



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	
Georgia	1,305,181	792,398	212,401	118,629	52,856	128,897	1,255,047	836,664	113,241	854,166
1	111,650	64,411	20,064	10,949	5,123	11,103	103,439	66,059	10,117	71,048
2	112,654	62,829	21,196	11,826	4,431	12,372	97,441	60,126	9,884	70,294
3	121,444	77,064	17,985	10,414	4,710	11,271	121,025	83,285	10,254	81,150
4	68,791	40,948	11,388	5,329	2,429	8,697	67,055	44,254	5,314	43,192
5	75,207	46,107	12,570	7,300	2,630	6,600	72,844	49,084	7,315	51,368
6	71,235	50,629	5,754	6,126	4,116	4,610	81,618	61,974	7,179	54,170
7	82,191	53,364	10,440	6,723	3,476	8,188	85,022	59,855	7,048	55,785
8	120,099	68,514	23,059	10,924	4,675	12,927	107,369	67,029	9,592	74,928
9	122,985	78,848	18,868	10,571	5,201	9,497	120,678	83,858	10,221	83,457
10	122,291	77,414	18,549	10,931	5,073	10,324	117,169	80,542	10,290	82,544
11	108,808	66,470	18,247	9,594	4,132	10,365	108,182	72,427	9,484	70,987
12	112,766	63,128	21,043	11,477	4,166	12,952	100,812	62,143	10,144	69,788
13	75,060	42,672	13,238	6,465	2,694	9,991	72,393	46,029	6,400	45,455
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
Georgia	208,130	26,121	1,893	180,116	98,154	6,423	831	90,900	76,447	50,474
1	18,379	1,923	158	16,298	8,310	351	63	7,896	7,522	4,197
2	28,448	3,329	252	24,867	13,538	646	103	12,788	11,121	7,000
3	13,687	1,592	132	11,963	6,535	347	55	6,134	5,040	3,107
4	12,679	1,926	134	10,619	6,362	683	59	5,620	3,595	3,043
5	19,362	2,464	184	16,714	9,523	656	82	8,785	6,551	4,773
6	4,200	1,318	41	2,841	1,962	528	20	1,414	1,104	1,726
7	8,921	2,142	86	6,693	4,165	752	39	3,374	2,606	3,097
8	22,377	2,264	209	19,904	10,430	438	88	9,905	8,808	5,016
9	12,314	1,551	117	10,646	5,546	301	50	5,195	5,228	3,059
10	15,852	1,938	133	13,781	7,112	384	60	6,668	6,614	4,062
11	13,571	1,448	132	11,991	6,621	353	61	6,206	5,065	2,844
12	24,817	2,785	228	21,804	11,327	546	114	10,666	9,539	6,037
13	13,523	1,441	87	11,995	6,723	439	37	6,248	3,654	2,513
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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