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**Table 1.****Number of people receiving Social Security, Supplemental Security Income (SSI), or both, September 2020  
(in thousands)**

Type of beneficiary	Total	Social Security only	SSI only	Both Social Security and SSI
All beneficiaries	69,716	61,664	5,373	2,679
Aged 65 or older	50,504	48,201	1,007	1,297
Disabled, under age 65 <sup>a</sup>	13,281	7,532	4,367	1,382
Other <sup>b</sup>	5,931	5,931	...	...

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Master Beneficiary Record and Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data.

NOTES: Social Security beneficiaries who are entitled to a primary and a secondary benefit (dual entitlement) are counted only once in this table. SSI counts include recipients of federal SSI, federally administered state supplementation, or both.

... = not applicable.

a. Includes children receiving SSI based on their own disability.

b. Social Security beneficiaries who are neither aged nor disabled (for example, early retirees, young survivors).

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**Table 2.**  
**Social Security benefits, September 2020**

Type of beneficiary	Beneficiaries		Total monthly benefits (millions of dollars)	Average monthly benefit (dollars)
	Number (thousands)	Percent		
Total	64,750	100.0	90,531	1,398.15
Old-Age and Survivors Insurance	55,018	85.0	79,569	1,446.22
Retirement benefits	49,153	75.9	72,378	1,472.50
Retired workers	46,094	71.2	70,020	1,519.07
Spouses of retired workers	2,361	3.6	1,857	786.46
Children of retired workers	698	1.1	501	717.52
Survivor benefits	5,865	9.1	7,191	1,225.96
Children of deceased workers	1,910	3.0	1,727	903.79
Widowed mothers and fathers	113	0.2	118	1,043.58
Nondisabled widow(er)s	3,601	5.6	5,162	1,433.69
Disabled widow(er)s	240	0.4	183	760.30
Parents of deceased workers	1	(L)	1	1,277.64
Disability Insurance	9,732	15.0	10,962	1,126.41
Disabled workers	8,248	12.7	10,386	1,259.12
Spouses of disabled workers	107	0.2	38	357.57
Children of disabled workers	1,377	2.1	538	390.96

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Beneficiary Record, 100 percent data.

NOTE: (L) = less than 0.05 percent.

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**Table 3.**  
**Supplemental Security Income recipients, September 2020**

Age	Recipients		Total payments <sup>a</sup> (millions of dollars)	Average monthly payment <sup>b</sup> (dollars)
	Number (thousands)	Percent		
All recipients	8,052	100.0	4,886	576.38
Under 18	1,130	14.0	803	676.97
18–64	4,619	57.4	3,001	605.88
65 or older	2,303	28.6	1,083	468.11

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data.

a. Includes retroactive payments.

b. Excludes retroactive payments.

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