

Table 7.
All OASDI benefits, by program and type of benefit, August 2006–August 2007

Month	Total, OASDI ^a	OASI			Subtotal, DI ^c
		Subtotal, OASI ^b	Retirement	Survivors	
Number (thousands)					
2006					
August	346	227	158	68	119
September	379	258	187	71	122
October	385	262	187	74	124
November	398	276	199	77	122
December	283	204	150	54	79
2007					
January	550	455	371	84	95
February	402	299	224	75	103
March	420	303	218	85	116
April	409	290	211	79	119
May	369	259	191	68	109
June	393	280	205	75	113
July	394	285	206	79	109
August	368	265	192	73	104
Average monthly benefit (dollars)					
2006					
August	768.60	799.90	831.90	726.00	708.90
September	796.90	839.40	881.80	727.10	706.90
October	801.10	841.10	884.10	732.50	716.70
November	798.60	844.50	888.70	730.80	694.80
December	854.30	899.30	944.50	774.50	737.90
2007					
January	985.40	1,035.10	1,078.00	844.50	746.30
February	869.20	911.00	956.80	774.90	747.30
March	842.90	890.30	938.40	766.70	719.20
April	839.90	885.20	930.90	763.20	729.00
May	838.50	884.60	927.80	764.10	728.70
June	853.10	896.10	939.60	777.80	746.30
July	861.90	903.70	952.40	775.80	753.10
August	855.30	896.10	942.50	773.80	751.00

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

NOTES: 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.

Beginning with April 2007, individuals whose benefits have been reinstated under the Expedited Reinstatement provisions are no longer included. Therefore, the statistics reported in this publication differ from those reported by the Office of the Chief Actuary.

a. Includes special age-72 beneficiaries.

Excludes a number of Railroad Retirement beneficiaries who would have been eligible for Social Security benefits had they applied. The reason they have not applied is that receipt of a Social Security benefit would reduce their Railroad Retirement benefit by a like amount. The number of Railroad Retirement beneficiaries who would be eligible for a Social Security benefit if they applied is not available, but is estimated to be less than 100,000.

b. Benefits paid from the OASI trust fund to retired workers and their spouses and children and to all survivors.

c. Benefits paid from the DI trust fund to disabled workers and their spouses and children.

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