

Table 1283. Puerto Rico—Transfer Payments: 1990 to 2007

[In millions of dollars (4,871 represents \$4,871,000,000). Data represent transfer payments between federal and state governments and other nonresidents. Data for 2007 are preliminary. Minus sign (-) indicates decrease]

Item	1990	1995	2000	2004	2005	2006	2007
Total receipts	4,871	6,236	8,659	10,087	10,551	11,210	12,024
Federal government	4,649	5,912	7,966	9,273	9,673	10,190	10,963
Transfers to individuals ¹	4,577	5,838	7,868	9,161	9,547	10,066	10,829
Veterans benefits	349	440	491	521	491	592	624
Medicare	368	661	1,196	1,844	1,825	2,056	2,317
Old age, disability, survivors (social security)	2,055	2,912	3,863	4,810	5,118	5,423	5,746
Nutritional assistance	880	1,063	1,193	1,241	1,306	1,352	1,472
Industry subsidies	72	74	98	112	127	124	135
U.S. state governments	18	18	15	16	15	18	23
Other nonresidents	205	307	679	797	863	1,003	1,038
Total payments	1,801	2,301	2,763	3,471	3,583	3,742	3,763
Federal government	1,756	2,132	2,693	3,350	3,516	3,688	3,709
Transfers from individuals	817	1,052	1,326	1,700	1,792	1,869	1,889
Contribution to Medicare	97	162	191	258	303	340	362
Employee contribution for social security	720	888	1,133	1,438	1,483	1,524	1,520
Transfers from industries	16	49	51	49	74	115	98
Unemployment insurance	247	184	234	219	221	230	231
Employer contribution for social security	675	847	1,081	1,382	1,429	1,473	1,491
Other nonresidents ²	45	164	70	121	67	54	53
Net balance	3,070	3,935	5,897	6,616	6,968	7,468	8,262
Federal government	2,893	3,780	5,273	5,923	6,157	6,502	7,254
U.S. state governments	16	13	10	-21	10	15	20
Other nonresidents	162	143	614	714	801	952	988

¹ Includes other receipts and payments not shown separately. ² Includes U.S. state governments.

Source: Puerto Rico Planning Board, San Juan, PR, *Economic Report of the Governor*, annual. <<http://www.gobierno.pr/gprportal/inicio>>.