

Table 6.A1—Number, by type of benefit, 1940–2003

Year	All benefits	Retired workers	Disabled workers	Wives and husbands of—		Children of—			Widowed mothers and fathers	Widow(ers)	Parents	Special age-72 beneficiaries
				Retired workers	Disabled workers	Retired workers	Deceased workers	Disabled workers				
Total	189,931,568	78,150,063	20,600,466	18,185,339	3,742,026	7,132,095	20,939,516	14,645,383	4,782,557	20,372,678	114,011	1,267,434
1940	254,984	132,335	...	34,555	...	8,249	51,133	...	23,260	4,600	852	...
1941	269,286	114,660	...	36,213	...	6,031	69,588	...	30,502	11,020	1,272	...
1942	258,116	99,622	...	33,250	...	4,859	72,525	...	31,820	14,774	1,266	...
1943	262,865	89,070	...	31,916	...	3,652	81,967	...	35,420	19,576	1,264	...
1944	318,949	110,097	...	40,349	...	4,350	95,326	...	42,649	24,759	1,419	...
1945	462,463	185,174	...	63,068	...	7,215	120,299	...	55,108	29,844	1,755	...
1946	547,150	258,980	...	88,515	...	10,736	104,139	...	44,190	38,823	1,767	...
1947	572,909	271,488	...	94,189	...	12,446	103,308	...	42,807	45,249	3,422	...
1948	596,201	275,903	...	98,554	...	12,604	106,351	...	44,276	55,667	2,846	...
1949	682,241	337,273	...	117,356	...	15,854	103,068	...	43,087	62,928	2,675	...
1950	962,628	567,131	...	162,768	...	25,495	97,146	...	41,101	66,735	2,252	...
1951	1,336,432	702,984	...	228,887	...	40,958	189,542	...	78,323	89,591	6,147	...
1952	1,053,303	531,206	...	177,707	...	24,695	158,650	...	64,875	92,302	3,868	...
1953	1,419,462	771,671	...	246,856	...	33,868	178,310	...	71,945	112,866	3,946	...
1954	1,401,733	749,911	...	236,764	...	35,938	176,858	...	70,775	128,026	3,461	...
1955	1,657,773	909,883	...	288,915	...	40,402	198,393	...	76,018	140,624	3,538	...
1956	1,855,296	934,033	...	384,562	...	37,900	173,883	...	67,475	253,524	3,919	...
1957	2,832,344	1,424,975	178,802	578,012	...	81,842	231,321	...	88,174	244,633	4,585	...
1958 ^a	2,123,465	1,041,668	131,382	366,553	12,920	63,408	205,110	18,264	81,467	199,320	3,373	...
1959 ^b	2,501,802	1,089,740	177,811	390,517	54,299	83,157	265,123	78,655	102,020	252,683	7,797	...
1960	2,336,144	981,717	207,805	339,987	54,187	69,979	241,430	104,310	92,607	239,267	4,855	...
1961	3,046,653	1,361,505	279,758	394,198	77,588	126,019	264,440	189,283	98,449	251,275	4,138	...
1962	3,004,501	1,347,268	250,634	393,857	69,212	135,984	266,286	170,354	99,925	267,051	3,930	...
1963	2,729,559	1,145,602	223,739	345,610	66,543	115,220	281,511	163,967	104,960	278,709	3,698	...
1964	2,552,063	1,041,807	207,592	316,262	59,706	100,051	288,304	145,439	106,249	283,263	3,390	...
1965	3,072,426	1,183,133	253,499	321,015	69,183	134,187	451,399	197,616	100,005	359,431	2,958	...
1966	4,722,483	1,647,524	278,345	396,856	81,238	195,055	584,901	276,093	107,135	403,595	3,202	748,539
1967	3,596,770	1,161,130	301,359	319,503	87,296	167,676	534,568	282,662	110,762	355,589	2,658	273,567
1968	3,619,927	1,240,098	323,154	329,935	89,603	172,460	593,331	299,016	113,765	375,391	2,144	81,030
1969	3,699,633	1,272,784	344,741	335,723	94,690	176,162	622,109	313,629	116,922	375,753	2,093	45,027
1970	3,722,433	1,338,107	350,384	339,447	96,304	182,595	591,724	316,546	112,377	363,216	1,852	29,881
1971	3,965,157	1,391,403	415,897	338,219	113,222	196,589	613,193	372,224	116,548	381,262	1,635	24,965
1972	4,202,607	1,461,399	455,438	353,742	124,366	209,422	643,513	411,766	117,699	402,809	2,086	20,367
1973	4,220,493	1,493,194	491,616	349,493	128,198	217,708	618,825	413,751	118,775	372,167	1,655	15,111
1974	4,100,809	1,413,145	535,977	319,149	132,042	201,684	574,174	443,909	109,221	363,693	1,155	6,660
1975	4,427,138	1,505,750	592,049	350,558	148,741	225,579	591,118	515,216	116,224	377,246	969	3,688
1976	4,351,654	1,475,773	551,460	346,623	147,407	236,805	578,905	511,487	113,520	385,373	914	3,387
1977	4,610,730	1,593,631	568,874	390,874	151,938	259,447	587,589	518,477	118,821	416,735	870	3,474
1978	4,166,571	1,472,786	464,415	346,956	130,161	214,284	566,992	453,382	110,015	403,679	844	3,057
1979	4,229,286	1,590,854	416,713	358,163	113,243	247,800	544,549	399,172	110,424	445,555	788	2,025
1980	4,214,567	1,612,669	396,559	360,693	108,500	248,658	540,246	385,208	107,809	452,156	724	1,345
1981	4,029,827	1,578,990	351,847	338,540	95,575	211,406	535,487	339,654	99,653	477,121	606	948
1982	3,840,579	1,618,411	297,131	349,967	77,835	182,849	473,396	260,470	86,786	492,451	498	785
1983	3,755,994	1,669,738	311,549	356,274	80,079	144,945	380,992	226,895	82,464	501,688	431	939
1984	3,690,103	1,607,370	361,998	342,691	81,834	131,986	351,326	238,252	73,794	499,677	383	792
1985	3,796,394	1,690,490	377,371	356,558	83,511	128,076	332,531	253,025	72,241	501,673	381	537
1986	3,853,454	1,734,248	416,865	358,115	82,435	122,652	319,808	258,167	69,340	491,052	344	428
1987	3,733,853	1,681,716	415,848	333,333	77,316	117,984	310,573	256,742	64,777	475,035	286	243
1988	3,680,969	1,654,068	409,490	316,929	73,790	116,659	324,346	265,026	62,676	457,574	263	148
1989	3,646,349	1,656,744	425,582	310,498	69,113	106,491	307,484	261,387	59,525	449,139	281	105
1990	3,716,924	1,664,754	467,977	308,980	69,667	108,105	303,616	283,586	58,060	451,862	233	84
1991	3,865,426	1,695,346	536,434	307,000	72,754	107,261	301,459	318,188	57,896	468,788	246	54
1992	4,050,849	1,707,949	636,637	304,764	78,083	108,686	304,300	381,585	56,402	472,078	298	67
1993	4,001,201	1,661,281	635,238	290,728	74,605	106,566	311,290	398,598	56,408	466,198	238	51
1994	3,940,342	1,625,347	631,870	275,025	69,549	102,983	310,051	411,205	54,732	459,340	213	27

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6.A OASDI Benefits Awarded: Summary

Table 6.A1—Number, by type of benefit, 1940–2003—Continued

Year	All benefits	Retired workers	Disabled workers	Wives and husbands of—		Children of—			Widowed mothers and fathers	Widow(er)s	Parents	Special age-72 beneficiaries
				Retired workers	Disabled workers	Retired workers	Deceased workers	Disabled workers				
1995	3,882,193	1,609,174	645,832	258,740	63,097	101,239	306,044	401,295	51,645	444,899	200	28
1996	3,793,238	1,581,452	624,335	244,014	57,528	98,655	302,480	397,350	49,150	438,081	177	16
1997	3,865,966	1,718,623	587,417	268,012	50,818	97,594	297,204	362,548	43,504	440,076	157	13
1998	3,800,259	1,631,511	608,131	263,668	47,550	96,893	294,851	371,426	42,395	443,669	152	13
1999	3,917,099	1,690,024	620,488	275,568	46,164	99,826	295,196	378,144	41,756	469,806	118	9
2000	4,290,080	1,960,649	621,650	341,503	43,941	115,358	297,686	363,632	40,491	505,021	135	14
2001	4,161,971	1,779,228	691,309	314,547	43,412	110,680	302,445	383,049	41,323	495,848	129	1
2002	4,335,714	1,812,551	750,003	317,685	45,600	116,186	310,395	419,780	40,829	522,537	139	9
2003	4,321,778	1,791,316	777,461	305,831	47,183	111,992	305,409	434,953	39,206	508,306	121	0

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

NOTES: Benefits not necessarily payable at time of award.

... = not applicable.

- a. January–November.
- b. Includes December 1958.

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Table 6.A2—Average primary insurance amount for retired workers and average monthly benefit for retired and disabled workers, and nondisabled widows, by type of benefit and sex, selected years 1940–2003 (in dollars)

Year ^a	Average primary insurance amount for retired workers (dollars)			Average monthly benefit (dollars)						
	All	Men	Women	Retired workers			Disabled workers			Non-disabled widows
				All	Men	Women	All	Men	Women	
1940	22.71	23.26	18.38	22.71	23.26	18.38	...	...	...	20.36
1945	25.11	25.71	19.99	25.11	25.71	19.99	...	...	...	20.17
1950 (Jan.–Aug.)	29.03	30.16	22.98	29.03	30.16	22.98	...	...	...	21.65
1950 (Sept.–Dec.)	33.24	35.32	26.85	33.24	35.32	26.85	...	...	...	36.89
1955	69.74	75.86	56.05	69.74	75.86	56.05	...	...	...	49.68
1960	83.87	92.03	69.23	81.73	92.03	63.26	91.16	94.02	78.91	62.12
1965 (Jan.–Aug.)	88.57	96.56	74.99	82.69	90.89	68.78	93.26	97.89	80.27	73.81
1965 (Sept.–Dec.)	99.36	108.79	82.34	89.20	99.90	71.26	101.30	106.51	86.75	75.37
1970	133.94	146.99	113.69	123.82	136.80	103.67	139.79	148.39	115.74	106.95
1975 (Jan.–May)	216.56	242.76	176.76	196.42	220.35	160.50	220.60	241.48	175.27	185.34
1975 (June–Dec.)	235.13	264.67	191.56	213.68	241.05	173.31	243.47	266.08	192.13	198.88
1980 (Jan.–May)	353.80	411.70	270.50	321.10	374.00	244.90	352.10	388.80	269.70	277.50
1980 (June–Dec.)	396.30	465.50	301.00	359.80	422.90	272.90	396.50	437.90	301.00	312.80
1981 (Jan.–May)	400.10	467.50	302.60	363.60	424.20	276.00	389.80	431.40	295.00	313.00
1981 (June–Dec.)	438.80	514.50	332.60	400.10	468.00	304.80	425.60	471.30	320.70	346.30
1982 (Jan.–May)	425.60	504.20	315.10	388.40	457.50	291.40	416.90	462.40	312.70	350.80
1982 (June–Dec.)	447.10	532.70	328.50	408.60	483.00	305.50	441.10	489.50	328.00	375.30
1983 (Jan.–Nov.)	448.00	531.60	330.00	408.20	480.30	306.50	432.40	480.30	317.90	385.10
1983 (Dec.)	451.20	546.40	325.50	410.20	491.80	302.50	445.30	496.80	333.20	400.50
1984 (Jan.–Nov.)	457.10	544.40	335.60	414.70	489.40	310.90	443.00	494.00	332.20	406.80
1984 (Dec.)	471.00	565.70	343.00	429.50	511.30	318.90	461.10	516.50	342.90	428.00
1985 (Jan.–Nov.)	475.70	566.20	348.00	432.00	509.60	322.20	459.20	514.00	345.00	431.10
1985 (Dec.)	487.60	588.30	352.00	443.10	530.00	326.10	477.60	535.90	357.20	436.90
1986 (Jan.–Nov.)	500.30	596.90	363.50	453.10	536.00	335.70	471.50	527.60	358.20	452.10
1986 (Dec.)	504.60	611.00	361.70	456.90	548.40	334.00	489.00	546.90	369.60	446.20
1987 (Jan.–Nov.)	516.80	618.90	374.10	466.10	553.60	343.90	487.00	546.80	368.90	462.00
1987 (Dec.)	536.90	648.80	386.80	484.00	580.00	355.20	517.10	583.40	391.80	477.40
1988 (Jan.–Nov.)	540.70	648.60	390.40	487.80	580.30	359.00	517.20	581.90	392.60	488.80
1988 (Dec.)	560.00	679.50	401.20	504.90	607.00	369.20	543.00	612.70	410.00	499.20

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6.A OASDI Benefits Awarded: Summary

Table 6.A2—Average primary insurance amount for retired workers and average monthly benefit for retired and disabled workers, and nondisabled widows, by type of benefit and sex, selected years 1940–2003 (in dollars)—Continued

Year ^a	Average primary insurance amount for retired workers (dollars)			Average monthly benefit (dollars)						
	All	Men	Women	Retired workers			Disabled workers			Non-disabled widows
				All	Men	Women	All	Men	Women	
1989 (Jan.–Nov.)	572.80	686.90	412.90	516.60	614.80	379.00	539.90	608.00	414.40	512.90
1989 (Dec.)	597.50	724.90	425.90	538.70	647.50	392.10	571.20	645.90	437.50	525.70
1990 (Jan.–Nov.)	609.00	729.70	438.20	550.50	654.60	403.30	566.90	637.80	438.90	541.10
1990 (Dec.)	626.40	761.00	447.30	559.30	672.10	409.30	600.60	676.90	466.60	566.60
1991 (Jan.–Nov.)	642.80	768.90	460.40	583.50	692.30	426.10	593.00	666.90	464.20	573.70
1991 (Dec.)	656.20	793.40	467.40	592.80	709.50	432.10	613.20	689.70	481.50	582.10
1992 (Jan.–Nov.)	671.60	803.10	483.40	608.60	721.90	446.50	601.60	677.00	474.70	596.90
1992 (Dec.)	688.30	829.30	493.80	620.70	740.90	454.90	625.70	706.50	490.30	604.00
1993 (Jan.–Nov.)	697.10	831.50	507.10	630.60	746.20	467.00	621.70	699.80	494.70	620.70
1993 (Dec.)	716.20	861.70	519.00	645.90	769.80	477.90	649.90	735.70	512.30	618.90
1994 (Jan.–Nov.)	722.90	862.90	530.30	651.00	771.30	485.40	647.00	731.30	518.50	637.80
1994 (Dec.)	741.90	892.40	541.50	665.70	794.20	494.50	684.80	776.50	549.00	644.60
1995 (Jan.–Nov.)	744.30	887.00	551.40	671.70	794.30	505.80	675.70	767.30	546.00	662.50
1995 (Dec.)	765.30	917.60	563.60	668.40	818.00	516.70	703.40	798.70	568.70	675.40
1996 (Jan.–Nov.)	769.20	916.80	572.40	693.60	820.50	524.50	693.70	788.90	567.80	683.10
1996 (Dec.)	788.90	950.20	582.90	708.70	846.00	533.30	727.70	832.00	590.00	690.30
1997 (Jan.–Nov.)	787.10	951.70	608.50	723.30	854.30	581.30	718.30	820.40	590.70	700.60
1997 (Dec.)	812.80	982.00	610.40	734.50	876.90	564.40	748.40	851.60	615.10	699.90
1998 (Jan.–Nov.)	819.50	983.10	620.00	744.70	882.10	577.10	737.00	841.50	610.60	716.70
1998 (Dec.)	831.10	1,003.20	628.80	754.20	898.40	584.70	762.00	870.30	633.80	711.00
1999 (Jan.–Nov.)	857.60	1,023.20	649.50	777.10	918.40	599.60	763.90	870.60	636.60	713.30
1999 (Dec.)	875.70	1,043.90	663.70	791.20	934.30	610.70	792.60	904.30	660.60	708.20
2000 (Jan.–Nov.)	904.90	1,069.40	685.40	841.60	990.50	643.00	806.40	917.60	673.20	708.70
2000 (Dec.)	930.00	1,111.00	713.00	842.80	996.50	658.50	846.60	960.20	710.00	715.40
2001 (Jan.–Nov.)	953.90	1,134.50	730.80	855.70	1,008.40	667.20	847.00	961.70	711.00	735.80
2001 (Dec.)	982.10	1,168.90	749.90	881.10	1,039.10	684.70	868.40	982.70	734.90	717.10
2002 (Jan.–Nov.)	1,026.30	1,219.00	788.10	914.10	1,076.80	712.90	897.50	1,019.50	753.30	750.50
2002 (Dec.)	1,029.90	1,230.00	788.50	916.90	1,084.50	714.80	906.70	1,028.10	762.50	751.90
2003 (Jan.–Nov.)	1,067.10	1,272.60	824.90	939.70	1,109.40	739.60	935.80	1,061.50	786.90	779.00
2003 (Dec.)	1,083.60	1,297.70	830.40	963.80	1,142.30	752.70	946.80	1,075.80	794.60	780.00

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

NOTE: . . . = not applicable.

a. Some years are shown in several parts to reflect changes in benefit rates during the year.

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6.A OASDI Benefits Awarded: Summary

Table 6.A3—Number and average monthly benefit, by type of benefit, sex, age, basis of entitlement, and race, 2003

Age and basis of entitlement	All races ^a		White		Black		Other	
	Number	Average monthly benefit ^b (dollars)	Number	Average monthly benefit ^b (dollars)	Number	Average monthly benefit ^b (dollars)	Number	Average monthly benefit ^b (dollars)
Retired workers^c								
Total	1,794,200	946.40	1,516,000	970.70	163,000	866.70	114,900	740.00
62–64	1,229,700	893.00	1,055,100	910.00	105,000	840.60	69,600	713.40
65–69	528,300	1,074.50	433,800	1,119.50	54,200	921.90	40,000	797.60
70 or older	36,200	892.30	27,100	951.20	3,800	802.40	5,300	655.60
<i>Men</i>								
Subtotal	964,000	1,108.50	817,000	1,144.90	85,000	964.10	61,900	826.80
62–64	644,600	1,060.50	553,000	1,089.40	56,200	924.10	35,400	825.80
65–69	309,000	1,213.30	257,600	1,266.20	27,000	1,041.10	24,300	845.20
70 or older	10,400	970.50	6,400	1,059.90	1,800	1,058.30	2,200	638.40
<i>Women</i>								
Subtotal	830,200	758.20	699,000	767.10	78,000	760.60	53,000	638.80
62–64	585,100	708.40	502,100	712.50	48,800	744.40	34,200	597.00
65–69	219,300	879.10	176,200	904.80	27,200	803.50	15,700	724.00
70 or older	25,800	860.80	20,700	917.60	2,000	572.10	3,100	667.90
Disabled workers								
Total	759,200	943.90	514,700	994.30	118,900	860.80	125,100	816.20
Under 30	50,700	554.50	30,400	579.60	9,500	536.70	10,800	499.40
30–39	88,000	774.30	53,100	796.30	17,200	761.00	17,700	721.30
40–49	183,800	895.50	118,400	946.30	32,400	827.70	32,700	780.20
50–54	141,300	996.00	93,900	1,041.70	22,200	901.20	25,200	908.90
55–59	172,400	1,052.10	124,000	1,085.50	21,900	1,016.70	26,400	924.20
60 or older	123,000	1,086.70	94,900	1,131.80	15,700	960.20	12,300	904.50
<i>Men</i>								
Subtotal	417,500	1,070.60	293,300	1,138.60	58,800	915.30	65,100	905.90
Under 30	28,200	564.00	17,100	611.50	5,000	482.10	6,100	498.10
30–39	46,200	817.40	27,300	860.20	7,600	766.20	11,300	748.50
40–49	94,800	989.10	64,200	1,056.60	16,200	841.80	14,300	854.70
50–54	78,200	1,140.70	54,700	1,191.00	10,400	966.80	13,100	1,068.50
55–59	98,100	1,212.50	72,900	1,260.90	10,800	1,136.80	14,300	1,023.20
60 or older	72,000	1,269.70	57,100	1,315.50	8,800	1,093.00	6,000	1,104.50
<i>Women</i>								
Subtotal	341,700	789.10	221,400	803.10	60,100	807.50	60,000	718.80
Under 30	22,500	542.50	13,300	538.60	4,500	597.20	4,700	501.10
30–39	41,800	726.80	25,800	728.80	9,600	756.90	6,400	673.30
40–49	89,000	795.90	54,200	815.60	16,200	813.70	18,400	722.30
50–54	63,100	816.60	39,200	833.40	11,800	843.30	12,100	736.10
55–59	74,300	840.30	51,100	835.10	11,100	899.90	12,100	807.20
60 or older	51,000	828.40	37,800	854.30	6,900	790.90	6,300	714.10
Wives								
Total	217,000	407.00	182,000	424.40	16,100	340.90	18,700	296.40
<i>Wives of retired workers</i>								
Subtotal	176,400	447.50	150,300	464.70	11,800	377.90	14,100	325.50
Entitlement based on care of children	10,400	393.70	7,400	407.30	1,600	394.70	1,400	320.50
Entitlement based on age	166,000	450.90	142,900	467.60	10,200	375.20	12,700	326.10
62–64	124,400	442.10	108,900	455.90	7,400	345.80	8,000	345.70
65–69	36,600	486.30	30,700	508.40	2,500	459.10	3,300	306.00
70 or older	5,000	410.20	3,300	474.30	300	401.90	1,400	261.00
<i>Wives of disabled workers</i>								
Subtotal	40,600	231.10	31,700	233.50	4,300	239.40	4,600	207.20
Entitlement based on care of children	19,700	166.60	14,200	169.40	2,400	160.90	3,100	158.40
Entitlement based on age	20,900	291.90	17,500	285.50	1,900	338.40	1,500	308.20

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6.A OASDI Benefits Awarded: Summary

Table 6.A3—Number and average monthly benefit, by type of benefit, sex, age, basis of entitlement, and race, 2003—Continued

Age and basis of entitlement	All races ^a		White		Black		Other	
	Number	Average monthly benefit ^b (dollars)	Number	Average monthly benefit ^b (dollars)	Number	Average monthly benefit ^b (dollars)	Number	Average monthly benefit ^b (dollars)
Husbands								
Total	13,000	234.60	8,100	240.50	2,000	232.60	2,900	219.60
Husbands of retired workers	9,300	256.50	6,200	1,260.90	1,300	254.30	1,800	250.80
Husbands of disabled workers	3,700	179.70	1,900	181.50	700	192.20	1,100	168.60
Children								
Total	790,900	...	479,200	...	155,200	...	154,400	...
By age								
Under age 18	538,500	377.00	311,700	399.40	103,100	292.40	123,500	391.60
Disabled, aged 18 or older	35,200	445.70	23,300	452.10	6,600	400.10	5,300	474.20
Students aged 18–19	217,200	528.10	144,200	564.00	45,500	445.80	25,600	468.50
By basis of entitlement								
Children of retired workers	105,900	454.80	72,200	488.60	23,500	398.20	10,200	346.70
Children of deceased workers	297,000	635.40	161,100	711.70	51,600	510.90	82,900	565.50
Children of disabled workers	388,000	248.80	245,900	270.10	80,100	216.50	61,300	203.20
Widowed mothers and fathers								
Total	37,100	682.30	22,000	730.60	3,600	637.00	11,400	605.60
By age								
Under 30	3,900	506.70	2,500	534.70	300	^d	1,100	495.70
30–39	12,600	640.10	7,600	712.80	800	700.50	4,100	498.80
40–49	14,900	717.60	8,200	776.80	1,700	589.10	5,000	664.20
50–59	5,000	807.20	3,100	803.10	700	790.70	1,200	827.30
60 or older	700	778.60	600	768.50	100	^d	...	...
By basis of entitlement								
Widowed mothers	32,000	708.60	18,800	768.30	3,200	656.20	9,900	615.10
Widowed fathers	5,100	517.10	3,200	509.30	400	^d	1,500	542.80
Nondisabled widow(er)s								
Total	332,000	939.60	203,100	989.50	18,800	747.90	109,100	878.40
By age								
60–64	154,600	898.70	56,000	949.90	8,700	692.10	89,900	886.70
65–69	52,900	904.20	36,800	922.70	4,400	680.80	11,600	930.90
70–74	34,200	986.80	27,900	1,030.60	2,900	871.10	3,300	741.70
75 or older	90,300	1,012.60	82,400	1,032.40	2,800	898.80	4,300	666.30
By basis of entitlement								
Widows	315,600	952.90	197,300	998.20	18,200	745.50	99,100	899.30
Widowers	16,400	684.30	5,800	694.50	600	818.30	10,000	670.40
Disabled widow(er)s								
Total	29,600	555.10	12,500	552.60	2,300	451.70	14,800	573.20
By age								
50–54	11,000	529.70	4,900	542.60	1,100	381.90	5,000	549.40
55–59	15,400	576.90	5,600	562.60	900	594.50	8,900	584.10
60 or older	3,200	537.20	2,000	549.20	300	^d	900	596.70
By basis of entitlement								
Widows	28,200	558.90	12,000	560.10	2,300	451.70	13,900	575.60
Widowers	1,400	478.10	500	373.90	...	...	900	535.90

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Beneficiary Record, 1 percent sample.

NOTES: Race and ethnic designations are collected from the form SS-5 (Application for a Social Security Card). For dependents and survivor beneficiaries, race is assumed to be the same as that shown on the SS-5 for the wage earner on whose earnings record the benefit is based.

... = not applicable.

- a. Includes 300 persons of unknown race.
- b. Benefits awarded before the December increase are converted to the December rates before computation of the averages.
- c. Includes conversions from nondisabled widow(er)'s benefits to higher retired-worker benefits.
- d. Average benefits are not shown for fewer than 500 beneficiaries.

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6.A OASDI Benefits Awarded: Summary

Table 6.A4—Number and average monthly benefit for retired and disabled workers, by age in month of award and sex, 2003

Age	Total		Men		Women	
	Number	Average monthly benefit ^a (dollars)	Number	Average monthly benefit ^a (dollars)	Number	Average monthly benefit ^a (dollars)
Retired workers						
Total ^b	1,791,316	941.30	969,208	1,111.60	822,108	740.40
62–64	1,235,714	892.30	653,321	1,066.20	582,393	697.30
62	908,068	848.30	468,081	1,022.50	439,987	662.90
63	124,681	948.20	69,475	1,109.30	55,206	745.40
64	202,965	1,054.90	115,765	1,216.60	87,200	840.10
65–69	524,795	1,061.60	307,255	1,218.00	217,540	840.60
65	482,388	1,080.00	286,969	1,241.10	195,419	843.30
Disability conversions	198,045	930.20	113,629	1,095.00	84,416	708.40
New entitlements	284,343	1,184.30	173,340	1,336.90	111,003	946.00
66	16,758	865.90	9,236	938.00	7,522	777.50
67	10,689	827.10	4,950	848.80	5,739	808.30
68	8,103	835.50	3,411	840.20	4,692	832.10
69	6,857	878.00	2,689	879.10	4,168	877.30
70–74	24,862	899.40	6,599	822.00	18,263	927.40
75 or older	5,945	674.40	2,033	567.10	3,912	730.20
Disabled workers						
Total	777,461	936.40	421,598	1,062.30	355,863	787.30
Under 25	24,697	478.70	14,323	486.80	10,374	467.40
25–29	28,861	637.50	15,192	657.90	13,669	614.90
30–34	39,577	731.60	20,205	761.70	19,372	700.10
35–39	57,095	794.10	29,394	843.30	27,701	741.80
40–44	83,586	854.40	43,116	933.20	40,470	770.40
45–49	104,643	921.50	53,972	1,029.60	50,671	806.30
50–54	139,744	990.30	74,388	1,129.70	65,356	831.60
50	26,928	959.40	14,179	1,086.90	12,749	817.50
51	26,855	977.00	14,072	1,111.30	12,783	829.10
52	27,351	989.30	14,618	1,129.00	12,733	829.00
53	28,154	1,002.70	15,043	1,146.50	13,111	837.80
54	30,456	1,018.80	16,476	1,167.80	13,980	843.10
55–59	172,772	1,052.00	96,299	1,224.50	76,473	834.70
55	38,328	1,038.00	21,328	1,197.50	17,000	838.00
56	37,983	1,052.10	20,798	1,221.70	17,185	846.70
57	31,499	1,053.20	17,510	1,229.90	13,989	832.00
58	31,675	1,052.90	17,845	1,230.50	13,830	823.60
59	33,287	1,066.00	18,818	1,247.60	14,469	829.80
60–65	126,486	1,071.50	74,709	1,244.10	51,777	822.50
60	36,367	1,078.80	21,114	1,256.60	15,253	832.80
61	32,505	1,083.40	19,224	1,257.90	13,281	831.00
62	27,823	1,089.60	16,592	1,266.10	11,231	828.90
63	16,595	1,053.10	9,863	1,222.30	6,732	805.30
64	11,410	1,013.50	6,851	1,167.40	4,559	782.20
65	1,786	964.90	1,065	1,102.30	721	762.00

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

- a. Benefits awarded before the December increase are converted to the December rates before computation of the averages.
- b. Includes conversions from nondisabled widow(er)'s benefits to higher retired-worker benefits.

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6.A OASDI Benefits Awarded: Summary

Table 6.A5—Number and average monthly benefit with reduction for early retirement, by type of benefit, age in month of award, and sex, 2003

Age	Total		Men		Women	
	Number	Average monthly benefit ^a (dollars)	Number	Average monthly benefit ^a (dollars)	Number	Average monthly benefit ^a (dollars)
			Retired workers			
Total	1,348,118	906.10	718,330	1,079.00	629,788	708.80
62	908,068	848.30	468,081	1,022.50	439,987	662.90
63	124,681	948.20	69,475	1,109.30	55,206	745.40
64	201,815	1,055.60	115,104	1,217.50	86,711	840.80
65	112,543	1,060.10	65,050	1,212.10	47,493	851.80
66 or older	1,011	603.90	620	617.10	391	582.80
			Disabled workers			
Total	28,496	1,047.30	17,966	1,199.30	10,530	788.00
62	8,448	1,107.10	5,507	1,253.80	2,941	832.20
63	10,323	1,051.50	6,482	1,207.00	3,841	789.10
64	8,358	995.60	5,151	1,147.50	3,207	751.60
65	1,367	962.60	826	1,097.80	541	756.20
			Wives and husbands			
Total	251,447	346.00	...	...	251,447	346.00
			By basis of entitlement			
Wives and husbands of retired workers	229,777	351.50	4,272	240.50	225,505	353.60
Wives and husbands of disabled workers	21,670	288.50	666	195.70	21,004	291.40
			By sex			
Wives	246,509	348.30	...	...	246,509	348.30
62	141,741	338.30	...	...	141,741	338.30
63	35,953	336.00	...	...	35,953	336.00
64	44,014	380.90	...	...	44,014	380.90
65	19,782	382.10	...	...	19,782	382.10
66	1,591	307.30	...	...	1,591	307.30
67 or older	3,428	295.60	...	...	3,428	295.60
Husbands	4,938	234.40	4,938	234.40	...	...
			Nondisabled widow(er)s			
Total	185,807	844.40	13,757	662.20	172,050	858.90
Nondisabled widows	172,050	858.90	...	...	172,050	858.90
60	67,320	896.00	...	...	67,320	896.00
61	21,493	914.00	...	...	21,493	914.00
62	20,324	872.30	...	...	20,324	872.30
63	14,290	821.00	...	...	14,290	821.00
64	21,390	881.70	...	...	21,390	881.70
65	16,858	701.10	...	...	16,858	701.10
66	712	791.70	...	...	712	791.70
67–69	1,909	794.80	...	...	1,909	794.80
70 or older	7,754	720.90	...	...	7,754	720.90
Nondisabled widowers	13,757	662.20	13,757	662.20	...	...

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

NOTE: ... = not applicable.

a. Benefits awarded before the December increase are converted to the December rates before computation of the averages.

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6.A OASDI Benefits Awarded: Summary

Table 6.A6—Number, percentage distribution, and average monthly benefit for retired and disabled workers, by state or other area, 2003

State or area	Retired workers			Disabled workers		
	Number	Percent	Average monthly benefit ^a (dollars)	Number	Percent	Average monthly benefit ^a (dollars)
All areas ^b	1,791,316	100.0	941.30	777,461	100.0	936.40
Alabama	29,850	1.7	916.00	19,315	2.5	916.30
Alaska	3,130	0.2	888.50	1,247	0.2	922.30
Arizona	33,659	1.9	954.90	14,968	1.9	945.40
Arkansas	19,618	1.1	881.90	12,765	1.6	885.70
California	177,343	9.9	931.40	73,830	9.5	892.70
Colorado	23,979	1.3	929.70	7,921	1.0	963.30
Connecticut	22,267	1.2	1,036.30	7,899	1.0	1,010.80
Delaware	5,509	0.3	1,005.10	2,637	0.3	987.50
District of Columbia	2,861	0.2	835.70	1,317	0.2	858.30
Florida	121,546	6.8	915.10	42,501	5.5	933.20
Georgia	48,254	2.7	929.90	22,302	2.9	939.10
Hawaii	7,508	0.4	945.00	2,226	0.3	975.10
Idaho	8,434	0.5	910.80	3,460	0.4	910.00
Illinois	73,065	4.1	966.90	28,419	3.7	980.90
Indiana	40,183	2.2	1,001.10	17,440	2.2	957.10
Iowa	19,663	1.1	944.10	6,283	0.8	915.70
Kansas	16,265	0.9	964.10	6,329	0.8	941.60
Kentucky	26,137	1.5	900.40	17,196	2.2	903.90
Louisiana	24,148	1.3	868.70	13,731	1.8	894.50
Maine	9,057	0.5	874.80	5,401	0.7	860.00
Maryland	31,591	1.8	963.80	11,565	1.5	987.10
Massachusetts	37,576	2.1	952.30	17,855	2.3	934.80
Michigan	62,721	3.5	1,029.80	28,850	3.7	993.80
Minnesota	30,486	1.7	977.00	11,158	1.4	951.30
Mississippi	18,054	1.0	880.40	11,009	1.4	895.70
Missouri	37,782	2.1	926.30	18,357	2.4	929.40
Montana	6,459	0.4	884.40	2,154	0.3	886.30
Nebraska	10,305	0.6	931.10	3,934	0.5	901.10
Nevada	15,519	0.9	930.40	5,926	0.8	972.30
New Hampshire	8,369	0.5	978.60	4,048	0.5	951.50
New Jersey	53,641	3.0	1,041.40	20,392	2.6	1,057.50
New Mexico	11,422	0.6	864.50	5,376	0.7	870.90
New York	116,982	6.5	992.40	46,371	6.0	1,005.10
North Carolina	56,627	3.2	937.60	28,460	3.7	933.90
North Dakota	3,819	0.2	867.10	1,150	0.1	887.00
Ohio	70,703	3.9	951.70	28,287	3.6	925.20
Oklahoma	23,807	1.3	902.70	11,538	1.5	899.90
Oregon	24,189	1.4	942.10	8,820	1.1	963.10
Pennsylvania	82,032	4.6	982.20	37,044	4.8	937.60
Rhode Island	6,318	0.4	948.00	3,318	0.4	879.10
South Carolina	28,816	1.6	933.30	14,602	1.9	938.50
South Dakota	4,783	0.3	881.20	1,394	0.2	850.40
Tennessee	40,016	2.2	927.60	19,923	2.6	917.40
Texas	112,302	6.3	908.50	53,031	6.8	913.70
Utah	10,295	0.6	947.90	3,176	0.4	951.90

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6.A OASDI Benefits Awarded: Summary

Table 6.A6—Number, percentage distribution, and average monthly benefit for retired and disabled workers, by state or other area, 2003—Continued

State or area	Retired workers			Disabled workers		
	Number	Percent	Average monthly benefit ^a (dollars)	Number	Percent	Average monthly benefit ^a (dollars)
Vermont	4,217	0.2	940.10	1,761	0.2	893.00
Virginia	44,501	2.5	947.00	19,361	2.5	950.50
Washington	36,290	2.0	986.90	15,196	2.0	970.90
West Virginia	12,681	0.7	936.30	9,086	1.2	936.30
Wisconsin	35,567	2.0	983.10	13,834	1.8	967.50
Wyoming	3,402	0.2	946.90	1,030	0.1	950.40
Outlying areas						
Puerto Rico	21,710	1.2	627.30	10,919	1.4	811.10
Other ^c	15,858	0.9	499.80	1,349	0.2	729.00

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

- a. Benefits awarded before the December increase are converted to the December rates before computation of the averages.
- b. Includes beneficiaries with state code unknown.
- c. Includes American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, Virgin Islands, and foreign countries.

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