

Table 8.
OASI retirement benefits, by type of beneficiary, March 2006–March 2007

Month	All beneficiaries	Retired workers	Spouses	Children
<i>Number (thousands)</i>				
2006				
March	218	174	31	13
April	212	169	30	13
May	193	153	28	12
June	196	156	28	11
July	168	135	24	9
August	158	125	24	9
September	187	151	25	10
October	187	151	25	11
November	199	162	26	11
December	150	125	17	8
2007				
January	371	320	38	13
February	224	183	29	11
March	218	177	29	12
<i>Average monthly benefit (dollars)</i>				
2006				
March	888.00	1,013.00	370.90	431.10
April	881.20	1,005.00	372.70	433.10
May	871.40	997.20	376.40	420.40
June	881.20	1,005.40	375.50	411.50
July	865.30	981.30	373.90	441.90
August	831.90	949.10	363.60	447.80
September	881.80	996.90	375.30	454.80
October	884.10	1,000.80	374.70	458.30
November	888.70	1,002.10	373.00	458.60
December	944.50	1,045.80	400.50	515.70
2007				
January	1,078.00	1,182.80	381.10	528.90
February	956.80	1,077.10	374.40	506.60
March	938.40	1,061.40	368.00	496.80

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

NOTE: Award actions are processed not only for new beneficiaries but also for persons already on the rolls whose benefits in one category are terminated but who become entitled to another type of benefit. These actions are called conversions. Benefit conversions are included in the data, except for conversions of benefits for children of retired workers to benefits for children of deceased workers upon the death of the worker.

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