

The Economic Cost of the Pandemic

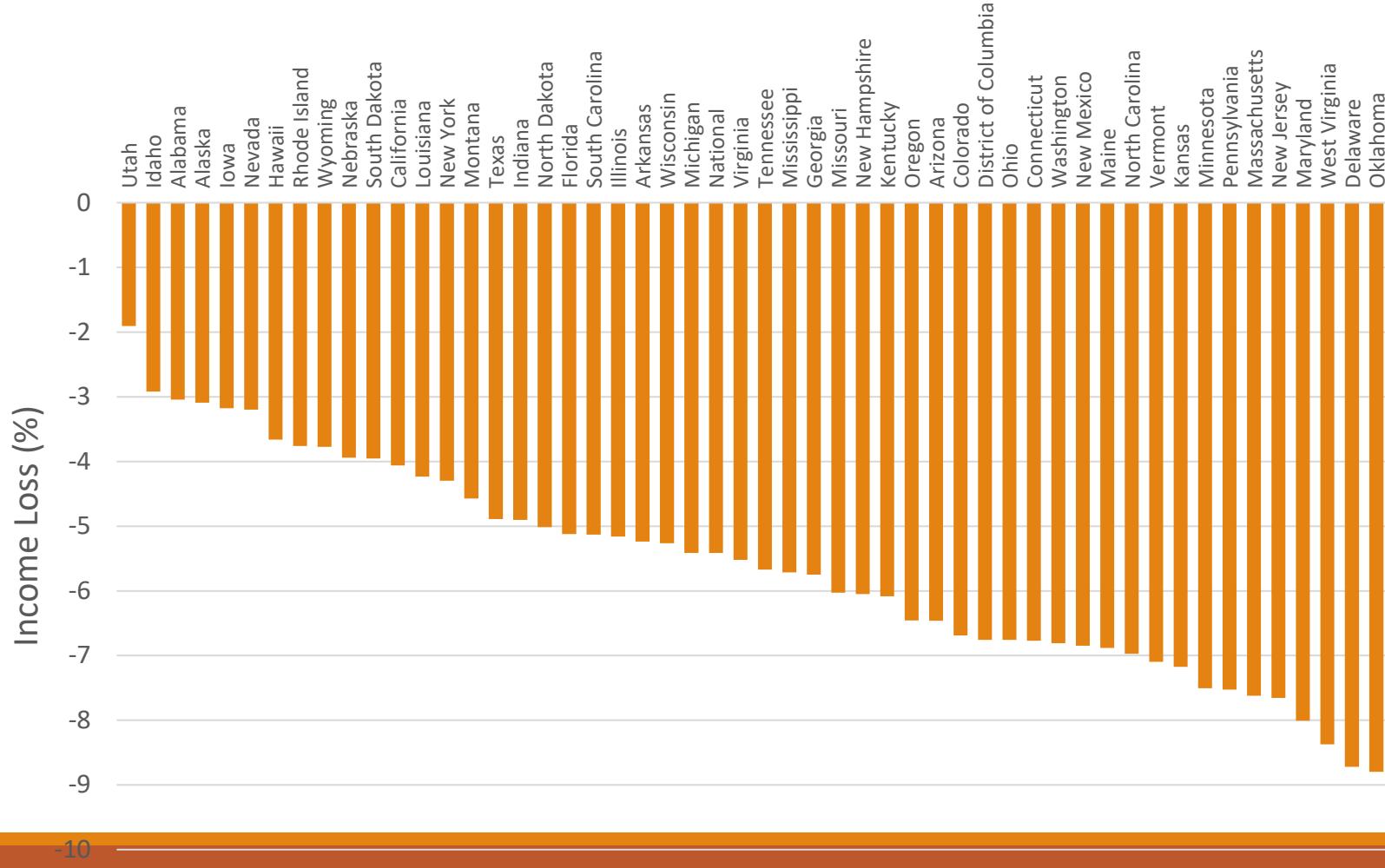
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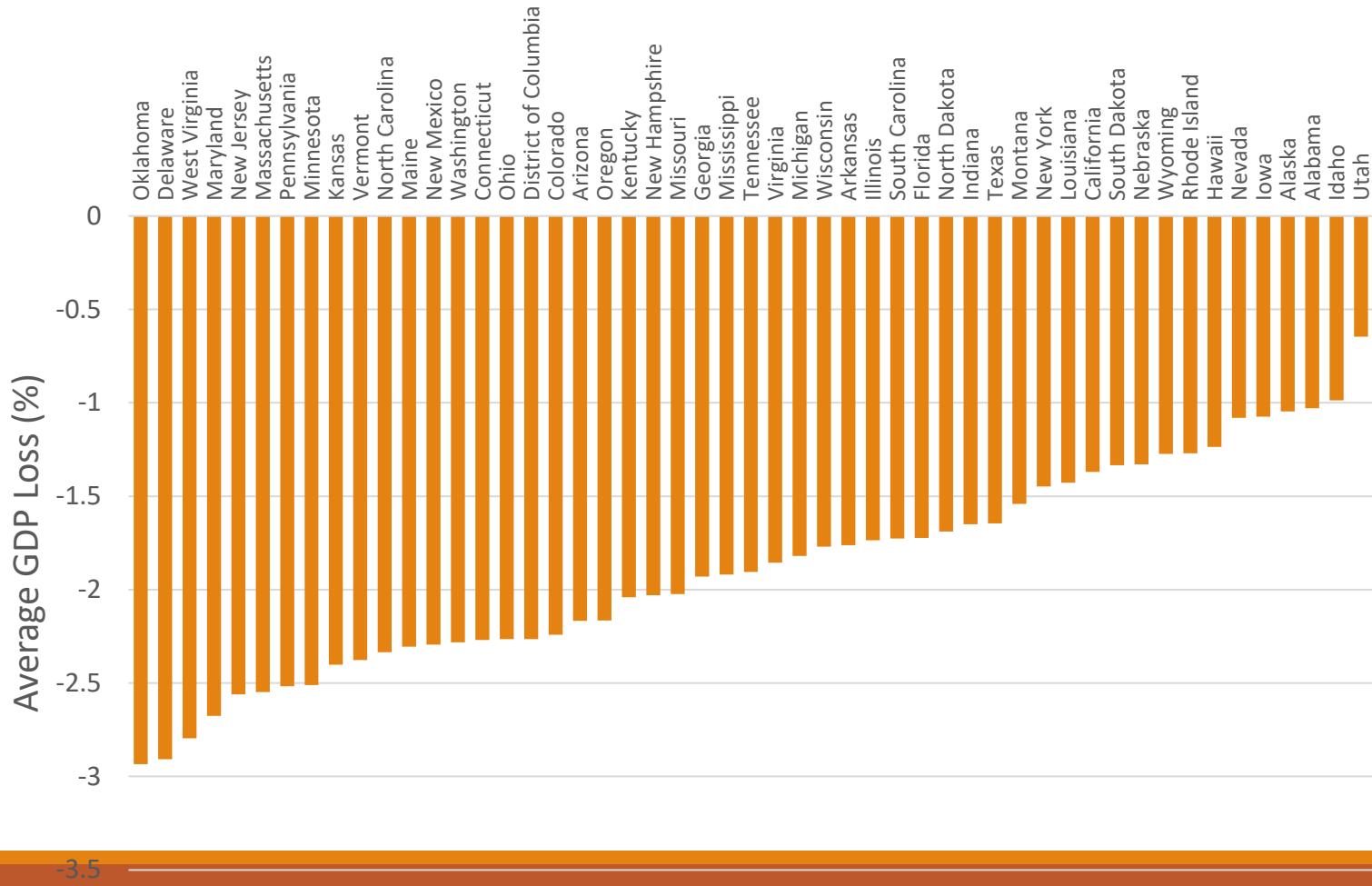
The aggregate impacts of learning losses are stunning.

1. Individuals in COVID-cohort lose on average 5.6 percent
 - Larger for disadvantaged
2. National loss is \$28 trillion
3. Losses are permanent unless schools get *better*

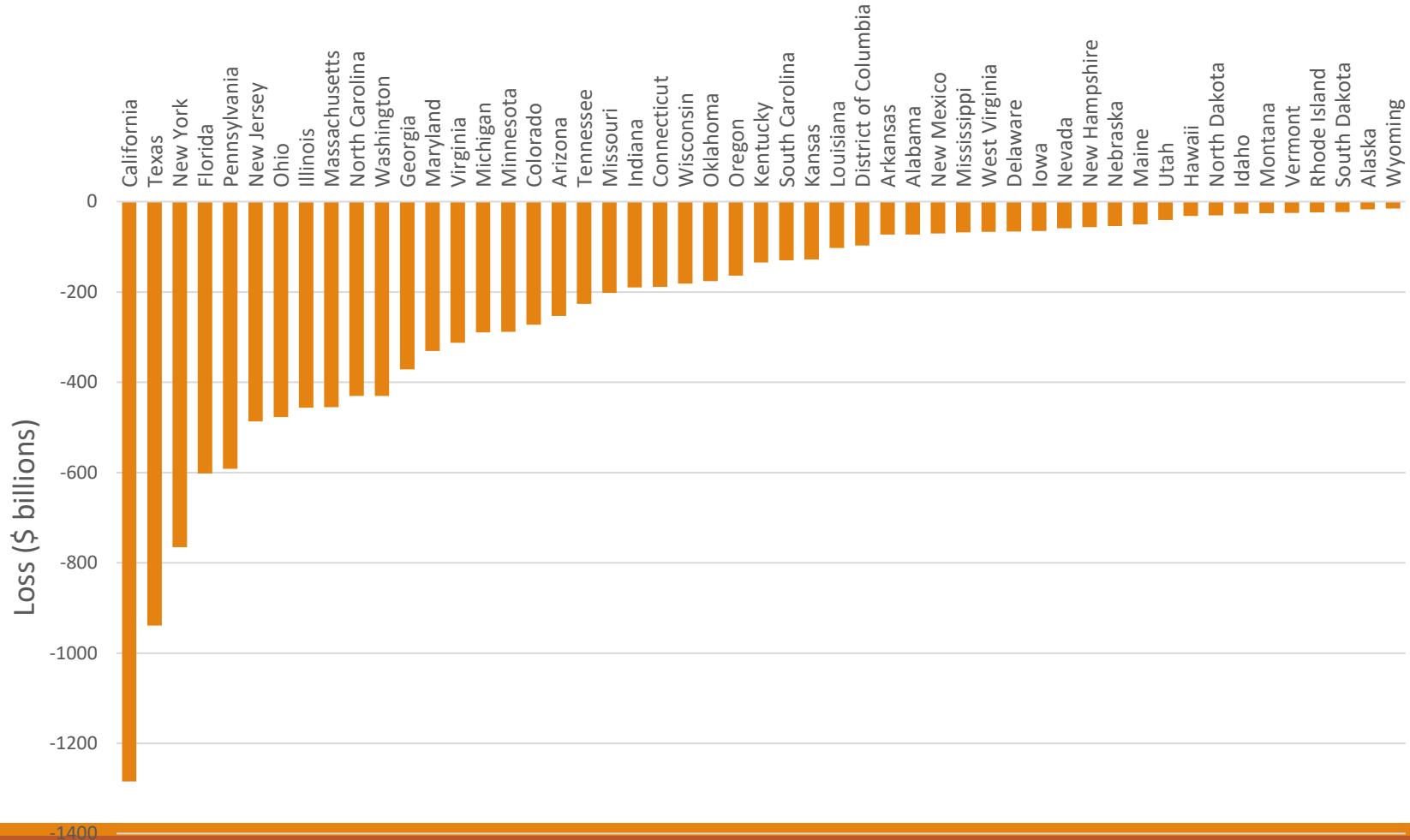
The COVID-cohort has been significantly harmed by the pandemic – more in some states than others.



States will face lower economic activity.



The pandemic losses over the century are staggering.



Thank You!

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