

Table I.--Relative Importance to Earnings of Contributions for  
Government Social Insurance, by Component, United States, 2007

	Millions of dollars	Percent of Earnings
Earnings by Place of Work..	8,848,240	100.00
Less: Contributions for government social insurance..	964,574	10.90
Employee and Self-employed contributions for government social insurance..	499,673	5.65
Contributions to old age, survivors, disability, and hospital insurance..	444,731	5.03
Civilian employee contributions..	392,046	4.43
Military employee contributions..	3,874	0.04
Self employed contributions..	48,811	0.55
Railroad employee retirement contributions..	1,518	0.02
State unemployment insurance and temporary disability contributions..	4,833	0.05
Supplementary medical insurance contributions..	48,213	0.54
Veterans life insurance contributions..	378	0.00
Employer contributions for government social insurance	464,901	5.25
Old age, survivors, and disability insurance, and hospital insurance	395,298	4.47
Unemployment programs (state UI, Federal unemployment tax, RR UI, Federal UI)	41,716	0.47
Employer Contributions to Military Employee Programs	2,529	0.03
Other (workers' comp., temporary disability, railroad retirement, pension benefit guaranty)	25,358	0.29