



Old-Age (retirement), Survivors, and Disability Insurance (OASDI)—popularly referred to as Social Security—provides monthly benefits to workers and their families when earnings stop or are reduced because the worker retires, dies, or becomes disabled. The amount of benefits received is based on the worker’s level of earnings in employment or self-employment covered by the Social Security program.

Table 1.
Number of OASDI beneficiaries with benefits in current-payment status and total monthly benefits,
December 2007

Congressional district	Number of beneficiaries						Total monthly benefits (thousands of dollars)			Number of beneficiaries aged 65 or older
	Total	Retired workers ^a	Disabled workers	Widow(er)s ^b	Spouses ^c	Children ^d	All beneficiaries	Retired workers	Widow(er)s ^b	
Virginia	1,180,114	742,755	179,229	106,060	54,649	97,421	1,161,431	795,535	104,493	818,625
1	111,753	75,387	12,601	10,149	5,530	8,086	111,461	80,504	10,325	81,744
2	82,885	53,545	10,433	8,076	4,386	6,445	81,446	57,041	8,184	59,449
3	107,263	62,257	20,254	10,248	3,563	10,941	97,514	62,174	9,431	68,622
4	114,646	69,348	18,793	10,739	4,613	11,153	110,319	72,811	10,237	75,478
5	147,588	93,021	24,402	12,297	5,867	12,001	141,030	96,995	11,339	100,207
6	137,401	88,578	20,982	11,772	5,831	10,238	135,695	94,967	11,853	96,839
7	115,258	77,748	13,978	10,071	4,985	8,476	122,636	89,015	10,916	84,215
8	58,172	42,380	5,166	4,679	2,781	3,166	60,931	47,155	4,937	46,789
9	164,203	81,308	40,490	16,583	9,202	16,620	152,249	83,540	15,012	96,271
10	73,622	50,847	7,151	6,314	3,819	5,491	77,350	57,050	6,735	55,773
11	67,323	48,336	4,979	5,132	4,072	4,804	70,800	54,282	5,523	53,238
All areas ^e	49,864,838	31,527,728	7,098,723	4,602,812	2,584,884	4,050,691	49,218,145	34,004,494	4,657,266	35,119,015

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

- a. Excludes special age-72 beneficiaries.
- b. Includes nondisabled widow(er)s, disabled widow(er)s, widowed mothers and fathers, and parents receiving payment on the record of a worker who is deceased.
- c. These beneficiaries receive payment on the record of a worker who is retired or disabled.
- d. These beneficiaries receive payment on the record of a worker who is retired, deceased, or disabled.
- e. Includes beneficiaries in the 50 states, District of Columbia, American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Islands, and foreign countries.

Supplemental Security Income (SSI) is a federal cash assistance program that provides monthly payments to low-income aged, blind, or disabled persons in the 50 states, the District of Columbia, and the Northern Mariana Islands.

Table 2.
Number of recipients of federally administered SSI payments and total monthly payments, December 2007

Congressional district	Number of recipients				Total monthly payments (thousands of dollars)				Number of recipients	
	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	With OASDI ^a	Aged 65 or older
Virginia	140,656	20,008	1,190	119,458	63,120	6,195	512	56,413	49,855	34,719
1	8,116	1,096	91	6,929	3,538	285	36	3,217	2,889	1,885
2	8,709	1,214	82	7,413	3,967	373	35	3,559	2,772	1,901
3	24,105	1,876	228	22,001	11,690	431	103	11,157	7,516	4,051
4	15,760	1,448	134	14,178	7,060	334	52	6,674	5,371	2,954
5	17,951	2,323	113	15,515	7,580	473	49	7,059	7,803	4,463
6	13,293	1,202	131	11,960	5,750	269	56	5,425	5,332	2,570
7	8,614	1,240	80	7,294	3,904	378	35	3,490	3,028	2,091
8	7,195	2,980	57	4,158	3,359	1,289	27	2,044	1,866	3,852
9	24,555	1,857	140	22,558	10,676	359	58	10,260	10,162	4,945
10	6,070	2,013	69	3,988	2,694	792	30	1,872	1,772	2,627
11	6,288	2,759	65	3,464	2,901	1,212	33	1,656	1,344	3,380
All areas ^b	7,359,525	1,204,512	71,727	6,083,286	3,735,792	465,272	36,571	3,233,949	2,568,637	2,016,588

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record (Characteristic Extract Record format), 100 percent data.

a. Includes persons who are receiving both SSI payments and Social Security benefits.

b. Includes recipients in the 50 states, District of Columbia, and Northern Mariana Islands.

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