

#### 4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

**Table 4.B1—Number of workers with taxable earnings, amount of earnings, and Social Security numbers issued, selected years 1937–2007**

Year	Number <sup>a</sup> (thousands)			Earnings						Social Security numbers issued <sup>b</sup> (thousands)
	Total	With maximum earnings	New entrants into covered employment <sup>c</sup>	Total in covered employment <sup>d</sup> (millions of dollars)	Reported taxable <sup>a</sup>		Average per worker (dollars)			
					Amount (millions of dollars)	Percentage of total	Total earnings <sup>d</sup>	Reported taxable		
1937	32,900	1,031	32,900	32,200	29,620	92.0	979	900	37,139	
1940	35,390	1,196	4,430	35,700	32,970	92.4	1,009	932	5,227	
1945	46,390	6,361	3,480	71,600	62,950	87.9	1,543	1,357	3,321	
1950	48,280	13,936	2,520	109,800	87,500	79.7	2,274	1,812	2,891	
1951	58,120	14,270	6,000	148,900	120,770	81.1	2,562	2,078	4,927	
1952	59,580	16,606	3,500	159,900	128,640	80.5	2,684	2,159	4,363	
1953	60,840	19,013	3,090	173,000	135,870	78.5	2,844	2,233	3,464	
1954	59,610	18,866	2,360	171,900	133,520	77.7	2,884	2,240	2,743	
1955	65,200	16,704	4,760	196,100	157,540	80.3	3,008	2,416	4,323	
1956	67,610	19,236	3,660	216,800	170,720	78.8	3,207	2,525	4,376	
1957	70,590	21,095	3,380	233,900	181,380	77.5	3,314	2,569	3,639	
1958	69,770	21,328	2,450	236,500	180,720	76.4	3,390	2,590	2,290	
1959	71,700	19,112	3,180	255,000	202,310	79.3	3,556	2,822	3,388	
1960	72,530	20,310	3,130	265,200	207,000	78.1	3,656	2,854	3,415	
1961	72,820	21,265	2,990	270,700	209,640	77.4	3,717	2,879	3,370	
1962	74,280	23,154	3,360	289,000	219,050	75.8	3,891	2,949	4,519	
1963	75,540	24,570	3,520	302,300	225,550	74.6	4,002	2,986	8,617	
1964	77,430	26,717	3,890	324,500	236,390	72.8	4,191	3,053	5,623	
1965	80,680	29,136	4,620	351,700	250,730	71.3	4,359	3,108	6,131	
1966	84,600	20,498	5,080	390,700	312,540	80.0	4,618	3,694	6,506	
1967	87,040	22,948	4,530	422,300	329,960	78.1	4,852	3,791	5,920	
1968	89,380	19,120	4,830	460,000	375,840	81.7	5,147	4,205	5,862	
1969	92,060	22,577	5,160	502,800	402,550	80.1	5,462	4,373	6,289	
1970	93,090	24,224	4,440	531,600	415,600	78.2	5,711	4,464	6,132	
1971	93,340	26,404	4,470	559,700	426,960	76.3	5,996	4,574	6,401	
1972	96,240	24,074	5,150	617,900	484,110	78.3	6,420	5,030	9,564	
1973	99,830	20,250	5,670	686,700	561,850	81.8	6,879	5,628	10,038	
1974	101,330	15,310	4,940	746,700	636,760	85.3	7,369	6,284	7,998	
1975	100,200	15,070	4,120	787,600	664,660	84.4	7,860	6,633	8,164	
1976	102,600	15,330	4,700	874,700	737,700	84.3	8,525	7,190	9,043	
1977	105,800	15,700	5,070	960,100	816,550	85.0	9,075	7,718	7,724	
1978	110,600	17,050	5,460	1,092,600	915,600	83.8	9,879	8,278	5,260	
1979	112,700	11,236	4,883	1,222,200	1,067,000	87.3	10,845	9,468	5,213	
1980	113,000	9,903	4,243	1,328,800	1,180,700	88.9	11,759	10,449	5,984	
1981	113,000	8,594	4,090	1,450,900	1,294,100	89.2	12,840	11,452	5,581	
1982	111,800	7,929	3,408	1,516,600	1,365,300	90.0	13,565	12,212	5,362	
1983	112,100	7,044	3,914	1,615,200	1,454,100	90.0	14,409	12,971	6,699	
1984	116,300	7,421	4,743	1,800,800	1,608,800	89.3	15,484	13,833	5,980	
1985	119,800	7,766	4,756	1,936,800	1,722,600	88.9	16,167	14,379	5,720	
1986	122,900	7,624	4,641	2,081,800	1,844,400	88.6	16,939	15,007	5,711	
1987	125,600	7,735	4,956	2,237,000	1,960,000	87.6	17,811	15,605	11,621	
1988	129,600	8,483	5,489	2,432,800	2,088,400	85.8	18,772	16,114	11,370	
1989	131,700	8,110	4,856	2,578,700	2,239,500	86.8	19,580	17,005	8,049	
1990	133,600	7,575	4,012	2,703,800	2,358,000	87.2	20,238	17,650	9,054	
1991	133,000	7,483	3,541	2,760,500	2,422,500	87.8	20,756	18,214	7,509	
1992	134,000	7,667	3,918	2,917,800	2,532,900	86.8	21,775	18,902	6,819	
1993	136,100	7,617	4,204	3,022,900	2,636,100	87.2	22,211	19,369	5,893	
1994	138,200	7,518	4,591	3,197,000	2,785,200	87.1	23,133	20,153	5,816	

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**Table 4.B1—Number of workers with taxable earnings, amount of earnings, and Social Security numbers issued, selected years 1937–2007—Continued**

Year	Number <sup>a</sup> (thousands)			Earnings					Social Security numbers issued <sup>b</sup> (thousands)
	Total	With maximum earnings	New entrants into covered employment <sup>c</sup>	Total in covered employment <sup>d</sup> (millions of dollars)	Reported taxable <sup>a</sup>		Average per worker (dollars)		
					Amount (millions of dollars)	Percentage of total	Total earnings <sup>d</sup>	Reported taxable	
1995	141,000	8,191	4,621	3,401,800	2,919,100	85.8	24,126	20,703	5,465
1996	143,400	8,682	4,620	3,587,600	3,073,500	85.7	25,018	21,433	5,533
1997	146,145	9,022	4,710	3,858,721	3,285,000	85.1	26,403	22,478	5,413
1998	148,786	9,372	4,904	4,172,641	3,524,900	84.5	28,045	23,691	5,288
1999	151,333	9,209	4,966	4,467,110	3,749,600	83.9	29,518	24,777	5,306
2000	154,732	9,556	5,014	4,819,870	4,008,500	83.2	31,150	25,906	5,476
2001	155,416	9,213	4,425	4,919,536	4,167,900	84.7	31,654	26,818	5,883
2002	154,893	8,416	4,279	4,938,294	4,250,100	86.1	31,882	27,439	5,699
2003	154,576	8,494	4,190	5,068,917	4,355,000	85.9	32,792	28,174	5,372
2004 <sup>e</sup>	156,250	9,223	4,631	5,368,051	4,553,400	84.8	34,356	29,142	6,065
2005 <sup>e</sup>	158,913	9,675	4,992	5,677,517	4,765,900	83.9	35,727	29,991	5,280
2006 <sup>f</sup>	161,205	9,745	5,160	6,039,092	5,047,755	83.6	37,462	31,313	5,662
2007 <sup>g</sup>	162,454	--	--	6,363,868	5,279,995	83.0	39,173	32,501	5,906

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample; Bureau of Economic Analysis; Bureau of Labor Statistics.

NOTE: -- = not available.

- a. Relates to wage and salary workers from 1937 to 1950. Beginning in 1951, includes self-employment. See Table 2.A3 for annual maximum taxable earnings.
- b. Excludes railroad account numbers. Since program began, 442.3 million Social Security numbers have been issued. Some individuals have been issued more than one number.
- c. Workers reported with first taxable earnings under program in specified year. From 1937 to 2006, 332.8 million different persons reported with taxable earnings.
- d. Total wages, including estimated amounts above taxable limit, from 1937 to 1950. Beginning in 1951, also includes reported total net earnings of self-employed persons.
- e. Preliminary data.
- f. Taxable earnings are preliminary estimates based on Social Security data; employment data are preliminary estimates based on data from Bureau of Labor Statistics.
- g. Preliminary estimates based on data from Bureau of Labor Statistics and the Bureau of Economic Analysis.

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#### 4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

**Table 4.B2—Number with taxable earnings and amount of earnings, by type of earnings, 1951–2007**

Year	Number <sup>a</sup> (thousands)		Wage and salary					Self-employed				
			Total in covered employment <sup>b</sup> (millions of dollars)	Reported taxable		Average per worker (dollars)		Total in covered employment <sup>c</sup> (millions of dollars)	Reported taxable		Average per worker (dollars)	
	Wage and salary	Self-employed		Amount <sup>d</sup> (millions of dollars)	Percentage of total wages	Total wages <sup>b</sup>	Reported taxable <sup>d</sup>		Amount <sup>d</sup> (millions of dollars)	Percentage of total self-employment	Total earnings <sup>c</sup>	Reported taxable <sup>d</sup>
1951	54,630	4,190	132,500	111,250	84.0	2,425	2,036	16,400	9,520	58.0	3,914	2,272
1952	56,060	4,240	143,500	118,880	82.8	2,560	2,121	16,400	9,760	59.5	3,868	2,302
1953	57,220	4,340	156,000	125,840	80.7	2,726	2,199	17,000	10,030	59.0	3,917	2,311
1954	55,940	4,350	155,100	123,410	79.6	2,773	2,206	16,800	10,110	60.2	3,862	2,324
1955	59,560	6,810	171,600	141,810	82.6	2,881	2,381	24,500	15,730	64.2	3,598	2,310
1956	61,560	7,390	188,500	153,010	81.2	3,062	2,486	28,300	17,710	62.6	3,829	2,396
1957	64,730	7,150	205,500	163,990	79.8	3,175	2,533	28,400	17,390	61.2	3,972	2,432
1958	64,040	7,130	208,000	163,140	78.4	3,248	2,547	28,500	17,580	61.7	3,997	2,466
1959	66,000	7,060	225,100	183,620	81.6	3,411	2,782	29,900	18,690	62.5	4,235	2,647
1960	66,980	6,870	236,000	188,580	79.9	3,523	2,815	29,200	18,420	63.1	4,250	2,681
1961	67,360	6,790	240,700	190,850	79.3	3,573	2,833	30,000	18,790	62.6	4,418	2,767
1962	68,890	6,720	257,700	200,130	77.7	3,741	2,905	31,300	18,920	60.4	4,658	2,815
1963	70,310	6,590	270,600	206,840	76.4	3,849	2,942	31,700	18,710	59.0	4,810	2,839
1964	72,230	6,480	290,900	217,430	74.7	4,027	3,010	33,600	18,960	56.4	5,185	2,926
1965	75,430	6,550	311,400	230,830	74.1	4,128	3,060	40,300	19,900	49.4	6,153	3,038
1966	79,460	6,630	346,700	287,860	83.0	4,363	3,623	44,000	24,680	56.1	6,637	3,722
1967	82,020	6,470	377,500	305,670	81.0	4,603	3,727	44,800	24,290	54.2	6,924	3,754
1968	84,470	6,570	413,600	348,500	84.3	4,896	4,126	46,400	27,340	58.9	7,062	4,161
1969	87,200	6,350	455,700	375,010	82.3	5,226	4,301	47,100	27,540	58.5	7,417	4,337
1970	88,180	6,270	483,600	388,680	80.4	5,484	4,408	48,000	26,920	56.1	7,656	4,293
1971	88,460	6,290	509,000	399,550	78.5	5,754	4,517	50,700	27,410	54.1	8,060	4,358
1972	91,220	6,600	563,300	452,050	80.3	6,175	4,956	54,600	32,060	58.7	8,273	4,858
1973	94,610	7,100	624,400	523,450	83.8	6,600	5,533	62,300	38,400	61.6	8,775	5,408
1974	96,190	7,040	681,600	594,400	87.2	7,086	6,179	65,200	42,360	65.0	9,261	6,017
1975	94,900	7,000	717,200	621,100	86.6	7,557	6,545	70,400	43,560	61.9	10,057	6,223
1976	97,230	7,400	797,200	689,200	86.4	8,199	7,088	76,800	48,500	63.2	10,378	6,554
1977	100,450	7,480	879,500	763,600	86.8	8,935	7,602	80,600	52,950	65.7	10,775	7,079
1978	104,810	8,040	998,900	856,100	85.7	9,531	8,168	93,700	59,500	63.5	11,654	7,400
1979	106,900	8,200	1,122,000	997,500	88.9	10,496	9,331	100,200	69,500	69.4	12,220	8,476
1980	107,200	8,200	1,231,000	1,109,000	90.1	11,483	10,345	97,800	71,700	73.3	11,927	8,744
1981	107,300	8,250	1,352,000	1,220,000	90.2	12,600	11,370	98,900	74,100	74.9	11,988	8,982
1982	105,800	8,550	1,418,000	1,290,000	91.0	13,403	12,193	98,600	75,300	76.4	11,532	8,807
1983	105,900	9,200	1,502,000	1,369,000	91.1	14,183	12,927	113,200	85,100	75.2	12,304	9,250
1984	109,900	9,900	1,671,500	1,515,000	90.6	15,209	13,785	129,300	93,800	72.5	13,061	9,475
1985	113,100	10,600	1,794,500	1,621,000	90.3	15,866	14,332	142,300	101,600	71.4	13,425	9,585
1986	115,900	11,200	1,921,000	1,730,800	90.1	16,575	14,934	160,800	113,600	70.6	14,357	10,143
1987	118,200	12,000	2,057,100	1,835,100	89.2	17,404	15,525	179,900	124,900	69.4	14,992	10,408
1988	122,100	12,400	2,224,700	1,952,000	87.7	18,220	15,987	208,100	136,400	65.5	16,782	11,000
1989	123,900	12,900	2,367,800	2,096,000	88.5	19,111	16,917	210,900	143,500	68.0	16,349	11,124
1990	126,100	12,500	2,510,000	2,222,000	88.5	19,905	17,621	193,800	136,000	70.2	15,504	10,880
1991	125,200	12,800	2,565,000	2,283,000	89.0	20,487	18,235	195,500	139,500	71.4	15,273	10,898
1992	126,000	13,100	2,711,000	2,386,000	88.0	21,516	18,937	206,800	146,600	71.0	15,786	11,214
1993	128,100	13,200	2,808,900	2,483,400	88.4	21,927	19,386	214,000	152,700	71.4	16,212	11,568
1994	130,100	13,300	2,964,100	2,624,500	88.5	22,783	20,173	232,900	160,700	69.0	17,511	12,083

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**Table 4.B2—Number with taxable earnings and amount of earnings, by type of earnings, 1951–2007—Continued**

Year	Number <sup>a</sup> (thousands)		Wage and salary					Self-employed				
			Total in covered employment <sup>b</sup> (millions of dollars)	Reported taxable		Average per worker (dollars)		Total in covered employment <sup>c</sup> (millions of dollars)	Reported taxable		Average per worker (dollars)	
	Wage and salary	Self-employed		Amount <sup>d</sup> (millions of dollars)	Percentage of total wages	Total wages <sup>b</sup>	Reported taxable <sup>d</sup>		Amount <sup>d</sup> (millions of dollars)	Percentage of total self-employment	Total earnings <sup>c</sup>	Reported taxable <sup>d</sup>
1995	132,800	13,500	3,159,100	2,754,300	87.2	23,788	20,740	242,700	164,800	67.9	17,978	12,207
1996	135,100	13,900	3,331,900	2,901,700	87.1	24,662	21,478	255,700	171,800	67.2	18,396	12,360
1997	137,765	14,020	3,586,721	3,104,300	86.5	26,035	22,533	272,000	180,700	66.4	19,401	12,889
1998	140,386	14,230	3,882,341	3,333,700	85.9	27,655	23,747	290,300	191,200	65.9	20,401	13,436
1999	142,703	14,500	4,159,210	3,547,300	85.3	29,146	24,858	307,900	202,300	65.7	21,234	13,952
2000	146,097	14,675	4,494,170	3,798,400	84.5	30,762	25,999	325,700	210,100	64.5	22,194	14,317
2001	146,596	14,930	4,586,990	3,950,100	86.1	31,290	26,945	332,546	217,800	65.5	22,274	14,588
2002	145,793	15,249	4,596,694	4,021,800	87.5	31,529	27,586	341,600	228,300	66.8	22,401	14,971
2003	145,101	15,969	4,708,439	4,114,000	87.4	32,449	28,353	360,478	241,000	66.9	22,574	15,092
2004 <sup>e</sup>	146,552	16,556	4,970,020	4,294,800	86.4	33,913	29,306	398,031	258,600	65.0	24,041	15,620
2005 <sup>e</sup>	149,025	17,288	5,238,211	4,491,700	85.7	35,150	30,141	439,306	274,200	62.4	25,411	15,861
2006 <sup>f</sup>	151,200	17,525	5,583,073	4,761,800	85.3	36,925	31,493	456,019	285,955	62.7	26,021	16,317
2007 <sup>g</sup>	152,616	17,418	5,891,634	4,981,239	84.5	38,604	32,639	472,234	298,756	63.3	27,112	17,152

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample; Bureau of Economic Analysis; Bureau of Labor Statistics.

NOTE: See Table 4.B1 for wage and salary data before 1951.

- a. Represents total number in specified type of employment. Persons with both types of covered employment during the year are included in each type.
- b. Total wages, including estimated amounts above the taxable limit.
- c. Reported self-employment net earnings.
- d. See Table 2.A3 for annual maximum taxable earnings.
- e. Preliminary data.
- f. Taxable earnings are preliminary estimates based on Social Security data; employment data are preliminary estimates based on data from Bureau of Labor Statistics.
- g. Preliminary estimates based on data from Bureau of Labor Statistics and the Bureau of Economic Analysis.

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#### 4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

**Table 4.B3—Number of workers and median annual earnings, by type of earnings and sex, selected years 1937–2006**

Year	All workers <sup>a</sup>			Wage and salary			Self-employed <sup>b</sup>		
	Total	Men	Women	Subtotal	Men	Women	Subtotal	Men	Women
<i>Number (thousands)</i>									
1937	32,900	23,810	9,090	32,900	23,810	9,090	...	...	...
1940	35,390	25,570	9,820	35,390	25,570	9,820	...	...	...
1945	46,390	28,820	17,570	46,390	28,820	17,570	...	...	...
1950	48,280	32,620	15,660	48,280	32,620	15,660	...	...	...
1955	65,200	43,140	22,060	59,560	38,240	21,320	6,810	5,980	830
1960	72,530	47,900	24,630	66,980	43,100	23,880	6,870	5,990	880
1965	80,680	51,990	28,690	75,430	47,500	27,930	6,550	5,640	910
1970	93,090	57,330	35,760	88,180	53,180	35,000	6,270	5,370	900
1975	100,200	59,520	40,680	94,900	55,140	39,760	7,000	5,790	1,210
1980	113,000	64,288	48,712	107,200	59,751	47,449	8,200	6,407	1,793
1985	119,800	66,113	53,687	113,100	61,285	51,815	10,600	7,623	2,977
1986	122,900	67,412	55,488	115,900	62,398	53,502	11,200	7,932	3,268
1987	125,600	68,591	57,009	118,200	63,306	54,894	12,000	8,450	3,550
1988	129,600	70,596	59,004	122,100	65,270	56,830	12,400	8,630	3,770
1989	131,700	71,517	60,183	123,900	66,105	57,795	12,900	8,842	4,058
1990	133,600	72,291	61,309	126,100	67,064	59,036	12,500	8,526	3,974
1991	133,000	71,787	61,213	125,200	66,406	58,794	12,800	8,669	4,131
1992	134,000	72,016	61,984	126,000	66,543	59,457	13,100	8,797	4,303
1993	136,100	73,154	62,946	128,100	67,673	60,427	13,200	8,840	4,360
1994	138,200	73,989	64,211	130,100	68,481	61,619	13,300	8,840	4,460
1995	141,000	75,444	65,556	132,800	69,900	62,900	13,500	8,908	4,592
1996	143,400	76,241	67,158	135,100	70,670	64,429	13,900	9,074	4,826
1997	146,145	77,498	68,647	137,765	71,910	65,855	14,020	9,078	4,942
1998	148,786	78,671	70,115	140,386	73,111	67,275	14,230	9,108	5,122
1999	151,333	80,042	71,291	142,703	74,376	68,327	14,500	9,224	5,276
2000	154,732	81,654	73,078	146,097	76,033	70,064	14,675	9,277	5,398
2001	155,416	82,006	73,410	146,596	76,303	70,293	14,930	9,354	5,576
2002	154,893	81,568	73,325	145,793	75,711	70,082	15,249	9,442	5,807
2003	154,576	81,263	73,313	145,101	75,200	69,901	15,969	9,860	6,109
2004 <sup>c</sup>	156,250	82,008	74,242	146,552	75,848	70,704	16,556	10,117	6,439
2005 <sup>c</sup>	158,913	83,202	75,711	149,025	77,001	72,024	17,288	9,880	6,560
2006 <sup>c</sup>	161,205	84,181	77,024	151,200	78,006	73,194	17,525	10,438	7,087

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**Table 4.B3—Number of workers and median annual earnings, by type of earnings and sex, selected years 1937–2006—Continued**

Year	All workers <sup>a</sup>			Wage and salary			Self-employed <sup>b</sup>		
	Total	Men	Women	Subtotal	Men	Women	Subtotal	Men	Women
	<i>Median earnings <sup>d</sup> (dollars)</i>								
1937	761	945	484	761	945	484	...	...	...
1940	746	935	472	746	935	472	...	...	...
1945	1,159	1,654	770	1,159	1,654	770	...	...	...
1950	1,926	2,532	1,124	1,926	2,532	1,124	...	...	...
1955	2,438	3,315	1,351	2,383	3,348	1,338	2,397	2,550	1,552
1960	2,894	3,879	1,679	2,833	3,875	1,676	2,903	3,129	1,695
1965	3,414	4,685	1,984	3,319	4,630	1,979	3,858	4,242	1,898
1970	4,375	6,180	2,735	4,317	6,173	2,770	5,104	5,683	2,360
1975	5,803	8,250	3,730	5,790	8,315	3,794	6,700	7,846	3,113
1980	8,549	11,963	6,012	8,612	12,166	6,106	8,699	10,572	4,133
1985	11,265	14,959	8,293	11,638	15,706	8,525	9,877	12,301	5,529
1986	11,831	15,579	8,796	12,064	16,025	9,019	10,424	12,908	6,152
1987	12,327	16,073	9,261	12,576	16,559	9,500	10,886	13,401	6,573
1988	12,825	16,613	9,753	13,086	17,055	9,992	11,478	14,090	7,036
1989	13,314	17,014	10,265	13,762	17,800	10,577	11,602	14,538	7,010
1990	13,898	17,582	10,837	14,432	18,483	11,199	11,220	14,097	6,898
1991	14,278	17,765	11,369	14,859	18,730	11,767	11,125	13,703	7,186
1992	14,739	18,208	11,842	15,386	19,292	12,268	11,392	13,966	7,452
1993	15,000	18,430	12,093	15,665	19,516	12,546	11,595	14,128	7,720
1994	15,560	19,249	12,422	16,010	19,969	12,807	12,051	14,737	8,002
1995	16,108	19,907	12,897	16,618	20,672	13,296	12,198	14,931	8,301
1996	16,712	20,779	13,335	17,256	21,591	13,763	12,481	15,300	8,628
1997	17,562	21,814	14,043	18,127	22,693	14,482	12,910	15,911	8,944
1998	18,513	23,028	14,834	19,103	23,920	15,290	13,462	16,565	9,365
1999	19,265	23,927	15,465	19,885	24,839	15,938	14,051	17,338	9,784
2000	20,225	25,032	16,287	20,885	25,999	16,801	14,927	18,538	10,270
2001	20,905	25,643	17,037	21,629	26,647	17,595	15,010	18,681	10,470
2002	21,193	25,765	17,461	21,987	26,892	18,085	14,429	17,761	10,514
2003	21,610	26,173	17,845	22,473	27,364	18,497	14,512	17,998	10,678
2004 <sup>c</sup>	22,342	27,074	18,427	23,247	28,313	19,143	14,901	18,436	11,087
2005 <sup>c</sup>	22,983	27,895	18,892	23,892	29,137	19,634	15,339	19,135	11,471
2006 <sup>c</sup>	23,832	28,916	19,586	24,777	30,185	20,362	15,290	19,224	11,638

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTE: ... = not applicable.

- Workers with earnings in both wage and salary employment and self-employment are counted in each type of employment but only once in the total.
- Not covered before 1951.
- Preliminary data.
- For all workers, medians relate to combined earnings from wage and salary employment and self-employment. For all wage and salary workers, medians relate to wages and salaries only.

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## 4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

**Table 4.B4—Percentage of workers with earnings below annual maximum taxable, by sex, selected years 1937–2006**

Year	All workers <sup>a</sup>			All self-employed workers			Annual maximum taxable earnings (dollars)
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	
1937	96.9	95.8	99.7	...	...	...	3,000
1940	96.6	95.4	99.7	...	...	...	3,000
1945	86.3	78.6	98.9	...	...	...	3,000
1950	71.1	59.9	94.6	...	...	...	3,000
1951	75.5	64.6	96.7	65.4	62.6	83.3	3,600
1952	72.1	60.0	95.4	64.1	61.2	83.5	3,600
1953	68.8	55.5	93.8	62.9	59.5	83.1	3,600
1954	68.4	55.4	93.0	62.6	58.8	82.8	3,600
1955	74.4	63.4	95.9	74.0	72.3	86.3	4,200
1956	71.6	59.7	94.5	71.2	69.1	86.0	4,200
1957	70.1	58.7	93.1	69.6	67.2	85.5	4,200
1958	69.4	58.4	91.8	68.8	66.3	85.7	4,200
1959	73.3	62.7	94.3	72.0	69.6	88.0	4,800
1960	72.0	60.9	93.5	71.6	69.2	87.7	4,800
1961	70.8	59.6	92.4	70.3	67.8	86.9	4,800
1962	68.8	57.1	91.1	67.9	65.3	85.3	4,800
1963	67.5	55.5	90.0	66.3	63.4	85.3	4,800
1964	65.5	53.1	88.5	63.8	60.5	84.4	4,800
1965	63.9	51.0	87.3	59.5	55.8	82.5	4,800
1966	75.8	64.4	95.6	68.3	65.0	88.4	6,600
1967	73.6	61.5	94.2	66.7	63.2	87.5	6,600
1968	78.6	68.0	96.3	70.3	67.2	89.7	7,800
1969	75.5	62.8	96.0	68.3	65.0	89.1	7,800
1970	74.0	61.8	93.5	67.8	64.3	88.3	7,800
1971	71.7	59.1	91.7	66.7	63.3	86.2	7,800
1972	75.0	62.9	93.9	68.8	65.0	89.7	9,000
1973	79.7	68.9	96.2	71.1	67.4	91.0	10,800
1974	84.9	76.2	97.8	75.7	72.1	94.0	13,200
1975	84.9	76.4	97.5	77.8	74.4	93.9	14,100
1976	85.1	76.3	97.5	78.6	75.1	94.3	15,300
1977	85.2	76.3	97.5	79.3	75.8	94.1	16,500
1978	84.6	75.4	97.1	79.3	75.6	94.0	17,700
1979	90.0	83.6	98.6	84.3	81.3	95.9	22,900
1980	91.2	85.5	98.8	86.9	84.2	96.6	25,900
1981	92.4	87.4	99.0	89.4	87.1	97.2	29,700
1982	92.9	88.3	98.9	91.0	88.8	97.7	32,400
1983	93.7	89.6	99.0	92.0	90.0	97.7	35,700
1984	93.6	89.4	98.9	91.8	89.7	97.6	37,800
1985	93.5	89.3	98.8	92.0	89.8	97.5	39,600
1986	93.8	89.7	98.7	92.3	90.2	97.5	42,000
1987	93.9	89.9	98.6	92.5	90.4	97.5	43,800
1988	93.5	89.4	98.3	91.7	89.4	97.1	45,000
1989	93.8	90.1	98.3	92.4	90.1	97.3	48,000
1990	94.3	90.9	98.4	93.3	91.3	97.7	51,300
1991	94.4	91.1	98.3	93.6	91.6	97.7	53,400
1992	94.3	91.0	98.1	93.6	91.7	97.6	55,500
1993	94.4	91.3	98.1	93.7	91.9	97.4	57,600
1994	94.6	91.4	98.1	93.9	92.0	97.5	60,600

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**Table 4.B4—Percentage of workers with earnings below annual maximum taxable, by sex, selected years 1937–2006—Continued**

Year	All workers <sup>a</sup>			All self-employed workers			Annual maximum taxable earnings (dollars)
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	
1995	94.2	91.0	97.9	93.9	92.0	97.5	61,200
1996	93.9	90.6	97.7	93.9	92.0	97.4	62,700
1997	93.8	90.5	97.6	93.8	91.9	97.3	65,400
1998	93.7	90.3	97.5	94.0	92.2	97.3	68,400
1999	93.9	90.7	97.5	94.2	92.3	97.4	72,600
2000	93.8	90.6	97.4	92.5	90.1	96.6	76,200
2001	94.1	91.0	97.5	93.0	90.8	96.8	80,400
2002	94.6	91.8	97.7	94.9	93.2	97.7	84,900
2003	94.5	91.8	97.5	95.0	93.4	97.6	87,000
2004 <sup>b</sup>	94.1	91.2	97.3	94.8	93.1	97.5	87,900
2005 <sup>b</sup>	93.9	91.0	97.1	94.8	93.1	97.4	90,000
2006 <sup>b</sup>	94.0	91.1	97.1	95.2	93.4	97.8	94,200

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTE: . . . = not applicable.

- a. From 1937 to 1950, relates to wage and salary workers. Beginning in 1951, includes self-employed workers.  
b. Preliminary data.

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#### 4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

**Table 4.B5—Number of workers, by sex and age, selected years 1937–2006 (in thousands)**

Year	Total, all ages	Under 20	20–24	25–29	30–34	35–39	40–44	45–49	50–54	55–59	60–61	62–64	65–69	70–71	72 or older
<i>All workers</i>															
1937	32,900	3,277	6,302	5,480	4,413	3,688	3,055	2,580	1,918	1,308	384	398	<sup>a</sup> 97	...	...
1940	35,390	2,963	6,481	5,794	4,904	3,930	3,342	2,706	2,147	1,488	437	494	451	106	152
1945	46,390	6,313	5,908	5,571	5,495	5,288	4,623	4,061	3,275	2,577	831	926	975	214	333
1950	48,280	4,469	7,057	6,732	5,991	5,609	5,016	4,076	3,375	2,597	811	1,052	979	210	306
1955	65,200	5,410	7,065	7,499	7,801	7,458	7,222	6,507	5,299	4,261	1,423	1,893	2,091	537	734
1960	72,530	6,328	8,749	7,461	7,812	8,301	7,938	7,432	6,448	4,996	1,643	2,102	1,989	419	912
1965	80,680	8,556	11,066	8,261	7,488	8,120	8,550	7,936	7,163	5,931	1,943	2,272	2,027	424	943
1970	93,090	10,790	14,945	10,587	8,492	8,028	8,539	8,647	7,700	6,594	2,236	2,692	2,362	475	1,003
1975	100,200	11,939	16,419	13,852	10,304	8,644	7,997	8,157	7,896	6,626	2,289	2,543	2,139	444	951
1980	113,000	12,372	18,403	16,464	14,184	10,982	9,003	7,961	7,768	7,076	2,326	2,632	2,292	491	1,046
1985	119,800	10,685	17,727	18,012	16,193	14,276	10,961	8,713	7,435	6,870	2,410	2,726	2,206	489	1,097
1990	133,600	10,907	16,760	18,701	18,696	17,008	14,984	11,119	8,533	6,928	2,454	2,854	2,687	605	1,362
1995	141,000	10,832	15,465	17,078	18,692	18,760	16,918	14,622	10,510	7,667	2,440	2,777	2,836	699	1,704
1996	143,400	11,156	15,251	17,184	18,389	19,026	17,481	15,108	11,205	7,942	2,520	2,804	2,863	698	1,772
1997	146,145	11,402	15,486	17,156	18,033	19,279	17,964	15,369	12,023	8,453	2,569	2,902	2,913	731	1,865
1998	148,786	11,904	15,712	17,010	17,694	19,366	18,393	15,763	12,662	8,947	2,687	2,991	2,970	753	1,932
1999	151,333	12,241	16,106	16,754	17,517	19,407	18,769	16,318	13,297	9,332	2,759	3,087	3,013	771	1,962
2000	154,732	12,413	16,703	16,438	17,715	19,245	19,199	16,990	14,156	9,681	2,876	3,243	3,159	829	2,083
2001	155,416	11,753	16,981	16,081	17,688	18,783	19,336	17,449	14,571	10,288	2,989	3,331	3,230	828	2,107
2002	154,893	11,045	17,015	15,952	17,346	18,108	19,213	17,698	14,625	10,936	3,266	3,425	3,301	813	2,150
2003	154,576	10,483	17,018	15,904	16,940	17,527	19,069	17,879	14,831	11,387	3,506	3,554	3,425	825	2,226
2004 <sup>b</sup>	156,250	10,545	17,186	16,202	16,594	17,264	18,953	18,134	15,321	11,974	3,485	3,882	3,581	850	2,279
2005 <sup>b</sup>	158,913	10,892	17,431	16,706	16,213	17,340	18,731	18,451	15,881	12,616	3,425	4,193	3,762	905	2,366
2006 <sup>b</sup>	161,205	11,170	17,648	17,190	15,942	17,395	18,323	18,609	16,372	13,032	3,790	4,368	3,957	957	2,451
<i>Men</i>															
1937	23,810	2,020	4,021	3,797	3,237	3,775	2,387	2,091	1,606	1,110	330	351	<sup>a</sup> 85	...	...
1940	25,570	1,821	4,072	4,028	3,545	2,922	2,550	2,151	1,770	1,265	373	434	403	96	140
1945	28,820	3,343	2,296	3,054	3,502	3,486	3,150	2,840	2,409	1,984	664	765	838	189	300
1950	32,620	2,530	4,215	4,497	4,135	3,889	3,419	2,827	2,417	1,951	635	843	815	181	266
1955	43,140	3,026	3,980	5,019	5,345	5,035	4,846	4,327	3,595	2,995	1,012	1,387	1,566	414	593
1960	47,900	3,748	5,455	5,148	5,464	5,591	5,188	4,818	4,183	3,336	1,125	1,480	1,392	293	697
1965	51,990	5,206	6,731	5,574	5,153	5,416	5,464	5,002	4,536	3,803	1,274	1,519	1,359	280	673
1970	57,330	6,308	8,639	6,760	5,564	5,126	5,287	5,242	4,671	4,084	1,392	1,730	1,522	321	684
1975	59,520	6,635	9,122	8,245	6,440	5,311	4,831	4,891	4,729	4,023	1,418	1,595	1,352	285	643
1980	64,288	6,620	9,971	9,278	8,206	6,372	5,178	4,590	4,516	4,152	1,391	1,597	1,411	309	697
1985	66,114	5,547	9,432	9,870	9,066	7,920	6,050	4,838	4,186	3,932	1,408	1,593	1,297	289	686
1990	72,292	5,690	8,835	10,131	10,251	9,216	7,977	5,976	4,651	3,857	1,381	1,619	1,526	358	823
1995	75,443	5,590	8,069	9,097	10,146	10,106	8,966	7,663	5,620	4,193	1,374	1,547	1,614	405	1,053
1996	76,241	5,672	7,876	9,074	9,935	10,198	9,240	7,873	5,963	4,307	1,416	1,569	1,629	403	1,086
1997	77,498	5,823	7,943	9,017	9,697	10,280	9,498	7,997	6,376	4,578	1,423	1,641	1,650	433	1,141
1998	78,671	6,068	8,029	8,895	9,472	10,345	9,684	8,196	6,673	4,835	1,476	1,690	1,688	444	1,177
1999	80,042	6,251	8,238	8,774	9,415	10,376	9,880	8,480	6,977	5,028	1,520	1,734	1,713	454	1,200
2000	81,654	6,323	8,544	8,573	9,492	10,285	10,102	8,838	7,365	5,184	1,588	1,796	1,805	488	1,271
2001	82,006	5,944	8,689	8,422	9,460	10,063	10,191	9,106	7,566	5,488	1,630	1,847	1,848	477	1,275
2002	81,568	5,562	8,691	8,297	9,282	9,713	10,113	9,241	7,575	5,799	1,768	1,884	1,883	461	1,299
2003	81,263	5,233	8,691	8,264	9,028	9,435	10,060	9,296	7,670	5,991	1,896	1,945	1,939	482	1,334
2004 <sup>b</sup>	82,008	5,228	8,789	8,409	8,822	9,268	10,012	9,428	7,922	6,261	1,878	2,106	2,023	495	1,368
2005 <sup>b</sup>	83,202	5,394	8,882	8,667	8,579	9,278	9,867	9,586	8,223	6,557	1,826	2,272	2,116	531	1,424
2006 <sup>b</sup>	84,181	5,553	8,974	8,895	8,409	9,241	9,630	9,644	8,467	6,743	2,004	2,361	2,215	564	1,481

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Table 4.B5—Number of workers, by sex and age, selected years 1937–2006 (in thousands)—Continued

Year	Total, all ages	Under 20	20–24	25–29	30–34	35–39	40–44	45–49	50–54	55–59	60–61	62–64	65–69	70–71	72 or older
<i>Women</i>															
1937	9,090	1,257	2,281	1,683	1,176	913	668	489	312	198	54	47	<sup>a</sup> 12	...	...
1940	9,820	1,142	2,409	1,766	1,359	1,008	792	555	377	218	64	60	48	10	12
1945	17,570	2,970	3,612	2,517	1,993	1,802	1,473	1,221	866	593	167	161	137	25	33
1950	15,660	1,939	2,842	2,235	1,856	1,720	1,597	1,249	958	646	176	209	164	29	40
1955	22,060	2,384	3,085	2,480	2,456	2,423	2,376	2,180	1,704	1,266	411	506	525	123	141
1960	24,630	2,580	3,294	2,313	2,348	2,710	2,750	2,614	2,265	1,660	518	622	597	126	233
1965	28,690	3,350	4,335	2,687	2,335	2,704	3,086	2,934	2,627	2,128	669	753	668	144	270
1970	35,760	4,482	6,306	3,827	2,928	2,902	3,252	3,405	3,029	2,510	844	962	840	154	319
1975	40,680	5,304	7,297	5,607	3,864	3,333	3,166	3,266	3,167	2,603	871	948	787	159	308
1980	48,712	5,752	8,432	7,186	5,978	4,610	3,825	3,371	3,252	2,924	935	1,035	881	182	349
1985	53,686	5,138	8,295	8,142	7,127	6,356	4,911	3,875	3,249	2,938	1,002	1,233	909	200	411
1990	61,309	5,217	7,925	8,570	8,445	7,792	7,007	5,143	3,882	3,071	1,073	1,235	1,161	247	540
1995	65,557	5,241	7,396	7,981	8,546	8,654	7,951	6,959	4,891	3,474	1,066	1,230	1,222	295	651
1996	67,158	5,483	7,375	8,110	8,454	8,829	8,241	7,236	5,242	3,634	1,104	1,235	1,234	295	685
1997	68,647	5,579	7,543	8,139	8,336	8,998	8,466	7,372	5,648	3,875	1,146	1,261	1,264	298	724
1998	70,115	5,837	7,683	8,115	8,222	9,021	8,709	7,567	5,989	4,113	1,212	1,302	1,283	308	755
1999	71,291	5,990	7,868	7,980	8,102	9,031	8,889	7,838	6,321	4,304	1,239	1,353	1,299	317	762
2000	73,078	6,089	8,159	7,865	8,224	8,960	9,097	8,152	6,791	4,497	1,288	1,448	1,355	341	812
2001	73,410	5,809	8,293	7,658	8,228	8,721	9,144	8,344	7,005	4,800	1,358	1,484	1,383	351	833
2002	73,325	5,483	8,324	7,655	8,065	8,395	9,101	8,457	7,050	5,137	1,498	1,541	1,418	351	851
2003	73,313	5,250	8,327	7,640	7,912	8,093	9,010	8,583	7,161	5,396	1,610	1,609	1,487	343	892
2004 <sup>b</sup>	74,242	5,318	8,397	7,792	7,772	7,996	8,942	8,705	7,398	5,713	1,607	1,776	1,557	356	911
2005 <sup>b</sup>	75,711	5,498	8,549	8,039	7,634	8,062	8,863	8,865	7,658	6,059	1,599	1,921	1,646	374	942
2006 <sup>b</sup>	77,024	5,617	8,674	8,296	7,533	8,154	8,693	8,966	7,905	6,289	1,785	2,007	1,742	393	971

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTES: Age refers to age attained during year.

... = not applicable.

- a. Represents workers attaining age 65 during the year. Workers aged 65 or older were not covered under the program in that year.  
b. Preliminary data.

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#### 4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

**Table 4.B6—Median earnings of workers, by sex and age, selected years 1937–2006 (in dollars)**

Year	Total, all ages	Under 20	20–24	25–29	30–34	35–39	40–44	45–49	50–54	55–59	60–61	62–64	65–69	70–71	72 or older
<i>All workers</i>															
1937	761	170	570	829	998	1,061	1,126	1,121	1,177	1,020	1,010	927	<sup>a</sup> 512	...	...
1940	746	140	498	764	934	1,041	1,064	1,110	1,071	1,018	978	963	874	924	788
1945	1,159	288	669	818	1,383	1,617	1,842	2,026	1,874	1,821	1,782	1,739	1,482	1,341	1,307
1950	1,926	385	1,376	1,971	2,312	2,456	2,473	2,517	2,442	2,394	2,492	2,252	1,973	1,916	1,589
1955	2,438	443	1,601	2,689	3,173	3,233	3,196	3,068	2,966	2,728	2,525	2,427	1,736	1,279	1,149
1960	2,894	561	1,917	3,138	3,738	3,903	3,891	3,785	3,643	3,452	3,166	3,052	1,590	1,140	1,252
1965	3,414	613	2,326	3,919	4,540	4,747	4,756	4,665	4,526	4,304	4,087	3,767	1,791	1,171	1,326
1970	4,375	810	2,988	5,334	6,156	6,339	6,357	6,292	6,105	5,831	5,473	5,047	2,099	1,578	1,683
1975	5,803	1,070	4,187	6,795	8,249	8,629	8,725	8,810	8,748	8,299	7,779	6,620	2,524	2,105	2,137
1980	8,549	1,646	6,205	9,593	11,510	12,540	12,690	12,784	12,794	12,309	11,606	9,651	4,451	3,306	3,140
1985	11,265	1,647	7,136	12,453	14,886	16,458	16,984	16,849	16,528	15,831	14,724	11,907	5,974	4,330	3,729
1990	13,898	1,937	8,054	14,687	17,482	19,296	20,664	20,958	20,157	18,584	17,163	13,021	6,812	5,375	4,536
1995	16,108	2,076	8,392	16,134	19,654	21,629	23,468	24,690	24,090	21,320	19,136	12,961	7,551	5,816	4,681
1996	16,712	2,140	8,562	16,664	20,327	22,311	24,116	25,317	25,176	22,083	19,718	13,408	7,692	6,217	4,861
1997	17,562	2,310	9,074	17,596	21,261	23,279	24,979	26,264	26,415	23,398	20,514	14,284	8,056	6,387	5,033
1998	18,513	2,515	9,763	18,666	22,453	24,345	25,971	27,390	27,609	24,688	21,372	15,229	8,431	6,747	5,302
1999	19,265	2,610	10,163	19,563	23,469	25,173	26,788	28,315	28,643	25,577	22,151	15,902	8,935	6,780	5,271
2000	20,225	2,716	10,721	20,597	24,817	26,385	27,814	29,403	29,529	26,698	22,884	16,499	9,465	7,295	5,376
2001	20,905	2,718	10,703	20,981	25,601	27,228	28,544	30,128	30,414	27,685	23,679	17,736	10,556	7,861	5,743
2002	21,193	2,677	10,353	20,945	25,904	27,724	28,992	30,338	30,998	28,380	24,470	18,563	11,158	8,192	5,911
2003	21,610	2,633	10,320	21,044	26,464	28,331	29,484	30,910	31,562	29,126	25,452	19,302	11,875	8,698	5,965
2004 <sup>b</sup>	22,342	2,713	10,680	21,496	27,324	29,523	30,551	31,950	32,750	30,396	26,470	20,747	12,588	9,170	6,315
2005 <sup>b</sup>	22,983	2,752	10,980	22,014	27,933	30,553	31,394	32,678	33,724	31,483	27,747	21,943	13,319	9,600	6,617
2006 <sup>b</sup>	23,832	2,804	11,339	22,807	28,842	31,795	32,760	33,874	34,868	32,833	29,244	23,416	14,022	10,157	6,933
<i>Men</i>															
1937	945	174	647	1,117	1,202	1,286	1,338	1,308	1,232	1,137	1,131	1,008	<sup>a</sup> 563	...	...
1940	935	147	550	928	1,143	1,289	1,306	1,320	1,238	1,153	1,088	1,058	950	917	899
1945	1,654	271	422	813	1,983	2,245	2,405	2,364	2,319	2,170	2,106	2,000	1,666	1,462	1,390
1950	2,532	402	1,566	2,465	2,918	3,102	3,131	3,156	3,018	2,959	2,812	2,618	2,317	2,049	1,707
1955	3,315	468	1,871	3,450	4,079	4,201	4,159	4,005	3,818	3,512	3,201	3,044	2,164	1,498	1,292
1960	3,879	615	2,116	3,942	4,831	5,175	5,167	4,954	4,702	4,416	3,982	3,812	2,112	1,207	1,340
1965	4,685	710	2,609	4,957	6,055	6,481	6,519	6,369	5,921	5,581	4,993	4,784	2,628	1,246	1,443
1970	6,180	930	3,281	6,827	8,131	8,528	8,686	8,735	8,370	7,675	7,051	6,456	2,927	1,662	1,863
1975	8,250	1,246	4,870	8,464	11,170	12,131	12,533	12,605	12,270	11,290	10,398	8,700	2,895	2,276	2,371
1980	11,963	1,857	7,007	11,880	15,491	17,982	18,720	18,896	18,391	17,585	15,939	13,201	4,902	3,658	3,529
1985	14,959	1,771	8,185	14,465	18,642	22,021	24,433	24,385	23,841	22,117	19,953	16,532	6,760	4,977	4,351
1990	17,582	2,058	8,945	16,412	21,211	24,424	27,608	29,074	28,027	25,509	23,243	17,408	7,714	6,153	5,129
1995	19,907	2,164	9,618	17,810	23,200	26,912	29,732	32,334	32,505	28,260	24,673	17,090	8,133	6,430	4,977
1996	20,779	2,234	9,900	18,538	24,024	27,769	30,658	32,850	33,648	29,426	25,177	17,632	8,441	6,715	5,295
1997	21,814	2,379	10,356	19,748	25,231	28,874	31,790	33,738	34,890	31,018	26,229	18,159	8,832	7,097	5,300
1998	23,028	2,600	11,135	21,040	26,645	30,154	32,996	34,823	36,125	32,577	27,588	19,750	9,286	7,429	5,638
1999	23,927	2,718	11,616	22,200	27,805	31,113	33,946	35,717	36,924	33,428	28,382	20,172	9,873	7,323	5,594
2000	25,032	2,804	12,191	23,403	29,404	32,354	35,218	36,932	37,917	34,717	28,850	21,076	10,487	7,903	5,791
2001	25,643	2,788	12,002	23,500	30,130	33,117	35,801	37,426	38,348	35,287	29,886	21,976	12,010	8,566	6,229
2002	25,765	2,748	11,560	23,238	30,420	33,658	35,994	37,574	38,285	35,806	30,715	22,844	12,611	8,834	6,418
2003	26,173	2,726	11,391	23,365	30,891	34,302	36,542	38,150	38,699	36,390	31,540	23,854	13,402	9,470	6,338
2004 <sup>b</sup>	27,074	2,799	11,861	23,836	31,993	35,770	37,907	39,611	40,152	37,865	32,930	25,910	14,495	9,905	6,665
2005 <sup>b</sup>	27,895	2,826	12,260	24,500	32,647	36,988	39,067	40,599	41,231	38,967	34,506	27,379	15,340	10,503	7,031
2006 <sup>b</sup>	28,916	2,879	12,718	25,359	33,733	38,560	40,619	42,056	42,644	40,459	36,168	29,444	16,361	11,370	7,338

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**Table 4.B6—Median earnings of workers, by sex and age, selected years 1937–2006 (in dollars)—Continued**

Year	Total, all ages	Under 20	20–24	25–29	30–34	35–39	40–44	45–49	50–54	55–59	60–61	62–64	65–69	70–71	72 or older
<i>Women</i>															
1937	484	163	477	602	621	609	604	589	576	563	585	582	<sup>a</sup> 366	...	...
1940	472	127	432	530	590	599	596	590	580	562	499	577	607	999	424
1945	770	307	811	821	871	971	1,026	1,018	987	955	946	899	832	766	928
1950	1,124	362	1,153	1,158	1,196	1,297	1,421	1,456	1,410	1,416	1,370	1,349	1,176	1,399	1,232
1955	1,351	408	1,312	1,406	1,430	1,586	1,706	1,775	1,768	1,622	1,542	1,445	1,057	949	802
1960	1,679	484	1,558	1,969	1,718	1,899	2,075	2,205	2,290	2,221	2,040	1,783	1,142	1,007	1,036
1965	1,984	539	1,852	2,067	2,069	2,243	2,478	2,660	2,715	2,764	2,678	2,372	1,208	1,054	1,093
1970	2,735	675	2,538	3,151	2,953	3,210	3,498	3,721	3,790	3,747	3,729	3,236	1,674	1,344	1,375
1975	3,730	905	3,287	4,800	4,454	4,512	4,870	5,168	5,340	5,300	5,020	4,055	2,189	1,895	1,715
1980	6,012	1,451	5,083	7,496	7,649	7,495	7,761	7,893	8,079	7,966	7,756	6,044	3,589	2,853	2,569
1985	8,293	1,524	6,063	10,251	10,986	11,169	11,163	11,072	10,898	10,714	10,133	7,728	4,959	3,671	3,067
1990	10,837	1,816	7,104	12,677	13,642	14,339	15,031	14,920	14,373	13,088	12,194	9,133	5,888	4,387	3,830
1995	12,897	1,991	7,232	14,249	15,853	16,547	18,068	18,732	17,937	16,030	14,147	9,882	6,910	5,120	4,376
1996	13,335	2,051	7,383	14,637	16,387	17,009	18,532	19,496	18,834	16,728	14,670	10,358	6,971	5,605	4,372
1997	14,043	2,243	7,873	15,238	17,150	17,801	19,277	20,325	19,989	17,750	15,762	11,003	7,331	5,638	4,687
1998	14,834	2,435	8,529	16,128	18,133	18,625	20,046	21,484	21,088	18,656	16,606	11,646	7,619	5,968	4,871
1999	15,465	2,519	8,928	16,897	18,823	19,283	20,688	22,265	22,129	19,594	17,168	12,324	8,032	6,245	4,876
2000	16,287	2,638	9,454	17,774	19,893	20,387	21,536	23,202	23,074	20,664	17,993	12,876	8,472	6,459	4,947
2001	17,037	2,649	9,536	18,341	20,736	21,114	22,222	24,035	24,149	21,797	18,733	14,055	9,214	7,117	5,200
2002	17,461	2,613	9,333	18,533	21,203	21,678	22,775	24,401	25,082	22,842	19,582	15,028	9,779	7,552	5,343
2003	17,845	2,554	9,367	18,674	21,750	22,317	23,192	24,933	25,806	23,486	20,506	15,520	10,424	7,947	5,469
2004 <sup>b</sup>	18,427	2,636	9,669	19,089	22,384	23,172	24,002	25,683	26,653	24,658	21,410	16,632	10,972	8,216	5,912
2005 <sup>b</sup>	18,892	2,686	9,891	19,476	22,900	23,966	24,598	26,071	27,479	25,614	22,335	17,452	11,501	8,574	6,222
2006 <sup>b</sup>	19,586	2,743	10,163	20,230	23,711	24,999	25,707	26,862	28,458	26,783	23,886	18,805	12,105	8,964	6,428

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTES: The amount of median earnings includes estimates above the taxable maximum.

Age refers to age attained during year.

... = not applicable.

- a. Earnings of workers attaining age 65 during the year. Workers aged 65 or older not covered under program in that year.  
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## 4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

**Table 4.B7—Number of wage and salary workers, by sex and amount of taxable earnings, 1992–2006 (in thousands)**

Year	Total	Workers with earnings below the taxable maximum (by dollar amount of earnings)											Workers with maximum earnings
		1–4,999	5,000–9,999	10,000–19,999	20,000–29,999	30,000–39,999	40,000–49,999	50,000–59,999	60,000–69,999	70,000–79,999	80,000–89,999	90,000–94,199	
<i>All wage and salary workers</i>													
1992	126,000	28,876	17,496	29,812	20,699	12,554	7,084	2,422	...	...	...	...	7,057
1993	128,100	29,050	17,521	29,900	21,134	12,786	7,371	3,325	...	...	...	...	7,013
1994	130,100	28,994	17,273	29,903	21,482	13,230	7,709	4,310	277	...	...	...	6,921
1995	132,800	28,568	17,213	30,142	22,097	13,853	8,171	4,662	498	...	...	...	7,597
1996	135,100	28,356	16,977	29,832	22,612	14,435	8,706	5,052	1,053	...	...	...	8,077
1997	137,765	27,554	16,853	29,676	23,076	15,243	9,330	5,523	2,106	...	...	...	8,405
1998	140,386	26,829	16,431	29,360	23,586	16,095	10,062	6,008	3,268	...	...	...	8,747
1999	142,703	26,421	16,261	28,975	23,861	16,763	10,546	6,456	3,974	856	...	...	8,589
2000	146,097	26,219	15,995	28,443	24,306	17,384	11,330	7,056	4,439	1,994	...	...	8,933
2001	146,596	25,700	15,596	27,746	23,983	17,661	11,776	7,462	4,730	3,151	177	...	8,614
2002	145,793	25,487	15,386	26,910	23,495	17,607	11,853	7,662	4,957	3,329	1,266	...	7,840
2003	145,101	25,005	15,160	26,247	22,988	17,541	11,996	7,794	5,173	3,467	1,821	...	7,909
2004 <sup>a</sup>	146,552	24,654	14,857	25,864	22,789	17,661	12,364	8,217	5,571	3,766	2,212	...	8,596
2005 <sup>a</sup>	149,025	24,588	14,774	25,712	22,913	17,953	12,758	8,592	5,840	3,988	2,890	...	9,017
2006 <sup>a</sup>	151,200	24,548	14,559	25,179	22,706	18,198	13,174	9,009	6,259	4,320	3,026	1,102	9,121
<i>Men</i>													
1992	66,543	12,914	7,726	13,773	11,128	8,069	5,109	1,868	...	...	...	...	5,955
1993	67,673	13,094	7,740	13,875	11,270	8,074	5,224	2,527	...	...	...	...	5,869
1994	68,481	12,898	7,546	13,836	11,360	8,211	5,372	3,243	222	...	...	...	5,794
1995	69,901	12,766	7,457	13,865	11,653	8,448	5,587	3,444	388	...	...	...	6,292
1996	70,670	12,510	7,261	13,491	11,791	8,667	5,838	3,672	800	...	...	...	6,641
1997	71,910	12,198	7,154	13,199	11,864	8,957	6,162	3,932	1,582	...	...	...	6,862
1998	73,111	11,864	6,936	12,868	11,946	9,297	6,520	4,199	2,406	...	...	...	7,074
1999	74,376	11,743	6,892	12,595	11,942	9,565	6,711	4,456	2,895	642	...	...	6,936
2000	76,033	11,680	6,788	12,241	11,958	9,755	7,070	4,734	3,170	1,474	...	...	7,163
2001	76,303	11,605	6,693	11,985	11,629	9,763	7,170	4,907	3,268	2,284	136	...	6,862
2002	75,711	11,627	6,664	11,693	11,258	9,612	7,065	4,925	3,341	2,372	937	...	6,217
2003	75,200	11,441	6,531	11,396	10,993	9,475	7,072	4,921	3,425	2,428	1,308	...	6,210
2004 <sup>a</sup>	75,848	11,191	6,445	11,210	10,791	9,415	7,211	5,109	3,659	2,587	1,562	...	6,668
2005 <sup>a</sup>	77,001	11,150	6,358	11,041	10,830	9,478	7,395	5,292	3,790	2,687	2,034	...	6,948
2006 <sup>a</sup>	78,006	11,165	6,281	10,747	10,590	9,499	7,528	5,452	4,010	2,878	2,073	787	6,995
<i>Women</i>													
1992	59,457	15,962	9,770	16,039	9,571	4,485	1,975	554	...	...	...	...	1,103
1993	60,427	15,956	9,781	16,026	9,864	4,712	2,147	798	...	...	...	...	1,144
1994	61,619	16,097	9,726	16,068	10,122	5,020	2,337	1,067	55	...	...	...	1,127
1995	62,900	15,802	9,756	16,277	10,444	5,405	2,584	1,217	110	...	...	...	1,305
1996	64,429	15,847	9,716	16,341	10,819	5,768	2,868	1,380	253	...	...	...	1,437
1997	65,855	15,356	9,698	16,477	11,211	6,285	3,169	1,591	524	...	...	...	1,543
1998	67,275	14,965	9,495	16,492	11,640	6,798	3,541	1,808	862	...	...	...	1,673
1999	68,327	14,679	9,369	16,380	11,919	7,199	3,835	2,000	1,079	214	...	...	1,652
2000	70,064	14,539	9,206	16,203	12,348	7,630	4,260	2,321	1,268	519	...	...	1,770
2001	70,293	14,094	8,903	15,761	12,354	7,898	4,606	2,555	1,462	867	41	...	1,752
2002	70,082	13,860	8,721	15,218	12,237	7,995	4,788	2,737	1,617	958	329	...	1,624
2003	69,901	13,564	8,629	14,852	11,995	8,066	4,924	2,873	1,748	1,038	513	...	1,699
2004 <sup>a</sup>	70,704	13,463	8,412	14,654	11,998	8,247	5,153	3,108	1,912	1,179	650	...	1,928
2005 <sup>a</sup>	72,024	13,439	8,416	14,671	12,083	8,475	5,363	3,299	2,051	1,301	856	...	2,070
2006 <sup>a</sup>	73,194	13,382	8,279	14,431	12,116	8,699	5,646	3,557	2,249	1,441	953	314	2,125

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTES: Taxable earnings consist of self-employment income and taxable wages.

... = not applicable.

a. Preliminary data.

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**Table 4.B8—Number of self-employed workers, by sex and age, selected years 1951–2006  
(in thousands)**

Year	Total, all ages	Under 20	20–24	25–29	30–34	35–39	40–44	45–49	50–54	55–59	60–61	62–64	65–69	70–71	72 or older
<i>All self-employed workers</i>															
1951	4,190	6	71	246	414	543	592	565	503	462	164	215	237	55	117
1955	6,810	18	114	362	600	757	865	874	790	737	290	441	497	143	322
1960	6,870	19	133	305	560	743	848	929	918	846	316	452	414	101	286
1965	6,550	31	143	292	452	664	814	870	913	885	328	411	388	92	267
1970	6,270	33	159	348	476	581	729	808	837	839	327	407	388	94	244
1975	7,000	67	302	581	679	700	731	813	869	823	317	382	393	95	248
1980	8,200	78	380	824	1,052	983	869	812	851	852	307	381	419	112	280
1985	10,600	112	527	1,099	1,488	1,522	1,261	1,030	930	929	368	434	455	124	321
1990	12,500	152	529	1,123	1,663	1,854	1,736	1,377	1,113	980	381	487	567	150	389
1991	12,800	136	521	1,105	1,697	1,897	1,818	1,474	1,170	998	388	486	561	158	391
1992	13,100	137	509	1,093	1,678	1,951	1,864	1,589	1,243	1,018	382	484	576	166	410
1993	13,200	131	488	1,029	1,650	1,956	1,892	1,647	1,325	1,047	375	481	589	164	426
1994	13,300	140	473	989	1,624	1,936	1,945	1,726	1,357	1,070	375	482	580	164	437
1995	13,500	143	482	1,005	1,612	1,960	1,964	1,808	1,393	1,097	385	467	574	166	445
1996	13,900	147	490	1,036	1,614	2,013	2,035	1,873	1,471	1,144	404	475	575	164	458
1997	14,020	151	498	1,030	1,548	1,978	2,053	1,874	1,555	1,203	402	485	592	169	483
1998	14,230	162	510	1,045	1,524	1,963	2,092	1,885	1,616	1,265	415	493	590	178	492
1999	14,500	171	535	1,040	1,521	1,965	2,088	1,969	1,684	1,322	420	514	595	174	502
2000	14,675	173	554	1,016	1,495	1,948	2,093	2,014	1,785	1,345	443	522	591	180	515
2001	14,930	173	598	1,036	1,526	1,907	2,113	2,042	1,825	1,421	457	526	610	178	519
2002	15,858	175	700	1,112	1,626	1,898	2,191	2,158	1,911	1,578	537	585	651	172	564
2003	15,969	176	703	1,123	1,638	1,915	2,209	2,177	1,924	1,588	541	587	652	173	565
2004 <sup>a</sup>	16,557	191	748	1,198	1,647	1,953	2,240	2,236	1,999	1,694	535	653	696	184	584
2005 <sup>a</sup>	17,288	215	822	1,284	1,668	2,018	2,269	2,301	2,095	1,796	540	708	758	200	615
2006 <sup>a</sup>	17,524	220	858	1,336	1,620	2,020	2,192	2,311	2,132	1,852	585	733	806	220	638
<i>Men</i>															
1951	3,620	5	61	219	370	478	519	479	430	393	139	179	204	47	97
1955	5,980	16	104	335	555	687	773	773	679	631	247	373	420	122	265
1960	5,990	16	119	284	515	678	757	812	793	709	260	386	348	83	230
1965	5,640	26	127	263	410	598	714	759	772	742	272	339	326	75	217
1970	5,370	28	136	306	422	522	642	699	712	695	268	324	320	77	201
1975	5,790	57	251	479	564	584	619	680	715	672	255	309	326	78	201
1980	6,407	60	305	639	793	752	672	641	681	668	244	301	333	92	226
1985	7,623	79	378	782	1,060	1,058	873	730	674	686	278	328	351	97	249
1990	8,525	103	346	746	1,112	1,241	1,148	914	762	693	270	355	424	116	295
1991	8,668	92	341	726	1,109	1,268	1,204	976	793	699	273	350	418	119	299
1992	8,798	89	330	714	1,090	1,289	1,228	1,041	830	706	271	344	427	126	312
1993	8,840	89	310	674	1,075	1,290	1,241	1,078	885	713	261	341	436	125	322
1994	8,839	89	309	638	1,053	1,269	1,268	1,127	890	723	263	333	423	122	331
1995	8,908	97	305	648	1,030	1,271	1,281	1,170	906	735	269	325	413	124	335
1996	9,074	94	306	658	1,021	1,281	1,322	1,200	954	754	276	328	415	119	346
1997	9,078	98	311	638	975	1,245	1,313	1,197	997	788	275	334	420	122	365
1998	9,109	98	314	641	947	1,217	1,326	1,188	1,033	819	275	338	415	130	368
1999	9,225	107	319	632	948	1,207	1,314	1,240	1,063	844	279	352	415	127	377
2000	9,277	106	328	604	913	1,193	1,310	1,268	1,128	856	294	348	415	130	383
2001	9,354	102	345	613	912	1,163	1,320	1,280	1,145	893	297	349	426	129	379
2002	9,778	109	395	636	955	1,147	1,333	1,331	1,187	983	338	380	445	124	415
2003	9,860	109	397	645	964	1,160	1,347	1,346	1,195	990	341	381	446	125	416
2004 <sup>a</sup>	10,118	113	410	683	952	1,166	1,342	1,377	1,237	1,050	339	420	474	128	426
2005 <sup>a</sup>	10,445	128	448	714	951	1,175	1,348	1,399	1,285	1,108	334	452	513	144	447
2006 <sup>a</sup>	10,437	126	454	732	905	1,141	1,278	1,384	1,297	1,140	361	464	537	157	460

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## 4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

**Table 4.B8—Number of self-employed workers, by sex and age, selected years 1951–2006  
(in thousands)—Continued**

Year	Total, all ages	Under 20	20–24	25–29	30–34	35–39	40–44	45–49	50–54	55–59	60–61	62–64	65–69	70–71	72 or older
<i>Women</i>															
1951	570	1	10	27	44	65	73	86	73	69	25	36	33	8	20
1955	830	2	10	27	45	70	92	101	111	106	43	68	77	21	57
1960	880	3	14	21	45	65	91	117	125	137	56	66	67	18	55
1965	910	5	16	29	42	66	100	111	141	143	56	72	62	17	50
1970	900	5	23	42	54	59	87	109	125	144	59	65	68	17	43
1975	1,210	10	51	102	115	116	112	133	154	151	62	73	67	17	47
1980	1,793	18	75	185	259	231	197	171	170	184	63	80	86	20	54
1985	2,977	33	149	317	428	464	388	300	256	243	90	106	104	27	72
1990	3,975	49	183	377	551	613	588	463	350	287	111	132	142	34	94
1991	4,131	44	180	378	588	629	614	499	376	299	115	136	143	39	92
1992	4,302	48	179	380	588	662	636	548	413	312	110	140	148	39	98
1993	4,360	41	178	355	575	666	651	569	440	334	114	140	153	39	104
1994	4,460	51	164	352	572	667	677	599	468	346	112	148	157	42	105
1995	4,592	46	177	357	582	689	683	638	487	362	116	142	161	42	109
1996	4,826	54	183	377	594	733	713	673	517	390	128	147	160	45	112
1997	4,942	54	188	392	572	733	739	676	558	415	128	151	172	47	118
1998	5,121	65	196	404	577	746	767	697	583	445	140	155	175	48	124
1999	5,276	64	216	408	573	757	773	729	621	478	141	162	180	47	126
2000	5,398	68	226	412	582	754	783	747	657	489	148	173	176	50	132
2001	5,576	71	253	423	614	744	793	762	680	528	160	177	184	49	139
2002	6,080	66	305	475	671	751	858	827	724	595	199	205	206	48	148
2003	6,109	67	305	478	675	755	862	831	729	598	200	206	206	49	149
2004 <sup>a</sup>	6,439	78	338	514	695	788	898	859	762	643	196	233	222	55	158
2005 <sup>a</sup>	6,843	86	374	570	717	843	921	902	811	688	206	256	245	56	168
2006 <sup>a</sup>	7,087	94	404	604	715	879	914	927	835	711	224	269	269	62	179

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTE: Age refers to age attained during year.

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**Table 4.B9—Number of self-employed workers, by sex and amount of taxable earnings, 1992–2006  
(in thousands)**

Year	Total	Workers with earnings below taxable maximum (by dollar amount of earnings)											Workers with maximum earnings
		1–4,999	5,000–9,999	10,000–19,999	20,000–29,999	30,000–39,999	40,000–49,999	50,000–59,999	60,000–69,999	70,000–79,999	80,000–89,999	90,000–94,199	
<i>All self-employed workers</i>													
1992	13,098	3,520	2,519	2,755	1,576	971	612	308	...	...	...	...	839
1993	13,202	3,453	2,562	2,776	1,570	990	633	388	...	...	...	...	828
1994	13,297	3,376	2,510	2,832	1,586	1,019	645	426	92	...	...	...	814
1995	13,499	3,316	2,593	2,882	1,604	1,044	678	444	116	...	...	...	822
1996	13,900	3,312	2,667	2,964	1,650	1,092	713	471	176	...	...	...	854
1997	14,019	3,237	2,674	2,966	1,670	1,100	737	489	278	...	...	...	869
1998	14,237	3,160	2,675	3,010	1,717	1,157	777	505	387	...	...	...	848
1999	14,499	3,057	2,688	3,075	1,756	1,191	804	535	384	162	...	...	848
2000	14,672	2,974	2,618	3,019	1,730	1,189	811	560	399	269	...	...	1,104
2001	14,930	2,998	2,627	3,123	1,741	1,186	834	584	400	314	82	...	1,042
2002	15,249	3,100	2,710	3,305	1,777	1,202	850	601	426	305	197	...	776
2003	15,969	3,178	2,840	3,489	1,852	1,254	899	641	441	327	250	...	798
2004 <sup>a</sup>	16,556	3,221	2,873	3,645	1,923	1,282	953	674	476	351	301	...	857
2005 <sup>a</sup>	17,288	3,246	2,980	3,768	2,006	1,375	998	732	513	379	396	...	895
2006 <sup>a</sup>	17,525	3,296	2,988	3,865	1,984	1,353	1,007	736	541	400	307	203	844
<i>Men</i>													
1992	8,795	1,891	1,606	1,936	1,145	746	485	252	...	...	...	...	734
1993	8,841	1,850	1,632	1,927	1,141	760	500	316	...	...	...	...	715
1994	8,839	1,779	1,552	1,958	1,153	772	503	340	77	...	...	...	705
1995	8,908	1,748	1,581	1,964	1,152	782	521	356	96	...	...	...	708
1996	9,075	1,715	1,598	1,997	1,176	807	545	367	141	...	...	...	729
1997	9,077	1,683	1,550	1,980	1,171	796	559	381	223	...	...	...	735
1998	9,116	1,632	1,518	1,955	1,189	831	584	389	309	...	...	...	710
1999	9,224	1,569	1,497	1,972	1,202	848	591	409	299	129	...	...	709
2000	9,277	1,519	1,425	1,908	1,159	830	585	415	304	211	...	...	920
2001	9,354	1,519	1,428	1,934	1,159	812	596	423	305	247	66	...	865
2002	9,442	1,590	1,458	2,024	1,175	823	594	439	310	231	155	...	643
2003	9,860	1,637	1,521	2,103	1,228	853	637	461	324	248	194	...	654
2004 <sup>a</sup>	10,117	1,643	1,521	2,146	1,253	871	664	482	348	261	231	...	697
2005 <sup>a</sup>	10,445	1,649	1,553	2,162	1,285	921	690	516	371	279	300	...	720
2006 <sup>a</sup>	10,438	1,661	1,531	2,148	1,257	884	688	508	390	296	228	159	689
<i>Women</i>													
1992	4,303	1,628	913	819	431	225	127	55	...	...	...	...	105
1993	4,361	1,604	930	849	429	230	133	73	...	...	...	...	113
1994	4,458	1,596	957	873	435	246	142	85	15	...	...	...	109
1995	4,591	1,569	1,012	918	452	261	157	88	20	...	...	...	114
1996	4,825	1,597	1,069	967	475	285	168	104	35	...	...	...	125
1997	4,942	1,554	1,125	986	499	303	178	108	55	...	...	...	134
1998	5,121	1,529	1,157	1,056	528	327	193	116	78	...	...	...	138
1999	5,276	1,488	1,191	1,103	554	343	212	126	85	33	...	...	139
2000	5,395	1,454	1,192	1,111	570	359	226	145	95	58	...	...	184
2001	5,576	1,479	1,198	1,189	581	374	238	161	95	67	17	...	177
2002	5,807	1,510	1,252	1,281	602	379	256	162	116	74	42	...	133
2003	6,109	1,541	1,320	1,385	625	401	262	180	117	79	55	...	145
2004 <sup>a</sup>	6,439	1,579	1,352	1,499	669	410	289	192	127	91	70	...	160
2005 <sup>a</sup>	6,843	1,597	1,426	1,606	722	455	308	216	142	100	96	...	175
2006 <sup>a</sup>	7,087	1,636	1,457	1,717	727	469	319	228	151	104	80	44	155

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTES: Taxable earnings consist of self-employment income and taxable wages.

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## 4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

**Table 4.B10—Number of workers with Social Security (OASDI) taxable earnings, amount taxable, and contributions, by state or other area and type of earnings, 2006**

State or area <sup>a</sup>	Number <sup>b</sup> (thousands)			Taxable earnings <sup>c</sup> (millions of dollars)			OASDI contributions <sup>d</sup> (millions of dollars)		
	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed
All areas	161,205	151,200	17,525	5,047,755	4,761,800	285,955	625,922	590,463	35,458
Alabama	2,395	2,253	252	66,429	62,869	3,560	8,237	7,796	441
Alaska	386	361	46	12,088	11,269	818	1,499	1,397	101
Arizona	3,058	2,896	285	96,006	91,289	4,717	11,905	11,320	585
Arkansas	1,481	1,384	164	37,497	35,371	2,127	4,650	4,386	264
California	17,213	15,713	2,357	591,822	545,922	45,900	73,386	67,694	5,692
Colorado	2,504	2,325	316	80,561	75,348	5,213	9,990	9,343	646
Connecticut	2,009	1,869	237	74,982	69,544	5,438	9,298	8,623	674
Delaware	520	499	40	17,227	16,636	591	2,136	2,063	73
District of Columbia	373	356	31	14,230	13,395	835	1,765	1,661	104
Florida	9,523	8,919	1,087	276,380	262,145	14,234	34,271	32,506	1,765
Georgia	4,774	4,487	521	144,882	137,531	7,351	17,965	17,054	911
Hawaii	737	693	75	23,531	22,312	1,218	2,918	2,767	151
Idaho	805	760	89	21,743	20,457	1,286	2,696	2,537	159
Illinois	6,671	6,267	727	217,838	206,589	11,248	27,012	25,617	1,395
Indiana	3,672	3,509	321	106,761	101,903	4,858	13,238	12,636	602
Iowa	1,743	1,633	201	49,132	46,234	2,898	6,092	5,733	359
Kansas	1,579	1,492	172	46,782	44,221	2,561	5,801	5,483	318
Kentucky	2,192	2,066	230	59,481	56,494	2,987	7,376	7,005	370
Louisiana	2,116	1,972	244	57,564	53,830	3,734	7,138	6,675	463
Maine	781	717	105	20,611	19,086	1,526	2,556	2,367	189
Maryland	3,225	3,059	310	120,903	115,524	5,378	14,992	14,325	667
Massachusetts	3,498	3,245	413	125,891	117,796	8,095	15,610	14,607	1,004
Michigan	5,363	5,097	512	166,520	159,502	7,018	20,649	19,778	870
Minnesota	3,155	2,983	332	103,858	98,742	5,116	12,878	12,244	634
Mississippi	1,416	1,329	158	36,227	33,960	2,267	4,492	4,211	281
Missouri	3,171	2,986	328	88,909	84,169	4,740	11,025	10,437	588
Montana	559	515	74	13,870	12,761	1,109	1,720	1,582	138
Nebraska	1,056	999	112	29,658	28,081	1,577	3,678	3,482	196
Nevada	1,304	1,243	110	39,056	37,135	1,921	4,843	4,605	238
New Hampshire	832	775	92	28,045	26,310	1,735	3,478	3,262	215
New Jersey	4,824	4,554	474	189,893	179,900	9,993	23,547	22,308	1,239
New Mexico	967	915	97	26,658	25,221	1,437	3,306	3,127	178
New York	10,174	9,483	1,192	355,530	335,928	19,602	44,086	41,655	2,431
North Carolina	4,765	4,486	505	140,870	133,096	7,774	17,468	16,504	964
North Dakota	395	370	49	10,522	9,792	729	1,305	1,214	90
Ohio	5,955	5,606	593	170,747	162,281	8,466	21,173	20,123	1,050
Oklahoma	1,906	1,786	216	50,905	48,003	2,902	6,312	5,952	360
Oregon	1,979	1,850	217	59,835	56,077	3,759	7,420	6,953	466
Pennsylvania	6,863	6,511	629	219,122	208,093	11,029	27,171	25,803	1,368
Rhode Island	637	602	67	20,761	19,705	1,056	2,574	2,443	131
South Carolina	2,289	2,171	214	63,804	60,744	3,060	7,912	7,532	379
South Dakota	493	461	65	12,278	11,399	879	1,522	1,413	109
Tennessee	3,268	3,040	398	92,731	85,710	7,021	11,499	10,628	871
Texas	11,280	10,469	1,434	344,870	322,501	22,369	42,764	39,990	2,774
Utah	1,333	1,278	120	37,482	35,882	1,600	4,648	4,449	198

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**Table 4.B10—Number of workers with Social Security (OASDI) taxable earnings, amount taxable, and contributions, by state or other area and type of earnings, 2006—Continued**

State or area <sup>a</sup>	Number <sup>b</sup> (thousands)			Taxable earnings <sup>c</sup> (millions of dollars)			OASDI contributions <sup>d</sup> (millions of dollars)		
	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed
Vermont	432	406	50	12,024	11,214	810	1,491	1,391	100
Virginia	4,378	4,154	419	152,837	145,700	7,137	18,952	18,067	885
Washington	3,456	3,265	333	119,371	113,041	6,330	14,802	14,017	785
West Virginia	896	851	79	24,068	22,908	1,159	2,984	2,841	144
Wisconsin	3,249	3,093	292	100,227	95,893	4,334	12,428	11,891	537
Wyoming	338	319	37	9,944	9,398	547	1,233	1,165	68
Outlying area									
Puerto Rico	1,219	1,137	94	23,435	21,704	1,732	2,906	2,691	215
Other and unknown <sup>e</sup>	1,998	1,992	9	41,357	41,184	172	5,128	5,107	21

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Continuous Work History Sample, 1 percent sample.

NOTE: Data are based on preliminary estimates.

- a. State designation based primarily on employee end-of-year residence, obtained from employer wage reports filed electronically. State designation based on location of employer for reports filed via paper.
- b. Workers with earnings in both wage and salary employment and self-employment are counted in each type of employment but only once in the total. National and state totals and subtotals are unduplicated counts of workers in each type of employment.
- c. Annual maximum taxable earnings for Social Security (OASDI) from a single employer or from self-employment were \$94,200 in 2006.
- d. For 2006 earnings, paid at the rate of 6.2 percent of taxable wages by both employees and employers, 6.2 percent of taxable tips by employees, and 12.4 percent of self-employment income by self-employed workers. Data are unadjusted for multi-employer tax refunds.
- e. Persons employed in American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, and U.S. Virgin Islands; U.S. citizens employed abroad by U.S. employers; persons employed on U.S. oceanborne vessels; and workers with unknown residence.

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#### 4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

**Table 4.B11—Number of workers with Social Security (OASDI) taxable earnings, amount taxable, and contributions, by type of earnings, selected years 1937–2007**

Year	Number <sup>a</sup> (thousands)			Taxable earnings <sup>b</sup> (millions of dollars)			OASDI contributions <sup>c,d</sup> (millions of dollars)		
	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed
1937	32,900	32,900	...	29,620	29,620	...	592	592	...
1940	35,390	35,390	...	32,970	32,970	...	659	659	...
1945	46,390	46,390	...	62,950	62,950	...	1,259	1,259	...
1950	48,280	48,280	...	87,500	87,500	...	2,625	2,625	...
1951	58,120	54,630	4,190	120,770	111,250	9,520	3,552	3,338	214
1952	59,580	56,060	4,240	128,640	118,880	9,760	3,786	3,566	220
1953	60,840	57,220	4,340	135,870	125,840	10,030	4,001	3,775	226
1954	59,610	55,940	4,350	133,520	123,410	10,110	5,240	4,936	303
1955	65,200	59,560	6,810	157,540	141,810	15,730	6,144	5,672	472
1956	67,610	61,560	7,390	170,720	153,010	17,710	6,652	6,120	531
1957	70,590	64,730	7,150	181,380	163,990	17,390	7,966	7,380	587
1958	69,770	64,040	7,130	180,720	163,140	17,580	7,935	7,341	593
1959	71,700	66,000	7,060	202,310	183,620	18,690	9,882	9,181	701
1960	72,530	66,980	6,870	207,000	188,580	18,420	12,144	11,315	829
1961	72,820	67,360	6,790	209,640	190,850	18,790	12,297	11,451	846
1962	74,280	68,890	6,720	219,050	200,130	18,920	13,397	12,508	889
1963	75,540	70,310	6,590	225,550	206,840	18,710	16,006	14,996	1,010
1964	77,430	72,230	6,480	236,390	217,430	18,960	16,788	15,764	1,024
1965	80,680	75,430	6,550	250,730	230,830	19,900	17,810	16,735	1,075
1966	84,600	79,460	6,630	312,540	287,860	24,680	23,597	22,165	1,431
1967	87,040	82,020	6,470	329,960	305,670	24,290	25,275	23,842	1,433
1968	89,380	84,470	6,570	375,800	348,500	27,300	28,069	26,486	1,583
1969	92,060	87,200	6,350	402,510	375,010	27,500	33,233	31,501	1,733
1970	93,090	88,180	6,270	415,580	388,680	26,900	34,344	32,649	1,695
1971	93,340	88,460	6,290	426,950	399,550	27,400	38,649	36,759	1,891
1972	96,240	91,220	6,600	484,150	452,050	32,100	43,804	41,589	2,215
1973	99,830	94,610	7,100	561,850	523,450	38,400	53,463	50,775	2,688
1974	101,330	96,190	7,040	636,800	594,400	42,400	61,814	58,846	2,968
1975	100,200	94,900	7,000	664,700	621,100	43,600	64,541	61,489	3,052
1976	102,600	97,230	7,400	737,700	689,200	48,500	71,626	68,231	3,395
1977	105,800	100,450	7,480	816,600	763,600	53,000	79,306	75,596	3,710
1978	110,600	104,810	8,040	915,600	856,100	59,500	90,691	86,466	4,225
1979	112,700	106,900	8,200	1,067,000	997,500	69,500	106,246	101,346	4,900
1980	113,000	107,200	8,200	1,180,700	1,109,000	71,700	117,729	112,674	5,055
1981	113,000	107,300	8,250	1,294,100	1,220,000	74,100	136,468	130,540	5,928
1982	111,800	105,800	8,550	1,365,300	1,290,000	75,300	145,382	139,320	6,062
1983	112,100	105,900	9,200	1,454,100	1,369,000	85,100	154,703	147,852	6,851
1984	116,300	109,900	9,900	1,608,800	1,515,000	93,800	183,403	172,710	10,693
1985	119,800	113,400	10,600	1,722,600	1,621,000	101,600	196,376	184,794	11,582
1986	122,900	115,900	11,200	1,844,400	1,730,800	113,600	210,262	197,311	12,950
1987	125,600	118,200	12,000	1,960,000	1,835,100	124,900	223,440	209,201	14,239
1988	129,600	122,100	12,400	2,088,400	1,952,000	136,400	253,114	236,582	16,532
1989	131,700	123,900	12,900	2,239,500	2,096,000	143,500	271,427	254,035	17,392
1990	133,600	126,100	12,500	2,358,000	2,222,000	136,000	292,392	275,528	16,864
1991	133,000	125,200	12,800	2,422,500	2,283,000	139,500	300,390	283,092	17,298
1992	134,000	126,000	13,100	2,532,900	2,386,000	146,900	314,080	295,864	18,216
1993	136,100	128,100	13,200	2,636,100	2,483,400	152,700	326,876	307,942	18,935
1994	138,200	130,100	13,300	2,785,200	2,624,500	160,700	345,365	325,438	19,927

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**Table 4.B11—Number of workers with Social Security (OASDI) taxable earnings, amount taxable, and contributions, by type of earnings, selected years 1937–2007—Continued**

Year	Number <sup>a</sup> (thousands)			Taxable earnings <sup>b</sup> (millions of dollars)			OASDI contributions <sup>c,d</sup> (millions of dollars)		
	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed
1995	141,000	132,800	13,500	2,919,100	2,754,300	164,800	361,968	341,533	20,435
1996	143,400	135,100	13,900	3,073,500	2,901,700	171,800	381,114	359,811	21,303
1997	146,145	137,765	14,020	3,285,000	3,104,300	180,700	407,340	384,933	22,407
1998	148,786	140,386	14,230	3,524,900	3,333,700	191,200	437,088	413,379	23,709
1999	151,333	142,703	14,500	3,749,600	3,547,300	202,300	464,950	439,865	25,085
2000	154,732	146,097	14,675	4,008,500	3,798,400	210,100	497,054	471,002	26,052
2001	155,416	146,596	14,930	4,167,900	3,950,100	217,800	516,820	489,812	27,007
2002	154,893	145,793	15,249	4,250,100	4,021,800	228,300	527,012	498,703	28,309
2003	154,576	145,101	15,969	4,355,000	4,114,000	241,000	540,020	510,136	29,884
2004 <sup>e</sup>	156,250	146,552	16,556	4,553,400	4,294,800	258,600	564,622	532,555	32,066
2005 <sup>e</sup>	158,913	149,025	17,288	4,765,900	4,491,700	274,200	590,972	556,971	34,001
2006 <sup>f</sup>	161,205	151,200	17,525	5,047,755	4,761,800	285,955	625,922	590,463	35,458
2007 <sup>g</sup>	162,454	152,616	17,418	5,279,995	4,981,239	298,756	654,719	617,674	37,046

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample; Bureau of Economic Analysis; Bureau of Labor Statistics.

NOTE: . . . = not applicable.

- a. Workers with earnings in both wage and salary employment and self-employment are counted in each type of employment but only once in the total.
- b. See Table 2.A3 for annual maximum taxable earnings.
- c. See Table 2.A3 for contribution rates.
- d. Unadjusted for multi-employer tax refunds. Unadjusted for tax credits. See Table 2.A5 for information on tax credits.
- e. Preliminary data.
- f. Taxable earnings are preliminary estimates based on Social Security data; employment data are preliminary estimates based on data from Bureau of Labor Statistics and the National Income and Product Accounts.
- g. Preliminary estimates based on data from Bureau of Labor Statistics and Bureau of Economic Analysis.

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#### 4.B HI: Covered Workers

**Table 4.B12—Number of workers with Medicare Part A (HI) taxable earnings, amount taxable, and contributions, by state or other area and type of earnings, 2006**

State or area <sup>a</sup>	Number <sup>b</sup> (thousands)			Taxable earnings <sup>c</sup> (millions of dollars)			HI contributions <sup>d</sup> (millions of dollars)		
	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed
All areas	165,091	155,238	18,412	6,265,819	5,809,800	456,019	181,709	168,484	13,225
Alabama	2,409	2,266	261	74,670	69,573	5,096	2,165	2,018	148
Alaska	412	389	47	15,045	13,910	1,136	436	403	33
Arizona	3,070	2,909	300	111,921	104,213	7,708	3,246	3,022	224
Arkansas	1,488	1,391	169	41,843	39,067	2,776	1,213	1,133	81
California	18,127	16,665	2,476	812,263	738,706	73,557	23,556	21,422	2,133
Colorado	2,681	2,514	335	107,389	99,555	7,834	3,114	2,887	227
Connecticut	2,054	1,917	254	113,340	100,989	12,351	3,287	2,929	358
Delaware	522	501	42	19,709	18,728	981	572	543	28
District of Columbia	381	365	33	19,373	17,193	2,180	562	499	63
Florida	9,592	8,988	1,138	330,407	309,121	21,286	9,582	8,965	617
Georgia	4,879	4,596	548	175,625	164,106	11,519	5,093	4,759	334
Hawaii	756	714	78	26,852	25,072	1,780	779	727	52
Idaho	808	762	92	24,015	22,430	1,585	696	650	46
Illinois	6,934	6,545	767	283,970	265,065	18,905	8,235	7,687	548
Indiana	3,689	3,525	335	118,964	112,386	6,578	3,450	3,259	191
Iowa	1,750	1,639	208	54,215	50,787	3,428	1,572	1,473	99
Kansas	1,587	1,500	180	53,277	49,941	3,337	1,545	1,448	97
Kentucky	2,246	2,123	240	67,548	63,325	4,224	1,959	1,836	122
Louisiana	2,282	2,147	254	73,360	67,867	5,493	2,127	1,968	159
Maine	812	750	108	24,330	22,570	1,760	706	655	51
Maryland	3,293	3,127	334	149,721	140,146	9,575	4,342	4,064	278
Massachusetts	3,734	3,498	442	173,355	159,610	13,746	5,027	4,629	399
Michigan	5,387	5,120	539	189,192	178,817	10,375	5,487	5,186	301
Minnesota	3,169	2,997	351	120,120	113,235	6,885	3,483	3,284	200
Mississippi	1,424	1,336	162	39,815	36,540	3,275	1,155	1,060	95
Missouri	3,244	3,062	341	107,165	100,099	7,065	3,108	2,903	205
Montana	562	518	76	15,393	13,904	1,488	446	403	43
Nebraska	1,061	1,004	118	33,470	31,350	2,120	971	909	61
Nevada	1,383	1,325	115	50,193	46,194	3,998	1,456	1,340	116
New Hampshire	845	787	97	33,481	31,248	2,233	971	906	65
New Jersey	4,853	4,581	516	250,201	231,330	18,872	7,256	6,709	547
New Mexico	977	925	101	29,588	27,423	2,166	858	795	63
New York	10,200	9,504	1,261	482,532	439,112	43,420	13,993	12,734	1,259
North Carolina	4,780	4,499	528	161,738	150,141	11,597	4,690	4,354	336
North Dakota	397	372	50	11,566	10,710	855	335	311	25
Ohio	6,443	6,125	621	220,208	208,653	11,555	6,386	6,051	335
Oklahoma	1,922	1,801	223	56,964	53,377	3,587	1,652	1,548	104
Oregon	1,988	1,858	225	67,330	62,284	5,045	1,953	1,806	146
Pennsylvania	6,903	6,550	668	258,504	242,187	16,316	7,497	7,023	473
Rhode Island	647	612	72	24,640	23,276	1,364	715	675	40
South Carolina	2,294	2,175	223	72,349	68,175	4,173	2,098	1,977	121
South Dakota	496	463	67	13,637	12,479	1,158	395	362	34
Tennessee	3,286	3,057	414	110,617	98,573	12,044	3,208	2,859	349
Texas	11,867	11,082	1,494	439,694	405,843	33,851	12,751	11,769	982
Utah	1,343	1,287	126	42,963	40,012	2,951	1,246	1,160	86

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**Table 4.B12—Number of workers with Medicare Part A (HI) taxable earnings, amount taxable, and contributions, by state or other area and type of earnings, 2006**

State or area <sup>a</sup>	Number <sup>b</sup> (thousands)			Taxable earnings <sup>c</sup> (millions of dollars)			HI contributions <sup>d</sup> (millions of dollars)		
	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed
Vermont	433	406	52	13,602	12,571	1,031	394	365	30
Virginia	4,426	4,202	446	184,896	172,868	12,029	5,362	5,013	349
Washington	3,483	3,292	352	140,045	130,849	9,196	4,061	3,795	267
West Virginia	902	857	83	26,427	24,778	1,649	766	719	48
Wisconsin	3,260	3,103	307	113,823	108,200	5,623	3,301	3,138	163
Wyoming	340	321	38	11,177	10,216	960	324	296	28
Outlying area									
Puerto Rico	1,257	1,175	95	26,008	23,926	2,082	754	694	60
Other and unknown <sup>e</sup>	2,015	2,009	9	47,287	47,068	219	1,371	1,365	6

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Continuous Work History Sample, 1 percent sample.

NOTE: Data are based on preliminary estimates.

- State designation based primarily on employee end-of-year residence, obtained from employer wage reports filed electronically. State designation based on location of employer for reports filed via paper.
- Workers with earnings in both wage and salary employment and self-employment are counted in each type of employment but only once in the total. National and state totals and subtotals are unduplicated counts of workers in each type of employment.
- No annual maximum taxable earnings amount for Medicare.
- For 2006 earnings, paid at the rate of 1.45 percent of taxable wages by both employees and employers, 1.45 percent of taxable tips by employees, and 2.9 percent of self-employment income by self-employed workers.
- Persons employed in American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, and U.S. Virgin Islands; U.S. citizens employed abroad by U.S. employers; persons employed on U.S. oceanborne vessels; and workers with unknown residence.

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## 4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

**Table 4.B13—Social Security (OASDI) taxable earnings, by sex and age, 2006**

Sex	Total, all ages <sup>a</sup>	Under 20	20–29	30–39	40–49	50–59	60–61	62–64	65–69	70 or older
<i>Social Security (OASDI) taxable earnings (in millions of dollars)</i>										
All workers	5,047,755	48,855	702,201	1,199,750	1,470,803	1,193,363	138,692	141,704	97,502	54,843
Men	3,051,572	26,063	396,035	732,805	899,133	719,077	86,033	90,674	64,205	37,522
Women	1,996,183	22,792	306,166	466,945	571,670	474,286	52,660	51,030	33,297	17,321
<i>Percentage distribution, by age</i>										
All workers	100	1	14	24	29	24	3	3	2	1
Men	100	1	13	24	29	24	3	3	2	1
Women	100	1	15	23	29	24	3	3	2	1
<i>Percentage distribution, by sex</i>										
All workers	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Men	60	53	56	61	61	60	62	64	66	68
Women	40	47	44	39	39	40	38	36	34	32

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTE: Totals do not necessarily equal the sum of rounded components.

a. Includes workers of unknown age.

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**Table 4.B14—Medicare Part A (HI) taxable earnings, by sex and age, 2006**

Sex	Total, all ages <sup>a</sup>	Under 20	20–29	30–39	40–49	50–59	60–61	62–64	65–69	70 or older
<b>Medicare Part A (HI) taxable earnings (in millions of dollars)</b>										
All workers	6,265,819	49,383	735,843	1,394,762	1,876,516	1,612,944	188,656	197,452	135,302	74,887
Men	4,017,802	26,411	416,688	877,256	1,218,222	1,056,683	128,907	140,518	97,975	55,110
Women	2,248,017	22,972	319,155	517,505	658,295	556,262	59,748	56,934	37,327	19,776
<b>Percentage distribution, by age</b>										
All workers	100	1	12	22	30	26	3	3	2	1
Men	100	1	10	22	30	26	3	3	2	1
Women	100	1	14	23	29	25	3	3	2	1
<b>Percentage distribution, by sex</b>										
All workers	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Men	64	53	57	63	65	66	68	71	72	74
Women	36	47	43	37	35	34	32	29	28	26

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTE: Totals do not necessarily equal the sum of rounded components.

a. Includes workers of unknown age.

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