

HIGHER PENSION ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Date of Retirement	Contributions on higher wages by employee and employer	Option exercised or Not	Acceptance by EPFO	Eligibility for pension on higher wages
Before 1-9-2014	Not paid	Never opted	-	Not eligible
Before 1-9-2014	Paid	Never opted	-	Not eligible
Before 1-9-2014	Paid	Exercised option before 1-9-2014	Rejected/not responded by EPFO	Eligible
Retired between 1-9-2014 and 4-11-2022	Paid	Never opted	Option can be given within 4 months. (before 4-3-2023)	Eligible
Retired between 1-9-2014 and 4-11-2022	Paid	Exercised option between 1-9-2014 and 4-11-2022	Rejected/not responded by EPFO	Eligible
Retired between 1-9-2014 and 4-11-2022	Not paid	Never opted		Not eligible
Joined before 1-9-2014 and continue in service	Paid	Never opted	Option can be given within 4 months. (Before 4-3-2023)	Eligible
Joined before 1-9-2014 and continue in service	Paid	Exercised option between 1-9-2014 and 4-11-2022	Rejected/not responded by EPFO	Eligible
Joined before 1-9-2014 and continue in service	Not paid	Never opted	-	Not eligible
Joined on or after 1-9-2014	Not eligible for EPS membership	No option	-	Not eligible