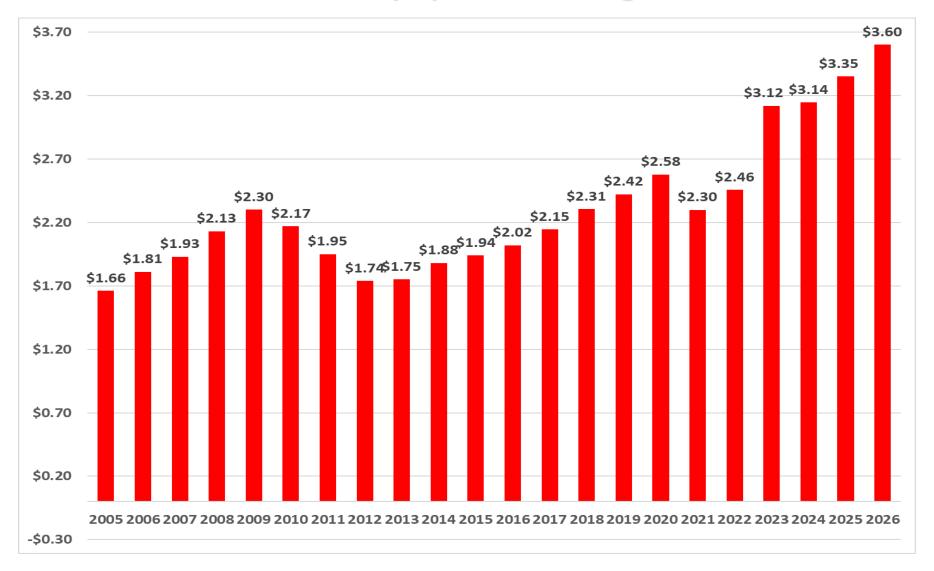
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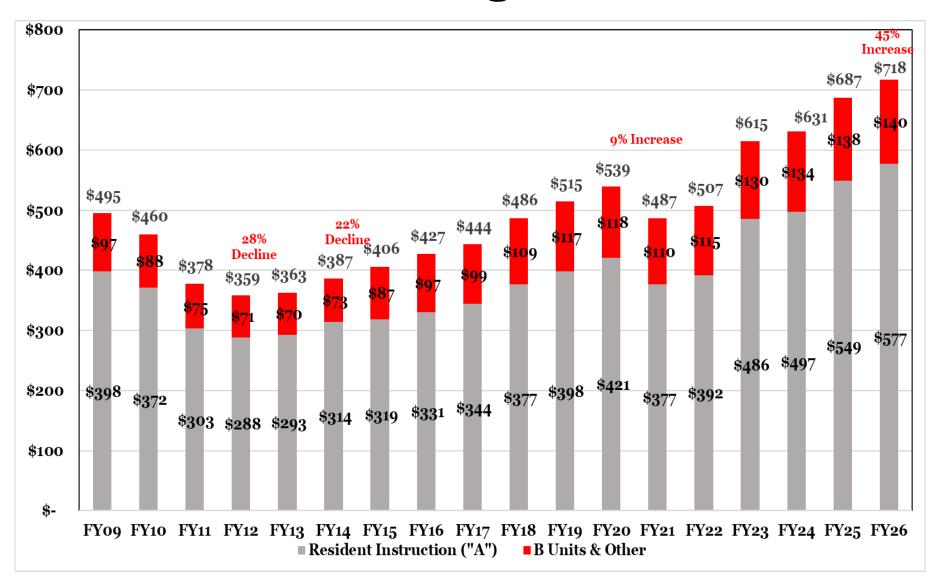
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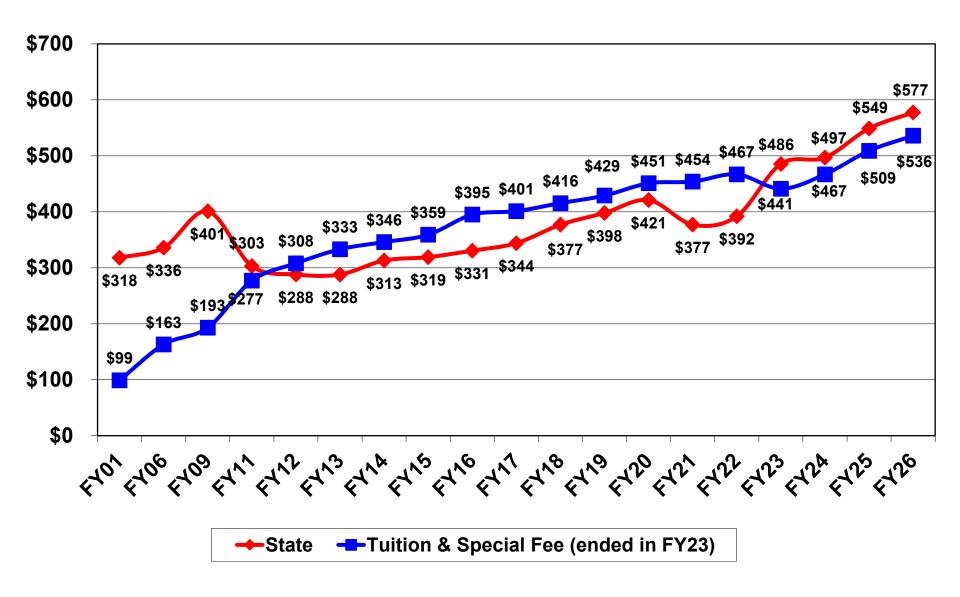
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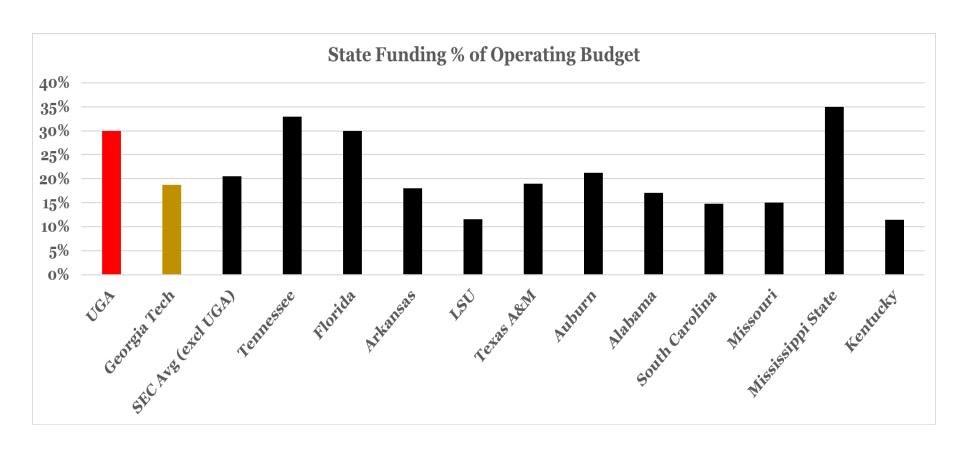
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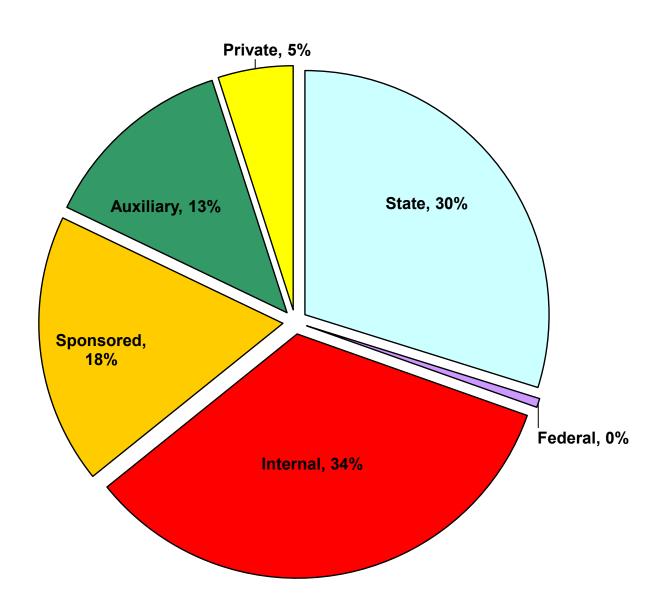
UGA General Fund Sources (in millions)



State Funding Comparison



UGA – FY 2026 Revenue Sources



Sources of Funds

Education & General (E&G) or Resident Instruction (RI) Funds:

- State Appropriations, Tuition and Fees

Departmental Sales & Service (DSS) Funds:

- Revenue directly related to a service provided to other UGA units or external clients

Indirect Cost Recovery (IDC) Funds:

- Funds allocated to UGA representing a percentage of direct costs charged to federal, state, and other grants and contracts for administrative expenses

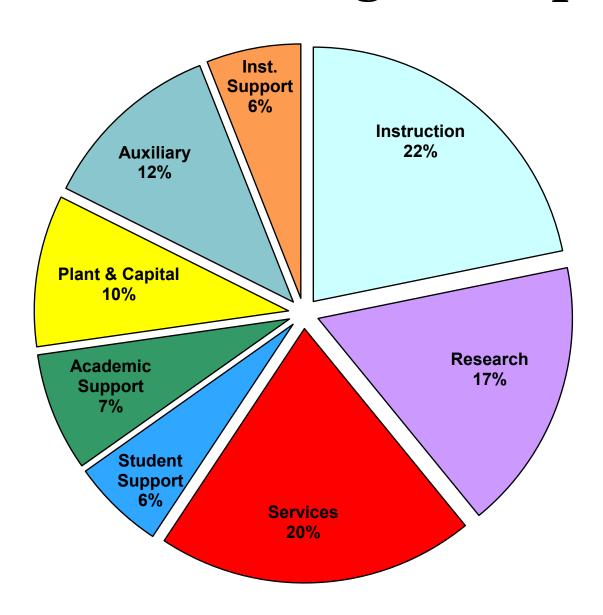
Restricted & Sponsored Funds:

- To include sponsored and non-sponsored, UGA foundation, UGA research foundation and endowments

Auxiliary Funds:

- Revenue directly related to business operations provided to students, faculty, and staff

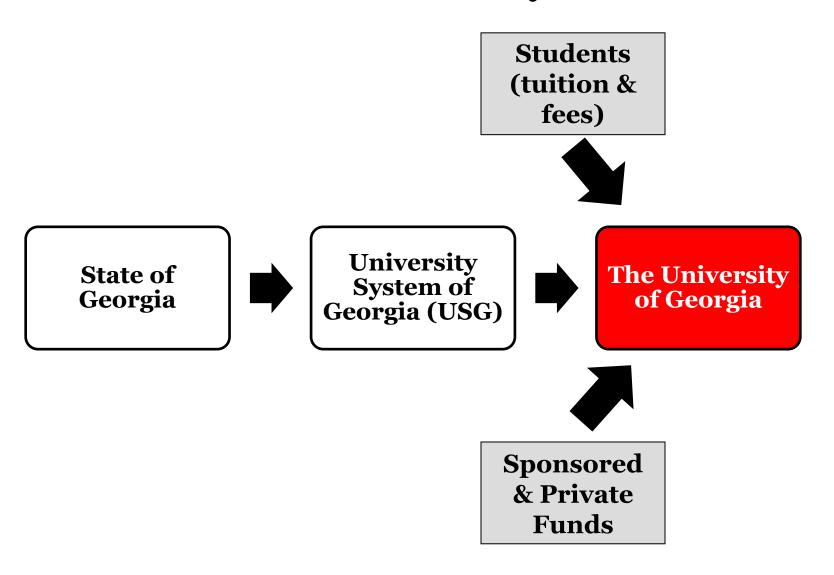
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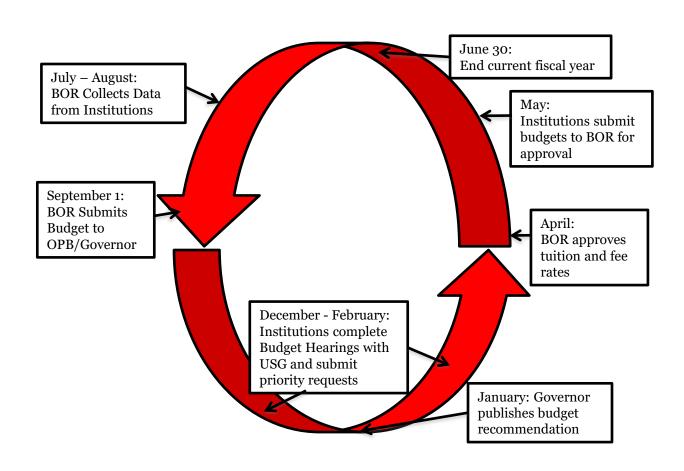
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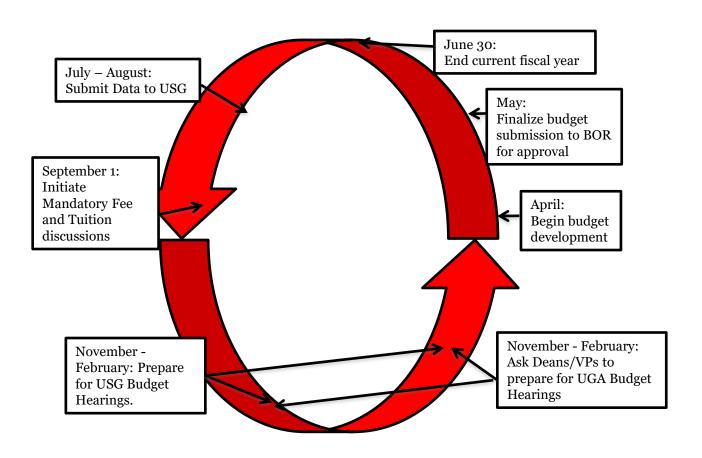
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Annual Budget Cycle – Board of Regents and State Perspective



Annual Budget Cycle – UGA Perspective



Where Does the Money Go?





Deans and Vice Presidents



Departments, Units, Institutes and Centers

What is my Responsibility when it comes to the budget?



Fiscal Responsibilities?

- **Establish Priorities:**
 - Unit's Strategic goals
- Understand your Funds:
 - Allowable uses of funds
 - Timing
 - How to maximize
- **>** Budget:
 - Have a plan



The Budget

- Personnel
 - Administrator, Faculty, Staff, Graduate Student, Student Worker
- Benefits...maybe
 - Benefits for salaries on State, Cost Share and IDC funds are paid centrally by UGA.
 - Benefits for salaries on DSS, Sponsored and Auxiliary are paid by the fund (must budget benefits)
- > Travel
- Operating
- Equipment

Ways to Maximize Budget – Increase Credit Hours

Earnings per credit hour	
Undergraduate	
Tenure/Tenure-Track	275
FT Instructor/Lecturer/Clinical	200
Graduate Teaching Assistants	175
PT faculty/Other	150
Graduate/Professional	300
Additional earnings per summer credit hour	
Undergraduate	25

- Based on course prefix
- ✓ 3-year rolling average
- ✓ Maximum \$300

Ways to Maximize Budget – Increase Indirect Cost Return

The University expects the full recovery of facilities and administrative costs be included in all proposals submitted to prospective sponsors.

Direct Costs

Pays for actual project



Indirect Costs

Reimburses UGA for costs of supporting project



Note: How funds are distributed at the school/college level vary

Ways to Maximize Budget – Travel Support

- > Travel Support for faculty, graduate students, and postdoctoral researchers
 - Presentation of research or scholarship at an academic conference
 - One award per faculty per fiscal year
 - Matching support required for faculty and postdoctoral

Faculty: Provost International Travel through OGE

Post Docs: VP for Research Postdoctoral Scholar Travel

Graduate: Graduate Research Travel funds

Resources Available to You

- Your School/College/Unit CBO
 - Budgeting
 - Human Resources (Hiring, Recruitment, Salary Administration)
 - Purchasing
- **➢ OIR Data Reports**
 - oir.uga.edu
- > UGA Professional Education Program (PEP)
 - hr.uga.edu/pep

Questions?

