

Table F.--Relative Importance to Personal Income of Personal Current Transfer Receipts, by Component, United States, 2004

	Millions of dollars	Percent of personal income
Personal income..	9,705,504	100.00
Personal current transfer receipts (\$000)	1,428,159	14.71
Current transfer receipts of individuals from governments	1,361,666	14.03
Retirement & disability insurance benefit	517,840	5.34
Old age, survivors, and disability insurance payments	485,932	5.01
Railroad retirement and disability benefits	9,009	0.09
Workers' compensation	14,801	0.15
Other government retirement and disability insurance benefits/1/	8,098	0.08
Medical benefits	609,035	6.28
Medicare benefits	303,322	3.13
Public assistance medical care benefits/2/	299,667	3.09
Military medical insurance benefits/3/	6,046	0.06
Income maintenance benefits	141,490	1.46
Supplemental security income (SSI) benefits	37,299	0.38
Family assistance/4/	18,492	0.19
Food stamps	25,779	0.27
Other income maintenance benefits/5/	59,920	0.62
Unemployment insurance compensation	37,119	0.38
State unemployment insurance compensation	35,605	0.37
Unemployment compensation for Fed. Civilian employees (UCFE)	281	0.00
Unemployment compensation for railroad employees	79	0.00
Unemployment compensation for veterans (UCX)	431	0.00
Other unemployment compensation/6/	723	0.01
Veterans benefits	33,806	0.35
Veterans pension and disability benefits	29,956	0.31
Veterans readjustment benefits/7/	2,159	0.02
Veterans life insurance benefits	1,678	0.02
Other assistance to veterans/8/	13	0.00
Federal education and training assistance/9/	14,833	0.15
Other transfer receipts of individuals from governments/10/	7,543	0.08
Current transfer receipts of nonprofit institutions	44,997	0.46
Receipts from the Federal government	11,049	0.11
Receipts from state and local governments/11/	22,412	0.23
Receipts from businesses	11,536	0.12
Current transfer receipts of individuals from businesses/12/	21,496	0.22

Footnotes

1. Consists largely of temporary disability payments, pension benefit guaranty payments, and black lung payments.
2. Consists of medicaid and other medical vendor payments.
3. Consists of payments made under the TriCare Management Program (formerly called CHAMPUS) for the medical care of dependents of active duty military personnel and of retired military personnel and their dependents at nonmilitary medical facilities.
4. Through 1995, consists of emergency assistance and aid to families with dependent children. Beginning with 1998, consists of benefits--generally known as temporary assistance for needy families-- provided under the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996. For 1996-97, consists of payments under all three of these programs.
5. Consists largely of general assistance; expenditures for food under the supplemental program for women, infants, and children; refugee assistance; foster home care and adoption assistance; earned income tax credits; and energy assistance.

6. Consists of trade readjustment allowance payments, Redwood Park benefit payments, public service employment benefit payments, and transitional benefit payments.
7. Consists largely of veterans' readjustment benefit payments, educational assistance to spouses and children of disabled or deceased veterans, payments to paraplegics, and payments for autos and conveyances for disabled veterans.
8. Consists largely of state and local government payments to veterans.
9. Consists largely of federal fellowship payments (National Science Foundation fellowships and traineeships, subsistence payments to state maritime academy cadets, and other federal fellowships), interest subsidy on higher education loans, basic educational opportunity grants, and Job Corps payments.
10. Consists largely of Bureau of Indian Affairs payments, education exchange payments, Alaska Permanent Fund dividend payments, compensation of survivors of public safety officers, compensation of victims of crime, disaster relief payments, compensation for Japanese internment, and other special payments to individuals.
11. Consists of state and local government educational assistance payments to nonprofit institutions and other state and local government payments to nonprofit institutions.
12. Consists of personal injury payments to individuals other than employees and other business transfer payments.

All dollar estimates are in current dollars (not adjusted for inflation).

NOTE. Detail may not add to totals due to rounding.