



# **Income of the Population 55 or Older, 2004**

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## Preface

This report provides a broad income picture of a cross section of the population aged 55 or older, with special emphasis on income of the population aged 65 or older. The tabulations focus on the major sources and amounts of income in 2004, both separately and combined, for those age groups. The relative importance of particular sources to total income is measured for individual units, and the share of aggregate income from particular sources is measured for the aged as a whole. Proportions of the aged below the poverty line are presented in terms of the income of the families with whom they live. Several tables describe the economic situation of the aged with varying levels of Social Security benefits and total money income. These data are a valuable resource for policymakers and researchers in government and in the private sector.

Since 1941, the Social Security Administration (SSA) has periodically surveyed the economic situation of the aged as part of its legislative directive to study the most effective methods of providing economic security. Between 1963 and 1972, three national surveys were conducted that sampled nonbeneficiaries as well as beneficiaries. In 1963 and 1968, SSA administered its own questionnaire and combined data from those surveys with Social Security record data of the survey respondents. In 1972, SSA benefit record data were combined with U.S. Census Bureau data from the March Current Population Survey (CPS).

SSA then began a series of biennial studies of the income of the aged based on the CPS data alone. The first report in the series described the income of the population aged 55 or older, and in some cases the population aged 65 or older, using 1976 data. The second report described apparent changes in the income of those age groups between 1976 and 1978. In the interest of publishing the data in a more timely fashion, however, beginning with the 1980 report, publications in the series have consisted of tabulations only. Starting with the 1990 report, we expanded the series with a companion publication, *Income of the Aged Chartbook*, which highlights selected data in charts and tables for the population aged 65 or older.

The source of data for this series is the March supplement of the CPS, which samples a large cross section of households in the United States each year and provides detailed information annually on income and labor force participation. Comparisons of CPS estimates with more precise estimates adjusted by federal income tax records and Social Security records

indicate that some sources are underreported in the CPS. Also, changes that have been made in the survey from time to time have improved the measurement of income and labor force participation but have reduced the comparability of estimates between years. Despite these shortcomings, CPS data still provide the best available measures of income for detailed subgroups of the aged.

The data in this publication are presented in terms of either aged units or aged persons. An aged unit is defined as either a married couple living together or a nonmarried person. Using aged units or aged persons as the units of analysis allows one to measure incomes of the entire aged population either separately from or in combination with the income of other members of the families with whom they live. Beginning with the 2000 edition, poverty status is presented only for aged persons in terms of their family income, because that measure is now the preferred measure of poverty.

The tables focus on the income of the aged population separately, whether or not they live with other relatives. In contrast, Census Bureau publications that use CPS data classify aged persons living with a younger relative who is considered the householder as *families under 65*. Thus, a portion of the aged population cannot be accounted for within the Census Bureau's categorization. But for the 24 percent of units aged 65 or older who lived with other family members in 2004, the income of the families with whom they lived is important information. Therefore, data on family income of aged units are presented.

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## About This Report

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## About This Report

This biennial report presents detailed statistical information on the major sources and amounts of income for people aged 55 or older. The tabulations focus on the major sources of total income by age, sex, marital status, race, and Hispanic origin. Several tables describe the economic situation of the aged with varying levels of Social Security benefits. Their poverty status is presented in terms of the income of the families they live with.

### Source of Data

Data for this series are from the March Current Population Survey (CPS) of the U.S. Census Bureau.<sup>1</sup> The CPS samples a large cross section of households in the United States each year (approximately 99,000 in March 2005). The March supplement gathers detailed information on income and labor force participation of each person 15 years of age or older in the sample households. For this series, the Social Security Administration (SSA) creates a subsample of persons 55 or older arranged in aged units. A separate data record is made for each married couple living together—at least one of whom is 55 or older—and for each nonmarried person 55 or older. Married persons living apart are classified as nonmarried persons.

From time to time, changes have been made in the survey. Although the changes have improved the measurement of income and labor

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1. For a detailed description of the basic CPS sample design, see U.S. Census Bureau, *Current Population Survey: Design and Methodology*, Technical Paper No. 63RV (Washington, DC: Government Printing Office, March 2002).

force participation, they have reduced the comparability of estimates made in different years.<sup>2</sup>

### Definition and Explanation of Key Variables

#### Age

These tabulations cover units aged 55 or older. The age of a married couple is defined as the age of the husband, unless he is younger than 55 and the wife is 55 or older, in which case it is the age of the wife.

#### Aged Unit

The major unit of analysis in Social Security surveys of the aged has been the aged unit rather than the construct of families and unrelated individuals used by the Census Bureau. With 55 as the age cutoff, aged units are married couples living together—at least one of whom is 55 or older—and nonmarried persons 55 or older. Persons who are married but not living with a spouse are counted as nonmarried persons.

Certain differences exist between Census Bureau and SSA figures because the units of analysis are not directly comparable. The Census Bureau classifies families by characteristics of the householder—the first person in whose name a home is listed as owned or rented. It therefore classifies aged persons who are living with a younger relative who is considered the

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2. These changes are discussed in some detail in U.S. Census Bureau, *Current Population Reports*, Series P60, various years.

householder as members of nonaged families. Also, SSA treats nonmarried individuals simply as nonmarried persons. In comparison, the Census Bureau counts nonmarried persons living with other relatives as part of a family and nonmarried persons who are living alone or with nonrelatives as unrelated individuals. The Census Bureau's family category includes both married couples and those nonmarried persons who are living with relatives.

Census data show that the number of households with a householder aged 65 or older in 2004 was 23,135,000.<sup>3</sup> In comparison, SSA data show 26,865,000 such households. The SSA count generally includes the Census Bureau's aged households plus some aged units living in nonaged households or living with other aged units in the same household. The number of aged households was 86 percent of the number of aged units.

#### Aged Unit Income

The income of an aged unit is either the income of a nonmarried person or the sum of income from both spouses in a married couple. A married couple is counted as receiving income from a particular source if one or both persons are recipients of that source.

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3. Carmen DeNavas-Walt, Bernadette D. Proctor, and Cheryl Hill Lee, *Income, Poverty, and Health Insurance Coverage in the United States: 2004*, U.S. Census Bureau, *Current Population Reports*, P60-229 (Washington, DC: Government Printing Office, August 2005), Table 1.

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## Family Income

For a family, income is calculated as the sum of total money income of all persons related by blood, marriage, or adoption and residing together. Total money income is the same as family income for aged units who live with no other relatives.

## Race

Beginning with data for 2002, respondents may identify themselves in more than one racial group. The categories “White alone” and “Black alone” reflect respondents who reported only one race. Less than 1 percent of persons aged 55 or older in 2002 reported more than one race. Married couples are assigned the race of the husband.

## Reporting of Income

Income amounts reported by persons in the Current Population Survey are somewhat less than amounts derived from independent sources such as the Bureau of Economic Analysis, Social Security Administration, and Department of Labor. A comparison of aggregates from the March 1996 CPS with independent estimates found that the CPS accounted for 102 percent of wages and salaries, 92 percent of Social Security and Railroad Retirement benefits, 93 percent of private pensions, 81 percent of federal government pensions, 58 percent of military retirement pensions, 57 percent of state and local government retirement pensions, 84 percent of Supplemental Security Income payments, 84 percent of interest, and 59 percent of dividends.<sup>4</sup>

A matching of data for 1972 from the Census Bureau, SSA, and the Internal Revenue Service has provided a rich source for methodological

comparisons of record and survey information of individuals.<sup>5</sup> In a report from the match of data for 1976, the adjusted mean income of families headed by a person aged 65 or older was 41 percent higher than that found in the CPS.<sup>6</sup>

## Social Security Beneficiary Status

A yes or no response to the question in the CPS on receipt of Social Security benefits is the measure of beneficiary status. Missing answers are imputed by the Census Bureau.

Although Social Security benefits are referred to as retirement benefits in these tabulations, Social Security beneficiaries include not only retired workers but also dependent spouses, dependents or survivors with young children in their care, and persons with a disability. At the end of 2004, SSA records showed that 98 percent of those aged 55 to 59 with a Social Security benefit were disabled; the remaining 2 percent were parents with young children in their care. At the age of 60, old-age benefits are available to survivors. Men who were 60 or 61 years of age all received a benefit because of disability, except for a very small number of widowers. The proportion of female beneficiaries aged 60 or 61 who received a disability benefit was 61 percent; the remaining were aged widows and those with young children in their care.

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4. U.S. Census Bureau, *Money Income in the United States: 1999*, Current Population Reports, P60-209 (Washington, DC: Government Printing Office, September 2000), Table D-1.

5. See Social Security Administration, *Studies from Inter-agency Data Linkages*, a series of seven reports, including an introductory paper, published between August 1973 and June 1975.

6. Daniel B. Radner, “Distribution of Family Income: Improved Estimates,” *Social Security Bulletin* 45(7): 13–21, July 1982.

At the age of 62, reduced retired-worker and dependent’s benefits are available. Among beneficiaries aged 62 to 64, 26 percent of men and 16 percent of women had disability benefits. Almost all remaining men in that age group were receiving retired-worker benefits. Only a small number received benefits as a father or widower. The remaining women aged 62 to 64 received benefits as retired workers, dependents, or survivors.<sup>7</sup>

## Total Money Income

The amount of total money income is calculated as the sum of all income received by the aged unit before any deductions, such as those for taxes, union dues, or Medicare premiums. Income may come from any source that was regularly received. The sources include wages and salaries, self-employment income (including losses), Social Security, Supplemental Security Income, public assistance, interest, dividends, rent, royalties, estates or trusts, veterans’ payments, unemployment compensation, workers’ compensation, regular payments from private and government retirement and disability pensions, alimony, and child support. Capital gains (or losses) and lump-sum or one-time payments, such as life insurance settlements and pension withdrawals, are excluded.

Total money income does not reflect non-money transfers such as food stamps, health benefits, subsidized housing, payments in kind, or fringe benefits from one’s employment.

To reduce the amount of nonsampling error resulting from nonresponses, the Census Bureau

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7. Social Security Administration, *Annual Statistical Supplement to the Social Security Bulletin, 2005* (Washington, DC: SSA, 2006), Tables 5.A1.2–5.A1.5 and 5.A10.

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has devised procedures to impute work and income data for all persons for whom this information is missing. Amounts assigned to a nonrespondent are those observed for another person with similar demographic and economic characteristics who did respond.<sup>8</sup>

## Measurement of Poverty

The poverty concept, originally developed in 1964 by Mollie Orshansky of the Social Security Administration and revised by federal interagency committees in 1969 and 1981, consists of a set of thresholds that vary by family size and composition. There are 48 thresholds for families composed of one to nine or more persons cross-classified by the presence and number of family members under the age of 18 (from no children to eight or more). One- and two-person families are further differentiated by the age of the family householder (under the age of 65 and aged 65 or older). The poverty index for families of three or more persons is based on the cost of the Depart-

ment of Agriculture's economy food plan, multiplied by the ratio of income to food costs derived from the 1955 Household Food Consumption Survey. The factors used to derive the poverty index from food costs for one- and two-person families were higher.

These criteria for determining the extent of poverty in the United States have become the basis for the official statistics issued annually by the U.S. Census Bureau in *Poverty in the United States*, Current Population Reports, Series P60. The poverty levels are adjusted to reflect changes in the annual average consumer price index.

Calculations of the poverty threshold do not consider nonmoney income. When the poverty index was originally developed, public noncash benefits for both nonneedy and needy families were relatively small and unimportant. The index was therefore developed as a measure of the adequacy of money income only.

The official poverty measures used by the Census Bureau compare family total money income with the appropriate thresholds. Families as well as all persons in families with income below the appropriate threshold are considered poor. Tables 8.1 to 8.3 present measures of the poverty status of aged persons based on their family income, consistent with the official measures.

Interest also centers on the number of persons whose income is only slightly above the poverty line. Those groups, sometimes called the

*near poor*, have income between the poverty line and 125 percent of the poverty line. Estimates of proportions of the aged who are poor or near poor are presented in Tables 8.1 to 8.3.

In May 1995, the Committee on National Statistics of the National Academy of Sciences released a report on poverty measurement, *Measuring Poverty: A New Approach*, that contained a number of recommendations for improving the measurement of poverty.<sup>9</sup> Among the recommendations were expanding the income definition to include the growing amount of nonmoney income (such as food stamps and subsidized housing) and taking into account such expenses as income and payroll taxes, child care and other work-related expenses, out-of-pocket medical expenses, and payments of child support made to another household. In 1997, the Office of Management and Budget formed a working group, under the auspices of the Interagency Council on Statistical Policy, to conduct a review of the available options for revising the definition of poverty. The group has coordinated with the Census Bureau to develop experimental poverty measures that incorporate the recommendations of the National Academy of Sciences.<sup>10</sup>

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8. For a detailed discussion of these imputation procedures, see Emmett F. Spiers and Joseph J. Knott, "Computer Method to Process Missing Income and Work Experience Information in the Current Population Survey," in American Statistical Association, *Proceedings of the Social Statistics Section, 1969* (New York, August 19–22), pp. 289–297. The CPS imputation technique is described in U.S. Census Bureau, *Current Population Survey: Design and Methodology*, Technical Paper No. 63 (March 2000). For an overview of imputation techniques and an extensive reference list, see Graham Kalton and Daniel Kasprzyk, "Imputing for Missing Survey Responses," in American Statistical Association, *Proceedings of the Section on Survey Research Methods, 1982* (Cincinnati, Ohio, August 16–19), pp. 22–31.

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9. Constance F. Citro and Robert T. Michael, eds., *Measuring Poverty: A New Approach* (Washington, DC: National Academy Press, 1995).

10. Kathleen Short, *Experimental Poverty Measures: 1999*, U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Reports, P60-216 (Washington, DC: Government Printing Office, October 2001).



## Income Sources

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**Table 1.1**  
**Percentage with income from specified source, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004**

Source of income	Aged 55-61	Aged 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80 or older	
<i>All units</i>								
Earnings	81	65	24	44	28	16	7	
Wages and salaries	76	60	21	40	24	14	5	
Self-employment	12	11	5	8	6	3	2	
Retirement benefits	26	58	92	87	92	93	94	
Social Security <sup>a</sup>	13	46	89	84	90	91	92	
Benefits other than Social Security	16	29	41	39	42	43	41	
Other public pensions	7	12	14	15	15	15	13	
Railroad Retirement	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Government employee pensions	7	11	14	14	14	14	12	
Military	1	2	2	2	2	1	1	
Federal	1	3	4	4	4	4	5	
State or local	4	6	8	8	9	9	7	
Private pensions or annuities	10	19	29	27	30	30	30	
Income from assets	58	59	55	57	57	54	53	
Interest	55	55	52	53	53	50	50	
Other income from assets	30	31	25	27	28	25	23	
Dividends	25	26	20	22	22	20	18	
Rent or royalties	9	11	9	9	10	8	8	
Estates or trusts	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
Veterans' benefits	4	2	4	3	4	4	5	
Unemployment compensation	5	3	1	2	1	0	0	
Workers' compensation	2	1	0	1	1	0	0	
Public assistance	5	5	4	5	5	4	4	
Supplemental Security Income	4	5	4	5	4	3	4	
Other public assistance	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Personal contributions	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>15,772</b>	<b>4,990</b>	<b>26,865</b>	<b>7,078</b>	<b>5,999</b>	<b>5,827</b>	<b>7,960</b>	

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## Income Sources of Aged Units

**Table 1.1**  
**Percentage with income from specified source, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Source of income	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65–69	70–74	75–79	80 or older	
<i>Married couples</i>								
Earnings	92	77	37	57	39	24	13	
Wages and salaries	87	72	32	52	33	20	11	
Self-employment	17	14	8	12	10	5	4	
Retirement benefits	26	59	93	89	95	95	96	
Social Security <sup>a</sup>	12	45	90	86	92	93	93	
Benefits other than Social Security	18	36	51	47	52	53	54	
Other public pensions	8	14	18	17	19	19	19	
Railroad Retirement	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Government employee pensions	8	13	18	17	18	18	18	
Military	2	3	2	3	2	2	2	
Federal	2	3	6	5	6	6	7	
State or local	5	8	11	10	11	12	11	
Private pensions or annuities	11	24	36	33	37	38	39	
Income from assets	69	68	67	68	68	65	68	
Interest	66	64	64	64	64	61	65	
Other income from assets	38	39	35	35	36	32	35	
Dividends	32	33	29	29	30	26	29	
Rent or royalties	12	13	12	12	13	10	12	
Estates or trusts	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Veterans' benefits	4	3	5	4	5	5	9	
Unemployment compensation	6	4	1	3	1	1	0	
Workers' compensation	2	1	1	1	1	0	0	
Public assistance	3	3	2	3	3	2	2	
Supplemental Security Income	3	3	2	3	2	2	2	
Other public assistance	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	
Personal contributions	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>8,681</b>	<b>2,745</b>	<b>10,930</b>	<b>3,710</b>	<b>2,731</b>	<b>2,342</b>	<b>2,146</b>	

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**Table 1.1**  
**Percentage with income from specified source, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Source of income	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65–69	70–74	75–79	80 or older	
<b>Nonmarried persons</b>								
Earnings	69	49	14	30	19	11	4	
Wages and salaries	63	45	13	27	17	10	3	
Self-employment	7	7	2	4	3	2	1	
Retirement benefits	24	57	91	85	90	92	94	
Social Security <sup>a</sup>	14	48	88	82	88	90	91	
Benefits other than Social Security	13	22	34	30	34	37	36	
Other public pensions	6	8	11	12	11	12	11	
Railroad Retirement	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	
Government employee pensions	5	8	11	11	10	11	10	
Military	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	
Federal	1	2	3	3	3	4	4	
State or local	4	5	6	7	6	7	6	
Private pensions or annuities	8	14	24	19	25	25	26	
Income from assets	44	47	47	45	47	46	48	
Interest	42	44	43	41	44	43	44	
Other income from assets	20	22	19	17	20	20	18	
Dividends	16	17	14	13	16	15	14	
Rent or royalties	6	8	6	6	7	7	6	
Estates or trusts	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	
Veterans' benefits	3	2	3	2	4	3	4	
Unemployment compensation	4	2	0	1	0	0	0	
Workers' compensation	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	
Public assistance	7	8	6	8	6	5	5	
Supplemental Security Income	7	7	6	8	6	5	5	
Other public assistance	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Personal contributions	4	2	1	2	1	1	1	
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>7,091</b>	<b>2,245</b>	<b>15,935</b>	<b>3,368</b>	<b>3,268</b>	<b>3,485</b>	<b>5,814</b>	

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## Income Sources of Aged Units

**Table 1.1**  
**Percentage with income from specified source, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Source of income	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older				
			Total	65–69	70–74	75–79	80 or older
<b>Nonmarried persons (cont.)</b>							
<i>Men</i>							
Earnings	68	47	18	29	21	17	7
Wages and salaries	60	42	14	24	18	12	5
Self-employment	10	8	4	6	4	5	2
Retirement benefits	25	57	91	85	91	92	94
Social Security <sup>a</sup>	12	48	87	82	89	89	90
Benefits other than Social Security	15	20	41	36	37	44	46
Other public pensions	6	7	13	14	9	14	13
Railroad Retirement	0	1	1	0	0	1	2
Government employee pensions	6	6	12	14	9	13	12
Military	1	1	2	4	2	2	2
Federal	1	2	4	4	2	4	5
State or local	3	3	6	7	6	7	5
Private pensions or annuities	9	14	29	23	29	30	34
Income from assets	43	46	48	44	48	48	51
Interest	41	43	44	40	44	44	48
Other income from assets	19	22	20	17	20	21	20
Dividends	16	18	15	13	15	18	16
Rent or royalties	6	9	7	7	8	7	8
Estates or trusts	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Veterans' benefits	6	3	6	4	7	5	9
Unemployment compensation	4	1	1	1	0	1	0
Workers' compensation	1	1	0	0	1	0	0
Public assistance	7	6	5	7	5	3	3
Supplemental Security Income	6	6	5	7	5	3	3
Other public assistance	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal contributions	1	0	1	1	1	0	1
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>2,773</b>	<b>819</b>	<b>4,292</b>	<b>1,141</b>	<b>936</b>	<b>892</b>	<b>1,323</b>

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**Table 1.1**  
**Percentage with income from specified source, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Source of income	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older				
			Total	65–69	70–74	75–79	80 or older
<b>Nonmarried persons (cont.)</b>							
<i>Women</i>							
Earnings	69	51	13	31	18	10	3
Wages and salaries	65	46	12	29	17	9	3
Self-employment	5	6	1	2	2	1	1
Retirement benefits	24	57	91	85	90	92	94
Social Security <sup>a</sup>	15	48	89	82	88	90	92
Benefits other than Social Security	13	23	32	28	33	34	33
Other public pensions	5	10	11	10	11	11	10
Railroad Retirement	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
Government employee pensions	5	10	10	10	11	11	10
Military	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
Federal	1	3	3	2	3	3	4
State or local	4	6	7	7	7	7	6
Private pensions or annuities	8	14	22	18	23	24	24
Income from assets	45	48	46	45	47	46	47
Interest	42	45	43	42	45	42	43
Other income from assets	20	22	18	17	20	19	18
Dividends	16	16	14	13	16	14	13
Rent or royalties	6	8	6	5	6	7	6
Estates or trusts	0	0	1	1	1	0	1
Veterans' benefits	1	1	2	2	2	3	2
Unemployment compensation	4	3	0	1	0	0	0
Workers' compensation	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
Public assistance	8	8	6	8	7	5	5
Supplemental Security Income	7	8	6	8	6	5	5
Other public assistance	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Personal contributions	5	3	1	2	1	1	1
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>4,317</b>	<b>1,427</b>	<b>11,643</b>	<b>2,227</b>	<b>2,332</b>	<b>2,592</b>	<b>4,492</b>

a. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.

## Income Sources of Aged Units

**Table 1.2**  
**Percentage with income from specified source, by Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004**

Source of income	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
<b>Beneficiary</b>															
Earnings	43	46	22	70	62	35	15	28	13	12	24	16	17	30	12
Wages and salaries	40	41	19	64	56	30	14	24	11	12	21	12	15	26	11
Self-employment	6	8	5	11	11	8	2	5	2	0	3	4	2	6	1
Retirement benefits	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Social Security <sup>a</sup>	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Benefits other than Social Security	26	39	43	32	49	53	20	27	36	19	24	43	20	29	34
Other public pensions	8	12	14	9	16	18	7	8	11	6	4	12	8	10	11
Railroad Retirement	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Government employee pensions	8	12	14	9	16	18	7	7	11	6	4	12	8	10	10
Military	1	2	2	2	3	2	0	1	1	1	1	3	0	1	1
Federal	1	2	4	1	2	6	1	2	3	1	2	3	2	3	3
State or local	5	8	9	5	12	11	5	5	7	4	1	6	6	6	7
Private pensions or annuities	20	29	32	25	36	39	14	21	26	15	21	32	13	20	24
Income from assets	38	55	57	49	63	69	27	44	49	22	46	50	30	44	48
Interest	35	51	53	46	58	65	24	42	45	21	44	46	25	41	45
Other income from assets	16	26	26	21	33	36	12	18	20	8	21	20	13	16	19
Dividends	12	21	21	15	28	30	9	14	15	8	19	16	9	12	15
Rent or royalties	7	8	9	9	10	12	5	6	7	2	6	8	6	6	6
Estates or trusts	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Veterans' benefits	9	3	4	12	4	6	6	3	3	13	4	7	3	2	2
Unemployment compensation	3	3	1	4	4	1	0	2	0	0	1	1	1	2	0
Workers' compensation	2	2	0	3	2	1	2	1	0	1	0	0	3	1	0
Public assistance	11	5	3	7	3	1	15	7	4	12	7	4	17	7	5
Supplemental Security Income	10	5	3	7	3	1	14	6	4	12	6	4	15	7	4
Other public assistance	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	3	1	0
Personal contributions	2	1	1	1	0	0	3	2	1	2	0	1	4	2	1
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>2,016</b>	<b>2,316</b>	<b>23,936</b>	<b>1,037</b>	<b>1,242</b>	<b>9,848</b>	<b>979</b>	<b>1,075</b>	<b>14,088</b>	<b>344</b>	<b>393</b>	<b>3,749</b>	<b>635</b>	<b>681</b>	<b>10,339</b>

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**Table 1.2**  
**Percentage with income from specified source, by Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Source of income	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	Total			Men			Women		
							55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
<b>Nonbeneficiary</b>															
Earnings	87	81	37	95	90	55	77	69	26	76	68	33	78	70	23
Wages and salaries	82	76	34	90	85	52	71	64	24	67	62	29	74	65	22
Self-employment	13	13	5	17	16	9	8	9	3	11	13	4	6	6	2
Retirement benefits	15	21	24	16	25	30	12	17	20	14	16	25	11	17	19
Social Security <sup>a</sup>	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Benefits other than Social Security	15	21	24	16	25	30	12	17	20	14	16	25	11	17	19
Other public pensions	7	11	16	8	12	19	5	9	14	6	9	17	5	9	13
Railroad Retirement	0	1	4	0	1	6	0	1	3	0	1	3	0	0	3
Government employee pensions	7	10	12	8	11	13	5	9	11	6	8	14	5	9	10
Military	1	2	1	2	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	0
Federal	2	4	6	2	5	7	1	3	6	1	2	6	1	3	6
State or local	4	5	5	5	4	5	4	5	5	3	5	6	4	5	4
Private pensions or annuities	8	11	9	9	14	12	8	8	8	8	8	9	7	7	7
Income from assets	61	62	39	72	72	50	47	50	33	46	46	35	48	52	32
Interest	58	59	36	68	70	48	45	46	30	44	42	31	45	49	29
Other income from assets	32	35	17	40	43	24	21	26	12	21	23	14	21	27	11
Dividends	27	30	13	35	38	20	18	19	8	17	17	11	18	21	7
Rent or royalties	10	13	6	12	15	8	6	10	5	7	11	4	6	9	5
Estates or trusts	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Veterans' benefits	3	1	2	3	2	2	2	1	2	5	2	5	1	0	1
Unemployment compensation	5	4	1	6	5	2	5	3	1	5	2	1	4	4	0
Workers' compensation	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	3	1	1	1	0
Public assistance	4	5	14	2	2	11	6	8	16	6	6	13	6	9	18
Supplemental Security Income	4	4	14	2	2	10	5	8	16	6	6	13	5	8	17
Other public assistance	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	0
Personal contributions	2	2	2	1	1	1	4	3	2	1	0	1	6	4	3
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>13,756</b>	<b>2,674</b>	<b>2,929</b>	<b>7,644</b>	<b>1,503</b>	<b>1,082</b>	<b>6,112</b>	<b>1,171</b>	<b>1,847</b>	<b>2,430</b>	<b>425</b>	<b>543</b>	<b>3,682</b>	<b>745</b>	<b>1,303</b>

NOTE: ... = not applicable.

a. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.

## Income Sources of Aged Units

**Table 1.3**  
**Percentage with income from specified source, by race, Hispanic origin, marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004**

Source of income	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	Total			Men			Women		
							55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
<i>White alone</i>															
Earnings	83	66	24	92	77	37	71	52	14	70	49	18	72	53	13
Wages and salaries	78	61	21	87	71	32	65	47	12	62	44	15	68	48	12
Self-employment	14	11	5	17	14	9	8	8	2	11	9	4	6	7	2
Retirement benefits	26	58	93	27	60	94	25	57	93	25	57	92	25	57	93
Social Security <sup>a</sup>	12	46	91	11	46	91	14	47	90	13	48	89	15	47	91
Benefits other than Social Security	17	31	43	19	37	52	14	23	37	15	22	44	13	24	34
Other public pensions	7	12	15	9	14	19	6	9	12	6	7	13	6	10	11
Railroad Retirement	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	1
Government employee pensions	7	11	14	8	13	18	6	9	11	6	6	12	6	10	11
Military	1	2	2	2	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	3	0	1	1
Federal	2	3	4	2	3	6	1	3	3	1	2	4	1	3	3
State or local	5	6	9	5	7	11	4	5	7	4	4	7	4	6	7
Private pensions or annuities	10	21	31	11	25	38	9	15	26	10	16	32	8	14	24
Income from assets	62	63	59	72	71	70	49	52	51	47	49	52	50	54	51
Interest	59	59	55	68	67	66	46	49	47	45	45	48	47	51	47
Other income from assets	32	34	28	40	41	36	22	25	21	21	24	22	23	26	21
Dividends	28	29	22	35	36	30	19	19	16	18	19	17	19	20	16
Rent or royalties	10	12	9	12	14	12	6	10	7	7	10	8	6	9	7
Estates or trusts	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1
Veterans' benefits	4	2	4	4	3	5	3	2	3	6	4	7	1	1	2
Unemployment compensation	5	3	1	6	4	1	4	3	0	4	1	1	4	3	0
Workers' compensation	2	1	0	2	1	1	1	1	0	1	2	0	1	1	0
Public assistance	4	4	3	3	2	2	6	7	4	5	6	3	7	8	5
Supplemental Security Income	4	4	3	3	2	2	6	7	4	5	5	3	6	8	5
Other public assistance	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Personal contributions	2	1	1	1	0	0	4	2	1	1	0	1	6	4	1
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>13,052</b>	<b>4,181</b>	<b>23,121</b>	<b>7,540</b>	<b>2,405</b>	<b>9,818</b>	<b>5,512</b>	<b>1,776</b>	<b>13,303</b>	<b>2,220</b>	<b>661</b>	<b>3,554</b>	<b>3,292</b>	<b>1,115</b>	<b>9,748</b>

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**Table 1.3**  
**Percentage with income from specified source, by race, Hispanic origin, marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Source of income	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	Total			Men			Women		
							55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
<b>Black alone</b>															
Earnings	70	53	21	86	75	42	60	40	14	60	35	14	61	43	15
Wages and salaries	67	51	20	84	73	41	58	38	14	56	32	13	59	41	14
Self-employment	5	5	1	9	7	3	3	4	1	4	4	1	2	4	1
Retirement benefits	27	59	87	31	65	91	24	56	85	22	54	86	25	57	85
Social Security <sup>a</sup>	17	51	83	21	55	85	14	50	82	12	49	82	15	50	83
Benefits other than Social Security	13	23	28	16	35	40	11	17	24	12	13	27	11	19	23
Other public pensions	5	10	10	5	16	15	5	7	9	6	5	11	5	8	8
Railroad Retirement	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1
Government employee pensions	5	10	10	5	16	15	5	7	9	6	5	10	5	8	8
Military	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	0	3	2	1	0	0	0
Federal	1	3	4	1	5	6	1	2	3	2	0	5	1	3	3
State or local	3	7	6	3	11	8	3	4	5	1	3	4	4	5	5
Private pensions or annuities	8	14	18	11	20	27	6	10	16	5	8	17	7	11	15
Income from assets	34	30	26	47	37	37	26	25	23	26	28	25	26	24	22
Interest	31	27	24	44	35	34	24	23	21	25	27	24	24	22	20
Other income from assets	13	8	8	17	13	17	10	6	6	11	7	6	10	5	5
Dividends	9	6	6	12	12	12	8	4	3	9	6	4	7	2	3
Rent or royalties	5	3	4	7	3	7	4	3	3	3	2	3	4	3	3
Estates or trusts	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Veterans' benefits	3	3	4	6	4	5	1	2	3	3	3	5	0	2	2
Unemployment compensation	4	3	1	5	6	3	3	1	0	3	2	0	3	1	0
Workers' compensation	2	2	0	2	1	0	1	2	0	1	1	1	1	3	0
Public assistance	10	10	10	4	11	6	13	10	11	15	11	11	12	9	12
Supplemental Security Income	8	10	10	4	11	5	10	10	11	12	11	11	9	9	11
Other public assistance	2	1	0	1	0	1	3	1	0	3	0	0	3	1	1
Personal contributions	2	1	1	1	0	0	2	2	1	0	1	1	3	2	1
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>1,816</b>	<b>549</b>	<b>2,565</b>	<b>663</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>618</b>	<b>1,153</b>	<b>355</b>	<b>1,947</b>	<b>407</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>542</b>	<b>746</b>	<b>241</b>	<b>1,406</b>

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## Income Sources of Aged Units

**Table 1.3**  
**Percentage with income from specified source, by race, Hispanic origin, marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Source of income	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	Total			Men			Women		
							55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
<i>Hispanic origin<sup>b</sup></i>															
Earnings	76	59	21	89	73	36	64	48	12	70	55	17	59	45	10
Wages and salaries	72	55	19	86	69	33	60	45	11	66	51	15	56	41	10
Self-employment	7	5	3	10	8	5	4	4	2	5	4	2	3	4	1
Retirement benefits	20	46	78	21	53	83	19	41	76	12	35	79	24	44	75
Social Security <sup>a</sup>	11	35	76	10	40	81	12	31	73	7	27	73	15	34	73
Benefits other than Social Security	11	20	20	13	25	26	9	15	17	7	14	23	10	16	14
Other public pensions	5	9	5	5	12	7	4	6	5	2	5	5	6	7	4
Railroad Retirement	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Government employee pensions	4	9	5	5	11	7	4	6	4	2	5	5	6	7	4
Military	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Federal	1	4	2	1	7	2	1	1	2	1	0	2	1	2	2
State or local	3	4	3	2	4	4	3	4	2	2	4	3	4	5	2
Private pensions or annuities	6	12	15	8	15	21	5	9	12	6	9	18	4	9	10
Income from assets	34	27	23	43	34	30	25	21	18	22	22	19	27	20	18
Interest	31	25	21	40	31	28	23	19	17	20	19	18	24	19	16
Other income from assets	13	9	7	18	12	12	8	7	4	7	10	5	9	5	4
Dividends	9	5	4	12	6	8	6	4	2	4	5	3	8	3	2
Rent or royalties	6	5	4	9	8	6	3	4	2	4	7	2	3	2	2
Estates or trusts	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Veterans' benefits	2	2	2	3	3	3	2	1	1	3	4	2	1	0	1
Unemployment compensation	5	2	1	6	2	1	3	2	1	5	0	2	3	2	0
Workers' compensation	2	1	0	3	1	0	1	1	0	2	1	0	1	2	0
Public assistance	8	13	13	6	8	8	10	17	16	8	12	10	11	20	19
Supplemental Security Income	7	11	13	5	8	8	8	14	16	7	12	9	10	16	19
Other public assistance	1	2	0	1	0	0	2	3	0	2	0	0	1	4	0
Personal contributions	2	0	0	1	0	0	4	1	1	0	2	0	6	0	1
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>1,345</b>	<b>394</b>	<b>1,741</b>	<b>655</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>619</b>	<b>690</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>1,121</b>	<b>275</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>415</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>797</b>

a. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.

b. Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

**Table 1.4**  
**Percentage with income from specified source, by race, Hispanic origin, Social Security beneficiary status, and age, 2004**

Source of income	Beneficiary			Nonbeneficiary		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
<i>White alone</i>						
Earnings	45	48	22	89	82	39
Retirement benefits	100	100	100	15	22	26
Social Security <sup>a</sup>	100	100	100	...	...	...
Benefits other than Social Security	27	41	45	15	22	26
Other public pensions	8	13	14	7	11	18
Railroad Retirement	0	0	0	0	1	5
Government employee pensions <sup>b</sup>	8	13	14	7	10	13
Private pensions or annuities	21	31	33	9	12	9
Income from assets	41	59	61	65	67	45
Veterans' benefits	9	4	4	3	1	3
Public assistance	11	4	3	3	4	12
Number (thousands)	1,622	1,940	20,959	11,429	2,242	2,162
<i>Black alone</i>						
Earnings	36	36	18	77	70	35
Retirement benefits	100	100	100	12	16	23
Social Security <sup>a</sup>	100	100	100	...	...	...
Benefits other than Social Security	19	30	29	12	16	23
Other public pensions	6	11	10	5	9	13
Railroad Retirement	0	0	0	0	0	1
Government employee pensions <sup>b</sup>	6	11	10	5	9	12
Private pensions or annuities	13	19	20	7	7	11
Income from assets	25	27	26	36	32	25
Veterans' benefits	10	4	4	2	2	1
Public assistance	11	11	9	9	10	16
Number (thousands)	305	282	2,132	1,511	266	434

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## Income Sources of Aged Units

**Table 1.4**

**Percentage with income from specified source, by race, Hispanic origin, Social Security beneficiary status, and age, 2004—Continued**

Source of income	Beneficiary			Nonbeneficiary		
	55–61	62–64	65 or older	55–61	62–64	65 or older
	<i>Hispanic origin<sup>c</sup></i>					
Earnings	29	39	18	82	71	30
Retirement benefits	100	100	100	10	17	10
Social Security <sup>a</sup>	100	100	100	...	...	...
Benefits other than Social Security	19	25	23	10	17	10
Other public pensions	8	7	6	4	9	4
Railroad Retirement	0	0	0	0	0	1
Government employee pensions <sup>b</sup>	8	7	6	4	9	3
Private pensions or annuities	11	20	18	6	7	6
Income from assets	23	28	25	35	26	16
Veterans' benefits	4	3	2	2	1	0
Public assistance	16	11	11	7	14	21
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>1,322</b>	<b>1,193</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>418</b>

NOTE: ... = not applicable.

a. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.

b. Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

c. Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

**Table 1.5**  
**Percentage distribution of those receiving retirement benefits, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, age, and receipt of income from earnings and assets, 2004**

Retirement benefits	Aged 55–61					Aged 62–64					Aged 65 or older				
	Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets	
		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No		
<b>All units</b>															
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
No benefit	74	82	43	75	73	42	55	18	43	41	8	15	6	5	13
One benefit type	22	16	47	20	24	40	31	56	34	48	53	52	53	46	62
Social Security only <sup>a</sup>	9	5	30	5	16	29	19	45	21	40	51	49	51	43	60
Private pension or annuity only	7	6	10	9	4	6	6	4	7	4	1	1	1	1	1
Government employee pension only <sup>b</sup>	5	5	7	7	3	5	5	6	6	3	1	1	1	2	1
Railroad Retirement only	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Two benefit types	4	2	9	4	3	17	13	24	21	11	36	31	38	46	25
Social Security and federal pension only <sup>a</sup>	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	3	4	2
Social Security and Railroad Retirement, state, local, or military pension only <sup>a</sup>	1	0	2	1	1	4	3	5	5	2	7	7	7	9	4
Social Security and private pension only <sup>a</sup>	2	1	6	2	2	12	9	17	15	9	26	20	28	32	19
Other combination	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	0
Three or more benefit types	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	2	2	1	2	3	2	3	1
Number (thousands)	15,772	12,822	2,951	9,143	6,629	4,990	3,220	1,770	2,930	2,060	26,865	6,324	20,541	14,801	12,064

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## Income Sources of Aged Units

**Table 1.5**

**Percentage distribution of those receiving retirement benefits, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, age, and receipt of income from earnings and assets, 2004—Continued**

Retirement benefits	Aged 55–61					Aged 62–64					Aged 65 or older				
	Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets	
		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No		
<b>Married couples</b>															
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
No benefit	74	77	31	75	71	41	50	11	42	39	7	12	4	5	12
One benefit type	22	19	55	21	24	37	33	49	33	45	45	50	42	41	54
Social Security only <sup>a</sup>	8	6	30	5	15	23	19	37	17	36	42	47	40	38	51
Private pension or annuity only	7	7	14	9	5	7	8	5	8	5	1	1	1	1	1
Government employee pension only <sup>b</sup>	6	6	10	8	4	6	5	6	7	3	1	2	1	1	1
Railroad Retirement only	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	1	1	0	1	0	1
Two benefit types	4	3	13	4	5	21	16	35	23	15	44	35	49	50	32
Social Security and federal pension only <sup>a</sup>	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	4	3	4	4	2
Social Security and Railroad Retirement, state, local, or military pension only <sup>a</sup>	1	1	2	1	1	5	4	8	6	3	8	8	8	10	5
Social Security and private pension only <sup>a</sup>	3	2	10	2	3	15	11	26	16	12	31	23	36	35	24
Other combination	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	0
Three or more benefit types	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	4	2	1	4	4	5	5	2
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>8,681</b>	<b>7,957</b>	<b>725</b>	<b>5,991</b>	<b>2,690</b>	<b>2,745</b>	<b>2,116</b>	<b>629</b>	<b>1,866</b>	<b>878</b>	<b>10,930</b>	<b>4,031</b>	<b>6,898</b>	<b>7,361</b>	<b>3,568</b>

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**Table 1.5**  
**Percentage distribution of those receiving retirement benefits, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, age, and receipt of income from earnings and assets, 2004—Continued**

Retirement benefits	Aged 55–61					Aged 62–64					Aged 65 or older				
	Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets	
		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No		
<b>Nonmarried persons</b>															
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
No benefit	76	89	47	77	75	43	66	21	45	42	9	19	8	5	13
One benefit type	21	10	45	19	23	43	26	60	36	50	59	55	59	51	65
Social Security only <sup>a</sup>	11	2	30	5	16	35	20	50	26	43	56	54	57	48	63
Private pension or annuity only	6	5	9	9	4	4	4	4	5	3	1	1	1	1	1
Government employee pension only <sup>b</sup>	4	3	6	5	3	4	3	6	5	4	1	1	1	2	0
Railroad Retirement only	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Two benefit types	3	1	8	4	2	13	7	18	18	8	31	25	32	42	22
Social Security and federal pension only <sup>a</sup>	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	2	2	2	3	1
Social Security and Railroad Retirement, state, local, or military pension only <sup>a</sup>	1	0	2	1	1	2	1	3	3	1	6	6	6	9	4
Social Security and private pension only <sup>a</sup>	2	0	5	2	1	9	6	13	13	6	22	15	24	29	16
Other combination	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Three or more benefit types	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	2	0
Number (thousands)	7,091	4,865	2,226	3,151	3,939	2,245	1,104	1,141	1,064	1,182	15,935	2,292	13,643	7,439	8,496

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**Income Sources of Aged Units**

**Table 1.5**  
**Percentage distribution of those receiving retirement benefits, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, age, and receipt of income from earnings and assets, 2004—Continued**

Retirement benefits	Aged 55–61					Aged 62–64					Aged 65 or older				
	Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets	
		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No		
<b>Nonmarried persons (cont.)</b>															
<i>Men</i>															
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
No benefit	75	90	46	76	75	43	71	19	44	43	9	21	7	5	13
One benefit type	22	10	46	21	22	45	24	63	38	50	53	53	53	43	62
Social Security only <sup>a</sup>	10	2	27	4	15	37	20	51	31	42	50	50	49	39	59
Private pension or annuity only	7	5	11	10	4	4	2	6	4	3	1	2	1	1	1
Government employee pension only <sup>b</sup>	5	3	8	7	3	4	2	5	4	4	2	1	2	3	1
Railroad Retirement only	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
Two benefit types	3	0	8	3	3	11	5	17	16	7	37	26	40	51	25
Social Security and federal pension only <sup>a</sup>	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	2	2	3	4	1
Social Security and Railroad Retirement, state, local, or military pension only <sup>a</sup>	0	0	2	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	7	7	7	9	5
Social Security and private pension only <sup>a</sup>	2	0	5	1	2	10	4	14	15	5	27	16	30	37	18
Other combination	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Three or more benefit types	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	0
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>2,773</b>	<b>1,879</b>	<b>895</b>	<b>1,189</b>	<b>1,584</b>	<b>819</b>	<b>382</b>	<b>437</b>	<b>375</b>	<b>443</b>	<b>4,292</b>	<b>767</b>	<b>3,526</b>	<b>2,051</b>	<b>2,241</b>

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**Table 1.5**  
**Percentage distribution of those receiving retirement benefits, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, age, and receipt of income from earnings and assets, 2004—Continued**

Retirement benefits	Aged 55–61					Aged 62–64					Aged 65 or older				
	Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets	
		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No		
<b>Nonmarried persons (cont.)</b>															
<i>Women</i>															
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
No benefit	76	88	48	77	74	43	63	23	46	41	9	19	8	5	13
One benefit type	21	11	44	18	24	43	28	58	35	50	61	56	61	55	66
Social Security only <sup>a</sup>	12	3	32	5	17	34	19	49	24	43	59	56	59	52	65
Private pension or annuity only	6	5	7	8	4	4	5	3	5	3	1	0	1	1	1
Government employee pension only <sup>b</sup>	4	3	5	5	3	5	3	6	6	4	1	1	1	2	0
Railroad Retirement only	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Two benefit types	3	1	8	5	2	13	8	19	19	9	29	24	30	39	21
Social Security and federal pension only <sup>a</sup>	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	2	1	2	3	2	3	1
Social Security and Railroad Retirement, state, local, or military pension only <sup>a</sup>	1	0	2	1	1	3	1	5	5	2	6	6	6	9	4
Social Security and private pension only <sup>a</sup>	2	0	5	3	1	9	7	12	12	6	21	15	21	27	15
Other combination	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Three or more benefit types	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	2	0
Number (thousands)	4,317	2,986	1,331	1,962	2,355	1,427	723	704	688	738	11,643	1,526	10,117	5,388	6,255

a. Social Security includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.

b. Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

## Income Sources of Units 65 or Older

**Table 1.6**  
**Percentage with income from specified source, by marital status and quintiles of total money income, 2004**

Source of income	Total	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
<i>All units</i>						
Earnings	24	4	6	17	33	58
Retirement benefits	92	76	98	97	96	92
Social Security <sup>a</sup>	89	74	96	95	92	88
Benefits other than Social Security	41	7	23	47	65	62
Other public pensions	14	1	5	13	22	30
Railroad Retirement	1	0	1	1	1	1
Government employee pensions <sup>b</sup>	14	1	4	12	21	29
Private pensions or annuities	29	6	19	36	46	39
Income from assets	55	22	41	58	71	83
Veterans' benefits	4	2	2	5	5	6
Public assistance	4	13	4	3	1	1
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>26,865</b>	<b>5,270</b>	<b>5,475</b>	<b>5,372</b>	<b>5,374</b>	<b>5,374</b>
<i>Married couples</i>						
Earnings	37	10	20	35	50	69
Retirement benefits	93	84	98	96	96	90
Social Security <sup>a</sup>	90	81	96	94	93	87
Benefits other than Social Security	51	15	46	63	70	60
Other public pensions	18	3	11	19	31	29
Railroad Retirement	1	0	1	1	2	0
Government employee pensions <sup>b</sup>	18	3	10	17	29	29
Private pensions or annuities	36	12	38	48	48	37
Income from assets	67	37	62	72	79	87
Veterans' benefits	5	4	5	6	6	5
Public assistance	2	8	2	1	1	1
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>10,930</b>	<b>2,185</b>	<b>2,185</b>	<b>2,187</b>	<b>2,184</b>	<b>2,189</b>

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**Table 1.6**  
**Percentage with income from specified source, by marital status and quintiles of total money income, 2004—Continued**

Source of income	Total	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
<i>Nonmarried persons</i>						
Earnings	14	3	3	7	19	40
Retirement benefits	91	70	97	99	97	92
Social Security <sup>a</sup>	88	68	95	97	94	87
Benefits other than Social Security	34	5	13	31	59	64
Other public pensions	11	1	3	6	18	29
Railroad Retirement	1	0	0	0	1	1
Government employee pensions <sup>b</sup>	11	1	2	6	17	28
Private pensions or annuities	24	3	11	25	43	39
Income from assets	47	18	29	47	62	76
Veterans' benefits	3	2	3	2	4	5
Public assistance	6	16	8	3	2	1
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>15,935</b>	<b>3,182</b>	<b>3,173</b>	<b>3,205</b>	<b>3,182</b>	<b>3,193</b>

NOTE: Quintile limits are \$10,399, \$16,363, \$25,587, and \$44,129 for all units; \$20,258, \$29,437, \$42,129, and \$68,299 for married couples; and \$8,364, \$12,000, \$16,471, and \$26,064 for nonmarried persons.

a. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.

b. Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

## Income Sources of Aged Persons

**Table 1.7**  
**Percentage with income from specified source, by sex, marital status, and age, 2004**

Source of income	Total			Married persons			Nonmarried persons		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
<i>All persons</i>									
Earnings	72	51	18	73	52	21	69	49	14
Retirement benefits	19	54	91	17	52	91	24	57	91
Social Security <sup>a</sup>	9	44	88	7	42	88	14	48	88
Benefits other than Social Security	12	23	35	12	24	35	13	22	34
Other public pensions	5	9	12	5	10	12	6	8	11
Railroad Retirement	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	1
Government employee pensions <sup>b</sup>	5	9	11	5	9	11	5	8	11
Private pensions or annuities	7	15	24	7	15	23	8	14	24
Income from assets	57	59	56	63	64	63	44	47	47
Veterans' benefits	2	2	3	2	1	3	3	2	3
Public assistance	4	3	3	2	1	2	7	8	6
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>22,214</b>	<b>7,317</b>	<b>35,213</b>	<b>15,124</b>	<b>5,072</b>	<b>19,278</b>	<b>7,091</b>	<b>2,245</b>	<b>15,935</b>
<i>Men</i>									
Earnings	78	59	23	82	63	25	68	47	18
Retirement benefits	22	53	92	21	52	92	25	57	91
Social Security <sup>a</sup>	9	40	88	8	38	88	12	48	87
Benefits other than Social Security	16	28	44	16	31	46	15	20	41
Other public pensions	7	10	14	7	11	14	6	7	13
Railroad Retirement	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1
Government employee pensions <sup>b</sup>	6	9	13	7	10	14	6	6	12
Private pensions or annuities	9	19	32	9	20	32	9	14	29
Income from assets	59	60	59	65	64	64	43	46	48
Veterans' benefits	5	3	6	4	3	5	6	3	6
Public assistance	3	3	2	2	2	2	7	6	5
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>10,563</b>	<b>3,484</b>	<b>15,151</b>	<b>7,790</b>	<b>2,665</b>	<b>10,858</b>	<b>2,773</b>	<b>819</b>	<b>4,292</b>

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**Table 1.7**  
**Percentage with income from specified source, by sex, marital status, and age, 2004—Continued**

Source of income	Total			Married persons			Nonmarried persons		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
<b>Women</b>									
Earnings	66	44	14	63	41	16	69	51	13
Retirement benefits	17	54	91	13	53	90	24	57	91
Social Security <sup>a</sup>	9	47	88	6	47	88	15	48	89
Benefits other than Social Security	9	19	27	8	17	20	13	23	32
Other public pensions	4	8	10	4	8	9	5	10	11
Railroad Retirement	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1
Government employee pensions <sup>b</sup>	4	8	9	4	7	8	5	10	10
Private pensions or annuities	5	11	18	4	10	12	8	14	22
Income from assets	55	58	53	61	63	62	45	48	46
Veterans' benefits	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	2
Public assistance	4	4	4	2	1	2	8	8	6
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>11,651</b>	<b>3,834</b>	<b>20,063</b>	<b>7,333</b>	<b>2,407</b>	<b>8,420</b>	<b>4,317</b>	<b>1,427</b>	<b>11,643</b>

a. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.

b. Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

## Income Sources of Aged Persons

**Table 1.8**  
**Percentage with income from specified source, by sex, race, Hispanic origin, and age, 2004**

Source of income	White alone			Black alone			Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
<i><b>All persons</b></i>									
Earnings	73	52	18	62	43	16	65	49	15
Retirement benefits	20	54	92	22	55	86	16	45	79
Social Security <sup>b</sup>	9	44	90	13	48	82	8	37	77
Benefits other than Social Security	13	24	36	11	19	25	9	15	18
Other public pensions	6	9	12	5	8	9	4	6	5
Railroad Retirement	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Government employee pensions <sup>c</sup>	5	9	11	5	8	9	3	6	5
Private pensions or annuities	8	16	25	7	11	17	5	9	13
Income from assets	61	63	59	33	27	26	32	27	23
Veterans' benefits	3	2	3	2	2	3	2	1	1
Public assistance	3	3	3	8	7	9	6	10	11
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>18,737</b>	<b>6,254</b>	<b>30,710</b>	<b>2,223</b>	<b>686</b>	<b>2,958</b>	<b>1,776</b>	<b>540</b>	<b>2,194</b>
<i><b>Men</b></i>									
Earnings	79	60	24	65	45	20	76	62	20
Retirement benefits	23	54	93	22	54	86	15	44	81
Social Security <sup>b</sup>	9	40	89	12	47	82	7	32	78
Benefits other than Social Security	16	30	46	12	18	30	10	18	24
Other public pensions	7	10	14	5	9	10	4	8	6
Railroad Retirement	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Government employee pensions <sup>c</sup>	7	10	13	5	8	10	4	8	5
Private pensions or annuities	10	20	33	7	9	20	7	10	19
Income from assets	62	63	63	34	31	29	33	29	26
Veterans' benefits	5	3	6	5	3	5	3	3	3
Public assistance	3	2	2	7	7	7	5	7	7
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>9,007</b>	<b>3,000</b>	<b>13,314</b>	<b>973</b>	<b>299</b>	<b>1,154</b>	<b>852</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>930</b>

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**Table 1.8**  
**Percentage with income from specified source, by sex, race, Hispanic origin, and age, 2004—Continued**

Source of income	White alone			Black alone			Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
<b>Women</b>									
Earnings	67	45	14	59	41	14	55	38	12
Retirement benefits	17	55	92	23	56	85	16	47	78
Social Security <sup>b</sup>	9	48	90	14	48	82	10	41	76
Benefits other than Social Security	9	19	28	11	20	23	7	13	13
Other public pensions	4	8	10	4	8	8	3	4	4
Railroad Retirement	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Government employee pensions <sup>c</sup>	4	8	10	4	8	8	3	4	4
Private pensions or annuities	5	11	19	7	12	15	4	9	8
Income from assets	59	63	57	31	25	24	31	24	22
Veterans' benefits	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	0
Public assistance	3	4	3	9	7	10	7	13	15
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>9,729</b>	<b>3,254</b>	<b>17,396</b>	<b>1,250</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>1,804</b>	<b>924</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>1,264</b>

a. Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

b. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.

c. Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

## Income Sources of Nonmarried Persons 65 or Older

**Table 1.9**  
**Percentage with income from specified source, by sex and marital status, 2004**

Source of income	Nonmarried men				Nonmarried women			
	Total <sup>a</sup>	Widowed	Never married	Divorced	Total <sup>a</sup>	Widowed	Never married	Divorced
Earnings	18	13	19	26	13	10	20	27
Wages and salaries	14	11	15	20	12	9	18	25
Self-employment	4	2	5	7	1	1	2	3
Retirement benefits	91	93	87	89	91	93	80	90
Social Security <sup>b</sup>	87	89	83	87	89	91	75	89
Benefits other than Social Security	41	45	34	38	32	32	39	32
Other public pensions	13	15	10	11	11	11	13	12
Railroad Retirement	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	0
Government employee pensions	12	13	9	11	10	10	13	12
Military	2	2	3	2	1	1	0	1
Federal	4	5	2	2	3	3	3	3
State or local	6	7	5	6	7	6	9	9
Private pensions or annuities	29	32	25	27	22	23	26	20
Income from assets	48	50	49	48	46	47	46	46
Interest	44	46	45	44	43	43	43	43
Other income from assets	20	21	19	20	18	19	21	17
Dividends	15	17	15	14	14	14	17	13
Rent or royalties	7	7	10	8	6	6	5	5
Estates or trusts	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Veterans' benefits	6	6	7	6	2	3	0	1
Unemployment compensation	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1
Workers' compensation	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Public assistance	5	3	10	4	6	5	9	8
Supplemental Security Income	5	3	10	4	6	5	9	8
Other public assistance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal contributions	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	4
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>4,292</b>	<b>2,069</b>	<b>670</b>	<b>1,070</b>	<b>11,643</b>	<b>8,613</b>	<b>790</b>	<b>1,707</b>

a. Includes persons who are separated or are married but living apart from their spouse.

b. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.



## Family Income

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**Table 2.1**  
**Percentage distribution, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004**

Family income (dollars)	Aged 55-61	Aged 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80 or older	
<i>All units</i>								
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	2.3	2.1	1.5	1.7	1.5	1.7	1.3	1.3
1,000-1,999	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.2
2,000-2,999	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.5
3,000-3,999	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.4
4,000-4,999	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.7
5,000-5,999	0.6	0.7	0.9	0.9	0.5	0.9	1.2	1.2
6,000-6,999	1.1	1.4	1.6	1.4	1.5	1.3	2.1	2.1
7,000-7,999	1.1	1.8	2.3	2.4	2.5	1.9	2.4	2.4
8,000-8,999	0.7	0.9	1.8	1.1	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1
9,000-9,999	1.2	1.8	2.7	2.2	2.6	2.7	3.3	3.3
10,000-10,999	1.0	1.5	3.0	1.5	2.4	3.4	4.6	4.6
11,000-11,999	0.8	1.0	2.8	1.8	2.4	3.1	3.7	3.7
12,000-12,999	0.9	1.5	3.2	2.2	2.7	3.8	4.2	4.2
13,000-13,999	0.8	1.3	2.6	1.8	2.0	3.3	3.4	3.4
14,000-14,999	0.9	1.4	2.4	1.8	2.0	2.9	3.0	3.0
15,000-19,999	4.6	6.6	11.6	8.5	10.8	12.9	14.0	14.0
20,000-24,999	5.7	6.6	10.1	8.3	9.8	11.2	11.0	11.0
25,000-29,999	5.6	6.4	7.5	7.0	6.8	7.6	8.4	8.4
30,000-34,999	5.3	5.6	6.4	7.0	6.7	7.1	5.0	5.0
35,000-39,999	4.5	5.2	5.5	5.6	6.5	5.9	4.3	4.3
40,000-44,999	4.7	4.4	4.2	4.6	5.0	3.8	3.6	3.6
45,000-49,999	4.4	4.0	3.3	4.3	4.1	2.7	2.3	2.3
50,000-54,999	4.5	3.9	3.1	3.9	2.7	3.2	2.6	2.6
55,000-59,999	3.4	4.8	2.6	3.3	2.9	2.2	2.1	2.1
60,000-64,999	3.8	4.0	2.3	3.1	2.4	2.3	1.6	1.6
65,000-69,999	3.0	3.2	2.1	2.9	2.5	1.7	1.4	1.4
70,000-74,999	3.3	2.9	1.7	2.4	1.9	1.4	1.3	1.3
75,000-99,999	12.9	10.6	5.6	7.7	6.2	4.7	4.0	4.0
100,000-149,999	12.8	8.2	4.8	6.3	5.8	3.4	3.8	3.8
150,000-199,999	4.7	3.4	1.5	2.8	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.0
200,000 or more	3.7	2.9	1.2	2.1	1.4	0.8	0.5	0.5
Median income (dollars)	51,440	42,600	26,024	34,391	29,090	23,912	21,271	21,271
Number (thousands)	15,772	4,990	26,865	7,078	5,999	5,827	7,960	7,960

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## Family Income of Aged Units

**Table 2.1**  
**Percentage distribution, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Family income (dollars)	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65–69	70–74	75–79	80 or older	
<i>Married couples</i>								
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	1.1	1.1	0.9	1.1	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.7
1,000–1,999	0.1	0.4	0.1	0	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1
2,000–2,999	0.3	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0
3,000–3,999	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2
4,000–4,999	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2
5,000–5,999	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3
6,000–6,999	0.2	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1
7,000–7,999	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.7
8,000–8,999	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.7	0.7	0.2
9,000–9,999	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.8
10,000–10,999	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.7	0.9	0.6	0.6
11,000–11,999	0.3	0.3	0.9	0.6	1.0	1.3	0.9	0.9
12,000–12,999	0.5	0.3	0.9	0.5	0.9	1.4	1.0	1.0
13,000–13,999	0.2	0.5	1.3	1.1	0.6	1.9	1.8	1.8
14,000–14,999	0.5	0.8	1.0	0.8	0.7	1.1	1.7	1.7
15,000–19,999	2.2	4.9	8.9	6.4	8.8	10.4	11.6	11.6
20,000–24,999	3.0	5.4	10.8	7.3	10.4	13.7	14.1	14.1
25,000–29,999	3.5	4.6	9.4	6.3	8.3	10.6	14.5	14.5
30,000–34,999	3.7	4.9	8.9	8.0	8.2	11.0	8.7	8.7
35,000–39,999	3.4	4.8	7.4	6.3	8.3	7.8	7.5	7.5
40,000–44,999	4.3	4.8	5.5	5.0	6.7	5.6	4.8	4.8
45,000–49,999	4.0	4.3	4.6	5.2	5.6	3.9	3.2	3.2
50,000–54,999	4.9	5.0	4.3	4.7	3.6	4.7	4.0	4.0
55,000–59,999	4.0	6.3	3.9	4.6	3.9	3.3	3.4	3.4
60,000–64,999	4.2	4.0	3.2	3.7	3.3	3.0	2.6	2.6
65,000–69,999	3.5	4.3	2.8	3.7	3.1	1.7	2.2	2.2
70,000–74,999	4.3	4.1	2.4	3.2	2.2	1.9	1.7	1.7
75,000–99,999	17.2	14.4	8.1	10.6	9.2	5.7	5.1	5.1
100,000–149,999	19.1	11.7	7.4	10.0	7.9	4.6	5.3	5.3
150,000–199,999	7.6	5.7	2.7	4.7	2.0	1.8	1.3	1.3
200,000 or more	6.0	4.5	2.0	3.6	2.0	1.1	0.5	0.5
Median income (dollars)	74,854	59,000	37,908	48,536	39,347	32,439	30,215	30,215
Number (thousands)	8,681	2,745	10,930	3,710	2,731	2,342	2,146	2,146

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**Table 2.1**  
**Percentage distribution, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Family income (dollars)	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65–69	70–74	75–79	80 or older	
<b>Nonmarried persons</b>								
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	3.6	3.2	2.0	2.3	2.0	2.3	1.6	1.6
1,000–1,999	0.7	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2
2,000–2,999	0.8	0.7	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.6
3,000–3,999	0.7	1.3	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.5	0.6	0.6
4,000–4,999	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.8	0.8
5,000–5,999	1.0	1.4	1.4	1.7	0.9	1.4	1.6	1.6
6,000–6,999	2.2	2.4	2.6	2.8	2.6	2.0	2.8	2.8
7,000–7,999	2.1	3.3	3.6	4.7	4.4	2.9	3.1	3.1
8,000–8,999	1.3	1.8	2.8	2.2	3.5	2.9	2.7	2.7
9,000–9,999	2.0	3.4	4.3	4.2	4.4	4.2	4.3	4.3
10,000–10,999	1.7	2.6	4.7	2.7	3.8	5.1	6.1	6.1
11,000–11,999	1.4	1.9	4.1	3.0	3.5	4.3	4.7	4.7
12,000–12,999	1.5	2.9	4.9	4.0	4.2	5.5	5.3	5.3
13,000–13,999	1.6	2.2	3.6	2.5	3.3	4.2	4.0	4.0
14,000–14,999	1.4	2.1	3.4	2.9	3.0	4.1	3.5	3.5
15,000–19,999	7.7	8.7	13.5	10.9	12.5	14.6	14.9	14.9
20,000–24,999	9.1	8.0	9.5	9.3	9.3	9.5	9.8	9.8
25,000–29,999	8.2	8.7	6.3	7.7	5.6	5.7	6.1	6.1
30,000–34,999	7.4	6.5	4.6	5.8	5.4	4.5	3.7	3.7
35,000–39,999	5.9	5.7	4.2	4.9	5.0	4.6	3.1	3.1
40,000–44,999	5.3	4.0	3.4	4.2	3.6	2.7	3.1	3.1
45,000–49,999	4.9	3.5	2.4	3.3	2.7	1.9	1.9	1.9
50,000–54,999	4.1	2.5	2.3	3.0	1.9	2.2	2.1	2.1
55,000–59,999	2.6	2.9	1.7	1.8	2.0	1.4	1.6	1.6
60,000–64,999	3.3	3.9	1.7	2.3	1.6	1.9	1.2	1.2
65,000–69,999	2.3	1.8	1.6	2.1	1.9	1.6	1.2	1.2
70,000–74,999	2.0	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.6	1.1	1.1	1.1
75,000–99,999	7.6	5.9	3.9	4.4	3.7	4.0	3.7	3.7
100,000–149,999	5.0	3.9	3.1	2.3	4.1	2.6	3.2	3.2
150,000–199,999	1.2	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.9	0.9
200,000 or more	0.8	1.1	0.6	0.5	0.9	0.6	0.5	0.5
Median income (dollars)	30,797	26,000	18,676	21,624	19,982	18,038	17,112	17,112
Number (thousands)	7,091	2,245	15,935	3,368	3,268	3,485	5,814	5,814

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## Family Income of Aged Units

**Table 2.1**  
**Percentage distribution, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Family income (dollars)	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65–69	70–74	75–79	80 or older	
<b>Nonmarried persons (cont.)</b>								
<i>Men</i>								
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	4.2	3.3	2.1	2.4	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.0
1,000–1,999	0.8	0.8	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.1	0	0
2,000–2,999	0.6	0.7	0.2	0	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2
3,000–3,999	0.4	1.8	0.4	0.2	0.8	0.3	0.5	0.5
4,000–4,999	1.0	1.1	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.3
5,000–5,999	1.4	1.6	1.0	0.6	1.0	0.7	1.6	1.6
6,000–6,999	1.8	1.9	2.2	2.9	2.2	1.5	2.2	2.2
7,000–7,999	1.4	3.0	2.9	3.6	5.0	1.3	2.0	2.0
8,000–8,999	1.1	2.2	1.8	1.6	2.5	1.5	1.6	1.6
9,000–9,999	2.1	3.2	3.9	3.9	5.5	3.2	3.4	3.4
10,000–10,999	1.9	1.4	4.1	2.2	3.5	5.6	5.0	5.0
11,000–11,999	1.6	0.4	3.6	3.5	2.4	4.9	3.8	3.8
12,000–12,999	1.3	2.7	4.9	5.5	4.3	4.5	5.0	5.0
13,000–13,999	1.8	2.8	2.8	2.5	2.4	3.6	2.7	2.7
14,000–14,999	1.3	2.1	2.2	1.7	1.8	1.8	3.2	3.2
15,000–19,999	7.2	9.6	12.9	11.0	8.4	14.3	16.7	16.7
20,000–24,999	7.7	6.3	9.1	8.7	8.9	7.6	10.5	10.5
25,000–29,999	8.9	7.1	7.3	7.1	4.8	7.5	9.2	9.2
30,000–34,999	7.0	7.8	5.4	8.3	5.3	3.2	4.3	4.3
35,000–39,999	5.7	7.5	5.5	6.5	5.9	7.3	3.2	3.2
40,000–44,999	5.7	3.2	4.3	3.8	5.1	3.1	5.1	5.1
45,000–49,999	4.7	2.9	3.1	3.9	3.5	2.7	2.3	2.3
50,000–54,999	4.1	2.3	1.8	2.3	1.3	1.8	1.6	1.6
55,000–59,999	2.2	3.1	1.8	1.8	3.2	1.0	1.4	1.4
60,000–64,999	3.1	3.0	1.9	2.1	2.1	2.8	1.1	1.1

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**Table 2.1**  
**Percentage distribution, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Family income (dollars)	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65–69	70–74	75–79	80 or older	
<i>Nonmarried persons (cont.)</i>								
<i>Men (cont.)</i>								
65,000–69,999	2.2	1.9	2.2	1.9	2.4	2.6	1.9	
70,000–74,999	1.9	1.1	1.5	1.2	2.1	2.4	0.7	
75,000–99,999	8.8	8.3	4.3	5.4	4.1	4.8	3.0	
100,000–149,999	5.7	4.9	4.0	2.3	5.6	5.0	3.8	
150,000–199,999	1.5	0.7	1.2	1.3	0.8	1.1	1.4	
200,000 or more	0.9	1.3	0.9	0.8	1.2	1.4	0.5	
Median income (dollars)	31,750	28,008	22,103	24,045	23,738	22,400	19,991	
Number (thousands)	2,773	819	4,292	1,141	936	892	1,323	
<i>Women</i>								
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
Less than 1,000	3.3	3.2	1.9	2.3	1.9	2.4	1.4	
1,000–1,999	0.6	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	
2,000–2,999	0.9	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.8	
3,000–3,999	0.8	0.9	0.8	1.3	0.8	0.6	0.6	
4,000–4,999	1.0	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.1	0.9	
5,000–5,999	0.8	1.3	1.6	2.4	0.8	1.7	1.5	
6,000–6,999	2.4	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.2	2.9	
7,000–7,999	2.5	3.5	3.9	5.2	4.2	3.5	3.4	
8,000–8,999	1.4	1.6	3.2	2.4	3.9	3.4	3.1	
9,000–9,999	1.9	3.6	4.4	4.4	3.9	4.6	4.6	
10,000–10,999	1.6	3.3	4.9	2.9	3.9	4.9	6.4	
11,000–11,999	1.2	2.8	4.2	2.8	4.0	4.2	5.0	
12,000–12,999	1.6	3.1	4.8	3.2	4.2	5.8	5.4	
13,000–13,999	1.4	1.9	3.9	2.5	3.6	4.4	4.4	
14,000–14,999	1.4	2.1	3.8	3.4	3.5	4.8	3.6	
15,000–19,999	8.0	8.1	13.7	10.8	14.1	14.6	14.4	
20,000–24,999	10.0	9.0	9.7	9.6	9.5	10.2	9.6	
25,000–29,999	7.7	9.6	5.9	8.1	5.9	5.0	5.2	
30,000–34,999	7.6	5.8	4.4	4.5	5.4	4.9	3.5	
35,000–39,999	6.0	4.6	3.7	4.1	4.6	3.7	3.0	

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## Family Income of Aged Units

**Table 2.1**  
**Percentage distribution, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Family income (dollars)	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65–69	70–74	75–79	80 or older	
<i>Nonmarried persons (cont.)</i>								
<i>Women (cont.)</i>								
40,000–44,999	5.0	4.5	3.0	4.4	3.1	2.5	2.5	
45,000–49,999	5.0	3.9	2.1	3.0	2.4	1.7	1.8	
50,000–54,999	4.1	2.6	2.4	3.3	2.1	2.3	2.2	
55,000–59,999	2.9	2.8	1.7	1.8	1.6	1.5	1.7	
60,000–64,999	3.4	4.4	1.6	2.5	1.4	1.6	1.3	
65,000–69,999	2.3	1.8	1.4	2.1	1.7	1.3	0.9	
70,000–74,999	2.1	1.6	1.2	1.6	1.4	0.7	1.3	
75,000–99,999	6.8	4.5	3.7	3.9	3.5	3.7	3.8	
100,000–149,999	4.5	3.4	2.7	2.3	3.5	1.8	3.1	
150,000–199,999	1.1	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.7	
200,000 or more	0.7	0.9	0.5	0.4	0.7	0.3	0.5	
Median income (dollars)	30,298	25,599	17,618	20,800	18,603	16,429	16,304	
Number (thousands)	4,317	1,427	11,643	2,227	2,332	2,592	4,492	



**Table 2.2**  
**Percentage distribution of Social Security beneficiary units, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004**

Family income (dollars)	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65–69	70–74	75–79	80 or older	
<i>All beneficiary units</i>								
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	0	0.2	0.1	0.1	0	0.1	0.1	0.1
1,000–1,999	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
2,000–2,999	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.4
3,000–3,999	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.4
4,000–4,999	0.6	0.8	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.5
5,000–5,999	0.8	0.6	0.9	0.8	0.5	0.8	1.2	1.2
6,000–6,999	3.0	1.9	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.9	1.9
7,000–7,999	3.4	2.3	2.5	2.6	2.8	2.0	2.4	2.4
8,000–8,999	2.0	1.5	1.9	1.2	2.2	2.0	2.2	2.2
9,000–9,999	2.9	2.7	2.8	2.1	2.6	2.8	3.4	3.4
10,000–10,999	2.1	2.1	3.2	1.5	2.4	3.5	4.8	4.8
11,000–11,999	2.2	1.7	3.0	2.0	2.5	3.2	4.0	4.0
12,000–12,999	2.5	2.2	3.5	2.4	2.9	4.1	4.4	4.4
13,000–13,999	2.7	2.1	2.8	2.0	2.2	3.4	3.6	3.6
14,000–14,999	2.8	2.2	2.6	1.9	2.0	3.0	3.2	3.2
15,000–19,999	8.0	9.6	12.3	9.2	11.1	13.7	14.7	14.7
20,000–24,999	8.3	8.5	10.4	8.4	10.4	11.8	11.2	11.2
25,000–29,999	7.5	7.6	7.8	7.3	6.9	8.0	8.6	8.6
30,000–34,999	6.2	6.1	6.5	7.3	6.9	7.3	4.9	4.9
35,000–39,999	4.9	5.8	5.7	6.2	6.7	6.0	4.4	4.4
40,000–44,999	3.6	4.4	4.2	4.6	5.0	3.7	3.6	3.6
45,000–49,999	4.3	3.6	3.4	4.4	4.1	2.9	2.3	2.3
50,000–54,999	4.7	4.0	3.0	3.6	2.8	3.3	2.5	2.5
55,000–59,999	3.3	4.7	2.6	3.5	2.8	2.1	2.1	2.1
60,000–64,999	3.6	3.2	2.3	3.3	2.4	2.2	1.6	1.6
65,000–69,999	3.3	3.1	2.1	3.1	2.4	1.6	1.4	1.4
70,000–74,999	1.5	2.2	1.6	2.3	1.7	1.3	1.2	1.2
75,000–99,999	8.1	7.8	5.4	7.1	6.2	4.6	4.1	4.1
100,000–149,999	4.1	5.5	4.6	6.1	5.7	3.1	3.5	3.5
150,000–199,999	2.1	1.4	1.4	2.8	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.8
200,000 or more	0.7	1.2	1.1	1.8	1.3	0.8	0.5	0.5
Median income (dollars)	30,003	31,736	25,880	34,383	29,198	23,899	21,183	21,183
Number (thousands)	2,016	2,316	23,936	5,934	5,391	5,310	7,301	7,301

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## Family Income of Aged Units

**Table 2.2**  
**Percentage distribution of Social Security beneficiary units, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Family income (dollars)	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65–69	70–74	75–79	80 or older	
<i>Beneficiary married couples</i>								
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	0	0.1	0	0.1	0	0	0	0
1,000–1,999	0	0	0	0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0
2,000–2,999	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3,000–3,999	0.3	0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0	0	0
4,000–4,999	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0
5,000–5,999	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.1	0	0.1	0.1	0.3
6,000–6,999	1.3	0.5	0.1	0.1	0	0.1	0.1	0
7,000–7,999	1.0	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.6
8,000–8,999	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.2
9,000–9,999	0.4	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.6
10,000–10,999	1.2	0.7	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.4
11,000–11,999	0.9	0.6	0.9	0.7	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.0
12,000–12,999	1.6	0.5	0.9	0.5	1.0	1.4	1.4	1.0
13,000–13,999	0.5	1.1	1.3	1.2	0.6	1.8	1.8	1.9
14,000–14,999	1.7	1.1	1.0	0.8	0.7	1.1	1.1	1.9
15,000–19,999	6.8	7.2	9.1	6.7	8.5	10.6	10.6	12.1
20,000–24,999	5.5	8.2	11.3	7.4	11.0	14.2	14.2	14.4
25,000–29,999	6.8	7.2	9.8	6.6	8.6	11.1	11.1	15.1
30,000–34,999	7.3	6.0	9.1	8.1	8.7	11.3	11.3	8.9
35,000–39,999	6.4	6.7	7.8	7.0	8.8	7.9	7.9	7.8
40,000–44,999	4.8	5.3	5.6	5.2	6.7	5.6	5.6	4.9
45,000–49,999	5.7	4.5	4.8	5.5	5.7	4.2	4.2	3.0
50,000–54,999	7.1	5.9	4.3	4.6	3.8	4.7	4.7	3.9
55,000–59,999	4.6	6.8	4.0	5.0	3.8	3.3	3.3	3.5
60,000–64,999	5.5	4.0	3.4	4.2	3.3	3.0	3.0	2.6
65,000–69,999	5.1	4.6	3.0	4.1	3.1	1.9	1.9	2.4
70,000–74,999	2.1	3.5	2.3	3.3	1.9	1.7	1.7	1.7
75,000–99,999	12.0	10.9	7.9	9.9	9.5	5.7	5.7	5.2
100,000–149,999	6.0	8.1	7.1	9.7	7.7	4.5	4.5	5.1
150,000–199,999	3.3	2.3	2.6	4.6	1.9	1.7	1.7	0.9
200,000 or more	1.0	2.1	1.9	3.1	1.9	1.2	1.2	0.6
Median income (dollars)	47,341	47,590	37,836	48,402	39,481	32,558	32,558	30,318
Number (thousands)	1,037	1,242	9,848	3,173	2,505	2,179	2,179	1,991

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**Table 2.2**  
**Percentage distribution of Social Security beneficiary units, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Family income (dollars)	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65–69	70–74	75–79	80 or older	
<b>Beneficiary nonmarried persons</b>								
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	0	0.3	0.1	0.2	0	0.1	0.2	
1,000–1,999	0.2	0.8	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	
2,000–2,999	0.1	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.5	
3,000–3,999	0.8	1.0	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.5	
4,000–4,999	1.0	1.5	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.7	
5,000–5,999	1.1	1.2	1.4	1.6	0.9	1.3	1.5	
6,000–6,999	4.9	3.5	2.4	2.6	2.3	1.7	2.6	
7,000–7,999	6.0	4.2	3.9	5.1	5.0	3.1	3.1	
8,000–8,999	4.0	2.8	3.0	2.4	3.9	3.1	2.9	
9,000–9,999	5.5	5.1	4.4	4.2	4.6	4.5	4.4	
10,000–10,999	3.0	3.7	5.1	2.9	4.0	5.6	6.5	
11,000–11,999	3.7	3.0	4.4	3.4	3.7	4.7	5.1	
12,000–12,999	3.5	4.1	5.3	4.5	4.7	6.0	5.7	
13,000–13,999	5.0	3.3	3.9	3.0	3.5	4.5	4.3	
14,000–14,999	4.0	3.4	3.6	3.2	3.2	4.3	3.7	
15,000–19,999	9.3	12.4	14.5	12.1	13.4	15.9	15.7	
20,000–24,999	11.2	8.9	9.9	9.5	9.9	10.0	9.9	
25,000–29,999	8.3	8.2	6.3	8.1	5.5	5.9	6.1	
30,000–34,999	5.0	6.3	4.6	6.4	5.3	4.4	3.5	
35,000–39,999	3.4	4.7	4.3	5.4	4.9	4.6	3.1	
40,000–44,999	2.4	3.3	3.2	4.0	3.5	2.4	3.1	
45,000–49,999	2.9	2.6	2.4	3.2	2.7	2.0	2.0	
50,000–54,999	2.2	1.9	2.1	2.4	1.9	2.3	2.0	
55,000–59,999	1.8	2.3	1.6	1.7	1.9	1.2	1.6	
60,000–64,999	1.5	2.1	1.6	2.4	1.5	1.6	1.2	
65,000–69,999	1.3	1.4	1.5	2.0	1.8	1.5	1.1	
70,000–74,999	0.8	0.6	1.1	1.1	1.6	1.0	1.0	
75,000–99,999	3.9	4.3	3.6	3.9	3.3	3.7	3.6	
100,000–149,999	2.2	2.4	2.8	2.0	3.9	2.1	2.9	
150,000–199,999	0.9	0.3	0.6	0.8	0.5	0.4	0.7	
200,000 or more	0.3	0.1	0.5	0.2	0.8	0.6	0.5	
Median income (dollars)	18,439	19,800	18,397	21,315	19,538	17,959	16,999	
Number (thousands)	979	1,075	14,088	2,761	2,886	3,131	5,310	

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## Family Income of Aged Units

**Table 2.2**  
**Percentage distribution of Social Security beneficiary units, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Family income (dollars)	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65–69	70–74	75–79	80 or older	
<i>Beneficiary nonmarried persons (cont.)</i>								
<i>Men</i>								
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	0	0.5	0	0	0	0	0	0
1,000–1,999	0	1.0	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.1	0	0
2,000–2,999	0.4	0.1	0.1	0	0	0.3	0	0
3,000–3,999	0	0	0.4	0.1	0.7	0.3	0.5	0.5
4,000–4,999	0.8	1.6	0.4	0.3	0.7	0.3	0.4	0.4
5,000–5,999	1.4	0.6	1.1	0.7	1.1	0.6	1.8	1.8
6,000–6,999	2.8	3.4	2.1	2.6	2.2	1.2	2.3	2.3
7,000–7,999	2.9	4.0	3.0	3.3	5.6	1.5	2.1	2.1
8,000–8,999	5.5	3.2	1.8	1.6	2.8	1.6	1.4	1.4
9,000–9,999	5.5	5.1	3.9	3.5	5.4	3.5	3.3	3.3
10,000–10,999	2.5	1.5	4.4	2.4	3.7	6.0	5.4	5.4
11,000–11,999	6.8	0.2	4.0	4.0	2.3	5.3	4.2	4.2
12,000–12,999	3.3	3.3	5.4	6.3	4.8	4.7	5.5	5.5
13,000–13,999	4.4	4.9	3.0	3.1	2.4	3.8	2.7	2.7
14,000–14,999	3.0	3.1	2.4	2.1	1.9	2.0	3.4	3.4
15,000–19,999	14.0	12.1	14.1	12.7	8.7	15.4	18.1	18.1
20,000–24,999	7.2	7.8	9.4	9.0	9.6	8.2	10.5	10.5
25,000–29,999	11.3	7.8	7.6	7.5	5.0	8.4	9.0	9.0
30,000–34,999	3.0	6.8	5.5	9.3	5.6	2.9	4.2	4.2
35,000–39,999	4.9	5.8	5.8	7.0	6.0	8.0	3.1	3.1
40,000–44,999	3.0	4.0	4.3	3.7	4.8	2.6	5.4	5.4
45,000–49,999	3.7	2.2	3.2	4.0	3.6	3.0	2.4	2.4
50,000–54,999	2.3	2.8	1.6	1.8	1.3	2.0	1.4	1.4
55,000–59,999	1.2	3.2	1.6	1.6	3.3	0.1	1.4	1.4
60,000–64,999	1.4	2.3	1.9	2.2	2.2	2.4	1.0	1.0

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**Table 2.2**  
**Percentage distribution of Social Security beneficiary units, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Family income (dollars)	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65–69	70–74	75–79	80 or older	
<i>Beneficiary nonmarried persons (cont.)</i>								
<i>Men (cont.)</i>								
65,000–69,999	2.0	1.3	2.2	1.9	2.2	2.5	2.1	
70,000–74,999	0.2	0.8	1.3	0.7	2.0	2.3	0.5	
75,000–99,999	4.9	7.0	3.9	4.7	4.1	4.0	3.0	
100,000–149,999	0.9	2.5	3.6	1.7	5.5	4.4	3.3	
150,000–199,999	0.7	0.9	1.2	1.4	0.9	1.1	1.2	
200,000 or more	0	0	0.7	0.4	0.8	1.4	0.5	
Median income (dollars)	18,439	23,714	21,626	23,699	23,937	21,231	19,519	
Number (thousands)	344	393	3,749	933	835	796	1,185	
<i>Women</i>								
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
Less than 1,000	0	0.2	0.2	0.3	0	0.2	0.2	
1,000–1,999	0.3	0.6	0.1	0.2	0	0.1	0.2	
2,000–2,999	0	0.7	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.6	
3,000–3,999	1.2	1.6	0.6	0.9	0.6	0.4	0.6	
4,000–4,999	1.2	1.4	0.9	1.0	1.0	0.8	0.7	
5,000–5,999	0.9	1.5	1.5	2.1	0.8	1.5	1.4	
6,000–6,999	6.0	3.6	2.4	2.6	2.3	1.9	2.7	
7,000–7,999	7.7	4.2	4.2	6.0	4.7	3.6	3.4	
8,000–8,999	3.2	2.5	3.5	2.8	4.3	3.6	3.3	
9,000–9,999	5.5	5.1	4.7	4.6	4.3	4.9	4.8	
10,000–10,999	3.3	4.9	5.3	3.1	4.2	5.4	6.8	
11,000–11,999	2.0	4.7	4.6	3.2	4.3	4.5	5.4	
12,000–12,999	3.6	4.6	5.3	3.6	4.6	6.4	5.7	
13,000–13,999	5.3	2.3	4.3	2.9	4.0	4.7	4.7	
14,000–14,999	4.5	3.5	4.1	3.7	3.8	5.1	3.8	
15,000–19,999	6.8	12.6	14.7	11.8	15.2	16.1	15.0	
20,000–24,999	13.4	9.6	10.0	9.7	10.0	10.6	9.8	
25,000–29,999	6.7	8.3	5.9	8.5	5.6	5.0	5.3	
30,000–34,999	6.1	5.9	4.3	4.9	5.2	5.0	3.2	
35,000–39,999	2.5	4.1	3.7	4.6	4.4	3.5	3.2	

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## Family Income of Aged Units

**Table 2.2**  
**Percentage distribution of Social Security beneficiary units, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Family income (dollars)	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65–69	70–74	75–79	80 or older	
<i>Beneficiary nonmarried persons (cont.)</i>								
<i>Women (cont.)</i>								
40,000–44,999	2.0	2.9	2.8	4.1	3.0	2.3	2.4	
45,000–49,999	2.4	2.8	2.1	2.8	2.3	1.6	1.9	
50,000–54,999	2.1	1.3	2.4	2.7	2.2	2.5	2.2	
55,000–59,999	2.1	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.4	1.6	1.7	
60,000–64,999	1.5	2.0	1.5	2.4	1.3	1.3	1.3	
65,000–69,999	0.9	1.4	1.2	2.0	1.7	1.1	0.7	
70,000–74,999	1.1	0.5	1.1	1.3	1.4	0.5	1.2	
75,000–99,999	3.4	2.8	3.5	3.5	3.0	3.6	3.8	
100,000–149,999	2.9	2.3	2.4	2.1	3.2	1.3	2.8	
150,000–199,999	1.0	0	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.6	
200,000 or more	0.5	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.8	0.4	0.4	
Median income (dollars)	19,031	18,800	17,316	20,262	18,297	16,429	16,170	
Number (thousands)	635	681	10,339	1,828	2,051	2,335	4,125	

NOTE: Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, or special age-72 benefits.

## Total Money Income

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**Table 3.1**  
**Percentage distribution, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004**

Income (dollars)	Aged 55-61	Aged 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80 or older	
<i>All units</i>								
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	4.4	3.8	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.3	2.8	2.8
1,000-1,999	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2
2,000-2,999	0.7	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.5
3,000-3,999	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.4	0.7	0.7
4,000-4,999	0.7	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.2	1.2
5,000-5,999	0.7	0.7	1.2	1.2	0.8	1.2	1.5	1.5
6,000-6,999	1.7	2.0	2.5	2.2	2.1	2.1	3.3	3.3
7,000-7,999	1.5	2.1	3.3	3.5	3.5	2.6	3.5	3.5
8,000-8,999	0.8	1.3	2.6	1.4	2.8	3.0	3.2	3.2
9,000-9,999	1.5	2.4	3.5	3.0	3.2	3.4	4.4	4.4
10,000-10,999	1.4	2.0	4.0	2.2	3.2	4.6	5.8	5.8
11,000-11,999	0.9	1.4	3.6	2.3	3.0	3.7	5.2	5.2
12,000-12,999	1.5	1.9	4.0	2.4	3.5	4.9	5.1	5.1
13,000-13,999	1.0	1.5	3.2	1.9	2.6	3.9	4.3	4.3
14,000-14,999	1.0	1.7	2.8	2.1	2.1	3.3	3.6	3.6
15,000-19,999	5.1	7.4	12.8	9.0	12.1	14.0	15.9	15.9
20,000-24,999	6.0	7.2	10.1	8.4	10.2	11.0	10.9	10.9
25,000-29,999	5.5	6.3	7.4	7.1	7.0	7.9	7.7	7.7
30,000-34,999	5.7	5.7	5.8	6.8	6.2	6.6	4.1	4.1
35,000-39,999	4.6	5.2	4.8	5.6	5.5	4.8	3.5	3.5
40,000-44,999	4.8	4.0	3.5	4.3	4.4	3.1	2.6	2.6
45,000-49,999	4.2	3.9	2.6	4.0	3.1	2.1	1.3	1.3
50,000-54,999	4.0	3.5	2.3	3.3	2.0	2.1	1.8	1.8
55,000-59,999	3.0	4.3	2.0	3.0	2.3	1.3	1.2	1.2
60,000-64,999	3.8	3.3	1.6	2.4	1.8	1.4	0.8	0.8
65,000-69,999	2.9	2.7	1.5	2.5	1.6	1.0	0.9	0.9
70,000-74,999	2.9	2.7	1.1	1.7	1.5	1.2	0.3	0.3
75,000-99,999	11.2	8.9	3.7	5.9	4.7	2.6	1.8	1.8
100,000-149,999	10.7	6.3	3.0	4.9	3.6	2.0	1.5	1.5
150,000-199,999	3.7	2.9	1.1	2.4	0.9	0.7	0.3	0.3
200,000 or more	3.3	2.4	0.8	1.7	0.9	0.4	0.1	0.1
Median income (dollars)	44,316	35,000	20,481	28,969	22,603	19,290	15,948	15,948
Number (thousands)	15,772	4,990	26,865	7,078	5,999	5,827	7,960	7,960

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## Total Money Income of Aged Units

**Table 3.1**  
**Percentage distribution, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Income (dollars)	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65–69	70–74	75–79	80 or older	
<i>Married couples</i>								
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.2	1.5	1.4	
1,000–1,999	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.3	
2,000–2,999	0.3	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	
3,000–3,999	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	
4,000–4,999	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.1	0.2	0.3	
5,000–5,999	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.1	0	0.1	0.5	
6,000–6,999	0.3	0.7	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	
7,000–7,999	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.6	
8,000–8,999	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.3	1.1	0.2	
9,000–9,999	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.8	
10,000–10,999	0.6	0.9	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.9	0.8	
11,000–11,999	0.3	0.5	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.1	
12,000–12,999	0.7	0.5	1.0	0.7	1.0	1.6	1.1	
13,000–13,999	0.3	0.6	1.5	1.3	0.7	2.0	2.1	
14,000–14,999	0.5	1.3	1.2	1.0	0.8	1.5	1.8	
15,000–19,999	2.6	5.0	9.8	6.9	9.7	11.6	13.0	
20,000–24,999	3.3	5.9	11.3	7.8	10.9	13.6	15.0	
25,000–29,999	3.8	5.0	10.2	7.0	9.2	12.3	14.9	
30,000–34,999	4.3	5.8	9.3	8.5	8.9	11.5	8.6	
35,000–39,999	3.7	5.2	7.6	6.6	8.7	7.6	7.9	
40,000–44,999	4.7	4.9	5.6	5.2	6.9	5.3	5.2	
45,000–49,999	4.4	4.9	4.7	5.7	5.2	4.1	2.9	
50,000–54,999	4.9	5.0	3.9	4.6	3.3	3.6	3.8	
55,000–59,999	3.9	5.8	3.6	4.7	3.3	2.7	2.9	
60,000–64,999	4.5	3.7	2.9	3.4	3.2	2.3	2.4	
65,000–69,999	4.2	4.1	2.4	3.2	2.7	1.3	1.9	
70,000–74,999	4.1	4.2	2.0	2.7	2.0	1.8	0.9	
75,000–99,999	16.5	13.3	7.1	9.3	8.3	4.8	4.2	
100,000–149,999	17.1	9.7	6.0	8.7	6.4	3.6	3.7	
150,000–199,999	6.1	5.0	2.3	4.1	1.7	1.5	1.0	
200,000 or more	5.4	4.0	1.7	2.9	1.6	0.9	0.5	
Median income (dollars)	68,612	54,899	34,900	44,299	36,750	30,413	28,490	
Number (thousands)	8,681	2,745	10,930	3,710	2,731	2,342	2,146	

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**Table 3.1**  
**Percentage distribution, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Income (dollars)	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65–69	70–74	75–79	80 or older	
<b>Nonmarried persons</b>								
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	7.8	6.5	4.3	5.1	5.0	4.6	3.3	
1,000–1,999	0.9	0.7	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	
2,000–2,999	1.1	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.7	
3,000–3,999	1.0	1.5	0.9	1.2	1.0	0.6	0.9	
4,000–4,999	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.5	
5,000–5,999	1.2	1.4	1.9	2.3	1.6	1.9	1.9	
6,000–6,999	3.4	3.7	4.0	4.5	3.7	3.4	4.4	
7,000–7,999	2.9	4.2	5.3	6.8	6.2	4.1	4.6	
8,000–8,999	1.6	2.5	4.0	2.6	4.8	4.3	4.3	
9,000–9,999	2.6	4.6	5.5	5.5	5.3	5.4	5.7	
10,000–10,999	2.3	3.4	6.3	3.9	5.3	7.1	7.7	
11,000–11,999	1.6	2.4	5.3	3.6	4.5	5.3	6.7	
12,000–12,999	2.6	3.7	6.0	4.2	5.6	7.1	6.6	
13,000–13,999	1.9	2.6	4.4	2.6	4.1	5.2	5.1	
14,000–14,999	1.5	2.2	3.9	3.4	3.2	4.5	4.2	
15,000–19,999	8.2	10.3	14.9	11.2	14.1	15.5	17.0	
20,000–24,999	9.2	8.8	9.3	9.1	9.5	9.2	9.4	
25,000–29,999	7.6	7.9	5.5	7.2	5.3	5.0	5.0	
30,000–34,999	7.3	5.6	3.5	4.8	4.0	3.3	2.4	
35,000–39,999	5.7	5.3	2.8	4.5	2.8	2.9	1.8	
40,000–44,999	4.9	3.0	2.1	3.2	2.3	1.6	1.6	
45,000–49,999	4.0	2.6	1.1	2.1	1.2	0.8	0.8	
50,000–54,999	3.0	1.8	1.2	1.9	0.9	1.1	1.0	
55,000–59,999	1.7	2.4	0.8	1.2	1.4	0.5	0.5	
60,000–64,999	3.0	2.7	0.7	1.3	0.6	0.8	0.3	
65,000–69,999	1.3	0.9	0.8	1.7	0.7	0.8	0.5	
70,000–74,999	1.5	1.0	0.6	0.5	1.1	0.8	0.1	
75,000–99,999	4.7	3.5	1.4	2.1	1.7	1.1	0.9	
100,000–149,999	2.8	2.2	0.8	0.7	1.3	0.8	0.7	
150,000–199,999	0.7	0.3	0.2	0.5	0.1	0.2	0	
200,000 or more	0.7	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.1	0	
Median income (dollars)	24,000	19,032	13,999	15,799	14,263	13,929	13,321	
Number (thousands)	7,091	2,245	15,935	3,368	3,268	3,485	5,814	

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## Total Money Income of Aged Units

**Table 3.1**  
**Percentage distribution, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Income (dollars)	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65–69	70–74	75–79	80 or older	
<i>Nonmarried persons (cont.)</i>								
<i>Men</i>								
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	7.2	6.7	3.8	4.3	3.9	4.4	3.0	
1,000–1,999	1.0	1.1	0.3	0.6	0.6	0.1	0	
2,000–2,999	0.6	0.6	0.3	0	0.4	0.2	0.4	
3,000–3,999	0.5	2.1	0.8	0.5	1.4	0.4	1.0	
4,000–4,999	0.9	1.5	0.8	0.6	0.7	0.9	0.8	
5,000–5,999	1.7	0.7	1.3	1.0	1.4	0.9	1.8	
6,000–6,999	3.1	2.3	2.8	3.6	2.7	2.7	2.3	
7,000–7,999	1.6	4.7	4.0	5.3	5.9	1.8	3.0	
8,000–8,999	1.6	3.1	2.5	2.2	3.3	2.8	2.1	
9,000–9,999	2.6	3.5	4.7	4.9	6.0	4.4	3.8	
10,000–10,999	2.7	2.9	4.8	3.0	3.8	5.8	6.2	
11,000–11,999	1.7	1.0	4.4	4.5	2.4	5.9	4.9	
12,000–12,999	2.2	3.4	5.9	5.6	6.4	5.9	5.7	
13,000–13,999	1.5	3.4	3.0	2.6	2.6	4.5	2.7	
14,000–14,999	1.4	2.1	2.9	2.3	2.3	2.3	4.1	
15,000–19,999	7.7	9.7	14.1	10.7	9.5	15.4	19.5	
20,000–24,999	8.6	7.1	9.4	8.1	10.6	7.8	10.8	
25,000–29,999	8.1	7.9	7.2	6.5	5.1	7.2	9.3	
30,000–34,999	7.3	5.8	4.8	7.5	5.1	2.8	3.5	
35,000–39,999	5.1	6.9	4.5	5.7	4.4	5.7	2.6	
40,000–44,999	5.3	2.6	3.6	2.9	4.6	2.8	4.1	
45,000–49,999	4.1	2.0	2.1	3.0	1.8	1.8	1.7	
50,000–54,999	3.5	2.0	1.5	2.5	1.5	1.4	0.8	
55,000–59,999	1.4	2.6	1.4	1.6	2.9	0.6	0.6	
60,000–64,999	3.3	3.1	1.1	1.6	1.3	1.4	0.4	
65,000–69,999	1.6	0.7	1.7	2.2	1.6	1.5	1.4	
70,000–74,999	1.8	0.8	1.1	0.7	2.2	2.0	0.1	
75,000–99,999	5.9	5.3	2.4	3.2	2.5	2.6	1.6	
100,000–149,999	4.1	3.1	1.8	1.1	2.0	2.8	1.5	
150,000–199,999	1.0	0.6	0.6	1.3	0.4	0.9	0.1	
200,000 or more	0.9	0.8	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.3	0	
Median income (dollars)	26,000	20,800	17,611	19,194	18,013	17,580	16,939	
Number (thousands)	2,773	819	4,292	1,141	936	892	1,323	

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**Table 3.1**  
**Percentage distribution, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Income (dollars)	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65–69	70–74	75–79	80 or older	
<i>Nonmarried persons (cont.)</i>								
<i>Women</i>								
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	8.1	6.4	4.5	5.4	5.5	4.7	3.4	
1,000–1,999	0.9	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.3	
2,000–2,999	1.3	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.4	0.5	0.8	
3,000–3,999	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.6	0.9	0.7	0.9	
4,000–4,999	1.6	1.3	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.6	1.7	
5,000–5,999	0.9	1.7	2.1	2.9	1.6	2.2	1.9	
6,000–6,999	3.6	4.4	4.5	4.9	4.0	3.6	5.0	
7,000–7,999	3.6	4.0	5.7	7.6	6.3	4.8	5.1	
8,000–8,999	1.6	2.2	4.6	2.8	5.4	4.8	4.9	
9,000–9,999	2.6	5.2	5.8	5.9	5.0	5.8	6.3	
10,000–10,999	2.1	3.6	6.8	4.4	5.9	7.6	8.1	
11,000–11,999	1.5	3.3	5.6	3.1	5.3	5.1	7.3	
12,000–12,999	2.9	3.8	6.0	3.5	5.3	7.5	6.8	
13,000–13,999	2.2	2.1	4.9	2.7	4.7	5.4	5.7	
14,000–14,999	1.6	2.3	4.3	3.9	3.6	5.2	4.3	
15,000–19,999	8.6	10.5	15.2	11.5	16.0	15.6	16.3	
20,000–24,999	9.6	9.8	9.2	9.6	9.1	9.6	8.9	
25,000–29,999	7.2	7.8	4.9	7.6	5.4	4.3	3.7	
30,000–34,999	7.3	5.5	3.0	3.5	3.6	3.5	2.1	
35,000–39,999	6.0	4.4	2.2	3.9	2.2	1.9	1.6	
40,000–44,999	4.6	3.2	1.5	3.4	1.4	1.1	0.9	
45,000–49,999	3.9	2.9	0.8	1.7	1.0	0.4	0.5	
50,000–54,999	2.6	1.6	1.1	1.5	0.7	1.0	1.1	
55,000–59,999	2.0	2.2	0.6	1.0	0.8	0.4	0.5	
60,000–64,999	2.8	2.5	0.5	1.2	0.3	0.6	0.2	
65,000–69,999	1.1	1.1	0.5	1.4	0.3	0.5	0.2	
70,000–74,999	1.4	1.1	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.4	0.1	
75,000–99,999	3.9	2.4	1.0	1.5	1.3	0.6	0.7	
100,000–149,999	1.9	1.6	0.5	0.5	1.0	0.2	0.4	
150,000–199,999	0.6	0.2	0	0	0	0	0	
200,000 or more	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3	0	0	
Median income (dollars)	22,630	18,288	13,151	14,611	13,506	13,171	12,679	
Number (thousands)	4,317	1,427	11,643	2,227	2,332	2,592	4,492	

## Total Money Income of Aged Units

**Table 3.2**  
**Percentage distribution, by Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004**

Income (dollars)	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons									
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	Total			Men			Women			
							55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	
	<i>Beneficiary</i> <sup>a</sup>															
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	0	0.5	0.1	0	0.1	0	0	0.9	0.2	0	1.2	0	0	0.8	0.3	
1,000-1,999	0.4	0.4	0.2	0	0	0.1	0.8	1.0	0.2	0.8	1.5	0.3	0.8	0.6	0.2	
2,000-2,999	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.1	0	0	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.7	0.4	
3,000-3,999	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.3	0	0.1	1.2	1.4	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.8	1.4	1.9	0.8	
4,000-4,999	0.7	1.2	0.8	0.1	0.3	0.1	1.3	2.2	1.3	0.8	2.4	0.7	1.6	2.2	1.5	
5,000-5,999	1.1	0.8	1.2	0.5	0.1	0.2	1.7	1.5	1.9	2.5	0.6	1.4	1.3	2.0	2.0	
6,000-6,999	4.0	2.8	2.2	1.3	0.5	0.1	7.0	5.5	3.7	4.4	4.1	2.7	8.4	6.3	4.1	
7,000-7,999	4.7	2.8	3.5	1.1	0.6	0.4	8.5	5.2	5.6	4.4	6.1	4.3	10.8	4.7	6.1	
8,000-8,999	2.8	1.9	2.7	0.3	0.7	0.4	5.4	3.3	4.3	7.5	3.5	2.6	4.2	3.2	5.0	
9,000-9,999	4.8	4.0	3.6	0.5	1.1	0.6	9.3	7.3	5.8	8.8	5.5	4.7	9.6	8.3	6.2	
10,000-10,999	3.4	2.6	4.2	1.3	0.9	0.5	5.6	4.6	6.8	5.1	2.9	5.3	5.8	5.6	7.4	
11,000-11,999	2.6	2.5	3.9	1.2	1.0	1.1	4.2	4.3	5.9	6.0	1.3	5.0	3.2	6.0	6.2	
12,000-12,999	3.6	3.1	4.3	1.8	0.8	1.0	5.5	5.6	6.6	3.8	4.6	6.5	6.5	6.2	6.6	
13,000-13,999	3.6	2.2	3.5	1.0	1.2	1.5	6.3	3.3	4.9	3.8	5.8	3.4	7.6	1.8	5.4	
14,000-14,999	3.6	2.6	3.0	1.9	2.0	1.2	5.3	3.2	4.3	3.5	3.1	3.2	6.3	3.2	4.7	
15,000-19,999	8.3	10.1	13.8	7.7	7.5	10.2	9.0	13.2	16.3	14.3	12.9	15.6	6.1	13.3	16.6	
20,000-24,999	7.2	8.9	10.6	6.5	8.5	11.9	7.9	9.4	9.7	6.7	9.1	9.8	8.6	9.6	9.6	
25,000-29,999	6.7	7.5	7.8	7.8	8.0	10.8	5.5	7.0	5.7	9.2	8.6	7.4	3.5	6.0	5.0	
30,000-34,999	6.6	6.1	6.1	8.7	6.9	9.6	4.4	5.2	3.6	4.4	4.0	5.0	4.4	5.9	3.0	
35,000-39,999	5.1	5.3	5.0	7.4	6.9	8.0	2.7	3.5	2.9	3.4	5.4	4.7	2.3	2.5	2.2	
40,000-44,999	3.8	3.6	3.5	6.1	4.8	5.7	1.4	2.2	2.0	1.7	2.8	3.5	1.3	1.9	1.4	
45,000-49,999	3.6	3.3	2.7	5.4	4.9	4.8	1.7	1.5	1.2	3.2	1.5	2.1	0.9	1.5	0.8	
50,000-54,999	3.1	3.8	2.2	5.4	6.2	3.8	0.7	0.9	1.1	0.6	1.8	1.4	0.7	0.3	1.0	
55,000-59,999	2.1	4.1	1.9	3.7	6.3	3.7	0.3	1.5	0.7	0	2.8	1.1	0.5	0.8	0.6	
60,000-64,999	2.5	2.7	1.6	4.6	3.5	3.1	0.3	1.9	0.6	0.8	2.5	1.1	0	1.5	0.5	
65,000-69,999	3.3	2.2	1.5	6.1	4.2	2.6	0.4	0	0.8	0.7	0.1	1.7	0.3	0	0.5	
70,000-74,999	1.3	1.9	1.1	1.9	3.2	1.9	0.6	0.3	0.6	1.1	0.4	1.2	0.4	0.3	0.4	
75,000-99,999	5.4	6.0	3.6	9.4	9.1	6.9	1.1	2.3	1.2	0.4	3.7	2.2	1.5	1.6	0.9	
100,000-149,999	2.6	4.0	2.8	4.4	6.6	5.8	0.8	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.5	1.5	0.8	1.2	0.5	
150,000-199,999	1.6	1.2	1.0	2.8	2.1	2.3	0.4	0.2	0.2	0	0.6	0.7	0.6	0	0	
200,000 or more	0.4	1.0	0.7	0.7	1.9	1.5	0.2	0	0.1	0	0	0.2	0.3	0	0.1	
Median income (dollars)	23,560	26,351	20,975	40,136	42,800	35,098	12,799	15,016	14,400	14,323	17,683	17,805	12,240	13,624	13,585	
Number (thousands)	2,016	2,316	23,936	1,037	1,242	9,848	979	1,075	14,088	344	393	3,749	635	681	10,339	

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**Table 3.2**  
**Percentage distribution, by Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Income (dollars)	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons									
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	Total			Men			Women			
							55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	
	<b>Nonbeneficiary</b>															
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	5.0	6.6	27.6	1.8	2.7	13.8	9.0	11.6	35.6	8.2	11.7	30.2	9.5	11.5	37.9	
1,000-1,999	0.5	0.6	0.9	0.2	0.7	1.3	0.9	0.5	0.7	1.0	0.6	0.6	0.9	0.5	0.7	
2,000-2,999	0.7	0.5	1.2	0.3	0.1	0	1.1	1.0	1.9	0.7	1.0	1.1	1.5	1.0	2.3	
3,000-3,999	0.5	0.8	1.8	0.2	0.2	1.0	0.9	1.5	2.2	0.5	3.5	1.2	1.2	0.4	2.6	
4,000-4,999	0.6	0.5	2.6	0.1	0.4	2.2	1.3	0.6	2.8	0.9	0.7	1.3	1.6	0.6	3.4	
5,000-5,999	0.7	0.6	1.5	0.3	0	0.2	1.1	1.2	2.2	1.5	0.8	0.5	0.9	1.5	2.9	
6,000-6,999	1.4	1.3	4.4	0.2	0.8	1.0	2.8	2.0	6.4	2.9	0.6	3.6	2.7	2.7	7.6	
7,000-7,999	1.0	1.6	1.8	0.3	0.2	0.4	1.9	3.4	2.6	1.3	3.4	2.1	2.4	3.4	2.8	
8,000-8,999	0.6	0.8	1.6	0.2	0	1.4	1.0	1.9	1.6	0.8	2.7	2.1	1.2	1.4	1.4	
9,000-9,999	1.0	1.0	2.8	0.5	0.2	1.2	1.6	2.1	3.7	1.8	1.7	4.9	1.4	2.3	3.2	
10,000-10,999	1.1	1.5	2.3	0.5	0.9	2.6	1.8	2.2	2.1	2.3	2.9	1.4	1.5	1.8	2.3	
11,000-11,999	0.6	0.3	1.1	0.2	0	1.6	1.2	0.8	0.9	1.1	0.6	0.6	1.2	0.8	1.0	
12,000-12,999	1.2	1.0	1.3	0.5	0.3	1.3	2.2	1.8	1.4	2.0	2.2	1.9	2.3	1.6	1.1	
13,000-13,999	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.2	0	1.4	1.2	1.9	0.4	1.2	1.2	0.8	1.2	2.3	0.3	
14,000-14,999	0.6	0.9	1.2	0.3	0.6	1.3	0.9	1.3	1.1	1.1	1.1	0.7	0.8	1.5	1.2	
15,000-19,999	4.6	5.0	4.9	1.9	3.0	6.4	8.1	7.6	4.1	6.8	6.8	4.1	9.0	8.0	4.0	
20,000-24,999	5.8	5.7	5.9	2.9	3.8	5.1	9.4	8.2	6.3	8.9	5.3	6.7	9.8	9.9	6.2	
25,000-29,999	5.3	5.2	4.6	3.2	2.5	4.8	7.9	8.7	4.5	8.0	7.3	5.5	7.9	9.4	4.1	
30,000-34,999	5.5	5.3	3.9	3.7	4.9	5.9	7.8	6.0	2.7	7.7	7.4	2.9	7.8	5.1	2.6	
35,000-39,999	4.5	5.2	3.0	3.2	3.9	3.8	6.1	6.9	2.4	5.4	8.2	3.0	6.6	6.1	2.2	
40,000-44,999	5.0	4.4	3.5	4.6	5.0	4.7	5.4	3.8	2.8	5.8	2.5	4.1	5.2	4.5	2.3	
45,000-49,999	4.3	4.4	2.0	4.3	5.0	3.9	4.3	3.6	1.0	4.2	2.6	2.1	4.5	4.2	0.5	
50,000-54,999	4.1	3.4	2.8	4.8	4.0	4.4	3.3	2.6	1.9	3.9	2.2	2.7	3.0	2.8	1.5	
55,000-59,999	3.1	4.4	2.0	4.0	5.5	2.4	2.0	3.1	1.8	1.6	2.5	3.6	2.2	3.5	1.0	
60,000-64,999	4.0	3.7	1.2	4.5	3.9	1.4	3.4	3.4	1.1	3.7	3.7	1.2	3.3	3.3	1.0	
65,000-69,999	2.9	3.0	1.0	4.0	4.1	1.1	1.4	1.7	1.0	1.7	1.2	1.5	1.3	2.0	0.8	
70,000-74,999	3.2	3.5	1.4	4.4	4.9	2.9	1.7	1.6	0.5	1.9	1.2	0.7	1.6	1.8	0.5	
75,000-99,999	12.0	11.4	4.8	17.5	16.8	8.9	5.2	4.6	2.4	6.7	6.9	4.1	4.3	3.2	1.7	
100,000-149,999	11.9	8.3	3.8	18.9	12.2	7.8	3.1	3.3	1.5	4.5	5.5	3.5	2.1	2.1	0.6	
150,000-199,999	4.0	4.4	1.1	6.5	7.5	2.8	0.8	0.5	0.2	1.1	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.4	0	
200,000 or more	3.7	3.6	1.4	6.0	5.8	3.1	0.7	0.8	0.4	1.0	1.6	0.8	0.5	0.4	0.2	
Median income (dollars)	48,000	45,010	12,000	73,840	66,402	32,300	26,000	25,000	6,828	29,000	26,000	12,000	25,000	24,232	6,000	
Number (thousands)	13,756	2,674	2,929	7,644	1,503	1,082	6,112	1,171	1,847	2,430	425	543	3,682	745	1,303	

a. Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, or special age-72 benefits.

**Total Money Income of Aged Units**

**Table 3.3**  
**Percentage distribution, by race, Hispanic origin, marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004**

Income (dollars)	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
<i>White alone</i>															
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	3.7	2.9	2.5	1.5	1.6	1.3	6.8	4.7	3.5	6.8	5.0	3.1	6.7	4.5	3.6
1,000-1,999	0.4	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.8	0.7	0.2	0.7	1.2	0.2	0.8	0.5	0.2
2,000-2,999	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.1	0	1.0	0.8	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.2	1.3	0.9	0.7
3,000-3,999	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.2	0	0.1	0.9	1.5	0.8	0.7	2.0	0.4	1.1	1.2	0.9
4,000-4,999	0.6	0.8	0.8	0.1	0.4	0.3	1.3	1.3	1.2	0.9	1.9	0.8	1.6	1.0	1.3
5,000-5,999	0.6	0.7	1.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	1.1	1.5	1.6	1.6	0.7	1.0	0.7	2.0	1.9
6,000-6,999	1.3	1.7	1.8	0.3	0.7	0.2	2.7	3.2	3.0	1.9	1.4	2.0	3.3	4.2	3.3
7,000-7,999	1.4	1.9	2.7	0.4	0.4	0.3	2.7	3.9	4.4	1.7	3.8	3.3	3.3	4.0	4.8
8,000-8,999	0.7	1.1	2.4	0.2	0.2	0.3	1.4	2.3	3.9	1.4	3.1	2.4	1.5	1.8	4.4
9,000-9,999	1.4	2.2	3.3	0.5	0.6	0.6	2.5	4.3	5.3	2.4	3.4	4.3	2.5	4.9	5.6
10,000-10,999	1.1	1.7	3.8	0.4	0.9	0.6	2.1	2.9	6.1	2.3	2.0	4.5	2.0	3.4	6.6
11,000-11,999	0.8	1.1	3.7	0.3	0.5	1.0	1.4	2.0	5.6	1.4	1.0	4.5	1.5	2.5	6.1
12,000-12,999	1.4	1.9	4.0	0.7	0.6	1.0	2.4	3.6	6.3	1.9	3.0	5.9	2.7	4.0	6.4
13,000-13,999	0.9	1.4	3.4	0.2	0.6	1.5	1.9	2.6	4.7	1.7	3.8	3.1	2.1	1.9	5.3
14,000-14,999	1.0	1.7	2.8	0.5	1.2	1.0	1.7	2.3	4.1	1.6	1.9	3.0	1.7	2.5	4.5
15,000-19,999	4.9	7.0	13.1	2.4	4.7	9.5	8.3	10.2	15.8	8.3	9.0	14.8	8.3	10.9	16.2
20,000-24,999	5.6	7.2	10.5	2.8	5.8	11.1	9.4	9.1	10.0	8.3	7.5	10.0	10.1	10.0	10.0
25,000-29,999	5.3	6.4	7.8	3.6	4.8	10.4	7.5	8.5	5.9	7.9	9.5	7.8	7.2	7.9	5.2
30,000-34,999	5.5	5.6	6.1	4.0	5.5	9.7	7.4	5.9	3.5	7.2	6.0	4.7	7.6	5.8	3.1
35,000-39,999	4.5	5.4	5.1	3.5	5.2	7.8	5.9	5.6	3.1	5.4	7.3	4.9	6.3	4.6	2.4
40,000-44,999	5.0	4.2	3.7	4.8	4.9	5.6	5.3	3.2	2.3	5.7	2.9	4.0	5.0	3.3	1.6
45,000-49,999	4.3	3.9	2.8	4.2	4.6	4.9	4.3	3.0	1.2	4.0	2.2	2.3	4.5	3.5	0.8
50,000-54,999	4.1	3.8	2.4	4.7	5.3	3.9	3.1	1.8	1.3	3.7	1.7	1.7	2.8	1.8	1.1
55,000-59,999	3.0	4.7	2.1	3.9	6.2	3.6	1.8	2.8	0.9	1.2	3.3	1.5	2.2	2.5	0.7
60,000-64,999	3.9	3.4	1.7	4.4	3.9	3.1	3.1	2.9	0.7	3.6	3.4	1.2	2.9	2.6	0.5

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**Table 3.3**  
**Percentage distribution, by race, Hispanic origin, marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Income (dollars)	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	55–61	62–64	65 or older	55–61	62–64	65 or older	55–61	62–64	65 or older	55–61	62–64	65 or older	55–61	62–64	65 or older
<i>White alone (cont.)</i>															
65,000–69,999	3.0	2.9	1.6	4.3	4.3	2.5	1.3	0.9	0.9	1.8	0.5	1.7	1.0	1.2	0.6
70,000–74,999	3.1	2.7	1.2	4.1	3.9	2.0	1.7	1.2	0.6	2.2	0.8	1.3	1.4	1.4	0.4
75,000–99,999	12.1	9.7	3.9	17.1	13.8	7.3	5.4	4.1	1.5	7.1	6.3	2.6	4.3	2.8	1.1
100,000–149,999	11.5	6.4	3.1	17.8	9.3	6.1	2.9	2.5	0.9	4.2	3.4	2.0	2.1	1.9	0.5
150,000–199,999	4.1	3.1	1.1	6.4	5.1	2.3	0.8	0.3	0.2	1.1	0.4	0.7	0.6	0.3	0
200,000 or more	3.6	2.7	0.8	5.6	4.4	1.7	0.8	0.5	0.1	1.0	1.0	0.3	0.6	0.3	0.1
Median income (dollars)	47,858	37,906	21,699	70,605	55,500	35,375	25,240	20,800	14,713	28,024	24,399	18,715	24,000	19,800	13,927
Number (thousands)	13,052	4,181	23,121	7,540	2,405	9,818	5,512	1,776	13,303	2,220	661	3,554	3,292	1,115	9,748
<i>Black alone</i>															
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	7.6	7.6	5.5	2.6	1.6	1.8	10.4	10.8	6.6	9.2	11.0	6.2	11.0	10.7	6.8
1,000–1,999	0.9	0.7	0.6	0	0	0.3	1.4	1.0	0.7	2.1	0.9	0.8	1.1	1.1	0.7
2,000–2,999	0.9	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.1	0	1.2	0.5	0.7	0.9	0	0.9	1.3	0.7	0.6
3,000–3,999	0.6	0.5	1.6	0	0.7	0.4	0.9	0.4	2.0	0	1.2	2.8	1.4	0	1.7
4,000–4,999	0.7	1.1	2.0	0	0	0.4	1.1	1.7	2.5	0.7	0	0.5	1.2	2.5	3.2
5,000–5,999	1.6	0.5	2.6	1.1	0	0.6	1.8	0.7	3.2	2.0	0.2	2.8	1.7	1.0	3.4
6,000–6,999	4.7	4.5	7.6	0.8	0.8	0	6.9	6.5	10.1	9.8	7.7	6.5	5.4	5.9	11.4
7,000–7,999	2.5	4.7	8.2	0.4	0.9	1.1	3.7	6.8	10.4	0.7	11.4	7.7	5.3	4.6	11.4
8,000–8,999	1.7	1.9	4.3	0.2	0	1.9	2.5	2.9	5.1	3.1	2.0	2.1	2.2	3.3	6.3
9,000–9,999	2.4	3.6	5.7	0.7	0.6	1.4	3.3	5.3	7.0	3.1	5.9	6.3	3.5	5.0	7.3
10,000–10,999	2.9	4.3	6.4	2.0	0.9	1.1	3.4	6.1	8.1	5.0	8.2	6.3	2.5	5.1	8.8
11,000–11,999	1.3	2.8	3.0	0.2	0	2.3	2.0	4.4	3.3	3.2	1.2	4.7	1.3	5.9	2.8
12,000–12,999	2.4	2.4	4.1	0.3	0	2.6	3.6	3.7	4.6	3.0	4.5	6.0	3.8	3.3	4.0
13,000–13,999	1.6	2.1	2.2	0.9	0.8	1.7	2.0	2.7	2.4	0.8	2.3	3.5	2.7	2.9	2.0
14,000–14,999	0.9	2.1	2.5	0.4	2.6	3.0	1.2	1.9	2.4	0.9	2.1	1.4	1.4	1.7	2.8
15,000–19,999	6.6	9.0	10.6	4.3	7.9	12.3	7.8	9.6	10.1	6.2	9.5	11.6	8.7	9.6	9.5
20,000–24,999	8.6	8.8	8.4	8.1	9.3	14.8	8.9	8.6	6.4	10.4	5.4	7.1	8.0	10.1	6.1
25,000–29,999	7.0	6.1	4.6	4.3	6.2	7.8	8.6	6.0	3.6	8.1	2.0	4.2	8.9	7.9	3.3
30,000–34,999	6.3	6.3	4.3	5.8	8.9	6.3	6.5	4.9	3.7	7.0	4.9	5.9	6.3	4.9	2.8
35,000–39,999	4.9	5.2	2.8	4.6	5.1	5.6	5.1	5.2	1.9	3.9	7.0	2.8	5.8	4.4	1.5

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**Total Money Income of Aged Units**

**Table 3.3**  
**Percentage distribution, by race, Hispanic origin, marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Income (dollars)	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
<b>Black alone (cont.)</b>															
40,000-44,999	3.8	2.6	2.4	4.7	4.4	6.7	3.3	1.7	1.1	3.3	0.8	1.7	3.2	2.1	0.8
45,000-49,999	3.9	3.8	1.4	6.1	8.5	3.1	2.6	1.2	0.9	3.9	2.1	1.5	1.9	0.9	0.6
50,000-54,999	3.6	2.3	1.1	5.9	4.2	2.4	2.3	1.3	0.7	2.3	2.9	1.0	2.3	0.5	0.6
55,000-59,999	2.1	2.1	1.2	3.9	4.1	3.9	1.1	1.0	0.3	2.1	0	0.5	0.6	1.4	0.3
60,000-64,999	3.7	2.0	1.0	5.5	2.2	2.6	2.6	1.8	0.5	2.8	2.0	0.5	2.5	1.8	0.5
65,000-69,999	1.7	1.6	0.8	2.5	3.6	1.9	1.3	0.5	0.5	0.6	0	1.7	1.7	0.7	0
70,000-74,999	2.2	3.0	0.5	4.5	7.8	1.5	0.9	0.4	0.2	0	1.4	0.2	1.4	0	0.2
75,000-99,999	5.6	4.5	1.9	13.0	10.3	5.4	1.4	1.3	0.8	1.0	1.6	1.8	1.6	1.2	0.4
100,000-149,999	5.0	3.0	1.3	10.5	7.5	4.4	1.8	0.5	0.4	2.8	0.1	0.5	1.2	0.7	0.4
150,000-199,999	1.2	0.7	0.5	3.2	0.9	2.0	0.1	0.5	0.1	0.4	1.7	0.2	0	0	0
200,000 or more	1.2	0.1	0.2	2.9	0	0.6	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.3	0.4	0	0	0
Median income (dollars)	25,000	20,399	12,503	50,340	44,767	28,111	16,810	12,631	10,159	19,760	12,000	12,480	16,476	13,399	9,636
Number (thousands)	1,816	549	2,565	663	194	618	1,153	355	1,947	407	114	542	746	241	1,406
<b>Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup></b>															
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	8.1	6.2	10.4	2.4	1.4	4.2	13.4	10.1	13.7	10.6	11.7	13.9	15.3	9.2	13.7
1,000-1,999	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.2	0	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.5	1.4	0.9	0.5	0	0
2,000-2,999	0.4	1.0	0.5	0.2	0	0.2	0.6	1.7	0.7	0.5	0.3	0	0.7	2.5	0.9
3,000-3,999	1.3	1.1	1.9	0.7	0	0.6	1.8	1.9	2.6	0	0	1.3	3.0	3.0	3.1
4,000-4,999	1.2	0	2.3	0.2	0	1.0	2.2	0	3.0	1.6	0	1.8	2.6	0	3.4
5,000-5,999	0.6	1.1	2.6	0.2	0	0.7	0.9	2.0	3.7	0.6	1.8	2.8	1.1	2.0	4.0
6,000-6,999	3.6	3.7	5.5	2.3	2.6	0.7	4.8	4.6	8.2	4.6	1.7	5.2	4.9	6.3	9.4
7,000-7,999	2.4	2.4	6.6	1.0	1.5	1.0	3.7	3.2	9.7	1.2	2.5	9.4	5.3	3.7	9.8
8,000-8,999	1.2	3.7	3.8	0.6	1.0	0.7	1.8	5.9	5.6	2.9	8.7	5.6	1.1	4.3	5.6
9,000-9,999	1.9	5.8	6.0	1.2	1.8	2.7	2.7	9.0	7.9	0.8	5.6	6.5	3.9	10.9	8.4
10,000-10,999	2.7	4.0	4.8	1.1	5.0	2.1	4.3	3.1	6.3	2.8	6.7	4.7	5.3	1.1	6.9
11,000-11,999	1.5	1.9	4.2	0.7	1.7	3.2	2.3	2.1	4.7	1.8	1.6	2.9	2.6	2.3	5.5
12,000-12,999	2.9	3.4	3.9	1.6	0.9	3.3	4.1	5.4	4.3	1.3	3.7	4.6	6.1	6.3	4.1
13,000-13,999	1.8	3.0	3.5	0.7	1.0	4.6	2.9	4.5	2.9	3.2	7.7	1.9	2.7	2.7	3.2
14,000-14,999	1.7	3.4	2.3	0.7	4.5	2.3	2.6	2.5	2.3	3.2	2.1	3.2	2.2	2.8	1.9

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**Table 3.3**  
**Percentage distribution, by race, Hispanic origin, marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Income (dollars)	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	55–61	62–64	65 or older	55–61	62–64	65 or older	55–61	62–64	65 or older	55–61	62–64	65 or older	55–61	62–64	65 or older
<i>Hispanic origin<sup>a</sup> (cont.)</i>															
15,000–19,999	9.9	10.9	10.6	7.3	10.4	15.2	12.4	11.3	8.1	15.2	11.8	12.2	10.5	11.1	6.4
20,000–24,999	6.2	9.6	8.2	5.1	8.7	13.5	7.2	10.4	5.3	8.8	3.1	6.2	6.2	14.5	4.9
25,000–29,999	6.5	5.7	4.8	8.1	6.0	9.1	5.0	5.4	2.4	5.5	7.4	2.3	4.7	4.3	2.4
30,000–34,999	6.3	5.1	4.8	6.6	5.4	9.2	6.0	4.8	2.3	7.0	7.6	2.4	5.4	3.3	2.3
35,000–39,999	4.9	3.9	2.1	6.7	5.5	4.3	3.2	2.7	0.9	4.6	2.3	2.1	2.3	2.9	0.4
40,000–44,999	5.6	3.8	1.9	7.7	6.1	3.1	3.6	1.9	1.2	4.1	1.6	2.4	3.3	2.0	0.8
45,000–49,999	3.2	2.9	1.7	4.7	5.0	3.7	1.9	1.2	0.6	1.5	0	1.6	2.1	1.9	0.2
50,000–54,999	4.6	2.9	2.2	7.7	4.1	2.4	1.6	1.9	2.1	3.4	2.6	2.5	0.4	1.5	2.0
55,000–59,999	2.5	1.6	1.2	2.9	3.6	2.3	2.1	0.1	0.5	2.3	0	1.9	2.0	0.2	0
60,000–64,999	3.1	3.0	0.7	4.2	4.7	1.8	2.1	1.6	0.1	3.8	2.3	0.5	1.0	1.2	0
65,000–69,999	1.3	0.8	0.3	2.3	1.9	0.4	0.4	0	0.3	0.1	0	0.5	0.5	0	0.2
70,000–74,999	2.5	0.8	0.4	3.4	1.9	1.3	1.7	0	0	3.5	0	0	0.6	0	0
75,000–99,999	6.1	3.2	1.4	9.0	4.8	3.4	3.4	2.0	0.3	4.1	5.5	0.6	3.0	0	0.2
100,000–149,999	3.8	3.0	0.7	7.3	6.8	1.5	0.4	0	0.2	0.5	0	0	0.4	0	0.4
150,000–199,999	0.6	1.2	0.2	1.3	2.7	0.6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
200,000 or more	1.1	0.4	0.1	2.0	1.0	0.4	0.2	0	0	0	0	0	0.4	0	0
Median income (dollars)	25,770	19,598	12,133	40,338	32,800	22,529	15,060	13,200	9,199	19,000	13,200	10,399	12,001	12,480	9,000
Number (thousands)	1,345	394	1,741	655	175	619	690	219	1,121	275	78	325	415	140	797

a. Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

## Total Money Income of Aged Units

**Table 3.4**  
**Percentage distribution, by Social Security beneficiary status, race, Hispanic origin, and age, 2004**

Income (dollars)	White alone			Black alone			Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
<i>Beneficiary units <sup>b</sup></i>									
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	0	0.5	0.1	0	0	0.4	0	1.0	0.3
1,000-1,999	0.1	0.5	0.1	1.4	0.4	0.5	1.2	0.8	0.3
2,000-2,999	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.1	0.2	0	1.3	0.3
3,000-3,999	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.8	0	1.1	4.1	3.0	1.9
4,000-4,999	0.7	1.1	0.6	0.6	2.1	2.2	0	0	1.9
5,000-5,999	0.8	0.8	1.0	2.5	0.9	2.9	2.3	1.0	2.6
6,000-6,999	3.8	2.0	1.6	5.3	7.9	7.8	9.5	2.4	4.4
7,000-7,999	4.6	2.6	2.8	4.7	4.2	9.4	7.5	2.7	7.9
8,000-8,999	2.3	1.4	2.5	5.3	2.8	4.8	3.3	2.0	4.2
9,000-9,999	5.3	3.6	3.3	2.9	5.9	6.6	6.8	7.3	7.8
10,000-10,999	2.7	2.2	4.0	5.9	5.9	7.0	7.2	5.2	5.6
11,000-11,999	2.2	2.1	3.9	4.6	4.9	3.4	2.5	3.3	5.5
12,000-12,999	3.6	3.1	4.3	3.5	3.0	4.7	4.7	3.3	4.7
13,000-13,999	3.0	2.1	3.6	6.5	3.2	2.4	3.8	4.9	4.4
14,000-14,999	3.9	2.3	2.9	2.1	4.1	3.0	4.0	5.7	2.6
15,000-19,999	8.6	10.0	14.0	7.2	9.0	11.1	11.5	12.7	12.4
20,000-24,999	7.3	8.7	10.9	8.4	11.0	8.7	4.4	14.2	9.1
25,000-29,999	7.3	8.0	8.1	3.4	4.9	4.7	5.1	8.4	5.4
30,000-34,999	6.6	6.4	6.3	6.8	5.9	4.5	2.3	4.1	5.4
35,000-39,999	5.5	5.6	5.3	3.7	3.8	2.9	3.3	2.5	2.5
40,000-44,999	4.1	3.8	3.7	2.9	2.6	2.0	4.6	0.7	1.7
45,000-49,999	3.6	3.3	2.8	2.9	3.3	1.5	0	3.9	1.8
50,000-54,999	2.9	4.2	2.3	4.3	1.9	1.0	3.9	1.3	2.1
55,000-59,999	2.2	4.7	2.1	1.8	1.1	0.9	0	0.7	1.0
60,000-64,999	2.4	3.0	1.7	3.1	1.4	1.1	5.3	2.7	0.9

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**Table 3.4**  
**Percentage distribution, by Social Security beneficiary status, race, Hispanic origin, and age, 2004—Continued**

Income (dollars)	White alone			Black alone			Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
<b>Beneficiary units <sup>b</sup> (cont.)</b>									
65,000-69,999	3.5	2.4	1.6	1.8	1.6	0.9	0	0	0.4
70,000-74,999	1.2	1.7	1.2	2.1	3.7	0.6	0.4	0	0.3
75,000-99,999	5.8	6.6	3.8	3.4	1.8	1.5	2.2	2.5	1.4
100,000-149,999	3.0	4.2	3.0	1.4	2.7	1.4	0	2.3	0.9
150,000-199,999	1.6	1.2	1.1	0	0	0.6	0	0	0.2
200,000 or more	0.4	1.1	0.7	0.1	0	0.3	0	0	0.2
Median income (dollars)	25,188	28,755	21,944	16,476	17,539	12,799	13,279	18,000	13,670
Number (thousands)	1,622	1,940	20,959	305	282	2,132	152	139	1,322
<b>Nonbeneficiary units</b>									
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	4.2	5.0	26.0	9.1	15.6	30.5	9.1	9.1	42.2
1,000-1,999	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.5	0.2	0	0.8
2,000-2,999	0.7	0.5	1.1	1.0	0.6	2.2	0.5	0.8	1.2
3,000-3,999	0.5	0.8	1.2	0.5	1.0	4.2	0.9	0	1.9
4,000-4,999	0.6	0.5	2.7	0.7	0	0.8	1.4	0	3.4
5,000-5,999	0.5	0.6	1.3	1.4	0	1.2	0.3	1.1	2.6
6,000-6,999	1.0	1.5	3.7	4.6	0.8	6.6	2.8	4.4	9.0
7,000-7,999	0.9	1.3	1.4	2.0	5.2	1.9	1.7	2.3	2.6
8,000-8,999	0.5	0.9	1.4	0.9	0.9	2.0	1.0	4.6	2.6
9,000-9,999	0.8	1.0	2.6	2.3	1.2	1.1	1.3	5.0	0.5
10,000-10,999	0.9	1.3	1.8	2.2	2.5	3.7	2.2	3.3	2.2
11,000-11,999	0.6	0.3	1.1	0.7	0.6	1.2	1.4	1.1	0
12,000-12,999	1.1	0.9	1.2	2.1	1.8	1.1	2.7	3.4	1.4
13,000-13,999	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.9	1.2	1.6	1.9	0.6
14,000-14,999	0.6	1.1	1.4	0.7	0	0	1.4	2.1	1.2

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## Total Money Income of Aged Units

**Table 3.4**  
**Percentage distribution, by Social Security beneficiary status, race, Hispanic origin, and age, 2004—Continued**

Income (dollars)	White alone			Black alone			Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
<b>Nonbeneficiary units (cont.)</b>									
15,000-19,999	4.4	4.4	4.2	6.4	9.0	8.3	9.7	9.9	5.0
20,000-24,999	5.4	5.9	6.3	8.6	6.6	7.2	6.4	7.2	5.4
25,000-29,999	5.0	5.0	5.2	7.8	7.3	3.9	6.7	4.2	2.8
30,000-34,999	5.3	5.0	4.4	6.1	6.8	3.2	6.8	5.7	2.7
35,000-39,999	4.4	5.2	3.1	5.2	6.7	2.0	5.1	4.7	0.6
40,000-44,999	5.1	4.5	3.5	4.0	2.7	4.7	5.7	5.4	2.7
45,000-49,999	4.4	4.4	2.3	4.1	4.3	0.8	3.6	2.3	1.5
50,000-54,999	4.2	3.5	3.2	3.5	2.7	1.4	4.7	3.8	2.8
55,000-59,999	3.1	4.8	2.1	2.2	3.2	2.6	2.8	2.2	1.5
60,000-64,999	4.1	3.8	1.4	3.8	2.6	0.8	2.9	3.1	0.3
65,000-69,999	3.0	3.2	1.2	1.7	1.6	0.4	1.5	1.3	0
70,000-74,999	3.4	3.6	1.7	2.3	2.3	0.4	2.8	1.3	0.8
75,000-99,999	13.1	12.4	5.4	6.1	7.4	3.6	6.6	3.6	1.4
100,000-149,999	12.7	8.4	4.4	5.7	3.4	1.3	4.2	3.5	0
150,000-199,999	4.4	4.7	1.3	1.5	1.4	0.3	0.7	1.9	0.3
200,000 or more	4.0	4.1	1.9	1.4	0.1	0	1.2	0.7	0
Median income (dollars)	51,320	48,816	16,640	27,640	25,000	8,400	28,760	20,000	5,200
Number (thousands)	11,429	2,242	2,162	1,511	266	434	1,193	255	418

a. Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

b. Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, or special age-72 benefits.

**Table 3.5**  
**Percentage distribution of Social Security beneficiary units, by marital status and quintiles of Social Security benefits, 2004**

Income (dollars)	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	0.7	0	0	0	0	0.1	0	0	0	0	1.1	0	0	0	0
1,000–1,999	0.7	0.1	0	0	0	0.5	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0.1	0	0
2,000–2,999	1.1	0	0	0	0	0.1	0	0	0	0	1.8	0	0	0	0
3,000–3,999	2.4	0	0	0.1	0	0.2	0.2	0	0	0	3.9	0	0	0	0
4,000–4,999	3.8	0	0.1	0	0	0.3	0.1	0	0	0	6.3	0	0	0.1	0
5,000–5,999	5.8	0	0	0	0	0.8	0	0	0	0	9.3	0	0	0	0
6,000–6,999	11.1	0	0	0	0	0.4	0	0	0	0	18.7	0	0	0	0
7,000–7,999	17.2	0	0.2	0	0	2.0	0.3	0	0	0	11.4	16.9	0	0	0
8,000–8,999	7.5	6.2	0.1	0	0	2.0	0	0	0	0	4.7	17.0	0.1	0.1	0
9,000–9,999	3.4	15.2	0	0	0	2.8	0	0	0	0	3.8	20.7	4.5	0	0.1
10,000–10,999	3.8	17.8	0.1	0	0	2.4	0.3	0	0	0	4.3	6.3	23.3	0	0
11,000–11,999	2.4	10.0	7.2	0	0	5.5	0.1	0	0	0	2.5	3.9	18.4	4.4	0
12,000–12,999	2.6	4.2	14.4	0.1	0	3.8	1.4	0	0	0	3.1	2.7	6.0	21.4	0
13,000–13,999	2.3	3.6	11.4	0	0	2.4	4.9	0	0	0	2.3	2.3	4.9	12.5	2.6
14,000–14,999	1.5	2.8	7.7	2.9	0	1.2	4.7	0	0	0	1.7	2.2	3.1	8.1	6.3
15,000–19,999	8.6	12.1	16.0	30.7	1.3	8.3	20.8	21.2	0.4	0	8.0	10.9	14.4	16.8	31.1
20,000–24,999	5.7	8.4	11.1	12.9	14.7	8.5	10.0	15.9	21.8	3.4	5.2	6.5	9.1	12.5	15.1
25,000–29,999	3.3	4.7	7.0	10.8	13.0	6.5	10.2	11.3	12.5	13.5	2.6	3.0	4.8	7.0	10.8
30,000–34,999	2.7	2.7	4.8	8.5	11.5	6.0	8.3	10.5	12.8	10.5	2.6	1.4	2.4	4.2	7.2
35,000–39,999	2.3	2.5	3.8	6.4	9.8	6.6	5.7	7.3	8.9	11.7	0.9	2.0	2.8	2.8	5.8
40,000–44,999	1.4	1.3	2.7	4.6	7.5	4.3	3.9	4.9	8.3	7.3	0.8	1.0	0.7	2.7	4.7
45,000–49,999	1.0	1.3	2.0	3.8	5.2	3.4	4.1	5.5	4.5	6.3	0.5	0.3	1.2	1.4	2.4
50,000–54,999	0.7	0.7	1.6	2.5	5.7	3.0	2.6	3.1	5.6	5.0	0.3	0.3	0.7	1.4	2.8
55,000–59,999	0.9	0.7	1.4	2.2	4.4	3.4	3.1	2.2	4.3	5.6	0.4	0.6	0.2	1.1	1.4
60,000–64,999	1.1	0.8	1.1	1.7	3.4	4.4	1.5	2.8	3.5	3.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	1.5
65,000–69,999	1.6	0.6	1.0	1.7	2.7	3.7	1.6	2.0	2.4	3.2	1.0	0.2	0.6	0.5	1.7
70,000–74,999	0.6	0.8	1.1	1.0	2.2	2.0	1.6	1.1	1.5	3.2	0.1	0.3	0.7	0.8	1.0
75,000–99,999	1.9	1.7	2.7	4.2	7.2	7.2	7.0	4.8	5.8	9.8	0.6	0.5	0.9	1.1	3.0
100,000–149,999	1.3	1.1	1.5	3.8	6.5	5.3	4.5	4.7	4.4	10.2	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.7	1.9
150,000–199,999	0.4	0.2	0.6	1.4	2.6	2.1	1.7	1.9	1.9	3.8	0.2	0	0.2	0	0.5
200,000 or more	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.6	2.1	0.7	1.3	0.9	1.5	3.2	0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Median income (dollars)	8,910	12,131	17,691	26,224	39,814	31,815	28,448	30,478	35,898	47,774	7,735	9,619	12,604	15,999	23,331
Number (thousands)	4,784	4,634	4,901	4,828	4,789	1,923	2,014	1,961	1,977	1,973	2,813	2,796	2,839	2,788	2,853

NOTES: Social Security includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.

Social Security quintile limits are \$8,400, \$11,599, \$14,400, and \$19,514 for all units; \$12,799, \$17,121, \$20,090, and \$23,798 for married couples; and \$7,279, \$9,799, \$11,707, and \$13,999 for nonmarried persons.

## Total Money Income of Units 65 or Older

**Table 3.6**  
**Number and median income of units receiving retirement benefits, by marital status and receipt of earnings and income from assets, 2004**

Retirement benefits	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets	
		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No		
<i>Number of recipient units (thousands)</i>															
Total	26,865	6,324	20,541	14,801	12,064	10,930	4,031	6,898	7,361	3,568	15,935	2,292	13,643	7,439	8,496
No benefit	2,227	918	1,309	698	1,529	758	475	283	334	423	1,469	443	1,026	363	1,106
One benefit type	14,265	3,281	10,984	6,831	7,434	4,940	2,016	2,924	3,002	1,938	9,325	1,266	8,060	3,829	5,497
Social Security only <sup>a</sup>	13,598	3,128	10,471	6,400	7,199	4,625	1,895	2,730	2,802	1,823	8,973	1,233	7,740	3,597	5,375
Private pension or annuity only	242	63	179	126	115	123	49	74	75	48	119	14	105	52	67
Government employee pension only <sup>b</sup>	329	85	244	245	83	135	66	70	92	44	193	19	174	154	40
Railroad Retirement only	96	6	90	59	37	56	6	50	33	23	40	0	40	26	14
Two benefit types	9,765	1,966	7,799	6,770	2,995	4,777	1,399	3,378	3,647	1,130	4,988	567	4,421	3,123	1,866
Social Security and federal pension only <sup>a</sup>	736	175	561	534	203	391	118	273	303	88	346	57	289	231	114
Social Security and Railroad Retirement, state, local, or military pension only <sup>a</sup>	1,907	458	1,450	1,379	529	885	311	574	712	173	1,022	146	875	667	355
Social Security and private pension only <sup>a</sup>	6,970	1,291	5,679	4,736	2,234	3,404	939	2,465	2,549	854	3,566	353	3,213	2,186	1,380
Other combination	152	42	109	122	30	97	31	66	83	14	55	11	44	39	16
Three or more benefit types	608	159	449	503	105	456	142	314	378	77	152	17	135	125	27

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**Table 3.6**  
**Number and median income of units receiving retirement benefits, by marital status and receipt of earnings and income from assets, 2004—Continued**

Retirement benefits	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets	
		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No		
<b>Median total money income (dollars)</b>															
Total	20,481	43,651	16,399	28,844	13,243	34,900	54,800	28,026	41,358	24,170	13,999	29,091	12,799	18,864	10,926
No benefit	7,200	40,000	0	32,300	4,632	28,200	54,974	1,010	54,974	14,399	4,632	29,969	0	22,439	0
One benefit type	14,971	37,740	12,672	21,066	11,731	26,238	47,070	20,400	31,849	19,982	11,779	25,891	11,000	14,836	10,399
Social Security only <sup>a</sup>	14,558	36,827	12,427	20,630	11,599	25,822	46,299	20,078	31,265	19,598	11,623	25,603	10,970	14,611	10,399
Private pension or annuity only	23,640	c	14,444	27,170	21,600	27,782	c	c	c	c	12,064	c	9,000	c	c
Government employee pension only <sup>b</sup>	34,214	54,000	26,400	40,200	24,000	42,400	c	c	57,724	c	27,761	c	24,700	29,012	c
Railroad Retirement only	24,284	c	23,436	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c
Two benefit types	30,637	53,249	26,936	35,198	22,799	41,927	62,186	35,858	45,212	31,880	21,477	35,578	20,513	24,477	17,599
Social Security and federal pension only <sup>a</sup>	36,717	57,799	31,484	42,714	24,727	48,566	63,858	45,162	57,598	31,603	24,727	c	22,599	29,614	19,507
Social Security and Railroad Retirement, state, local, or military pension only <sup>a</sup>	36,775	58,525	31,233	42,698	24,799	52,269	63,602	46,414	56,360	36,026	26,258	40,551	24,739	30,933	21,600
Social Security and private pension only <sup>a</sup>	28,410	50,213	25,276	32,274	21,944	38,084	59,498	33,087	41,550	30,902	19,997	32,199	19,194	22,230	16,711
Other combination	54,023	c	41,002	58,990	c	64,828	c	c	67,743	c	c	c	c	c	c
Three or more benefit types	49,439	62,800	44,953	52,375	39,291	53,670	62,800	49,910	55,661	46,467	35,556	c	34,676	39,763	c

a. Social Security includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.

b. Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

c. Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.

## Total Money Income of Nonmarried Persons 65 or Older

**Table 3.7**  
**Percentage distribution, by sex and marital status, 2004**

Income (dollars)	Nonmarried men				Nonmarried women			
	Total <sup>a</sup>	Widowed	Never married	Divorced	Total <sup>a</sup>	Widowed	Never married	Divorced
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	3.8	3.4	3.7	4.3	4.5	4.2	8.0	3.2
1,000–1,999	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.3	0
2,000–2,999	0.3	0.5	0.1	0	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.6
3,000–3,999	0.8	0.9	1.9	0.1	1.0	0.9	2.0	0.7
4,000–4,999	0.8	0.7	1.1	0.7	1.7	1.5	3.3	1.6
5,000–5,999	1.3	1.0	2.2	1.7	2.1	1.8	2.1	2.7
6,000–6,999	2.8	1.7	6.8	2.3	4.5	3.7	6.2	6.4
7,000–7,999	4.0	3.8	7.8	2.3	5.7	5.2	6.7	7.2
8,000–8,999	2.5	2.9	2.8	1.9	4.6	4.6	2.4	5.1
9,000–9,999	4.7	4.0	3.8	6.8	5.8	6.2	3.5	5.9
10,000–10,999	4.8	4.4	6.9	3.7	6.8	7.3	4.4	5.7
11,000–11,999	4.4	5.6	3.1	2.7	5.6	6.5	3.0	2.9
12,000–12,999	5.9	4.8	7.0	6.6	6.0	7.1	2.8	2.3
13,000–13,999	3.0	2.5	1.5	5.0	4.9	5.2	3.3	4.3
14,000–14,999	2.9	3.4	1.0	2.3	4.3	4.6	3.2	3.3
15,000–19,999	14.1	16.4	13.4	10.2	15.2	16.1	15.2	12.3
20,000–24,999	9.4	10.2	7.6	10.8	9.2	9.2	10.2	9.7
25,000–29,999	7.2	8.1	4.9	6.8	4.9	4.9	5.1	5.5
30,000–34,999	4.8	5.0	3.4	5.9	3.0	2.9	3.7	3.8
35,000–39,999	4.5	3.6	4.3	5.4	2.2	1.9	2.9	3.8
40,000–44,999	3.6	4.0	3.7	3.1	1.5	1.1	2.6	3.5
45,000–49,999	2.1	2.0	0.8	2.7	0.8	0.5	2.1	1.6
50,000–54,999	1.5	2.0	0.5	1.5	1.1	1.0	1.4	1.5
55,000–59,999	1.4	0.8	2.0	1.6	0.6	0.4	2.1	1.3
60,000–64,999	1.1	1.2	0.5	1.3	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.7
65,000–69,999	1.7	1.5	2.8	1.8	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.9
70,000–74,999	1.1	0.6	2.1	1.6	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.8
75,000–99,999	2.4	1.9	2.0	4.0	1.0	0.8	1.0	1.4
100,000–149,999	1.8	2.1	1.4	1.6	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.6
150,000–199,999	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0	0	0	0.1
200,000 or more	0.3	0.1	0	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2
Median income (dollars)	17,611	18,013	15,000	19,979	13,151	13,003	14,400	14,335
Number (thousands)	4,292	2,069	670	1,070	11,643	8,613	790	1,707

a. Includes persons who are separated or are married but living apart from their spouse.

**Total Money Income  
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Total Money Income of Aged Units, Excluding Social Security

**Table 4.1**  
**Percentage distribution of aged units and Social Security beneficiary units, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004**

Income (dollars)	Total			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
	Total			Married couples			Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
<i>All units</i>															
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
None	5.9	11.8	21.3	1.6	5.4	10.3	11.2	19.5	28.9	10.4	19.4	25.1	11.7	19.6	30.3
Loss or 1-999	2.2	3.3	10.1	1.2	1.9	7.2	3.3	5.0	12.0	3.2	5.3	8.0	3.4	4.8	13.5
1,000-1,999	0.8	1.6	4.5	0.3	1.1	2.7	1.4	2.2	5.7	1.0	2.1	5.0	1.7	2.3	6.0
2,000-2,999	0.8	1.4	3.5	0.5	1.0	2.3	1.2	2.0	4.4	0.7	1.4	3.6	1.6	2.3	4.7
3,000-3,999	0.8	1.5	3.2	0.4	1.3	2.4	1.3	1.8	3.8	0.8	2.2	2.6	1.7	1.5	4.3
4,000-4,999	0.8	1.0	3.0	0.2	0.7	2.4	1.5	1.5	3.4	1.2	1.1	2.6	1.7	1.6	3.6
5,000-5,999	1.0	1.1	2.0	0.4	0.5	1.6	1.6	1.7	2.3	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.4	1.6	2.4
6,000-6,999	1.4	1.6	3.1	0.4	0.8	2.3	2.7	2.6	3.7	2.6	1.9	3.0	2.8	2.9	3.9
7,000-7,999	1.2	1.7	2.3	0.4	0.5	2.1	2.1	3.2	2.4	1.4	3.3	2.2	2.6	3.1	2.5
8,000-8,999	0.8	1.2	2.2	0.4	0.7	1.9	1.2	1.8	2.5	0.9	2.6	2.2	1.4	1.4	2.6
9,000-9,999	1.0	1.4	2.2	0.6	0.6	1.9	1.5	2.3	2.5	1.8	1.7	3.1	1.3	2.7	2.3
10,000-10,999	1.2	1.4	2.3	0.6	0.9	2.7	1.9	2.1	2.0	2.4	2.0	2.2	1.6	2.2	1.9
11,000-11,999	0.7	0.6	1.5	0.3	0.4	1.7	1.1	1.0	1.4	1.0	0.7	1.4	1.3	1.1	1.4
12,000-12,999	1.3	1.4	2.1	0.6	0.9	2.4	2.2	2.1	1.9	2.1	2.3	2.8	2.2	1.9	1.6
13,000-13,999	0.8	1.3	1.5	0.5	0.6	1.9	1.2	2.2	1.3	1.3	1.9	1.6	1.2	2.4	1.2
14,000-14,999	0.7	0.9	1.5	0.4	0.6	1.8	1.0	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.3	2.1	0.8	1.3	1.1
15,000-19,999	4.9	6.1	5.6	2.6	4.9	6.9	7.7	7.7	4.8	6.4	7.2	4.8	8.5	8.0	4.8
20,000-24,999	5.6	5.4	4.7	3.3	4.3	6.0	8.5	6.8	3.8	8.1	5.2	5.9	8.7	7.6	3.0
25,000-29,999	5.3	5.5	3.6	3.7	5.1	5.1	7.3	6.0	2.7	7.7	5.1	3.9	7.0	6.5	2.2
30,000-34,999	5.4	4.5	2.9	4.2	5.0	4.5	6.8	3.9	1.7	6.9	4.6	2.1	6.7	3.4	1.6
35,000-39,999	4.4	4.7	2.2	3.5	4.9	3.5	5.5	4.5	1.2	5.0	6.1	1.7	5.8	3.6	1.0
40,000-44,999	4.5	3.7	1.9	4.4	4.6	3.1	4.7	2.7	1.1	5.1	1.9	1.8	4.5	3.1	0.8
45,000-49,999	4.1	3.5	1.4	4.3	4.3	2.5	3.8	2.5	0.6	3.7	2.2	1.1	3.9	2.6	0.5
50,000-54,999	3.9	3.1	1.3	4.7	4.4	2.2	3.0	1.5	0.7	3.6	1.6	1.3	2.6	1.5	0.5
55,000-59,999	3.0	3.7	1.2	4.0	5.1	1.9	1.8	2.0	0.7	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.9	2.2	0.3
60,000-64,999	3.7	2.7	1.2	4.3	3.1	2.0	3.0	2.2	0.7	3.2	2.3	1.4	2.8	2.2	0.4

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## Total Money Income of Aged Units, Excluding Social Security

**Table 4.1**

Percentage distribution of aged units and Social Security beneficiary units, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—*Continued*

Income (dollars)	Total			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
	Total			Total			Men			Women					
	55–61	62–64	65 or older	55–61	62–64	65 or older	55–61	62–64	65 or older	55–61	62–64	65 or older	55–61	62–64	65 or older
<b>All units (cont.)</b>															
65,000–69,999	2.7	2.1	0.8	3.9	2.9	1.4	1.3	1.1	0.4	1.5	0.8	0.7	1.1	1.2	0.3
70,000–74,999	2.9	2.5	0.9	4.0	3.9	1.6	1.5	0.9	0.4	1.6	0.7	0.7	1.3	1.0	0.2
75,000–99,999	11.0	8.2	2.3	16.1	12.2	4.6	4.7	3.3	0.8	6.0	4.8	1.2	3.9	2.4	0.6
100,000–149,999	10.6	5.8	2.2	17.0	8.8	4.2	2.7	2.1	0.8	4.0	3.1	1.9	1.9	1.4	0.4
150,000–199,999	3.6	2.8	0.7	6.0	4.8	1.7	0.7	0.3	0.1	1.0	0.6	0.3	0.5	0.2	0
200,000 or more	3.3	2.4	0.6	5.4	4.0	1.4	0.7	0.4	0.1	0.9	0.8	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.1
Median income (dollars)	42,990	29,545	6,720	67,700	49,000	16,800	23,035	13,345	2,712	25,033	14,000	6,413	21,750	13,308	2,010
Number (thousands)	15,772	4,990	26,865	8,681	2,745	10,930	7,091	2,245	15,935	2,773	819	4,292	4,317	1,427	11,643
<b>Beneficiary units <sup>a</sup></b>															
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
None	23.1	19.1	21.1	7.8	9.8	10.4	39.2	29.8	28.6	43.2	29.8	24.9	37.1	29.8	30.0
Loss or 1–999	6.2	5.8	10.7	2.8	3.1	7.6	9.8	8.9	12.9	8.6	9.0	8.7	10.5	8.8	14.5
1,000–1,999	2.8	2.7	4.9	1.2	1.6	2.9	4.5	4.0	6.4	1.3	3.6	5.6	6.2	4.2	6.6
2,000–2,999	1.5	2.5	3.8	1.3	2.0	2.5	1.6	3.0	4.7	0.7	1.8	4.0	2.2	3.8	5.0
3,000–3,999	3.0	2.4	3.4	2.1	2.6	2.5	3.9	2.1	4.1	3.1	0.9	2.8	4.3	2.8	4.5
4,000–4,999	1.6	1.7	3.0	0.7	1.0	2.4	2.6	2.4	3.4	3.2	1.6	2.8	2.3	2.8	3.7
5,000–5,999	2.8	1.6	2.1	1.4	1.2	1.8	4.2	2.2	2.3	4.4	3.0	2.0	4.2	1.7	2.4
6,000–6,999	1.8	1.9	2.9	1.6	0.8	2.4	2.0	3.2	3.3	0.5	3.3	2.9	2.8	3.2	3.5
7,000–7,999	2.2	1.8	2.3	1.1	0.8	2.2	3.3	2.9	2.4	2.7	3.2	2.2	3.7	2.8	2.5
8,000–8,999	2.2	1.7	2.3	2.1	1.5	1.9	2.3	1.8	2.6	1.8	2.5	2.3	2.6	1.4	2.7
9,000–9,999	0.9	1.8	2.2	0.9	1.1	1.9	0.9	2.6	2.3	1.6	1.6	2.9	0.5	3.1	2.2
10,000–10,999	1.9	1.4	2.3	1.2	0.8	2.8	2.6	2.1	2.0	3.1	1.1	2.3	2.3	2.6	1.9
11,000–11,999	1.1	1.0	1.6	1.1	0.8	1.7	1.1	1.2	1.5	0.2	0.7	1.5	1.6	1.4	1.5
12,000–12,999	1.6	1.9	2.2	0.9	1.6	2.5	2.3	2.3	2.0	2.9	2.4	2.9	2.0	2.2	1.6
13,000–13,999	1.9	1.8	1.6	2.4	1.2	1.9	1.4	2.5	1.4	1.7	2.7	1.7	1.2	2.4	1.3
14,000–14,999	1.1	0.9	1.6	0.9	0.6	1.8	1.3	1.3	1.4	2.2	1.6	2.3	0.8	1.2	1.1

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Total Money Income of Aged Units, Excluding Social Security

**Table 4.1**  
**Percentage distribution of aged units and Social Security beneficiary units, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons,**  
**and age, 2004—Continued**

Income (dollars)	Total			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
	Total			Married couples			Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
<i>Beneficiary units<sup>a</sup> (cont.)</i>															
15,000-19,999	6.5	7.5	5.7	7.8	7.2	7.0	5.1	7.8	4.9	3.5	7.7	4.9	6.0	7.9	4.9
20,000-24,999	4.3	5.0	4.5	6.2	4.8	6.1	2.3	5.2	3.4	2.7	5.1	5.8	2.1	5.2	2.6
25,000-29,999	5.1	5.8	3.5	7.0	8.2	5.1	3.1	3.1	2.4	5.7	2.8	3.6	1.7	3.4	2.0
30,000-34,999	4.3	3.5	2.7	7.7	5.2	4.3	0.7	1.6	1.6	1.2	1.6	2.0	0.5	1.6	1.5
35,000-39,999	3.9	4.3	2.1	6.5	6.2	3.5	1.3	2.0	1.0	1.9	3.9	1.5	0.9	0.9	0.9
40,000-44,999	1.6	3.0	1.7	2.8	4.2	2.9	0.4	1.5	0.9	0	1.3	1.4	0.6	1.6	0.7
45,000-49,999	2.4	2.4	1.3	4.4	3.5	2.4	0.2	1.2	0.6	0	1.9	0.9	0.4	0.8	0.5
50,000-54,999	2.4	2.8	1.2	3.9	4.9	2.0	0.7	0.3	0.6	1.4	0.9	1.1	0.3	0	0.4
55,000-59,999	2.3	2.8	1.1	4.1	4.6	1.8	0.4	0.7	0.5	0.8	0.7	1.5	0.2	0.8	0.2
60,000-64,999	1.7	1.5	1.2	3.2	2.0	2.0	0.1	0.9	0.6	0.1	0.9	1.4	0.1	0.9	0.3
65,000-69,999	1.7	1.0	0.7	3.2	1.5	1.4	0	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.5	0	0.4	0.2
70,000-74,999	0.9	1.4	0.8	1.8	2.6	1.5	0	0.1	0.3	0	0.2	0.7	0.1	0	0.2
75,000-99,999	3.8	4.4	2.0	5.9	6.6	4.1	1.6	1.9	0.6	1.2	2.5	0.8	1.8	1.6	0.5
100,000-149,999	2.1	2.8	2.0	3.6	4.7	3.8	0.6	0.7	0.7	0	0.5	1.7	0.9	0.8	0.3
150,000-199,999	0.9	0.9	0.7	1.8	1.5	1.6	0	0.2	0.1	0	0.6	0.3	0	0	0
200,000 or more	0.4	1.0	0.5	0.7	1.8	1.2	0.2	0	0.1	0	0	0.1	0.3	0	0.1
Median income (dollars)	11,000	15,000	6,076	29,342	29,243	15,600	1,128	4,801	2,400	254	6,000	5,500	1,212	4,019	1,800
Number (thousands)	2,016	2,316	23,936	1,037	1,242	9,848	979	1,075	14,088	344	393	3,749	635	681	10,339

NOTE: See Table 3.2 for total income of nonbeneficiaries.

a. Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, or special age-72 benefits.

## Total Money Income of Aged Units, Excluding Earnings

**Table 4.2**  
**Percentage distribution, by Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004**

Income (dollars)	Total			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
	Total			Married couples			Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
<i>All units</i>															
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
None	24.4	13.8	4.0	17.9	10.8	2.6	32.3	17.3	4.9	33.8	19.5	5.3	31.3	16.1	4.7
Loss or 1-999	20.9	12.0	1.5	22.8	12.2	1.4	18.5	11.7	1.6	16.0	10.5	1.2	20.2	12.3	1.7
1,000-1,999	5.5	3.7	0.5	6.0	3.8	0.6	4.9	3.5	0.4	4.5	2.2	0.5	5.2	4.3	0.4
2,000-2,999	4.3	2.1	0.5	4.8	2.1	0.3	3.6	2.1	0.7	3.6	1.5	0.5	3.6	2.5	0.7
3,000-3,999	2.8	2.0	0.8	3.3	2.1	0.4	2.1	1.8	1.1	1.9	0.9	0.9	2.1	2.4	1.1
4,000-4,999	2.1	2.7	1.1	2.3	2.1	0.4	1.9	3.3	1.6	1.5	3.9	1.0	2.2	3.0	1.9
5,000-5,999	2.3	2.6	1.5	2.3	2.5	0.3	2.3	2.8	2.2	2.5	2.1	1.5	2.1	3.3	2.5
6,000-6,999	2.9	3.3	2.8	2.1	2.6	0.6	3.9	4.2	4.3	4.0	3.7	2.9	3.8	4.5	4.8
7,000-7,999	2.5	3.4	3.7	2.1	2.2	0.7	3.1	4.9	5.8	1.9	4.8	4.3	3.8	4.9	6.3
8,000-8,999	2.0	2.1	3.1	2.1	1.9	1.1	1.9	2.4	4.4	2.0	3.2	2.9	1.8	2.0	4.9
9,000-9,999	2.2	3.7	4.0	1.8	2.1	1.1	2.6	5.6	6.0	2.6	4.7	5.4	2.7	6.1	6.2
10,000-14,999	7.8	12.1	20.2	7.5	10.2	8.8	8.1	14.3	28.0	7.7	12.1	23.8	8.3	15.6	29.6
15,000-19,999	4.2	8.3	14.5	4.8	9.2	13.6	3.3	7.3	15.1	3.9	8.9	14.6	3.0	6.4	15.3
20,000-24,999	3.0	6.4	10.5	3.4	8.1	13.6	2.5	4.3	8.3	2.3	5.0	9.0	2.6	3.9	8.1
25,000-29,999	2.6	4.6	7.6	3.1	5.7	12.1	2.0	3.2	4.6	2.8	2.5	6.9	1.5	3.6	3.7
30,000-34,999	2.0	3.7	5.0	2.5	4.7	8.5	1.4	2.5	2.6	1.6	1.9	3.9	1.2	2.9	2.2
35,000-39,999	1.5	2.4	4.1	1.8	2.8	7.1	1.1	1.9	2.1	1.2	3.2	3.7	1.1	1.1	1.5
40,000-44,999	1.3	1.5	2.9	1.7	2.1	5.2	0.9	0.9	1.4	1.3	1.2	2.8	0.6	0.7	0.9
45,000-49,999	0.8	1.3	2.0	1.1	1.8	3.9	0.4	0.6	0.8	0.8	0.7	1.6	0.1	0.6	0.5
50,000 or more	5.1	8.4	9.7	6.7	11.0	17.8	3.2	5.3	4.1	4.0	7.6	7.2	2.7	3.9	3.0
Median income (dollars)	1,797	9,600	17,040	2,583	12,268	26,785	840	7,615	12,799	1,000	8,400	14,867	669	7,297	12,140
Number (thousands)	15,772	4,990	26,865	8,681	2,745	10,930	7,091	2,245	15,935	2,773	819	4,292	4,317	1,427	11,643

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Total Money Income of Aged Units, Excluding Earnings

**Table 4.2**  
**Percentage distribution, by Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Income (dollars)	Total			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
	Total			Married couples			Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	<i>Beneficiary<sup>a</sup></i>														
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
None	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Loss or 1-999	0.3	0.6	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.4	1.1	0.3	0	0.8	0.2	0.6	1.3	0.4
1,000-1,999	1.0	1.1	0.2	1.0	0.2	0.1	1.0	2.2	0.3	0.8	2.8	0.3	1.1	1.8	0.3
2,000-2,999	1.0	1.2	0.3	0.7	1.3	0.1	1.3	1.2	0.4	2.4	0.1	0.2	0.7	1.8	0.5
3,000-3,999	2.4	1.1	0.6	2.9	0.4	0.2	1.8	1.9	0.9	2.2	0.7	0.8	1.6	2.6	0.9
4,000-4,999	2.5	3.0	0.9	2.7	2.0	0.1	2.3	4.1	1.5	0.8	4.7	1.0	3.1	3.7	1.7
5,000-5,999	1.9	2.5	1.4	1.8	2.4	0.4	2.0	2.7	2.2	3.2	1.4	1.5	1.3	3.4	2.5
6,000-6,999	6.4	4.4	2.5	5.7	3.0	0.4	7.2	6.1	4.0	4.4	5.6	2.9	8.6	6.4	4.4
7,000-7,999	7.9	4.6	3.9	6.3	3.0	0.7	9.6	6.5	6.2	4.8	6.8	4.6	12.1	6.3	6.7
8,000-8,999	4.0	2.8	3.2	1.7	2.0	0.9	6.4	3.7	4.8	9.3	4.9	3.1	4.8	3.0	5.4
9,000-9,999	6.2	6.0	4.1	3.8	2.9	0.9	8.8	9.6	6.3	8.7	7.5	5.5	8.8	10.8	6.6
10,000-14,999	22.9	18.6	22.0	19.4	13.8	8.8	26.5	24.2	31.2	22.4	19.7	26.8	28.8	26.8	32.7
15,000-19,999	11.7	13.0	15.7	14.7	14.8	14.3	8.6	10.8	16.7	13.3	13.8	16.3	6.1	9.2	16.9
20,000-24,999	8.3	9.6	11.3	8.3	12.3	14.6	8.2	6.5	8.9	6.0	6.9	9.5	9.4	6.3	8.7
25,000-29,999	5.6	7.6	8.2	7.4	9.6	13.0	3.6	5.4	4.9	5.9	4.8	7.2	2.3	5.7	4.0
30,000-34,999	4.2	5.4	5.5	4.7	7.1	9.2	3.6	3.5	2.9	3.7	2.1	4.3	3.6	4.2	2.4
35,000-39,999	3.1	3.1	4.4	3.8	4.0	7.6	2.4	2.1	2.2	3.3	3.6	4.0	1.9	1.3	1.5
40,000-44,999	2.5	2.7	3.2	3.7	3.6	5.5	1.3	1.6	1.5	1.8	2.4	3.0	1.0	1.1	1.0
45,000-49,999	1.7	2.0	2.2	2.1	2.8	4.2	1.4	1.1	0.9	3.2	1.4	1.8	0.4	0.9	0.5
50,000 or more	6.6	10.6	10.2	9.3	14.6	18.9	3.8	5.9	4.1	3.8	9.9	7.1	3.8	3.5	3.0
Median income (dollars)	13,849	16,271	18,261	15,943	21,571	28,178	11,539	12,007	13,399	12,355	13,999	15,812	11,303	11,215	12,823
Number (thousands)	2,016	2,316	23,936	1,037	1,242	9,848	979	1,075	14,088	344	393	3,749	635	681	10,339

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## Total Money Income of Aged Units, Excluding Earnings

**Table 4.2**  
**Percentage distribution, by Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004—Continued**

Income (dollars)	Total			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
	Total			Married couples			Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
<b>Nonbeneficiary</b>															
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
None	28.0	25.7	36.4	20.4	19.8	26.8	37.5	33.2	42.0	38.6	37.5	41.5	36.8	30.8	42.2
Loss or 1-999	23.9	21.8	12.0	25.9	22.2	13.3	21.4	21.3	11.3	18.2	19.5	8.6	23.6	22.4	12.5
1,000-1,999	6.1	5.9	2.9	6.6	6.8	4.6	5.5	4.8	1.8	5.0	1.7	2.5	5.9	6.5	1.6
2,000-2,999	4.8	2.9	2.2	5.4	2.9	1.7	4.0	3.0	2.5	3.8	2.8	2.3	4.2	3.2	2.6
3,000-3,999	2.8	2.7	2.3	3.4	3.4	1.7	2.1	1.8	2.6	1.9	1.1	1.9	2.2	2.1	2.9
4,000-4,999	2.1	2.4	2.8	2.3	2.3	2.8	1.9	2.6	2.8	1.6	3.0	1.2	2.1	2.3	3.5
5,000-5,999	2.3	2.7	1.5	2.3	2.5	0.2	2.3	3.0	2.2	2.4	2.7	1.4	2.3	3.2	2.6
6,000-6,999	2.4	2.3	5.0	1.6	2.2	2.4	3.4	2.5	6.5	4.0	1.9	3.0	3.0	2.8	8.0
7,000-7,999	1.7	2.4	2.0	1.5	1.5	0.4	2.0	3.4	2.9	1.5	3.0	2.5	2.4	3.6	3.1
8,000-8,999	1.7	1.5	2.0	2.1	1.7	2.9	1.2	1.3	1.5	1.0	1.6	2.1	1.3	1.1	1.3
9,000-9,999	1.6	1.6	3.1	1.5	1.4	2.2	1.7	1.9	3.7	1.7	2.1	4.9	1.6	1.7	3.2
10,000-14,999	5.5	6.4	5.8	5.9	7.2	8.7	5.1	5.3	4.1	5.6	5.2	3.2	4.8	5.4	4.4
15,000-19,999	3.0	4.3	4.2	3.5	4.5	6.9	2.5	4.1	2.6	2.6	4.3	2.8	2.5	4.0	2.5
20,000-24,999	2.2	3.6	4.4	2.7	4.7	5.1	1.5	2.3	3.9	1.8	3.3	5.4	1.4	1.7	3.3
25,000-29,999	2.2	1.9	2.9	2.6	2.6	3.9	1.8	1.1	2.3	2.4	0.3	4.7	1.4	1.6	1.3
30,000-34,999	1.7	2.2	1.5	2.2	2.7	2.9	1.0	1.7	0.7	1.3	1.6	1.3	0.8	1.7	0.5
35,000-39,999	1.2	1.7	1.8	1.5	1.8	2.9	0.9	1.7	1.1	0.9	2.9	1.1	0.9	1.0	1.1
40,000-44,999	1.1	0.6	1.2	1.4	0.8	2.4	0.8	0.2	0.5	1.2	0	1.0	0.6	0.4	0.3
45,000-49,999	0.6	0.7	0.4	1.0	1.1	0.8	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.5	0	0.5	0.1	0.3	0.1
50,000 or more	4.9	6.6	5.6	6.4	8.1	7.4	3.1	4.7	4.5	4.1	5.4	8.2	2.5	4.3	3.0
Median income (dollars)	721	1,345	1,352	1,443	2,250	4,320	200	505	280	308	104	973	150	671	200
Number (thousands)	13,756	2,674	2,929	7,644	1,503	1,082	6,112	1,171	1,847	2,430	425	543	3,682	745	1,303

NOTE: . . . = not applicable.

a. Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, or special age-72 benefits.

Total Money Income of Units 65 or Older, Excluding Social Security

**Table 4.3**  
**Percentage distribution of Social Security beneficiary units, by marital status and quintiles of Social Security benefits, 2004**

Earnings (dollars)	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
None	29.5	31.2	21.8	15.2	8.2	10.5	15.2	12.2	8.2	5.6	30.6	40.2	30.7	23.2	18.6
Loss or 1-999	10.7	12.6	12.1	10.2	8.1	5.6	8.3	8.7	7.2	8.0	11.5	13.0	14.2	13.2	12.6
1,000-1,999	6.0	5.6	5.8	4.3	3.0	1.9	3.3	3.3	2.9	2.8	7.8	5.6	6.0	7.3	5.1
2,000-2,999	4.0	4.7	4.1	3.8	2.6	2.0	1.9	3.7	2.5	2.6	4.6	4.4	5.1	5.0	4.4
3,000-3,999	3.9	3.2	3.7	3.3	3.0	1.8	2.3	2.8	3.3	2.2	4.9	3.5	3.4	3.8	4.7
4,000-4,999	3.6	3.7	3.1	2.4	2.4	2.0	1.8	3.7	2.6	2.1	4.8	2.3	4.2	3.6	2.3
5,000-5,999	2.0	1.6	2.5	2.1	2.1	0.9	2.2	1.5	2.2	2.1	2.4	1.5	2.2	2.8	2.6
6,000-6,999	2.6	3.0	3.6	2.9	2.6	1.9	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.4	3.1	3.1	3.5	3.7	3.2
7,000-7,999	2.0	2.3	2.5	2.0	2.8	1.2	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.8	1.5	3.1	2.3	2.7	2.2
8,000-8,999	2.6	2.2	2.5	2.2	2.1	1.3	1.9	2.3	2.1	2.0	2.7	2.7	1.9	3.4	2.3
9,000-9,999	1.6	2.6	2.3	2.3	2.1	1.7	1.9	2.0	2.3	1.7	1.8	1.6	3.1	2.7	2.5
10,000-10,999	1.9	1.8	2.3	2.6	2.8	2.3	2.8	2.5	3.6	2.6	1.8	1.6	2.3	2.0	2.2
11,000-11,999	1.3	1.6	1.4	1.9	1.8	1.5	0.6	2.9	2.3	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.5	1.7	1.8
12,000-12,999	1.6	2.0	2.2	2.5	2.7	1.9	2.6	3.1	2.2	2.7	2.0	1.5	2.1	2.1	2.3
13,000-13,999	1.2	0.9	2.0	1.6	2.5	1.1	1.5	2.8	2.4	1.8	1.6	0.7	1.3	2.0	1.6
14,000-14,999	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.7	1.7	2.1	2.3	1.1	2.3	1.4	1.7	1.4	1.0	1.4	1.6
15,000-19,999	4.9	4.6	4.6	7.4	7.1	6.0	7.4	6.5	7.9	6.9	4.4	4.1	4.3	4.2	7.3
20,000-24,999	3.1	2.9	4.4	5.8	6.4	7.1	5.5	6.0	6.4	5.7	2.8	2.1	2.4	4.1	5.9
25,000-29,999	2.6	2.4	3.5	4.7	4.4	6.2	4.2	5.4	4.5	5.3	2.2	1.6	2.4	2.9	3.1
30,000-34,999	2.0	1.6	2.3	2.7	5.1	3.8	3.9	3.2	6.2	4.5	1.4	1.7	0.8	1.7	2.4
35,000-39,999	1.4	1.2	1.5	2.7	3.4	4.1	3.5	2.7	4.1	3.2	0.9	0.2	1.2	1.2	1.6
40,000-44,999	1.2	0.8	1.6	2.2	2.8	3.7	2.5	2.8	2.8	2.7	0.6	0.4	0.6	1.6	1.2
45,000-49,999	0.8	0.7	1.2	1.6	2.4	3.4	1.4	1.7	2.3	3.1	0.5	0.4	0.1	0.6	1.4
50,000-54,999	0.6	0.8	1.3	1.3	1.7	3.0	1.7	1.8	1.3	2.2	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.4	1.2
55,000-59,999	1.1	0.6	1.0	1.4	1.2	2.9	2.1	1.3	1.2	1.6	0.2	0.3	0.8	0.5	0.9
60,000-64,999	1.6	0.8	0.8	0.7	2.1	3.4	1.5	0.9	1.6	2.9	0.9	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6

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**Total Money Income of Units 65 or Older, Excluding Social Security**

**Table 4.3**

**Percentage distribution of Social Security beneficiary units, by marital status and quintiles of Social Security benefits, 2004—Continued**

Earnings (dollars)	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
65,000–69,999	0.7	0.4	0.7	0.9	1.0	2.4	1.7	0.9	0.9	1.2	0.3	0	0.3	0.2	0.7
70,000–74,999	0.6	0.7	0.4	1.0	1.3	2.4	1.1	1.0	1.3	1.4	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.8
75,000–99,999	1.5	1.0	1.6	2.6	3.6	5.3	4.8	2.4	2.7	5.6	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.9	0.9
100,000–149,999	1.3	0.8	0.9	2.9	4.0	4.1	2.6	4.3	3.0	5.2	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4	1.7
150,000–199,999	0.3	0.1	0.6	0.9	1.6	1.8	1.3	1.0	1.3	2.4	0.2	0	0	0	0.2
200,000 or more	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.5	1.5	0.7	1.3	0.7	1.2	2.1	0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Median income (dollars)	2,964	2,135	4,813	9,736	14,692	22,840	13,099	11,716	14,280	19,140	2,000	486	1,716	3,213	5,700
Number (thousands)	4,784	4,634	4,901	4,828	4,789	1,923	2,014	1,961	1,977	1,973	2,813	2,796	2,839	2,788	2,853

NOTES: Social Security includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, or special age-72 benefits.

Social Security quintile limits are \$8,400, \$11,599, \$14,400, and \$19,514 for all units; \$12,799, \$17,121, \$20,090, and \$23,798 for married couples; and \$7,279, \$9,799, \$11,707, and \$13,999 for nonmarried persons.

**Income from Social  
Security, Earnings,  
Pensions, and Assets  
(Recipients Only)**

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**Table 5.A1**  
**Percentage distribution of recipient units, by age, 2004**

Social Security benefit <sup>a</sup> (dollars)	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65–69	70–74	75–79	80 or older	
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1–499	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0	0.1	0.1	0.2
500–999	0.5	1.2	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.4
1,000–1,499	0.6	2.8	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.3
1,500–1,999	1.9	0.9	0.6	1.0	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.3
2,000–2,499	0.7	1.0	0.4	0.8	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.3
2,500–2,999	1.3	3.1	0.5	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5
3,000–3,499	1.9	1.3	0.6	0.6	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.7
3,500–3,999	1.7	1.7	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.5
4,000–4,499	2.2	1.9	1.2	1.3	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.2
4,500–4,999	2.0	2.6	0.9	0.6	1.1	0.9	0.9	1.1
5,000–5,999	3.4	3.7	3.0	3.4	2.3	2.6	2.6	3.5
6,000–6,999	9.5	6.5	4.2	4.0	3.8	4.4	4.4	4.5
7,000–7,999	10.1	6.2	5.8	6.4	6.6	4.6	4.6	5.6
8,000–8,999	4.5	4.0	4.3	3.8	4.0	4.3	4.3	4.8
9,000–9,999	8.9	7.0	6.6	6.1	5.4	7.0	7.0	7.4
10,000–10,999	7.0	7.5	7.2	6.1	5.6	7.2	7.2	9.2
11,000–11,999	5.6	4.6	7.0	6.2	6.4	6.9	6.9	8.3
12,000–12,999	6.1	6.7	8.6	6.8	8.6	9.4	9.4	9.3
13,000–13,999	6.9	4.1	6.4	5.9	6.8	6.2	6.2	6.5
14,000–14,999	2.8	3.7	3.9	4.9	3.9	3.2	3.2	3.6
15,000–19,999	15.2	19.7	19.4	19.9	19.8	20.0	20.0	18.3
20,000–24,999	4.8	6.4	11.6	12.0	12.7	13.8	13.8	8.8
25,000 or more	2.0	2.9	6.5	7.8	8.2	5.8	5.8	4.8
Median income (dollars)	10,039	10,800	12,799	13,142	13,219	12,847	12,847	12,043
Number (thousands)	2,016	2,316	23,936	5,934	5,391	5,310	5,310	7,301

a. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.

## Social Security Income of Aged Units

**Table 5.A2**

**Percentage distribution of recipient units, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004**

Social Security benefit <sup>a</sup> (dollars)	Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
				Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1-499	0	0.4	0	0.5	0	0.2	0	0	0.2	0.7	0	0.2
500-999	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.6	2.3	0.5	0.1	1.4	0.2	0.9	2.9	0.6
1,000-1,499	0.1	1.1	0.2	1.1	4.8	0.3	1.5	6.1	0.5	0.9	4.1	0.3
1,500-1,999	2.6	0.6	0.4	1.1	1.3	0.6	0.8	2.1	0.9	1.3	0.9	0.6
2,000-2,499	0.9	1.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	1.4	0	0.2	0.1	0.9	0.5
2,500-2,999	1.4	3.2	0.4	1.1	3.0	0.6	1.2	1.8	0.6	1.0	3.8	0.6
3,000-3,499	2.8	1.0	0.3	1.1	1.7	0.9	2.3	0.4	1.3	0.4	2.4	0.7
3,500-3,999	2.3	1.2	0.3	1.1	2.2	0.9	1.1	3.0	0.6	1.1	1.8	1.0
4,000-4,499	2.1	2.1	0.5	2.2	1.6	1.6	1.2	2.1	1.5	2.8	1.3	1.6
4,500-4,999	1.9	2.2	0.3	2.0	3.2	1.4	1.0	2.1	0.7	2.6	3.8	1.7
5,000-5,999	4.5	3.4	0.8	2.3	4.1	4.5	3.6	1.0	2.9	1.6	5.9	5.1
6,000-6,999	7.6	5.7	1.2	11.6	7.5	6.3	7.2	7.3	5.0	13.9	7.6	6.8
7,000-7,999	9.0	4.8	2.0	11.3	7.9	8.5	7.2	8.0	6.6	13.6	7.8	9.2
8,000-8,999	3.3	3.2	2.0	5.9	4.9	5.9	6.9	5.9	4.4	5.4	4.3	6.4
9,000-9,999	5.6	4.7	2.2	12.4	9.7	9.6	12.6	5.3	7.6	12.3	12.3	10.3
10,000-10,999	5.6	5.9	2.2	8.5	9.4	10.7	6.3	9.2	9.9	9.8	9.5	10.9
11,000-11,999	3.8	3.5	3.2	7.4	5.9	9.7	8.6	3.9	9.8	6.8	7.1	9.7
12,000-12,999	5.9	4.8	4.3	6.3	9.0	11.5	7.1	5.1	13.7	5.9	11.2	10.7
13,000-13,999	7.5	3.8	4.5	6.3	4.5	7.6	4.4	6.2	8.6	7.4	3.5	7.3
14,000-14,999	3.2	4.4	4.1	2.4	3.0	3.7	0.9	2.4	4.7	3.2	3.3	3.4
15,000-19,999	19.6	26.5	29.9	10.5	11.9	12.0	19.6	23.9	17.0	5.6	5.0	10.2
20,000-24,999	6.5	11.2	25.6	2.9	1.0	1.8	4.9	2.3	2.7	1.9	0.3	1.5
25,000 or more	3.2	5.1	15.0	0.8	0.4	0.6	0.1	0.7	0.4	1.2	0.2	0.7
Median income (dollars)	10,999	13,212	18,679	9,679	9,439	10,799	10,159	10,399	11,599	9,199	9,139	10,399
Number (thousands)	1,037	1,242	9,848	979	1,075	14,088	344	393	3,749	635	681	10,339

a. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.



**Table 5.A3**  
**Percentage distribution of recipient units, by race, Hispanic origin, marital status, and sex of nonmarried persons, 2004**

Social Security benefit <sup>a</sup> (dollars)	White alone					Black alone					Hispanic origin <sup>b</sup>				
	All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons		
			Total	Men	Women			Total	Men	Women			Total	Men	Women
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1-499	0.1	0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.3	0	0.4	0.4	0.4	0	0	0	0	0
500-999	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.6	0.5	0	0.7	0.2	0.9	0.5	0	0.8	0.6	0.9
1,000-1,499	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.7	0.5	0.8	1.2	0.6	0.1	0	0.2	0.8	0
1,500-1,999	0.6	0.4	0.7	1.0	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.8	1.3	0.5	1.8	0
2,000-2,499	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.3	0	0.5	0	0.7
2,500-2,999	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.9	0.6	1.1	1.8	0.8	1.0	0.5	1.4	0.8	1.6
3,000-3,499	0.5	0.2	0.6	1.0	0.5	2.0	1.2	2.2	2.6	2.1	1.0	0.4	1.4	2.4	1.0
3,500-3,999	0.6	0.3	0.8	0.6	0.9	1.3	0.3	1.6	0.3	2.1	2.1	0.6	3.0	0.8	3.9
4,000-4,499	1.1	0.5	1.4	1.3	1.5	2.0	0.6	2.5	2.7	2.4	1.2	0	2.0	2.5	1.7
4,500-4,999	0.8	0.3	1.3	0.7	1.5	1.8	0.3	2.3	0.7	2.9	2.4	0.4	3.7	0.9	4.8
5,000-5,999	2.6	0.7	4.0	2.5	4.6	6.4	2.6	7.6	5.0	8.6	5.9	1.5	8.6	8.2	8.8
6,000-6,999	3.5	1.0	5.3	4.3	5.6	10.6	3.5	12.9	8.4	14.7	7.1	2.7	9.7	9.0	10.0
7,000-7,999	5.3	1.8	7.8	5.9	8.5	10.7	3.5	13.1	10.2	14.2	9.6	3.4	13.5	12.1	14.0
8,000-8,999	4.0	1.8	5.7	4.3	6.2	6.0	2.9	7.0	3.4	8.4	5.4	4.6	6.0	4.9	6.4
9,000-9,999	6.3	2.0	9.5	7.4	10.3	8.9	4.1	10.4	10.7	10.3	8.5	4.4	11.0	10.3	11.3
10,000-10,999	7.0	1.9	10.7	10.0	10.9	9.0	3.5	10.8	8.7	11.6	9.5	7.2	11.0	7.8	12.2
11,000-11,999	7.3	3.0	10.5	10.4	10.6	4.4	4.9	4.3	7.0	3.3	6.0	6.7	5.6	6.1	5.4
12,000-12,999	8.7	4.2	12.0	13.9	11.3	7.9	5.2	8.8	14.3	6.8	6.2	3.7	7.7	12.3	5.9
13,000-13,999	6.7	4.6	8.2	8.8	8.0	3.5	3.5	3.5	8.2	1.7	4.9	8.3	2.9	2.7	3.0
14,000-14,999	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.9	3.8	2.0	4.1	1.4	3.1	0.7	2.7	3.6	2.2	4.4	1.3
15,000-19,999	20.2	30.0	12.9	18.3	10.9	12.4	30.2	6.5	9.2	5.5	14.7	27.6	7.0	10.8	5.4
20,000-24,999	12.4	26.4	2.0	2.9	1.7	4.2	15.8	0.4	1.0	0.2	5.1	13.1	0.2	0.7	0.1
25,000 or more	6.9	15.5	0.6	0.4	0.6	3.3	11.4	0.6	0	0.8	4.5	10.0	1.2	0	1.6
Median income (dollars)	13,063	18,866	11,047	11,911	10,783	9,535	16,130	8,599	10,279	7,999	10,399	15,163	8,839	9,347	8,640
Number (thousands)	20,959	8,935	12,023	3,168	8,856	2,132	526	1,606	443	1,162	1,322	499	823	238	585

a. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.

b. Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

**Social Security Income of Units 65 or Older**

**Table 5.A4**  
**Percentage distribution of recipient units, by marital status and quintiles of total money income, 2004**

Social Security benefit <sup>a</sup> (dollars)	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1-499	0.5	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.6	0.2	0.1	0	0
500-999	1.1	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.2	0	0.3	0.2	0.2	2.0	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.6
1,000-1,499	1.0	0	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.5	0	0.2	0.2	0.4	1.2	0.1	0	0.2	0.5
1,500-1,999	1.0	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.8	0.5	0	0	1.1	0.6	1.6	0.2	0.1	0.5	1.1
2,000-2,499	0.9	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.9	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.6	1.1	1.3	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.5
2,500-2,999	1.1	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.7	1.8	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.5
3,000-3,499	1.8	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.5	0	0.7	0.3	0.2	3.1	0.2	0.3	0.7	0.5
3,500-3,999	2.1	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.3	3.2	0.2	0.5	0.6	0.5
4,000-4,499	3.8	0.8	0.7	0.4	0.8	0.8	0.2	0.3	1.3	0.1	5.5	1.2	0.8	1.0	0.6
4,500-4,999	3.7	0.5	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0	0.3	0.2	5.9	0.6	0.5	0.7	0.6
5,000-5,999	11.2	2.2	1.3	1.1	1.0	1.5	0.8	0.2	0.8	1.0	15.8	3.5	2.7	1.9	1.8
6,000-6,999	15.9	2.6	2.3	1.4	1.4	2.0	1.2	1.0	1.1	0.9	23.8	4.3	2.6	3.0	2.5
7,000-7,999	20.7	4.0	3.2	2.4	2.0	4.4	1.0	1.4	1.2	2.1	29.2	6.3	4.2	4.7	3.7
8,000-8,999	12.4	3.7	3.0	2.2	1.8	3.9	1.1	1.8	1.5	1.8	4.7	14.4	2.7	3.9	3.1
9,000-9,999	18.2	6.5	4.6	3.0	3.0	4.2	1.1	1.6	1.8	2.6	0.1	26.2	6.1	6.9	5.6
10,000-10,999	3.7	17.5	6.5	3.7	2.7	3.7	2.3	1.7	1.5	1.8	0	24.7	9.0	9.7	6.6
11,000-11,999	0.2	17.5	7.4	4.4	3.4	7.7	2.0	2.2	2.0	2.4	0.1	17.2	9.4	11.0	8.1
12,000-12,999	0.3	18.7	8.7	6.6	5.9	7.7	2.4	3.5	4.4	4.0	0.1	0.2	28.5	13.0	12.1
13,000-13,999	0.1	11.0	8.1	5.7	5.2	9.5	3.0	3.0	3.3	4.6	0	0	15.1	11.0	9.9
14,000-14,999	0.1	5.6	4.4	5.0	3.3	8.5	3.3	3.7	2.0	3.8	0	0	6.3	4.8	6.6
15,000-19,999	0.1	7.8	34.0	27.5	24.0	42.3	33.9	27.4	24.7	22.4	0	0.1	10.1	22.7	25.3
20,000-24,999	0	0	13.0	22.3	21.3	1.2	38.8	32.2	30.2	21.7	0	0	0	3.0	6.1
25,000 or more	0	0	0.4	11.8	20.2	0	8.0	18.3	20.5	27.2	0	0	0	0.1	3.0
Median income (dollars)	7,399	11,599	14,419	17,090	18,278	14,198	19,646	20,078	20,186	19,799	6,511	9,655	12,355	12,487	13,111
Number (thousands)	3,877	5,272	5,082	4,968	4,738	1,771	2,091	2,047	2,028	1,911	2,171	3,027	3,124	2,988	2,779

NOTE: Quintile limits are \$10,399, \$16,363, \$25,587, and \$44,129 for all units; \$20,258, \$29,437, \$42,129, and \$68,299 for married couples; and \$8,364, \$12,000, \$16,471, and \$26,064 for nonmarried persons.

a. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.

**Table 5.A5**  
**Percentage distribution of recipients, by sex and marital status, 2004**

Social Security benefit <sup>a</sup> (dollars)	Nonmarried men				Nonmarried women			
	Total <sup>b</sup>	Widowed	Never married	Divorced	Total <sup>b</sup>	Widowed	Never married	Divorced
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1–499	0.2	0	1.0	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.3
500–999	0.2	0	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.6	1.2	0.6
1,000–1,499	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.2
1,500–1,999	0.9	0.7	0.8	0.4	0.6	0.5	1.8	0
2,000–2,499	0.2	0.1	1.1	0	0.5	0.4	1.0	0.7
2,500–2,999	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.8	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.9
3,000–3,499	1.3	1.9	0.8	0.4	0.7	0.6	1.6	0.9
3,500–3,999	0.6	0.4	1.4	0.5	1.0	0.9	1.5	0.6
4,000–4,499	1.5	1.4	2.6	1.7	1.6	1.5	2.8	1.8
4,500–4,999	0.7	0.4	3.1	0.2	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.8
5,000–5,999	2.9	2.4	5.6	3.2	5.1	4.0	6.3	8.1
6,000–6,999	5.0	4.2	9.5	3.0	6.8	5.9	5.8	10.0
7,000–7,999	6.6	6.2	10.3	5.8	9.2	7.8	11.7	13.7
8,000–8,999	4.4	4.3	6.2	3.7	6.4	6.3	5.4	7.8
9,000–9,999	7.6	5.5	7.3	11.3	10.3	10.0	10.5	13.0
10,000–10,999	9.9	10.3	9.1	10.4	10.9	11.9	8.6	8.2
11,000–11,999	9.8	9.9	7.4	8.9	9.7	10.6	8.2	6.7
12,000–12,999	13.7	14.2	12.1	13.8	10.7	11.8	10.6	6.9
13,000–13,999	8.6	8.3	4.8	10.5	7.3	7.7	8.5	5.9
14,000–14,999	4.7	4.3	4.0	6.2	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.2
15,000–19,999	17.0	20.0	10.8	16.8	10.2	11.1	8.3	7.1
20,000–24,999	2.7	3.7	0.5	1.1	1.5	1.8	0	0.8
25,000 or more	0.4	0.7	0	0.1	0.7	0.6	0.1	0.9
Median income (dollars)	11,599	12,000	9,799	11,712	10,399	10,800	9,799	9,199
Number (thousands)	3,749	1,851	556	933	10,339	7,801	595	1,512

a. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.

b. Includes persons who are separated or are married but living apart from their spouse.

## Earnings Income of Aged Units

**Table 5.B1**  
**Percentage distribution of recipient units, by age, 2004**

Earnings (dollars)	Aged 55-61	Aged 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80 or older	
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	1.5	2.3	7.1	4.8	7.2	12.4	10.4	
1,000-1,999	0.6	0.5	2.6	1.5	2.9	4.7	3.9	
2,000-2,999	0.6	1.1	2.7	2.1	3.6	3.4	2.5	
3,000-3,999	0.5	1.8	3.4	2.7	4.3	2.9	5.1	
4,000-4,999	0.7	0.9	2.8	1.9	3.6	3.2	4.9	
5,000-5,999	0.8	1.7	3.1	2.4	4.1	2.8	4.7	
6,000-6,999	0.7	1.0	2.4	1.8	1.9	4.8	3.4	
7,000-7,999	0.6	0.9	2.2	2.1	1.9	1.8	4.5	
8,000-8,999	0.8	1.2	2.5	1.5	3.5	4.1	2.4	
9,000-9,999	0.8	1.3	1.7	1.3	2.0	2.4	2.0	
10,000-10,999	1.4	1.7	4.0	3.7	4.0	4.2	5.0	
11,000-11,999	0.8	1.2	1.6	1.5	1.5	2.1	1.1	
12,000-12,999	1.5	2.4	3.4	3.1	3.6	3.4	4.1	
13,000-13,999	0.6	1.2	1.3	0.6	1.6	2.1	2.5	
14,000-14,999	0.7	1.4	1.1	1.1	1.4	0.6	1.2	
15,000-19,999	5.6	6.3	7.6	8.1	7.2	7.3	6.0	
20,000-24,999	6.9	7.4	7.6	8.8	7.5	5.3	5.4	
25,000-29,999	6.0	6.6	4.7	5.1	4.2	4.4	4.7	
30,000-34,999	6.4	5.2	5.5	6.0	5.5	5.1	3.9	
35,000-39,999	5.0	5.3	4.0	4.8	2.9	3.0	4.0	
40,000-44,999	5.6	5.7	4.0	5.1	3.6	2.4	1.9	
45,000-49,999	4.5	4.5	2.9	3.8	2.5	1.8	1.1	
50,000-54,999	4.5	4.6	2.9	3.9	2.2	1.7	1.3	
55,000-59,999	3.5	3.6	1.8	2.2	1.4	1.7	1.2	
60,000-64,999	4.4	3.7	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.5	1.5	
65,000-69,999	3.2	2.5	1.2	1.7	0.7	0.8	1.2	
70,000-74,999	3.2	2.5	2.1	2.0	3.1	1.2	1.6	
75,000-99,999	11.3	9.3	5.3	6.4	4.2	3.5	6.0	
100,000-149,999	10.8	6.5	3.7	4.2	3.5	3.7	1.3	
150,000-199,999	3.3	3.1	1.2	1.7	0.7	0.8	0.1	
200,000 or more	3.2	2.9	1.9	2.3	1.8	0.9	0.8	
Median income (dollars)	46,560	37,900	20,000	25,000	16,000	12,000	12,000	
Number (thousands)	12,822	3,220	6,324	3,144	1,695	953	532	

**Table 5.B2**  
**Percentage distribution of recipient units, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004**

Earnings (dollars)	Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
				Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	1.1	1.5	6.4	2.1	3.7	8.2	2.7	3.0	8.0	1.8	4.1	8.3
1,000-1,999	0.5	0.1	2.3	0.8	1.3	3.2	0.1	1.5	1.8	1.2	1.1	3.8
2,000-2,999	0.4	0.7	2.3	0.9	1.7	3.4	0.4	0.2	1.4	1.2	2.5	4.4
3,000-3,999	0.3	1.5	3.2	0.8	2.4	3.7	0.5	4.5	1.5	1.0	1.4	4.8
4,000-4,999	0.2	0.7	2.4	1.4	1.3	3.6	0.7	0.8	4.2	1.9	1.5	3.3
5,000-5,999	0.4	1.3	3.0	1.5	2.4	3.4	1.2	2.3	2.8	1.6	2.4	3.7
6,000-6,999	0.3	0.1	2.3	1.4	2.5	2.6	0.8	2.6	1.6	1.8	2.5	3.2
7,000-7,999	0.2	0.8	2.0	1.3	1.1	2.5	0.9	0.7	2.4	1.5	1.3	2.6
8,000-8,999	0.8	0.6	1.9	0.9	2.3	3.5	0.9	2.7	3.5	0.9	2.1	3.6
9,000-9,999	0.3	0.9	1.4	1.5	2.1	2.3	1.4	2.1	1.5	1.6	2.1	2.7
10,000-10,999	0.7	1.2	2.9	2.6	2.7	5.8	3.0	2.9	5.4	2.3	2.6	6.0
11,000-11,999	0.5	0.5	1.2	1.2	2.4	2.1	1.3	1.7	2.1	1.1	2.8	2.2
12,000-12,999	0.7	1.5	3.1	2.8	4.1	3.8	1.9	3.9	5.6	3.4	4.2	2.9
13,000-13,999	0.4	0.7	1.2	0.8	2.1	1.4	0.8	0.5	0.6	0.8	3.0	1.8
14,000-14,999	0.6	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.7	1.3	1.2	1.6	0.9	0.9	1.8	1.5
15,000-19,999	3.1	5.2	6.6	9.5	8.5	9.2	8.4	7.4	5.9	10.3	9.1	11.0
20,000-24,999	4.1	5.8	7.1	11.4	10.4	8.5	10.5	6.9	8.3	11.9	12.2	8.5
25,000-29,999	3.8	4.9	4.5	9.5	9.8	5.0	9.4	12.2	4.3	9.6	8.6	5.3
30,000-34,999	4.9	5.2	5.1	8.9	5.2	6.2	8.6	5.7	6.3	9.0	5.0	6.2
35,000-39,999	3.8	5.0	4.4	7.0	5.9	3.2	6.9	6.3	3.1	7.0	5.7	3.2
40,000-44,999	5.0	6.2	4.2	6.4	4.5	3.6	6.8	3.1	6.7	6.2	5.3	2.1
45,000-49,999	4.4	4.8	3.8	4.8	3.9	1.4	4.9	3.8	2.2	4.7	3.9	1.0
50,000-54,999	4.9	4.9	3.1	3.9	4.1	2.6	4.1	2.5	3.4	3.8	4.9	2.2
55,000-59,999	4.3	4.0	2.2	2.3	2.8	1.1	2.3	2.5	1.6	2.3	3.0	0.9
60,000-64,999	4.9	5.0	2.1	3.4	1.3	1.4	4.0	1.4	2.9	3.1	1.2	0.6
65,000-69,999	3.9	2.8	1.6	2.0	1.9	0.5	2.0	2.3	1.2	1.9	1.7	0.2
70,000-74,999	4.3	3.3	2.4	1.4	1.0	1.6	1.3	1.2	1.4	1.4	0.9	1.7
75,000-99,999	15.4	12.4	6.9	4.6	3.4	2.4	6.5	7.8	4.1	3.4	1.0	1.6
100,000-149,999	16.0	8.8	5.1	2.4	2.1	1.2	4.0	3.7	3.0	1.4	1.3	0.3
150,000-199,999	4.9	4.4	1.5	0.7	0.7	0.5	1.1	0.6	1.4	0.5	0.7	0
200,000 or more	4.6	4.0	2.5	0.9	0.6	0.6	1.2	1.8	0.8	0.7	0	0.6
Median income (dollars)	63,000	49,000	24,576	28,600	23,920	14,000	30,000	26,000	20,000	26,400	21,000	12,000
Number (thousands)	7,957	2,116	4,031	4,865	1,104	2,292	1,879	382	767	2,986	723	1,526

## Earnings Income of Aged Units

**Table 5.B3**  
**Percentage distribution of recipient units, by Social Security beneficiary status and age, 2004**

Earnings (dollars)	Beneficiary <sup>a</sup>			Nonbeneficiary		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	3.7	5.2	7.9	1.3	0.9	2.7
1,000-1,999	2.0	1.1	3.0	0.5	0.2	0.6
2,000-2,999	1.2	2.9	3.2	0.5	0.2	0.3
3,000-3,999	1.8	2.5	3.8	0.4	1.4	1.3
4,000-4,999	1.1	1.8	3.0	0.6	0.4	1.9
5,000-5,999	2.2	3.8	3.4	0.7	0.6	1.6
6,000-6,999	1.8	1.1	2.8	0.6	0.9	0.7
7,000-7,999	0.6	1.8	2.5	0.6	0.4	0.8
8,000-8,999	2.8	2.3	2.8	0.7	0.6	1.0
9,000-9,999	2.3	3.4	1.9	0.6	0.3	0.7
10,000-10,999	2.8	2.8	4.2	1.3	1.2	2.9
11,000-11,999	2.3	1.7	1.6	0.6	0.9	1.6
12,000-12,999	3.7	4.2	3.7	1.3	1.5	2.0
13,000-13,999	0.9	2.0	1.4	0.6	0.8	0.5
14,000-14,999	1.5	2.2	1.2	0.7	1.0	0.5
15,000-19,999	8.4	8.3	7.8	5.4	5.4	6.3
20,000-24,999	9.7	8.0	7.3	6.7	7.1	9.1
25,000-29,999	6.6	6.7	4.6	5.9	6.5	5.0
30,000-34,999	9.1	5.0	5.0	6.2	5.3	8.2
35,000-39,999	5.3	4.5	3.5	5.0	5.8	6.0
40,000-44,999	3.7	3.6	3.5	5.7	6.7	6.7
45,000-49,999	3.5	3.5	2.9	4.6	4.9	3.1
50,000-54,999	3.8	2.5	2.6	4.6	5.6	4.4
55,000-59,999	3.6	1.7	1.5	3.5	4.5	3.3
60,000-64,999	2.1	2.6	1.7	4.5	4.3	2.3
65,000-69,999	2.5	1.7	1.2	3.3	2.9	1.6
70,000-74,999	1.9	1.8	1.8	3.3	2.8	3.7
75,000-99,999	4.3	6.4	4.5	11.8	10.7	9.3
100,000-149,999	2.4	2.1	3.0	11.5	8.7	6.9
150,000-199,999	1.4	0.6	0.9	3.5	4.3	2.4
200,000 or more	0.8	2.1	1.7	3.4	3.3	2.6
Median income (dollars)	25,000	20,500	16,193	48,500	46,000	35,000
Number (thousands)	871	1,064	5,245	11,950	2,156	1,078

a. Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, or special age-72 benefits.

**Table 5.B4**  
**Percentage distribution of recipient units, by race, Hispanic origin, and marital status, 2004**

Earnings (dollars)	White alone			Black alone			Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>		
	All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons	All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons	All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	7.6	6.8	9.0	3.5	3.0	3.9	3.5	3.5	3.5
1,000–1,999	2.5	2.4	2.8	3.4	2.0	4.6	0.5	0.7	0
2,000–2,999	2.8	2.5	3.5	2.8	1.6	3.8	1.9	1.7	2.3
3,000–3,999	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.1	1.0	5.0	3.8	4.1	3.3
4,000–4,999	3.1	2.6	4.0	1.1	0.5	1.6	2.6	3.2	1.8
5,000–5,999	3.2	3.1	3.5	1.5	1.2	1.7	1.4	0.4	3.0
6,000–6,999	2.3	2.3	2.3	3.0	2.1	3.7	1.3	2.1	0
7,000–7,999	2.0	1.9	2.2	4.1	3.5	4.6	2.7	1.5	4.6
8,000–8,999	2.5	1.8	3.9	2.3	3.2	1.5	1.3	1.7	0.8
9,000–9,999	1.7	1.4	2.2	1.7	0.7	2.7	1.6	2.7	0
10,000–10,999	3.8	2.9	5.4	5.4	3.0	7.7	5.7	5.3	6.4
11,000–11,999	1.4	1.2	1.6	2.9	0.4	5.1	1.7	2.0	1.3
12,000–12,999	3.3	3.2	3.5	3.6	3.3	3.8	6.6	3.4	11.6
13,000–13,999	1.2	1.1	1.6	1.7	2.9	0.5	0.9	0.8	1.1
14,000–14,999	0.9	0.7	1.2	2.2	3.1	1.3	2.4	1.9	3.3
15,000–19,999	7.5	6.5	9.5	8.5	7.7	9.3	15.3	15.3	15.4
20,000–24,999	7.6	7.1	8.4	10.0	9.4	10.6	11.2	9.3	14.2
25,000–29,999	4.8	4.7	5.0	4.8	4.0	5.5	3.5	5.1	0.8
30,000–34,999	5.3	4.9	6.2	7.3	7.9	6.8	6.8	4.8	10.2
35,000–39,999	3.9	4.2	3.3	3.7	4.5	2.9	4.4	3.8	5.4
40,000–44,999	3.7	4.0	3.3	5.8	7.1	4.6	4.0	5.3	1.8
45,000–49,999	3.0	3.9	1.5	1.6	2.9	0.3	2.8	3.9	1.0
50,000–54,999	3.0	3.2	2.6	2.4	3.1	1.8	4.0	4.2	3.6
55,000–59,999	1.6	2.0	1.0	2.8	3.8	1.9	2.0	3.1	0.1
60,000–64,999	1.7	1.9	1.4	3.1	4.6	1.7	0.9	1.5	0
65,000–69,999	1.2	1.6	0.6	1.4	2.5	0.4	0	0	0
70,000–74,999	2.3	2.5	1.9	0.8	1.5	0	2.2	1.9	2.6
75,000–99,999	5.6	7.2	2.6	2.7	4.4	1.2	2.9	3.4	2.0
100,000–149,999	3.7	4.9	1.4	2.3	4.7	0	0.7	1.1	0
150,000–199,999	1.2	1.5	0.5	0.2	0	0.4	0.8	1.3	0
200,000 or more	2.0	2.6	0.7	0.5	0.1	0.8	0.6	1.0	0
Median income (dollars)	20,000	24,000	14,500	19,000	28,000	13,000	18,000	18,000	16,000
Number (thousands)	5,513	3,604	1,908	538	258	279	361	223	138

a. Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

## Earnings Income of Units 65 or Older

**Table 5.B5**  
**Percentage distribution of recipient units, by marital status and quintiles of total money income, 2004**

Earnings (dollars)	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	42.2	15.6	10.5	6.0	3.4	32.9	12.7	6.4	4.3	2.3	39.2	18.7	13.6	8.0	4.4
1,000–1,999	8.8	6.6	4.7	3.1	0.9	4.7	5.0	2.9	2.6	0.5	15.4	10.8	5.6	3.7	1.1
2,000–2,999	7.0	8.9	6.6	2.5	0.8	4.0	8.4	3.4	1.5	0.5	10.6	9.8	9.7	4.0	1.1
3,000–3,999	11.5	9.0	6.6	2.8	1.6	9.0	5.1	4.2	3.0	1.4	9.7	14.5	6.9	6.7	0.5
4,000–4,999	5.6	8.6	4.3	3.9	1.0	6.2	7.3	2.6	2.5	0.3	5.9	5.9	8.3	4.1	2.2
5,000–5,999	5.9	7.0	6.9	3.2	1.4	4.6	7.8	4.5	1.7	1.5	9.4	8.1	7.1	6.6	0.5
6,000–6,999	3.2	6.1	4.9	2.7	1.2	3.8	5.2	3.3	2.6	0.6	4.1	1.5	8.1	3.8	1.2
7,000–7,999	0.4	5.9	4.0	2.4	1.3	0.5	4.8	2.4	3.1	0.4	1.1	1.7	8.1	4.1	1.0
8,000–8,999	3.6	5.6	5.2	3.3	0.8	6.3	3.1	4.1	0.8	0.5	4.7	1.7	5.7	5.7	2.2
9,000–9,999	0.7	1.9	3.7	2.5	0.7	1.1	4.1	2.4	0.9	0.4	0	0	2.9	4.5	1.5
10,000–10,999	11.1	5.4	8.2	4.6	1.8	6.9	6.8	4.6	2.1	0.9	0	21.5	5.2	8.3	3.9
11,000–11,999	0	5.7	2.9	1.3	1.0	2.4	1.9	1.2	2.0	0.4	0	5.7	4.8	3.0	1.1
12,000–12,999	0	5.2	5.8	5.5	1.5	3.7	8.0	6.2	2.0	0.9	0	0	6.5	5.5	3.1
13,000–13,999	0	0.3	1.4	2.8	0.6	1.0	1.1	3.3	1.2	0.2	0	0	0	2.6	1.3
14,000–14,999	0	1.6	2.4	1.8	0.4	0.6	3.3	1.5	1.1	0.1	0	0	1.8	2.8	0.7
15,000–19,999	0	6.0	10.8	14.7	3.4	6.9	8.0	14.6	7.1	1.8	0	0	5.8	13.3	9.3
20,000–24,999	0	0.7	9.1	14.2	4.7	5.4	3.7	14.1	10.5	2.4	0	0	0	10.5	10.2
25,000–29,999	0	0	1.9	8.0	4.5	0	3.7	4.9	9.8	1.6	0	0	0	2.8	7.6
30,000–34,999	0	0	0	8.0	6.7	0	0	8.1	9.0	3.0	0	0	0	0	11.1
35,000–39,999	0	0	0	3.1	6.3	0	0	2.7	8.3	4.4	0	0	0	0	5.6
40,000–44,999	0	0	0	3.7	6.0	0	0	2.7	8.8	3.6	0	0	0	0	6.4
45,000–49,999	0	0	0	0	5.9	0	0	0.1	6.6	5.4	0	0	0	0	2.5
50,000–54,999	0	0	0	0	5.9	0	0	0	5.2	4.6	0	0	0	0	4.6
55,000–59,999	0	0	0	0	3.7	0	0	0	2.1	4.3	0	0	0	0	2.0
60,000–64,999	0	0	0	0	3.7	0	0	0	1.0	4.8	0	0	0	0	2.4
65,000–69,999	0	0	0	0	2.5	0	0	0	0.4	4.0	0	0	0	0	1.0
70,000–74,999	0	0	0	0	4.3	0	0	0	0	6.4	0	0	0	0	2.9
75,000–99,999	0	0	0	0	10.7	0	0	0	0	18.4	0	0	0	0	4.3
100,000–149,999	0	0	0	0	7.4	0	0	0	0	13.5	0	0	0	0	2.1
150,000–199,999	0	0	0	0	2.3	0	0	0	0	4.1	0	0	0	0	0.9
200,000 or more	0	0	0	0	3.7	0	0	0	0	6.7	0	0	0	0	1.2
Median income (dollars)	1,400	5,000	8,000	15,000	45,000	3,900	6,500	13,500	25,000	67,190	1,300	3,500	5,500	9,600	27,000
Number (thousands)	206	337	890	1,758	3,133	224	430	773	1,083	1,521	86	102	226	591	1,287

NOTE: Quintile limits are \$10,399, \$16,363, \$25,587, and \$44,129 for all units; \$20,258, \$29,437, \$42,129, and \$68,299 for married couples; and \$8,364, \$12,000, \$16,471, and \$26,064 for nonmarried persons.



**Table 5.B6**  
**Percentage distribution of recipients, by sex, marital status, and age, 2004**

Earnings (dollars)	Total			Married			Nonmarried		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
<i>All persons</i>									
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	2.2	2.9	8.9	2.2	2.5	9.4	2.1	3.7	8.2
1,000-1,999	0.8	1.5	3.4	0.9	1.6	3.5	0.8	1.3	3.2
2,000-2,999	0.8	1.5	3.6	0.8	1.4	3.7	0.9	1.7	3.4
3,000-3,999	1.0	2.5	3.6	1.1	2.5	3.6	0.8	2.4	3.7
4,000-4,999	1.3	1.0	3.4	1.2	0.8	3.2	1.4	1.3	3.6
5,000-5,999	1.3	2.5	3.7	1.3	2.6	3.9	1.5	2.4	3.4
6,000-6,999	1.1	1.6	2.8	1.0	1.2	2.8	1.4	2.5	2.6
7,000-7,999	0.8	1.3	2.4	0.6	1.4	2.3	1.3	1.1	2.5
8,000-8,999	1.2	2.0	2.6	1.3	1.9	2.1	0.9	2.3	3.5
9,000-9,999	0.9	1.8	1.8	0.7	1.7	1.6	1.5	2.1	2.3
10,000-10,999	2.1	2.6	4.5	1.9	2.5	3.8	2.6	2.7	5.8
11,000-11,999	1.0	1.8	1.7	0.9	1.5	1.4	1.2	2.4	2.1
12,000-12,999	2.2	3.1	3.7	1.9	2.7	3.7	2.8	4.1	3.8
13,000-13,999	0.7	1.4	1.4	0.7	1.1	1.4	0.8	2.1	1.4
14,000-14,999	1.1	1.6	1.4	1.1	1.5	1.5	1.0	1.7	1.3
15,000-19,999	7.8	7.5	7.6	7.0	7.1	6.6	9.5	8.5	9.2
20,000-24,999	9.0	7.9	8.2	8.0	6.9	8.0	11.4	10.4	8.5
25,000-29,999	7.5	7.9	4.8	6.7	7.2	4.7	9.5	9.8	5.0
30,000-34,999	7.9	6.4	5.1	7.4	6.9	4.5	8.9	5.2	6.2
35,000-39,999	6.2	6.1	3.9	5.9	6.2	4.4	7.0	5.9	3.2
40,000-44,999	6.4	5.6	3.4	6.5	6.1	3.2	6.4	4.5	3.6
45,000-49,999	4.9	3.6	1.8	4.9	3.5	2.0	4.8	3.9	1.4
50,000-54,999	5.2	4.9	2.4	5.8	5.2	2.2	3.9	4.1	2.6
55,000-59,999	3.0	2.6	1.3	3.2	2.5	1.4	2.3	2.8	1.1
60,000-64,999	4.3	2.6	1.7	4.7	3.1	1.9	3.4	1.3	1.4
65,000-69,999	2.5	1.7	1.1	2.7	1.7	1.5	2.0	1.9	0.5
70,000-74,999	2.4	2.4	1.4	2.9	2.9	1.4	1.4	1.0	1.6
75,000-99,999	6.7	5.0	3.5	7.6	5.6	4.1	4.6	3.4	2.4
100,000-149,999	4.6	3.7	2.3	5.6	4.3	3.0	2.4	2.1	1.2
150,000-199,999	1.4	1.5	1.2	1.7	1.9	1.6	0.7	0.7	0.5
200,000 or more	1.6	1.6	1.3	2.0	2.0	1.7	0.9	0.6	0.6
Median income (dollars)	34,000	27,000	15,000	36,000	30,000	15,680	28,600	23,920	14,000
Number (thousands)	15,889	3,761	6,348	11,024	2,656	4,056	4,865	1,104	2,292

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## Earnings Income of Aged Persons

**Table 5.B6**  
**Percentage distribution of recipients, by sex, marital status, and age, 2004—Continued**

Earnings (dollars)	Total			Married			Nonmarried		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
<i>Men</i>									
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	2.0	1.8	8.4	1.8	1.5	8.6	2.7	3.0	8.0
1,000-1,999	0.5	1.0	2.6	0.5	0.8	2.8	0.1	1.5	1.8
2,000-2,999	0.3	0.6	2.9	0.3	0.7	3.4	0.4	0.2	1.4
3,000-3,999	0.6	2.6	2.5	0.6	2.2	2.7	0.5	4.5	1.5
4,000-4,999	0.6	0.3	3.0	0.6	0.1	2.7	0.7	0.8	4.2
5,000-5,999	0.8	2.0	3.6	0.7	2.0	3.8	1.2	2.3	2.8
6,000-6,999	0.6	1.1	2.0	0.6	0.8	2.2	0.8	2.6	1.6
7,000-7,999	0.5	1.2	2.2	0.4	1.4	2.1	0.9	0.7	2.4
8,000-8,999	1.0	1.6	2.3	1.0	1.3	1.9	0.9	2.7	3.5
9,000-9,999	0.6	1.8	1.2	0.3	1.7	1.1	1.4	2.1	1.5
10,000-10,999	1.8	2.6	3.8	1.4	2.5	3.4	3.0	2.9	5.4
11,000-11,999	0.8	1.5	1.7	0.6	1.4	1.6	1.3	1.7	2.1
12,000-12,999	1.4	2.6	3.9	1.3	2.3	3.5	1.9	3.9	5.6
13,000-13,999	0.5	0.5	1.0	0.4	0.5	1.1	0.8	0.5	0.6
14,000-14,999	0.9	1.3	1.2	0.8	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.6	0.9
15,000-19,999	5.5	6.0	6.5	4.6	5.6	6.7	8.4	7.4	5.9
20,000-24,999	6.9	5.6	7.1	5.9	5.3	6.8	10.5	6.9	8.3
25,000-29,999	6.6	6.4	4.2	5.7	5.1	4.2	9.4	12.2	4.3
30,000-34,999	7.2	7.4	6.1	6.7	7.8	6.0	8.6	5.7	6.3
35,000-39,999	5.5	6.5	4.6	5.0	6.5	5.1	6.9	6.3	3.1
40,000-44,999	6.9	6.9	4.4	7.0	7.8	3.7	6.8	3.1	6.7
45,000-49,999	5.4	3.6	2.0	5.5	3.6	2.0	4.9	3.8	2.2
50,000-54,999	6.4	5.3	3.1	7.1	5.9	3.0	4.1	2.5	3.4
55,000-59,999	3.4	3.0	1.6	3.6	3.2	1.6	2.3	2.5	1.6
60,000-64,999	5.5	3.5	2.2	6.0	3.9	2.0	4.0	1.4	2.9
65,000-69,999	3.2	2.2	1.5	3.6	2.1	1.6	2.0	2.3	1.2
70,000-74,999	3.4	3.3	1.5	4.0	3.8	1.6	1.3	1.2	1.4
75,000-99,999	8.9	7.0	4.7	9.7	6.8	4.9	6.5	7.8	4.1
100,000-149,999	7.3	5.7	3.9	8.3	6.2	4.1	4.0	3.7	3.0
150,000-199,999	2.4	2.5	2.1	2.8	3.0	2.3	1.1	0.6	1.4
200,000 or more	2.8	2.7	2.0	3.2	2.9	2.4	1.2	1.8	0.8
Median income (dollars)	43,000	35,000	20,000	48,000	38,012	20,000	30,000	26,000	20,000
Number (thousands)	8,246	2,063	3,497	6,368	1,681	2,730	1,879	382	767

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**Table 5.B6**  
**Percentage distribution of recipients, by sex, marital status, and age, 2004—Continued**

Earnings (dollars)	Total			Married			Nonmarried		
	55–61	62–64	65 or older	55–61	62–64	65 or older	55–61	62–64	65 or older
<b>Women</b>									
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 1,000	2.4	4.2	9.6	2.9	4.2	11.0	1.8	4.1	8.3
1,000–1,999	1.3	2.1	4.3	1.3	2.8	4.9	1.2	1.1	3.8
2,000–2,999	1.4	2.5	4.4	1.6	2.5	4.3	1.2	2.5	4.4
3,000–3,999	1.4	2.3	5.1	1.7	2.9	5.5	1.0	1.4	4.8
4,000–4,999	2.0	1.8	3.8	2.1	2.0	4.3	1.9	1.5	3.3
5,000–5,999	1.9	3.1	3.9	2.1	3.6	4.2	1.6	2.4	3.7
6,000–6,999	1.6	2.3	3.6	1.5	2.1	4.2	1.8	2.5	3.2
7,000–7,999	1.1	1.3	2.6	0.8	1.3	2.6	1.5	1.3	2.6
8,000–8,999	1.4	2.5	3.1	1.7	2.8	2.5	0.9	2.1	3.6
9,000–9,999	1.3	1.9	2.6	1.1	1.8	2.6	1.6	2.1	2.7
10,000–10,999	2.5	2.6	5.4	2.6	2.5	4.7	2.3	2.6	6.0
11,000–11,999	1.1	2.1	1.6	1.2	1.7	0.9	1.1	2.8	2.2
12,000–12,999	3.0	3.7	3.5	2.8	3.3	4.2	3.4	4.2	2.9
13,000–13,999	1.0	2.5	1.9	1.2	2.1	2.0	0.8	3.0	1.8
14,000–14,999	1.2	2.0	1.7	1.5	2.2	1.9	0.9	1.8	1.5
15,000–19,999	10.2	9.4	8.9	10.2	9.5	6.5	10.3	9.1	11.0
20,000–24,999	11.3	10.8	9.5	10.8	9.7	10.5	11.9	12.2	8.5
25,000–29,999	8.6	9.8	5.6	7.9	10.7	5.8	9.6	8.6	5.3
30,000–34,999	8.7	5.2	4.0	8.4	5.4	1.5	9.0	5.0	6.2
35,000–39,999	7.0	5.6	3.1	7.0	5.6	3.0	7.0	5.7	3.2
40,000–44,999	5.9	4.1	2.1	5.7	3.2	2.2	6.2	5.3	2.1
45,000–49,999	4.3	3.6	1.5	4.0	3.3	2.0	4.7	3.9	1.0
50,000–54,999	4.0	4.4	1.5	4.0	4.0	0.6	3.8	4.9	2.2
55,000–59,999	2.5	2.1	0.9	2.6	1.4	1.0	2.3	3.0	0.9
60,000–64,999	3.1	1.5	1.1	3.0	1.6	1.7	3.1	1.2	0.6
65,000–69,999	1.6	1.3	0.6	1.4	0.9	1.1	1.9	1.7	0.2
70,000–74,999	1.4	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.4	0.9	1.4	0.9	1.7
75,000–99,999	4.3	2.5	2.0	4.9	3.5	2.4	3.4	1.0	1.6
100,000–149,999	1.7	1.1	0.4	1.8	1.1	0.6	1.4	1.3	0.3
150,000–199,999	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.5	0.7	0
200,000 or more	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.6	0.4	0.7	0	0.6
Median income (dollars)	26,000	21,000	12,000	25,779	20,000	10,400	26,400	21,000	12,000
Number (thousands)	7,643	1,698	2,851	4,656	975	1,325	2,986	723	1,526

## Private Pension or Annuity Income of Aged Units

**Table 5.C1**  
**Percentage distribution of recipient units, by marital status and age, 2004**

Private pension or annuity (dollars)	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1-499	2.0	0.7	2.5	1.9	0.6	2.3	2.0	1.0	2.7
500-999	1.6	3.3	3.7	1.8	3.8	2.2	1.3	2.2	5.3
1,000-1,499	5.3	6.4	6.5	5.0	4.8	4.5	5.8	10.0	8.5
1,500-1,999	3.5	2.4	3.9	2.4	2.4	2.7	5.2	2.2	5.1
2,000-2,499	3.7	4.2	4.9	3.5	4.1	3.9	3.9	4.4	5.9
2,500-2,999	1.7	2.3	3.5	1.8	2.3	2.5	1.4	2.2	4.6
3,000-3,499	2.7	4.4	2.8	2.6	6.2	2.2	2.7	0.4	3.5
3,500-3,999	3.3	2.5	4.3	3.6	2.7	3.7	3.0	1.9	5.0
4,000-4,499	1.5	1.9	2.8	0.9	2.2	2.9	2.5	1.3	2.7
4,500-4,999	2.6	4.6	3.3	2.7	5.0	2.8	2.5	3.7	3.9
5,000-5,999	2.7	1.4	3.9	2.0	1.5	3.8	3.9	1.1	4.0
6,000-6,999	3.1	3.7	5.8	2.5	2.8	4.4	4.1	5.6	7.2
7,000-7,999	3.1	2.4	4.5	3.0	1.1	4.0	3.2	5.2	5.0
8,000-8,999	2.7	3.5	4.6	1.5	2.7	4.1	4.7	5.4	5.1
9,000-9,999	3.1	3.2	4.2	3.1	2.2	3.7	3.0	5.5	4.7
10,000-10,999	4.1	4.0	4.1	4.4	4.3	4.2	3.6	3.5	4.0
11,000-11,999	0.8	1.9	2.0	1.1	2.3	2.5	0.3	1.0	1.5
12,000-12,999	1.9	2.4	4.2	1.0	3.1	5.3	3.4	0.8	3.2
13,000-13,999	1.3	3.2	2.1	1.3	2.5	2.4	1.3	4.6	1.8
14,000-14,999	1.3	1.7	2.5	1.0	2.5	3.1	1.9	0.1	1.9
15,000-19,999	11.6	12.0	8.0	11.5	10.8	10.1	11.8	14.6	5.8
20,000-24,999	8.4	8.2	5.5	9.7	9.1	6.6	6.3	6.5	4.3
25,000-29,999	7.4	4.6	2.8	7.1	4.9	4.2	7.8	3.9	1.4
30,000-34,999	6.2	4.5	2.3	7.8	5.4	3.7	3.5	2.6	0.9
35,000-39,999	3.5	2.5	1.3	3.0	2.1	1.9	4.5	3.3	0.6
40,000-44,999	1.4	1.2	0.6	1.8	1.3	1.1	0.6	1.1	0.1
45,000-49,999	1.4	0.8	0.1	2.2	0.8	0.3	0.1	0.9	0
50,000 or more	8.2	6.0	3.1	9.8	6.4	4.9	5.7	5.2	1.3
Median income (dollars)	13,572	10,800	7,200	15,600	11,700	10,000	10,000	9,600	5,664
Number (thousands)	1,546	965	7,839	952	656	3,985	593	309	3,855

**Table 5.C2**  
**Percentage distribution of recipient units, by Social Security beneficiary status and age, 2004**

Private pension or annuity (dollars)	Beneficiary <sup>a</sup>			Nonbeneficiary		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1-499	4.1	0.6	2.4	1.2	1.0	4.1
500-999	2.0	2.3	3.9	1.5	5.5	0.1
1,000-1,499	8.2	6.0	6.7	4.2	7.4	0.9
1,500-1,999	2.0	2.3	3.9	4.0	2.4	3.1
2,000-2,499	5.2	4.6	4.9	3.2	3.4	5.5
2,500-2,999	0.9	2.1	3.5	1.9	2.6	2.5
3,000-3,499	3.8	5.0	2.7	2.3	2.9	6.7
3,500-3,999	3.4	2.8	4.4	3.3	1.8	2.7
4,000-4,499	1.8	1.6	2.8	1.4	2.5	1.6
4,500-4,999	5.1	4.2	3.4	1.8	5.6	0.1
5,000-5,999	5.2	1.2	4.0	1.8	1.7	2.4
6,000-6,999	4.1	4.6	5.8	2.8	1.7	5.1
7,000-7,999	4.9	2.9	4.5	2.5	1.3	3.5
8,000-8,999	3.4	4.4	4.5	2.5	1.6	8.6
9,000-9,999	5.0	3.8	4.2	2.4	1.9	4.7
10,000-10,999	5.9	3.0	4.2	3.5	6.4	0.9
11,000-11,999	1.7	1.7	2.0	0.4	2.3	2.0
12,000-12,999	0.6	3.0	4.2	2.3	1.0	5.2
13,000-13,999	2.1	3.1	2.1	1.0	3.4	2.5
14,000-14,999	2.3	2.0	2.5	1.0	1.1	1.7
15,000-19,999	9.3	13.7	8.1	12.4	8.1	6.0
20,000-24,999	2.7	8.0	5.3	10.3	8.7	11.8
25,000-29,999	6.4	4.9	2.8	7.7	4.0	4.5
30,000-34,999	1.3	3.4	2.3	7.8	7.1	3.6
35,000-39,999	2.0	2.2	1.2	4.1	3.0	2.1
40,000-44,999	0	1.4	0.6	1.8	0.7	0
45,000-49,999	2.7	1.0	0.1	1.0	0.3	1.5
50,000 or more	3.5	4.0	3.0	9.8	10.6	6.6
Median income (dollars)	7,692	10,680	7,200	16,800	11,700	9,600
Number (thousands)	396	671	7,570	1,150	294	269

a. Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, or special age-72 benefits.

**Private Pension or Annuity Income of Units 65 or Older**

**Table 5.C3**  
**Percentage distribution of recipient units, by marital status and quintiles of total money income, 2004**

Private pension or annuity (dollars)	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1-499	13.4	4.9	2.5	1.2	1.2	10.9	3.9	1.7	0.7	0.9	19.0	7.6	3.7	0.9	1.1
500-999	14.0	11.3	2.7	2.0	1.6	8.1	2.5	1.7	1.2	2.1	14.9	17.2	9.8	1.7	2.3
1,000-1,499	13.8	19.2	6.6	3.0	3.1	11.0	9.1	2.9	2.8	1.8	14.6	19.2	19.1	4.8	2.3
1,500-1,999	12.5	8.6	5.1	2.2	1.1	6.3	5.2	2.6	1.3	1.1	11.2	12.7	8.4	4.0	1.4
2,000-2,499	7.7	11.9	6.3	3.1	1.9	13.3	8.3	2.5	2.4	0.4	8.0	8.5	12.2	3.7	3.4
2,500-2,999	6.1	6.9	4.6	2.4	1.8	7.1	3.4	2.1	1.6	1.7	4.0	6.9	6.8	5.0	2.0
3,000-3,499	8.1	4.2	3.7	1.8	1.7	2.3	4.9	0.7	1.2	2.7	10.1	5.9	4.4	3.5	1.5
3,500-3,999	3.0	6.6	7.4	3.5	1.6	5.2	9.0	3.3	1.1	1.6	5.4	1.3	9.0	5.6	2.4
4,000-4,499	0.6	4.7	4.7	1.9	1.4	5.5	6.7	2.1	1.1	1.3	0.8	1.0	5.0	3.3	1.1
4,500-4,999	5.8	5.6	4.3	3.1	1.2	2.4	4.9	3.5	1.4	1.7	2.2	10.0	4.8	4.4	1.2
5,000-5,999	0.9	2.0	7.2	3.8	2.4	6.5	5.6	4.9	1.6	2.8	0.8	0.6	2.3	7.6	2.4
6,000-6,999	2.5	6.1	10.1	5.0	3.1	3.6	8.0	4.3	2.9	3.1	6.9	0.9	7.3	11.7	3.9
7,000-7,999	1.5	2.4	6.8	5.9	2.0	4.2	6.9	5.4	2.3	1.4	1.9	1.6	1.9	7.6	5.2
8,000-8,999	6.4	1.7	7.1	5.7	2.3	4.9	6.5	6.0	2.1	1.6	0	3.4	1.9	9.2	3.6
9,000-9,999	3.6	1.1	6.8	5.0	2.6	2.5	2.4	6.4	4.0	1.6	0	2.8	1.4	8.5	3.8
10,000-10,999	0	0.9	4.4	6.6	3.1	0	3.2	8.6	3.9	1.4	0	0.5	0.9	5.6	5.6
11,000-11,999	0	0	1.5	4.0	1.4	0.2	0.6	6.4	1.5	1.4	0	0	0	2.0	2.5
12,000-12,999	0	1.1	3.6	6.8	4.0	1.7	3.7	7.9	6.2	3.5	0	0	0.8	5.0	3.9
13,000-13,999	0	0.2	2.0	3.7	1.7	1.8	0.7	4.6	3.4	0.3	0	0	0	2.5	2.9
14,000-14,999	0	0.1	0.7	5.8	1.8	0.4	0.8	6.3	3.1	2.2	0	0	0	1.1	4.6
15,000-19,999	0	0.4	1.2	13.5	12.7	2.1	2.2	11.3	17.0	10.3	0	0	0	1.5	16.6
20,000-24,999	0	0	0.9	7.6	10.7	0	1.0	4.1	14.0	7.9	0	0	0	0.9	12.5
25,000-29,999	0	0	0	1.7	8.5	0	0.4	0	10.2	6.8	0	0	0	0	4.4
30,000-34,999	0	0	0	0.5	8.0	0	0	0.3	6.6	9.1	0	0	0	0	2.9
35,000-39,999	0	0	0	0.1	4.6	0	0	0.3	3.7	3.9	0	0	0	0	2.0
40,000-44,999	0	0	0	0	2.3	0	0	0	1.6	3.2	0	0	0	0	0.4
45,000-49,999	0	0	0	0	0.5	0	0	0	0.4	0.9	0	0	0	0	0
50,000 or more	0	0	0	0	11.7	0	0	0	0.7	23.1	0	0	0	0	4.2
Median income (dollars)	1,800	2,292	5,280	10,000	18,300	2,520	4,164	9,720	15,852	22,800	1,512	1,680	2,400	6,036	13,200
Number (thousands)	311	1,034	1,910	2,484	2,100	257	823	1,041	1,051	813	110	336	815	1,359	1,235

NOTE: Quintile limits are \$10,399, \$16,363, \$25,587, and \$44,129 for all units; \$20,258, \$29,437, \$42,129, and \$68,299 for married couples; and \$8,364, \$12,000, \$16,471, and \$26,064 for nonmarried persons.

**Table 5.C4**  
**Percentage distribution of recipients, by sex and marital status, 2004**

Private pension or annuity (dollars)	All persons	Men			Women		
		Total	Married	Nonmarried	Total	Married	Nonmarried
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1–499	2.6	1.8	2.1	0.9	3.8	4.5	3.5
500–999	4.0	2.2	2.4	1.6	6.4	4.5	7.1
1,000–1,499	6.9	4.9	4.3	6.5	9.5	9.5	9.5
1,500–1,999	4.1	2.5	2.4	2.7	6.3	6.7	6.2
2,000–2,499	5.3	4.9	4.5	5.9	5.8	5.6	5.9
2,500–2,999	3.8	3.0	2.7	3.6	4.9	4.7	5.0
3,000–3,499	3.3	2.3	2.3	2.2	4.6	5.9	4.0
3,500–3,999	4.7	3.9	4.0	3.4	5.7	5.7	5.7
4,000–4,499	2.9	2.8	3.0	2.4	3.0	3.5	2.8
4,500–4,999	3.4	2.5	2.5	2.7	4.4	4.4	4.5
5,000–5,999	4.0	4.2	4.1	4.4	3.7	3.4	3.8
6,000–6,999	5.9	4.4	4.2	4.9	7.9	7.0	8.3
7,000–7,999	4.4	4.2	3.9	5.2	4.6	4.1	4.8
8,000–8,999	4.3	4.3	4.0	5.2	4.3	2.3	5.1
9,000–9,999	4.3	4.3	3.8	5.7	4.3	4.5	4.3
10,000–10,999	4.6	5.9	5.6	6.8	2.9	3.5	2.7
11,000–11,999	1.8	2.4	2.1	3.1	1.2	2.3	0.7
12,000–12,999	4.1	5.0	5.2	4.5	3.0	4.0	2.5
13,000–13,999	2.0	2.1	2.2	1.8	1.9	2.2	1.8
14,000–14,999	2.2	3.1	3.1	3.2	1.0	0.3	1.2
15,000–19,999	7.5	9.8	10.1	8.9	4.4	4.4	4.4
20,000–24,999	5.1	6.3	6.2	6.4	3.6	4.4	3.4
25,000–29,999	2.4	3.7	4.2	2.5	0.7	0.2	0.9
30,000–34,999	2.1	3.1	3.7	1.4	0.7	0.8	0.7
35,000–39,999	1.0	1.4	1.6	0.9	0.6	0.8	0.5
40,000–44,999	0.5	0.9	1.1	0.3	0.1	0	0.1
45,000–49,999	0	0	0.1	0	0	0	0
50,000 or more	2.6	4.1	4.5	2.7	0.7	0.8	0.7
Median income (dollars)	6,720	9,600	9,840	8,400	4,488	4,320	4,560
Number (thousands)	8,373	4,774	3,522	1,252	3,599	996	2,603

## Private Pension or Annuity Income of Persons 65 or Older

**Table 5.C5**  
**Percentage distribution of recipients, by sex and age, 2004**

Private pension or annuity (dollars)	All persons				Men				Women			
	65-69	70-74	75-79	80 or older	65-69	70-74	75-79	80 or older	65-69	70-74	75-79	80 or older
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1-499	2.4	2.3	3.2	2.8	1.7	1.3	1.8	2.3	3.5	3.7	5.1	3.2
500-999	2.9	3.6	3.4	5.8	1.5	2.9	2.5	2.0	5.3	4.7	4.6	9.4
1,000-1,499	5.2	5.4	8.6	8.1	3.5	4.2	6.6	5.4	8.1	7.1	11.4	10.8
1,500-1,999	3.5	4.5	3.6	4.8	1.8	2.5	2.2	3.5	6.4	7.5	5.6	6.0
2,000-2,499	3.9	4.8	5.9	6.4	3.4	4.0	5.5	6.8	4.7	6.0	6.4	6.1
2,500-2,999	3.3	3.8	3.6	4.4	2.8	2.1	3.5	3.5	4.1	6.1	3.9	5.2
3,000-3,499	3.3	3.1	2.9	3.6	2.0	1.8	2.7	2.6	5.6	5.1	3.2	4.5
3,500-3,999	3.3	3.4	5.7	6.0	2.1	2.1	5.7	5.9	5.3	5.4	5.7	6.2
4,000-4,499	2.7	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.1	1.8	3.2	3.2	2.0	4.6	2.6	2.9
4,500-4,999	2.2	3.4	3.5	4.2	1.5	2.8	3.1	2.9	3.5	4.4	4.1	5.3
5,000-5,999	4.1	3.6	4.8	3.5	4.3	3.6	4.9	4.1	3.8	3.6	4.8	2.9
6,000-6,999	4.6	6.4	4.9	7.4	2.5	6.5	3.8	5.0	8.2	6.3	6.6	9.6
7,000-7,999	3.8	4.5	4.5	4.7	3.6	3.9	4.9	4.6	4.2	5.4	3.9	4.8
8,000-8,999	4.5	4.3	4.3	4.1	5.0	4.9	2.8	4.4	3.7	3.5	6.4	3.8
9,000-9,999	4.3	4.2	5.2	3.8	4.5	4.4	5.0	3.5	4.0	3.9	5.6	4.1
10,000-10,999	4.7	3.6	6.1	4.2	5.1	4.2	7.7	6.7	3.9	2.8	3.8	1.8
11,000-11,999	2.0	1.6	1.9	1.8	2.0	2.0	2.5	2.9	2.0	1.0	1.1	0.8
12,000-12,999	5.3	4.5	3.8	3.1	6.3	5.0	4.8	4.0	3.7	3.8	2.3	2.3
13,000-13,999	2.0	2.3	2.1	1.7	1.9	2.4	2.2	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.0	1.4
14,000-14,999	2.5	2.4	2.5	1.6	3.4	3.1	3.4	2.6	1.0	1.3	1.2	0.5
15,000-19,999	11.0	8.0	6.5	4.7	13.5	10.3	8.2	6.7	6.8	4.8	4.2	2.7
20,000-24,999	7.1	4.2	4.3	4.8	8.3	4.5	5.3	6.7	5.0	3.9	2.9	3.0
25,000-29,999	2.4	4.3	1.3	1.8	3.4	6.7	1.9	2.8	0.7	0.9	0.4	0.8
30,000-34,999	3.2	2.3	1.5	1.3	4.7	3.8	1.6	1.8	0.7	0	1.4	0.8
35,000-39,999	1.2	1.6	1.1	0.4	1.5	2.1	1.6	0.4	0.7	0.9	0.4	0.5
40,000-44,999	0.8	0.7	0.4	0.3	1.3	1.1	0.6	0.4	0	0	0.1	0.1
45,000-49,999	0.1	0	0	0	0.2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
50,000 or more	3.6	4.0	1.3	1.7	5.1	6.0	1.9	3.0	1.1	1.1	0.4	0.5
Median income (dollars)	9,000	7,200	6,000	5,112	11,700	10,080	7,848	7,200	5,616	4,488	4,800	3,804
Number (thousands)	2,092	1,992	1,885	2,404	1,318	1,181	1,093	1,181	774	811	792	1,223



**Table 5.C6**  
**Percentage distribution of recipient units, by marital status and age, 2004**

Government employee pension <sup>a</sup> (dollars)	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1-499	0.9	1.4	0.9	0	2.2	0.5	2.5	0	1.4
500-999	0.2	0	1.2	0.4	0	0.7	0	0	1.8
1,000-1,499	0.5	1.7	1.2	0.7	2.5	0.6	0	0	1.7
1,500-1,999	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7	1.2	1.1	0.8
2,000-2,499	0.9	1.4	1.8	0.6	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.5	2.2
2,500-2,999	0.1	1.2	0.6	0.1	0	0.3	0	3.6	0.8
3,000-3,999	2.9	2.9	3.5	2.7	2.5	2.9	3.3	3.6	4.2
4,000-4,999	2.9	2.1	3.4	2.2	2.0	3.3	4.1	2.2	3.5
5,000-5,999	1.3	0.8	2.0	0.9	0.8	1.3	1.9	0.8	2.7
6,000-6,999	3.7	5.7	3.5	1.6	3.4	2.1	7.3	10.4	5.2
7,000-7,999	2.1	3.3	2.5	1.7	1.2	1.8	2.9	7.6	3.2
8,000-8,999	2.5	2.1	3.1	1.4	2.7	2.5	4.5	0.8	3.7
9,000-9,999	3.0	2.9	3.8	3.6	1.5	2.8	2.0	5.7	4.9
10,000-10,999	2.6	1.9	3.9	2.4	1.9	3.6	3.0	2.0	4.2
11,000-11,999	0.8	0.9	1.5	1.0	0.7	1.1	0.4	1.3	1.9
12,000-12,999	4.8	2.7	3.6	4.5	2.4	3.2	5.2	3.4	4.0
13,000-13,999	3.1	2.1	4.1	2.5	1.4	3.9	4.1	3.5	4.2
14,000-14,999	3.0	5.1	4.1	2.8	6.1	2.7	3.3	3.0	5.8
15,000-19,999	11.8	12.9	12.8	11.6	14.4	11.5	12.2	9.9	14.3
20,000-24,999	8.7	14.5	12.2	11.2	16.2	13.3	4.1	11.2	10.9
25,000-29,999	9.0	5.5	6.9	7.3	4.7	8.6	12.1	7.1	4.9
30,000-34,999	7.3	7.3	5.1	6.9	5.6	6.5	7.9	10.6	3.6
35,000-39,999	5.5	4.3	3.9	6.1	4.3	5.5	4.4	4.4	2.1
40,000-44,999	5.3	1.7	2.3	5.2	1.7	2.5	5.6	1.6	2.2
45,000-49,999	1.4	1.8	1.4	1.9	2.7	2.5	0.4	0	0
50,000 or more	15.0	13.0	10.2	20.1	17.1	14.3	5.9	4.7	5.7
Median income (dollars)	20,952	19,200	16,800	24,000	20,400	21,600	15,000	14,688	13,547
Number (thousands)	1,081	556	3,631	692	370	1,924	389	186	1,706

a. Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

## Government Employee Pension Income of Aged Units

**Table 5.C7**

**Percentage distribution of recipient units, by Social Security beneficiary status and age, 2004**

Government employee pension <sup>a</sup> (dollars)	Beneficiary <sup>b</sup>			Nonbeneficiary		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1-499	0	0.9	0.9	1.1	2.0	1.0
500-999	0	0	1.3	0.3	0	0.1
1,000-1,499	0	2.0	1.3	0.5	1.4	0
1,500-1,999	3.7	1.6	0.8	0.3	0	0.2
2,000-2,499	1.6	1.7	1.9	0.8	1.1	0.7
2,500-2,999	0	2.3	0.5	0.1	0	0.9
3,000-3,999	5.5	4.1	3.6	2.5	1.6	2.5
4,000-4,999	5.5	2.2	3.7	2.4	1.9	0.9
5,000-5,999	0.8	1.5	2.1	1.3	0	1.0
6,000-6,999	4.7	3.7	3.7	3.5	7.8	1.6
7,000-7,999	5.4	3.2	2.5	1.6	3.5	2.3
8,000-8,999	3.5	3.6	3.2	2.4	0.5	1.8
9,000-9,999	3.8	2.7	4.2	2.9	3.1	0.6
10,000-10,999	1.8	2.3	4.1	2.8	1.6	2.6
11,000-11,999	2.6	0.5	1.6	0.5	1.3	0.1
12,000-12,999	3.9	3.3	3.7	4.9	2.1	2.6
13,000-13,999	3.5	3.4	4.3	3.0	0.8	1.5
14,000-14,999	2.8	5.0	3.9	3.0	5.2	5.6
15,000-19,999	20.4	16.5	12.8	10.3	9.1	12.4
20,000-24,999	8.6	15.1	11.4	8.7	14.0	19.1
25,000-29,999	11.1	3.0	6.8	8.7	8.2	7.6
30,000-34,999	3.2	4.9	5.0	8.0	9.7	6.2
35,000-39,999	5.6	3.0	3.7	5.5	5.7	5.7
40,000-44,999	0	2.1	1.9	6.2	1.2	6.2
45,000-49,999	0.1	3.5	1.5	1.6	0	0.1
50,000 or more	1.8	7.8	9.5	17.2	18.4	16.9
Median income (dollars)	15,000	16,800	15,935	22,800	22,000	24,000
Number (thousands)	157	284	3,277	924	271	353

a. Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

b. Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, or special age-72 benefits.

**Table 5.C8**  
**Percentage distribution of recipient units, by marital status and quintiles of total money income, 2004**

Government employee pension <sup>a</sup> (dollars)	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1-499	b	2.8	2.0	0	0.1	b	2.0	0	0.3	0	b	b	3.4	1.4	0
500-999	b	2.6	3.1	1.3	0.1	b	0.8	2.6	0.1	0.2	b	b	5.0	2.9	0.6
1,000-1,499	b	5.3	0.4	1.0	0.5	b	1.1	1.0	0	1.0	b	b	3.9	0.3	0.8
1,500-1,999	b	2.8	1.0	0.5	0.3	b	0.9	0.8	0.7	0	b	b	2.1	0.4	0.4
2,000-2,499	b	6.7	2.7	1.5	0.7	b	2.7	2.5	0.5	0.8	b	b	4.2	2.2	1.0
2,500-2,999	b	2.8	0.8	0.5	0	b	0	0	0.9	0	b	b	3.5	0.9	0
3,000-3,999	b	10.0	6.6	2.7	0.9	b	4.9	3.6	0.6	1.7	b	b	11.6	5.8	0.9
4,000-4,999	b	6.5	6.1	2.7	1.8	b	10.8	3.1	1.8	2.3	b	b	7.4	5.0	0.7
5,000-5,999	b	3.1	3.2	2.7	0.3	b	5.9	0	0.8	0.7	b	b	0.9	2.9	1.6
6,000-6,999	b	15.0	7.4	2.2	1.3	b	6.8	1.2	2.5	0.4	b	b	13.8	7.6	1.0
7,000-7,999	b	6.1	3.4	3.1	1.0	b	3.7	3.4	0.8	1.2	b	b	5.9	3.6	2.2
8,000-8,999	b	8.9	6.3	1.8	1.7	b	6.8	2.3	1.8	1.8	b	b	11.4	6.3	0.8
9,000-9,999	b	6.2	8.9	3.7	1.6	b	3.5	5.7	2.4	0.6	b	b	5.6	10.1	2.1
10,000-10,999	b	4.0	5.1	3.7	3.8	b	4.5	3.6	4.9	2.1	b	b	2.9	6.3	3.5
11,000-11,999	b	1.3	3.4	1.5	0.7	b	1.6	1.6	0.7	0.5	b	b	0.7	3.5	1.3
12,000-12,999	b	4.9	4.6	4.8	2.2	b	2.4	8.0	2.2	1.5	b	b	6.4	5.1	3.4
13,000-13,999	b	0.9	7.2	6.2	1.9	b	6.6	5.0	5.6	0.7	b	b	0.4	7.4	3.6
14,000-14,999	b	8.0	5.4	6.8	1.2	b	4.8	5.5	2.6	0.2	b	b	10.1	5.7	5.6
15,000-19,999	b	1.9	14.7	20.2	8.9	b	6.2	20.1	11.9	7.1	b	b	0.9	17.1	17.1
20,000-24,999	b	0	7.5	18.3	12.0	b	18.1	17.4	14.2	9.3	b	b	0	4.6	18.2
25,000-29,999	b	0	0	8.6	9.9	b	5.9	8.5	13.8	5.3	b	b	0	0.9	9.0
30,000-34,999	b	0	0	3.5	9.4	b	0	1.9	10.9	7.9	b	b	0	0	6.9
35,000-39,999	b	0	0	1.9	7.7	b	0	1.3	8.7	7.2	b	b	0	0	4.1
40,000-44,999	b	0	0	0.5	5.1	b	0	0.9	3.2	3.8	b	b	0	0	4.3
45,000-49,999	b	0	0	0	3.1	b	0	0	2.5	5.3	b	b	0	0	0.1
50,000 or more	b	0	0	0	23.7	b	0	0	5.5	38.4	b	b	0	0	10.9
Median income (dollars)	b	6,000	9,600	15,600	28,800	b	10,620	15,000	24,000	38,256	b	b	6,000	10,500	20,598
Number (thousands)	68	234	648	1,114	1,567	60	223	381	636	625	31	75	185	530	885

NOTE: Quintile limits are \$10,399, \$16,363, \$25,587, and \$44,129 for all units; \$20,258, \$29,437, \$42,129, and \$68,299 for married couples; and \$8,364, \$12,000, \$16,471, and \$26,064 for nonmarried persons.

a. Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

b. Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.

**Government Employee Pension Income of Persons 65 or Older**

**Table 5.C9**  
**Percentage distribution of recipients, by sex and marital status, 2004**

Government employee pension <sup>a</sup> (dollars)	All persons	Men			Women		
		Total	Married	Nonmarried	Total	Married	Nonmarried
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1–499	0.9	0.4	0.5	0.4	1.3	0.5	1.8
500–999	1.3	0.6	0.5	0.7	2.0	1.7	2.2
1,000–1,499	1.1	0.8	0.2	2.5	1.5	1.6	1.4
1,500–1,999	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.8
2,000–2,499	1.8	0.6	0.7	0.2	3.1	3.0	3.1
2,500–2,999	0.6	0	0	0.1	1.1	1.0	1.2
3,000–3,999	3.7	2.6	2.8	2.2	4.8	4.3	5.1
4,000–4,999	3.5	2.1	2.4	1.3	4.9	5.6	4.5
5,000–5,999	2.1	1.3	1.2	1.4	3.0	2.5	3.2
6,000–6,999	3.9	1.8	1.3	3.5	6.0	6.3	5.9
7,000–7,999	2.5	1.0	1.0	1.2	4.0	4.0	4.1
8,000–8,999	3.1	1.9	1.9	1.8	4.5	4.5	4.5
9,000–9,999	4.3	3.4	2.8	5.0	5.2	5.9	4.9
10,000–10,999	4.1	2.8	2.7	3.0	5.6	7.2	4.8
11,000–11,999	1.5	0.9	1.2	0.1	2.2	1.3	2.6
12,000–12,999	4.0	3.4	2.9	5.1	4.6	6.4	3.5
13,000–13,999	3.8	3.2	3.7	1.8	4.5	3.1	5.2
14,000–14,999	4.4	3.9	3.2	5.7	5.0	3.7	5.8
15,000–19,999	13.3	13.0	13.1	12.7	13.6	11.1	14.9
20,000–24,999	12.9	16.5	16.3	16.8	9.0	10.1	8.4
25,000–29,999	7.2	9.2	10.2	6.3	5.0	6.3	4.3
30,000–34,999	5.5	8.6	9.2	7.1	2.3	2.5	2.1
35,000–39,999	3.8	5.7	6.3	3.9	1.7	2.3	1.4
40,000–44,999	1.9	1.9	1.5	2.9	1.9	1.9	1.9
45,000–49,999	0.4	0.6	0.8	0	0.3	0.7	0
50,000 or more	7.9	13.2	13.1	13.5	2.2	2.0	2.3
Median income (dollars)	15,600	21,600	22,524	20,000	12,000	12,000	12,000
Number (thousands)	3,835	1,980	1,472	508	1,855	656	1,198

a. Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

**Table 5.C10**  
**Percentage distribution of recipients, by sex, Social Security beneficiary status, and marital status, 2004**

Employer pension <sup>a</sup> (dollars)	Total	Beneficiary <sup>b</sup>			Nonbeneficiary		
		Total	Married	Nonmarried	Total	Married	Nonmarried
<i>All persons</i>							
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1-499	1.9	1.9	1.8	2.1	2.2	2.7	1.2
500-999	3.0	3.2	2.4	4.2	0.1	0	0.2
1,000-1,499	4.9	5.2	4.0	6.7	1.2	1.7	0.3
1,500-1,999	2.8	3.0	2.3	3.8	1.4	1.2	1.8
2,000-2,499	3.9	4.1	3.7	4.5	1.4	1.3	1.5
2,500-2,999	2.7	2.8	2.3	3.3	1.3	1.1	1.8
3,000-3,999	6.4	6.6	6.1	7.3	3.6	3.1	4.3
4,000-4,999	5.3	5.7	5.5	5.9	0.8	0.7	1.0
5,000-5,999	3.3	3.4	3.2	3.7	1.6	1.4	2.0
6,000-6,999	5.3	5.6	4.5	7.0	2.2	1.6	3.2
7,000-7,999	3.7	3.8	3.5	4.2	2.0	1.6	2.7
8,000-8,999	4.0	4.1	3.5	4.9	3.1	3.1	3.2
9,000-9,999	4.3	4.5	4.1	4.9	2.4	1.6	3.8
10,000-10,999	4.5	4.5	4.7	4.3	5.0	6.0	3.3
11,000-11,999	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.6	0.9	0.6	1.3
12,000-12,999	4.1	4.1	4.8	3.4	3.8	4.2	3.1
13,000-13,999	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.9	2.3	2.4	2.3
14,000-14,999	3.0	2.8	2.8	2.8	4.8	3.2	7.5
15,000-19,999	9.4	9.4	10.2	8.5	9.0	7.6	11.4
20,000-24,999	8.0	7.2	8.3	6.0	17.1	17.9	15.7
25,000-29,999	4.3	3.8	4.7	2.6	9.6	12.3	5.2
30,000-34,999	3.3	3.1	4.3	1.7	5.2	6.8	2.5
35,000-39,999	1.9	1.7	2.4	0.9	4.1	3.8	4.6
40,000-44,999	1.0	0.8	1.0	0.7	3.1	2.7	3.8
45,000-49,999	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.7	1.1	0.2
50,000 or more	4.4	3.8	5.2	2.1	11.0	10.3	12.2
Median income (dollars)	9,600	9,000	10,800	7,200	20,150	21,600	17,400
Number (thousands)	12,152	11,139	6,023	5,116	1,014	636	378

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## Employer Pension Income of Persons 65 or Older

**Table 5.C10**

Percentage distribution of recipients, by sex, Social Security beneficiary status, and marital status, 2004—*Continued*

Employer pension <sup>a</sup> (dollars)	Total	Beneficiary <sup>b</sup>			Nonbeneficiary			
		Total	Married	Nonmarried	Total	Married	Nonmarried	
<b>Men</b>								
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1–499	1.3	1.2	1.4	0.6	2.4	3.2	0	
500–999	1.6	1.8	1.9	1.4	0	0	0	
1,000–1,499	3.4	3.7	3.1	5.4	0.5	0.6	0.1	
1,500–1,999	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	2.2	1.3	4.9	
2,000–2,499	3.4	3.6	3.4	4.1	0.8	1.1	0	
2,500–2,999	2.0	2.2	2.0	2.6	0.6	0.6	0.8	
3,000–3,999	4.9	5.1	5.2	5.0	2.7	3.2	1.3	
4,000–4,999	4.2	4.6	4.7	4.2	0.4	0.5	0	
5,000–5,999	3.2	3.4	3.2	3.7	2.0	1.8	2.6	
6,000–6,999	3.6	3.8	3.5	4.6	1.2	0.9	2.3	
7,000–7,999	3.3	3.5	3.3	4.1	1.3	1.7	0	
8,000–8,999	3.7	3.6	3.3	4.3	4.5	3.9	6.5	
9,000–9,999	4.0	4.3	3.7	5.9	1.1	0.3	3.6	
10,000–10,999	4.9	5.2	4.9	6.1	0.8	1.0	0.3	
11,000–11,999	1.8	2.0	1.9	2.2	0.7	0.8	0.4	
12,000–12,999	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.7	3.4	3.5	3.2	
13,000–13,999	2.4	2.4	2.6	1.9	1.8	2.1	0.8	
14,000–14,999	3.4	3.5	3.3	4.0	2.4	1.7	4.4	
15,000–19,999	10.8	11.2	11.4	10.7	6.4	6.4	6.3	
20,000–24,999	10.0	9.1	9.2	9.0	19.5	18.4	23.0	
25,000–29,999	5.8	5.0	5.5	3.6	15.1	16.7	9.6	
30,000–34,999	4.9	4.7	5.3	3.0	7.3	8.3	4.2	
35,000–39,999	2.7	2.5	2.8	1.5	5.5	5.4	5.6	
40,000–44,999	1.2	1.1	1.2	0.9	2.2	2.1	2.8	
45,000–49,999	0.2	0.2	0.3	0	0.5	0.5	0.5	
50,000 or more	6.9	6.1	6.6	4.9	14.7	14.0	16.8	
Median income (dollars)	12,000	12,000	12,000	10,380	24,000	24,000	24,000	
Number (thousands)	6,718	6,148	4,526	1,622	570	434	136	

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**Table 5.C10**  
**Percentage distribution of recipients, by sex, Social Security beneficiary status, and marital status, 2004—Continued**

Employer pension <sup>a</sup> (dollars)	Total	Beneficiary <sup>b</sup>			Nonbeneficiary		
		Total	Married	Nonmarried	Total	Married	Nonmarried
<b>Women</b>							
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1–499	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.7	1.8	1.7	1.9
500–999	4.6	5.0	3.9	5.5	0.2	0	0.3
1,000–1,499	6.7	7.1	6.7	7.3	2.1	4.1	0.4
1,500–1,999	4.2	4.5	4.1	4.7	0.4	1.0	0
2,000–2,499	4.5	4.7	4.7	4.8	2.1	1.7	2.4
2,500–2,999	3.4	3.5	3.2	3.7	2.2	2.1	2.3
3,000–3,999	8.2	8.5	8.8	8.4	4.7	3.1	6.0
4,000–4,999	6.6	7.0	7.8	6.7	1.4	1.1	1.6
5,000–5,999	3.3	3.5	3.0	3.7	1.1	0.4	1.7
6,000–6,999	7.5	7.9	7.5	8.0	3.5	3.1	3.8
7,000–7,999	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.3	2.8	1.2	4.2
8,000–8,999	4.5	4.7	3.9	5.1	1.3	1.4	1.3
9,000–9,999	4.7	4.8	5.5	4.5	4.1	4.3	3.9
10,000–10,999	4.1	3.6	4.0	3.4	10.4	16.8	5.0
11,000–11,999	1.5	1.5	2.0	1.3	1.1	0.3	1.8
12,000–12,999	3.5	3.4	5.1	2.7	4.3	5.9	3.0
13,000–13,999	3.1	3.1	2.5	3.4	3.0	2.9	3.1
14,000–14,999	2.5	2.0	1.6	2.2	8.0	6.5	9.2
15,000–19,999	7.6	7.2	6.4	7.5	12.3	10.1	14.2
20,000–24,999	5.6	4.9	5.5	4.6	14.0	16.8	11.7
25,000–29,999	2.3	2.3	2.5	2.2	2.7	2.7	2.7
30,000–34,999	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.2	2.5	3.6	1.6
35,000–39,999	1.0	0.9	1.3	0.7	2.4	0.4	4.1
40,000–44,999	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.6	4.2	4.1	4.3
45,000–49,999	0.2	0.1	0	0.2	1.0	2.2	0
50,000 or more	1.3	0.9	1.1	0.8	6.3	2.3	9.7
Median income (dollars)	6,552	6,000	6,492	6,000	14,400	13,728	14,400
Number (thousands)	5,435	4,991	1,497	3,494	444	202	242

a. Includes Railroad Retirement; federal, state, local, and military pensions; and private pensions or annuities.

b. Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, or special age-72 benefits.

## Asset Income of Aged Units

**Table 5.D1**

**Percentage distribution of recipient units, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, and age, 2004**

Asset income (dollars)	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 250	34.0	33.3	28.7	31.4	28.4	23.3	39.0	41.9	34.0	34.9	38.6	32.2	41.4	43.7	34.7
250-499	8.9	7.9	8.8	8.8	8.0	8.5	8.9	7.5	9.1	7.5	5.3	8.0	9.8	8.7	9.5
500-749	5.9	6.2	5.5	5.5	6.2	5.0	6.8	6.2	5.9	7.9	6.1	5.1	6.2	6.2	6.2
750-999	3.4	2.0	3.8	3.8	2.3	4.2	2.7	1.7	3.4	3.4	0.5	2.5	2.3	2.3	3.7
1,000-1,499	6.4	6.2	5.8	5.8	6.5	5.5	7.4	5.5	6.1	8.0	3.3	6.9	7.1	6.7	5.8
1,500-1,999	3.7	3.6	4.5	3.9	4.5	4.6	3.5	2.1	4.3	2.7	1.1	3.8	3.9	2.6	4.5
2,000-2,499	4.2	3.8	4.2	4.0	4.0	4.5	4.5	3.4	3.9	4.1	2.5	3.0	4.8	3.9	4.2
2,500-2,999	3.4	2.1	2.8	3.5	2.6	2.2	3.1	1.2	3.4	3.7	1.4	3.3	2.7	1.1	3.4
3,000-3,999	3.8	4.0	4.8	4.3	4.2	4.6	2.8	3.6	5.0	3.1	4.0	3.9	2.7	3.4	5.5
4,000-4,999	2.5	3.3	3.8	2.7	3.0	4.2	2.2	3.9	3.4	2.2	5.9	2.9	2.1	2.9	3.6
5,000-9,999	8.7	9.1	10.7	9.6	10.1	11.3	7.0	7.5	10.1	7.8	9.3	12.1	6.5	6.5	9.4
10,000-14,999	4.7	5.9	5.1	5.1	7.1	6.6	4.1	3.7	3.5	5.5	2.4	4.4	3.2	4.4	3.2
15,000-19,999	2.4	3.0	2.2	2.8	3.2	2.7	1.7	2.7	1.6	2.0	5.8	1.9	1.6	1.0	1.5
20,000-24,999	1.5	2.3	1.9	1.6	2.5	2.2	1.2	2.0	1.5	0.7	1.7	1.9	1.5	2.2	1.3
25,000-29,999	0.9	0.8	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.9	0.3	0.2	0.5	0.9	0	0.9	0	0.3	0.3
30,000-34,999	0.5	0.3	0.8	0.7	0.3	1.4	0.2	0.3	0.2	0	0	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.1
35,000-39,999	1.0	1.2	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.1	0.6	1.2	0.9	1.0	3.5	1.1	0.3	0	0.9
40,000-44,999	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.2	0.3	0	0.3
45,000-49,999	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.4	0	0.5	0	0.3	0.1
50,000 or more	3.4	4.4	3.9	3.3	4.0	5.1	3.5	5.0	2.6	3.9	8.1	4.9	3.3	3.4	1.7
Median income (dollars)	840	1,000	1,200	1,000	1,284	1,806	577	533	800	721	721	1,082	446	400	729
Number (thousands)	9,141	2,930	14,797	5,989	1,866	7,357	3,151	1,064	7,439	1,189	375	2,051	1,962	688	5,388



**Table 5.D2**  
**Percentage distribution of recipient units, by marital status and quintiles of total money income, 2004**

Asset income (dollars)	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 250	57.6	39.4	35.6	25.6	13.5	43.5	35.2	23.6	18.5	10.3	63.0	51.0	35.7	32.4	20.8
250–499	11.3	12.9	9.9	8.9	5.2	13.5	10.8	10.3	6.6	4.9	10.8	13.7	12.4	8.0	5.7
500–749	5.3	8.2	5.8	5.8	3.6	4.8	4.5	7.6	5.3	3.2	5.4	7.0	8.9	6.5	3.3
750–999	3.0	3.9	4.9	3.8	3.1	6.0	5.9	3.5	4.1	2.8	3.2	3.3	3.4	4.3	2.8
1,000–1,499	4.7	7.3	6.5	6.2	4.6	5.3	5.7	7.1	4.7	4.9	3.9	6.2	7.9	6.6	5.2
1,500–1,999	5.6	5.4	4.4	4.4	3.7	4.8	6.3	3.9	5.4	3.3	5.2	4.9	5.8	4.0	3.2
2,000–2,499	2.8	5.3	4.1	4.7	3.7	2.2	6.2	5.5	5.0	3.1	1.6	5.0	6.1	3.4	3.1
2,500–2,999	1.2	3.3	2.8	2.9	2.8	1.0	1.1	2.8	2.3	2.9	1.8	0.6	4.4	4.1	3.6
3,000–3,999	3.1	5.8	6.2	4.8	3.7	5.5	6.1	5.0	4.5	2.9	3.5	4.0	5.9	6.7	3.9
4,000–4,999	2.5	3.3	3.9	5.0	3.2	2.9	4.9	5.9	4.3	2.9	1.3	3.0	3.6	4.1	3.3
5,000–9,999	2.2	4.6	11.7	13.9	12.5	7.5	9.3	11.7	16.2	9.4	0.2	1.1	5.5	14.7	15.1
10,000–14,999	0.8	0.5	3.0	8.0	7.4	2.1	3.0	9.1	9.3	6.6	0	0.2	0.4	3.9	7.3
15,000–19,999	0	0	1.1	3.1	3.7	1.0	0.8	2.3	3.9	4.1	0	0	0	1.1	4.0
20,000–24,999	0	0	0.1	2.0	4.4	0	0.3	0.8	3.4	4.8	0	0	0	0.1	4.5
25,000–29,999	0	0	0	0.3	3.6	0	0	0.4	2.5	4.7	0	0	0	0	1.4
30,000–34,999	0	0	0	0.3	2.5	0	0	0.3	1.9	3.6	0	0	0	0	0.6
35,000–39,999	0	0	0	0.1	3.3	0	0	0.2	1.9	2.5	0	0	0	0	2.8
40,000–44,999	0	0	0	0	1.3	0	0	0	0.3	1.5	0	0	0	0	0.9
45,000–49,999	0	0	0	0	1.2	0	0	0	0.1	2.1	0	0	0	0	0.6
50,000 or more	0	0	0	0	12.8	0	0	0	0	19.7	0	0	0	0	8.0
Median income (dollars)	195	400	650	1,410	5,860	320	704	1,214	2,584	9,508	122	243	514	900	3,604
Number (thousands)	1,173	2,240	3,096	3,834	4,454	815	1,345	1,572	1,728	1,898	588	920	1,515	1,985	2,432

NOTE: Quintile limits are \$10,399, \$16,363, \$25,587, and \$44,129 for all units; \$20,258, \$29,437, \$42,129, and \$68,299 for married couples; and \$8,364, \$12,000, \$16,471, and \$26,064 for nonmarried persons.



# Importance of Income Sources Relative to Total Income

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**Table 6.A1**  
**Percentage distribution, by age, 2004**

Proportion of income	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older		
			Total	65–74	75 or older
<i>Retirement benefits<sup>a</sup></i>					
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
0	74	40	6	8	4
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	6	11	4	7	2
20–39	5	9	8	11	5
40–59	4	8	9	11	7
60–79	3	6	11	11	11
80 or more	9	25	62	51	72
50 or more	13	35	78	68	87
90 or more	8	22	54	44	63
100	5	13	30	23	35
Mean proportion	14	37	75	67	83
Number (thousands)	15,053	4,782	25,891	12,538	13,353
<i>Social Security<sup>c</sup></i>					
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
0	87	52	9	11	6
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	3	13	9	13	5
20–39	3	10	15	18	11
40–59	2	7	16	17	15
60–79	1	4	14	12	16
80 or more	4	14	38	29	46
50 or more	7	21	60	49	70
90 or more	4	12	31	24	38
100	3	9	20	15	24
Mean proportion	7	24	60	52	67
Number (thousands)	15,053	4,782	25,891	12,538	13,353

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## Relative Importance of Income Sources for Aged Units

**Table 6.A1**  
Percentage distribution, by age, 2004—*Continued*

Proportion of income	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older		
			Total	65–74	75 or older
<b>Retirement benefits<sup>a</sup> (cont.)</b>					
<i>Government employee pensions<sup>d</sup></i>					
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
0	93	89	86	86	87
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	2	2	2	3	2
20–39	2	3	3	4	3
40–59	1	2	4	4	4
60–79	1	1	2	2	3
80 or more	1	2	2	2	2
50 or more	3	4	6	6	6
90 or more	1	1	1	1	1
100	0	1	0	0	0
Mean proportion	3	5	6	6	6
Number (thousands)	15,053	4,782	25,891	12,538	13,353
<i>Private pensions or annuities</i>					
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
0	90	80	70	71	69
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	4	9	12	11	13
20–39	2	4	10	9	10
40–59	1	4	6	6	6
60–79	1	2	2	2	2
80 or more	2	2	1	1	1
50 or more	3	5	4	5	4
90 or more	1	1	0	1	0
100	1	1	0	0	0
Mean proportion	4	7	9	9	9
Number (thousands)	15,053	4,782	25,891	12,538	13,353

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Relative Importance of Income Sources for Aged Units

**Table 6.A1**  
Percentage distribution, by age, 2004—*Continued*

Proportion of income	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older		
			Total	65–74	75 or older
<b>Earnings</b>					
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
0	16	34	76	63	89
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	2	4	5	7	3
20–39	3	5	4	6	2
40–59	5	7	5	8	2
60–79	8	10	5	8	2
80 or more	65	40	5	8	2
50 or more	77	54	12	21	4
90 or more	58	33	3	6	1
100	22	11	2	2	1
Mean proportion	73	51	12	20	5
Number (thousands)	15,053	4,782	25,891	12,538	13,353
<b>Income from assets</b>					
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
0	41	40	44	42	45
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	52	50	43	45	41
20–39	3	5	7	7	7
40–59	2	3	3	3	3
60–79	1	1	2	1	2
80 or more	2	2	1	1	2
50 or more	3	4	4	4	5
90 or more	2	2	1	1	1
100	1	1	1	1	1
Mean proportion	6	7	8	8	8
Number (thousands)	15,053	4,782	25,891	12,538	13,353

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## Relative Importance of Income Sources for Aged Units

**Table 6.A1**  
**Percentage distribution, by age, 2004—Continued**

Proportion of income	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older		
			Total	65–74	75 or older
<b>Public assistance</b>					
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
0	95	95	95	95	96
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	1	1	1	2	1
20–39	1	1	1	1	1
40–59	1	1	1	1	0
60–79	0	0	0	0	0
80 or more	2	2	1	2	1
50 or more	3	2	2	2	2
90 or more	2	2	1	1	1
100	2	1	1	1	1
Mean proportion	3	3	2	2	2
Number (thousands)	15,053	4,782	25,891	12,538	13,353

NOTE: Units with zero total income or with negative total income, earnings, or income from assets are excluded.

- a. Includes Social Security benefits, Railroad Retirement, government employee pensions, and private pensions or annuities.
- b. Includes units with at least \$1 but less than 1 percent of income from the specified source.
- c. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.
- d. Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.



**Table 6.A2**  
**Percentage distribution, by quintiles of total money income, 2004**

Proportion of income	Total	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
<i>Retirement benefits<sup>a</sup></i>						
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100
0	6	13	2	3	5	8
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	4	1	0	1	2	17
20–39	8	1	2	4	9	22
40–59	9	3	4	9	13	15
60–79	11	6	8	12	17	12
80 or more	62	76	84	71	54	26
50 or more	78	85	94	88	78	45
90 or more	54	71	77	62	44	19
100	30	55	49	29	15	4
Mean proportion	75	81	90	83	74	49
Number (thousands)	25,891	4,520	5,443	5,318	5,297	5,312
<i>Social Security<sup>c</sup></i>						
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100
0	9	15	4	5	8	12
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	9	1	1	2	5	35
20–39	15	1	3	8	22	37
40–59	16	4	7	22	33	13
60–79	14	7	14	24	23	2
80 or more	38	72	72	38	10	1
50 or more	60	81	90	76	48	7
90 or more	31	65	61	28	5	1
100	20	50	37	12	1	1
Mean proportion	60	78	84	67	48	24
Number (thousands)	25,891	4,520	5,443	5,318	5,297	5,312

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Relative Importance of Income Sources for Units 65 or Older

**Table 6.A2**  
Percentage distribution, by quintiles of total money income, 2004—*Continued*

Proportion of income	Total	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
<b>Retirement benefits <sup>a</sup> (cont.)</b>						
<i>Government employee pensions <sup>d</sup></i>						
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100
0	86	99	96	88	80	71
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	2	0	1	2	3	6
20–39	3	0	1	3	5	7
40–59	4	0	1	3	6	8
60–79	2	0	1	2	4	5
80 or more	2	0	1	2	2	3
50 or more	6	1	2	6	10	11
90 or more	1	0	0	1	1	1
100	0	0	0	1	0	0
Mean proportion	6	1	2	6	10	13
Number (thousands)	25,891	4,520	5,443	5,318	5,297	5,312
<i>Private pensions or annuities</i>						
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100
0	70	93	81	64	54	61
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	12	3	11	14	15	16
20–39	10	1	5	13	17	11
40–59	6	1	2	7	11	8
60–79	2	1	1	1	3	4
80 or more	1	1	0	1	0	1
50 or more	4	2	1	3	7	8
90 or more	0	1	0	0	0	0
100	0	1	0	0	0	0
Mean proportion	9	3	4	10	14	12
Number (thousands)	25,891	4,520	5,443	5,318	5,297	5,312

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**Table 6.A2**  
**Percentage distribution, by quintiles of total money income, 2004—Continued**

Proportion of income	Total	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
<i>Earnings</i>						
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100
0	76	96	94	84	68	42
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	5	1	2	5	7	10
20–39	4	1	1	4	7	7
40–59	5	0	1	4	8	12
60–79	5	0	1	2	6	15
80 or more	5	1	1	2	5	14
50 or more	12	2	2	6	15	36
90 or more	3	1	1	2	4	8
100	2	1	1	1	2	2
Mean proportion	12	2	3	7	15	33
Number (thousands)	25,891	4,520	5,443	5,318	5,297	5,312

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## Relative Importance of Income Sources for Units 65 or Older

**Table 6.A2**  
**Percentage distribution, by quintiles of total money income, 2004—Continued**

Proportion of income	Total	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
<i>Income from assets</i>						
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100
0	44	75	59	43	29	17
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	43	18	35	46	56	55
20–39	7	2	4	7	11	11
40–59	3	1	1	2	3	7
60–79	2	0	0	1	1	6
80 or more	1	4	0	0	0	3
50 or more	4	4	1	2	3	12
90 or more	1	3	0	0	0	0
100	1	3	0	0	0	0
Mean proportion	8	5	4	6	8	16
Number (thousands)	25,891	4,520	5,443	5,318	5,297	5,312

NOTES: Quintile limits are \$10,399, \$16,363, \$25,587, and \$44,129 for aged units.

Units with zero total income or with negative total income, earnings, or income from assets are excluded.

- a. Includes Social Security benefits, Railroad Retirement, government employee pensions, and private pensions or annuities.
- b. Includes units with at least \$1 but less than 1 percent of income from the specified source.
- c. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.
- d. Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

Relative Importance of Income Sources for Aged Units with Income from Specified Source

**Table 6.B1**  
Percentage distribution, by age, 2004

Proportion of income	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older		
			Total	65–74	75 or older
<b>Retirement benefits <sup>a</sup></b>					
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	22	18	4	7	2
20–39	20	16	8	12	5
40–59	14	14	9	12	7
60–79	10	9	12	12	11
80 or more	34	43	66	56	75
50 or more	51	58	83	74	90
90 or more	29	37	57	48	66
100	18	22	32	26	37
Mean proportion	55	61	80	73	86
Number (thousands)	3,974	2,854	24,362	11,510	12,852
<b>Social Security <sup>c</sup></b>					
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	23	26	10	14	6
20–39	19	20	16	21	12
40–59	15	15	18	19	16
60–79	10	8	15	14	17
80 or more	33	30	41	33	49
50 or more	51	44	66	55	75
90 or more	30	26	34	27	40
100	23	19	21	17	25
Mean proportion	55	51	65	58	72
Number (thousands)	1,986	2,287	23,662	11,145	12,517

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Relative Importance of Income Sources for Aged Units with Income from Specified Source

Table 6.B1  
Percentage distribution, by age, 2004—Continued

Proportion of income	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older		
			Total	65–74	75 or older
<b>Retirement benefits<sup>a</sup> (cont.)</b>					
<i>Government employee pensions<sup>d</sup></i>					
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	26	21	18	19	17
20–39	26	29	25	26	23
40–59	20	18	28	27	28
60–79	9	13	18	17	19
80 or more	20	19	12	11	13
50 or more	39	39	44	42	46
90 or more	15	13	6	6	6
100	6	6	2	1	2
Mean proportion	45	46	46	45	48
Number (thousands)	1,060	542	3,565	1,784	1,780
<i>Private pensions or annuities</i>					
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	39	43	40	38	42
20–39	22	21	33	32	33
40–59	13	19	19	21	18
60–79	9	8	6	6	6
80 or more	18	8	2	3	2
50 or more	32	24	15	17	13
90 or more	14	6	2	2	1
100	6	3	1	1	1
Mean proportion	39	33	29	30	28
Number (thousands)	1,523	954	7,757	3,663	4,094

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Relative Importance of Income Sources for Aged Units with Income from Specified Source

**Table 6.B1**  
Percentage distribution, by age, 2004—*Continued*

Proportion of income	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older		
			Total	65–74	75 or older
<b>Earnings</b>					
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	2	6	21	18	30
20–39	4	7	17	15	22
40–59	6	11	21	22	19
60–79	10	15	21	22	15
80 or more	78	60	21	23	15
50 or more	91	81	52	56	38
90 or more	70	50	14	15	12
100	27	17	6	6	6
Mean proportion	87	77	51	54	43
Number (thousands)	12,594	3,166	6,139	4,686	1,453
<b>Income from assets</b>					
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	87	83	76	78	74
20–39	5	8	13	12	14
40–59	3	4	6	6	5
60–79	1	2	3	3	4
80 or more	3	3	2	2	3
50 or more	5	7	8	7	9
90 or more	3	3	1	1	2
100	2	2	1	1	1
Mean proportion	10	12	14	13	15
Number (thousands)	8,921	2,874	14,516	7,230	7,286

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## Relative Importance of Income Sources for Aged Units with Income from Specified Source

**Table 6.B1**  
**Percentage distribution, by age, 2004—Continued**

Proportion of income	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older		
			Total	65–74	75 or older
<b>Public assistance</b>					
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	23	25	32	32	32
20–39	17	21	21	21	21
40–59	12	13	13	14	12
60–79	4	6	3	2	3
80 or more	43	35	31	30	32
50 or more	53	46	38	37	38
90 or more	42	32	29	28	31
100	38	26	27	27	27
Mean proportion	58	54	48	48	49
Number (thousands)	755	241	1,176	646	530

NOTE: Units with zero total income or with negative total income, earnings, or income from assets are excluded.

a. Includes Social Security benefits, Railroad Retirement, government employee pensions, and private pensions or annuities.

b. Includes units with at least \$1 but less than 1 percent of income from the specified source.

c. Includes retired-worker, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.

d. Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.



Relative Importance of Income Sources for Aged Units with Income from Specified Source

**Table 6.B2**  
Percentage distribution, by age, marital status, and sex of nonmarried persons, 2004

Proportion of income	Aged 55–61				Aged 62–64				Aged 65 or older			
	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			Married couples	Nonmarried persons			Married couples	Nonmarried persons		
		Total	Men	Women		Total	Men	Women		Total	Men	Women
<i>Retirement benefits<sup>a</sup></i>												
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	30	12	12	12	25	10	11	9	7	2	4	2
20–39	28	11	12	11	19	11	10	12	11	6	8	6
40–59	14	13	11	15	15	13	14	12	12	8	9	7
60–79	10	9	7	9	8	11	10	12	14	10	11	10
80 or more	18	55	58	52	32	56	57	55	56	73	69	75
50 or more	35	72	72	71	46	73	74	72	75	88	84	89
90 or more	14	50	52	48	25	51	52	51	46	65	62	66
100	7	33	35	31	12	35	36	34	19	40	38	41
Mean proportion	43	71	72	70	52	73	73	73	74	85	82	86
Number (thousands)	2,248	1,726	679	1,046	1,592	1,262	461	800	9,972	14,390	3,853	10,537
<i>Social Security<sup>c</sup></i>												
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	37	7	10	6	35	16	15	16	16	6	10	4
20–39	28	10	8	11	27	12	12	13	21	13	16	11
40–59	13	18	12	21	13	17	21	16	20	16	19	15
60–79	9	11	15	9	6	11	10	12	17	15	13	15
80 or more	13	54	55	53	19	43	42	43	28	51	42	54
50 or more	28	74	75	74	29	61	61	62	54	74	65	78
90 or more	11	49	52	48	14	39	38	40	21	43	35	46
100	8	39	43	37	10	30	30	30	11	29	25	30
Mean proportion	37	74	74	73	40	64	63	64	56	72	65	75
Number (thousands)	1,012	974	344	631	1,221	1,066	391	674	9,650	14,012	3,717	10,295

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Relative Importance of Income Sources for Aged Units with Income from Specified Source

**Table 6.B2**  
**Percentage distribution, by age, marital status, and sex of nonmarried persons, 2004—Continued**

Proportion of income	Aged 55–61				Aged 62–64				Aged 65 or older			
	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			Married couples	Nonmarried persons			Married couples	Nonmarried persons		
		Total	Men	Women		Total	Men	Women		Total	Men	Women
<b>Retirement benefits <sup>a</sup> (cont.)</b>												
<i>Government employee pensions <sup>d</sup></i>												
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	29	19	15	22	26	12	e	15	21	15	13	15
20–39	29	20	27	14	31	26	e	27	28	22	17	23
40–59	19	22	15	27	18	16	e	14	26	30	26	32
60–79	10	6	4	7	15	10	e	13	16	20	25	18
80 or more	12	33	38	30	10	35	e	32	10	14	20	11
50 or more	30	54	54	54	31	54	e	52	38	50	57	47
90 or more	8	28	34	24	6	26	e	22	5	8	10	7
100	2	14	16	12	2	13	e	11	2	2	2	2
Mean proportion	39	56	58	54	40	58	e	56	44	50	55	47
Number (thousands)	674	386	162	224	359	183	49	134	1,864	1,700	505	1,195
<i>Private pensions or annuities</i>												
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	43	31	22	38	51	28	27	28	42	38	29	42
20–39	24	19	23	16	21	22	10	30	34	31	30	32
40–59	13	13	11	14	16	26	39	19	18	21	28	17
60–79	8	10	12	8	7	10	9	11	5	7	10	6
80 or more	11	27	32	24	6	13	15	12	2	3	3	3
50 or more	24	45	51	40	18	35	44	29	13	17	21	15
90 or more	7	24	24	23	5	9	15	4	1	2	2	2
100	3	10	10	10	1	6	11	3	1	1	2	1
Mean proportion	33	48	54	44	28	43	46	40	28	31	35	29
Number (thousands)	932	591	252	338	646	309	115	193	3,923	3,833	1,235	2,598

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Relative Importance of Income Sources for Aged Units with Income from Specified Source

**Table 6.B2**  
**Percentage distribution, by age, marital status, and sex of nonmarried persons, 2004—Continued**

Proportion of income	Aged 55–61				Aged 62–64				Aged 65 or older			
	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			Married couples	Nonmarried persons			Married couples	Nonmarried persons		
		Total	Men	Women		Total	Men	Women		Total	Men	Women
<b>Earnings</b>												
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	2	3	1	3	6	7	5	8	22	19	17	20
20–39	4	4	3	4	6	10	8	10	16	17	16	17
40–59	7	5	6	4	12	10	12	8	22	19	18	20
60–79	12	6	5	7	18	8	5	10	20	22	23	21
80 or more	75	83	84	82	58	66	70	64	19	23	26	22
50 or more	92	91	93	90	82	80	82	79	51	54	58	52
90 or more	66	75	77	74	46	57	61	54	12	19	20	18
100	19	39	43	36	13	25	31	21	5	9	11	8
Mean proportion	86	89	90	88	76	78	80	76	50	54	56	52
Number (thousands)	7,773	4,821	1,852	2,969	2,078	1,089	369	720	3,890	2,249	746	1,503
<b>Income from assets</b>												
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	89	84	84	84	85	79	70	83	77	75	74	76
20–39	6	4	4	4	9	7	9	6	13	13	13	13
40–59	3	3	4	3	3	7	11	4	5	6	7	5
60–79	1	2	2	2	1	3	3	2	3	3	3	4
80 or more	2	6	6	7	2	5	8	3	2	3	3	3
50 or more	3	10	10	10	5	11	16	9	7	8	9	8
90 or more	1	6	6	6	2	4	6	3	1	2	1	2
100	1	5	5	5	2	2	4	2	1	1	1	2
Mean proportion	8	13	14	13	10	15	20	12	14	15	15	14
Number (thousands)	5,812	3,109	1,167	1,942	1,828	1,046	365	681	7,147	7,369	2,026	5,343

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## Relative Importance of Income Sources for Aged Units with Income from Specified Source

**Table 6.B2**

Percentage distribution, by age, marital status, and sex of nonmarried persons, 2004—*Continued*

Proportion of income	Aged 55–61				Aged 62–64				Aged 65 or older			
	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			Married couples	Nonmarried persons			Married couples	Nonmarried persons		
		Total	Men	Women		Total	Men	Women		Total	Men	Women
<b>Public assistance</b>												
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	38	16	15	17	e	20	e	22	34	32	34	31
20–39	26	13	11	14	e	13	e	10	22	21	24	20
40–59	15	11	8	13	e	16	e	13	11	14	10	15
60–79	2	4	4	5	e	5	e	7	4	2	1	3
80 or more	18	55	62	51	e	46	e	49	30	31	31	31
50 or more	26	66	71	63	e	58	e	62	37	38	35	38
90 or more	16	54	60	50	e	42	e	44	30	29	28	30
100	16	49	55	45	e	33	e	35	29	26	26	26
Mean proportion	37	69	73	66	e	63	e	64	47	48	47	49
Number (thousands)	244	511	188	323	68	173	53	120	258	917	204	713

NOTE: Units with zero total income or with negative total income, earnings, or income from assets are excluded.

a. Includes Social Security benefits, Railroad Retirement, government employee pensions, and private pensions or annuities.

b. Includes units with at least \$1 but less than 1 percent of income from the specified source.

c. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.

d. Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

e. Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.

Relative Importance of Income Sources for Units 65 or Older with Income from Specified Source

**Table 6.B3**  
**Percentage distribution, by Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, and sex of nonmarried persons, 2004**

Proportion of income	Beneficiary <sup>a</sup>					Nonbeneficiary				
	All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons		
			Total	Men	Women			Total	Men	Women
<i>Retirement benefits<sup>b</sup></i>										
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19 <sup>c</sup>	4	7	2	3	2	9	13	6	10	3
20-39	8	11	6	8	6	10	14	6	7	5
40-59	9	12	8	9	7	10	13	8	11	7
60-79	12	14	10	11	10	9	8	9	12	7
80 or more	66	56	73	69	75	62	52	71	60	77
50 or more	83	76	88	84	89	76	66	85	78	89
90 or more	58	47	65	62	66	53	45	61	53	65
100	32	19	40	38	41	26	23	29	26	31
Mean proportion	80	74	85	82	86	75	68	82	75	85
Number (thousands)	23,662	9,650	14,012	3,717	10,295	700	323	378	136	242
<i>Government employee pensions<sup>d</sup></i>										
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19 <sup>c</sup>	19	22	16	15	16	6	7	6	2	8
20-39	26	28	23	19	25	13	19	8	10	7
40-59	29	27	32	27	34	13	15	11	15	9
60-79	19	16	21	25	20	12	13	12	21	7
80 or more	7	7	7	14	4	56	47	62	53	68
50 or more	40	36	45	53	42	76	69	80	81	80
90 or more	2	2	2	4	1	44	39	48	43	51
100	0	0	0	0	0	16	19	14	11	15
Mean proportion	43	41	46	52	43	73	68	77	76	78
Number (thousands)	3,211	1,720	1,491	429	1,063	353	145	209	76	133

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Relative Importance of Income Sources for Units 65 or Older with Income from Specified Source

**Table 6.B3**  
**Percentage distribution, by Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, and sex of nonmarried persons, 2004—Continued**

Proportion of income	Beneficiary <sup>a</sup>					Nonbeneficiary				
	All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons		
			Total	Men	Women			Total	Men	Women
<b>Retirement benefits<sup>b</sup> (cont.)</b>										
<i>Private pensions or annuities</i>										
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>c</sup>	41	42	39	29	44	21	27	15	e	8
20–39	33	34	32	31	33	12	18	7	e	6
40–59	20	18	21	29	18	10	12	7	e	8
60–79	6	5	7	9	6	8	6	10	e	10
80 or more	1	1	1	1	0	49	37	60	e	68
50 or more	13	12	15	20	12	63	49	76	e	83
90 or more	0	0	0	0	0	42	29	54	e	60
100	0	0	0	0	0	30	19	40	e	39
Mean proportion	28	27	29	34	27	64	54	73	e	80
Number (thousands)	7,489	3,795	3,694	1,187	2,507	267	128	139	48	91
<b>Earnings</b>										
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>c</sup>	24	25	23	21	24	5	4	5	7	4
20–39	19	19	21	20	21	3	4	3	2	4
40–59	24	24	24	22	24	7	11	3	7	1
60–79	23	22	26	28	25	9	11	7	7	6
80 or more	9	10	7	9	6	76	70	83	77	86
50 or more	44	45	44	48	42	88	86	91	89	93
90 or more	2	2	2	3	2	71	64	79	75	81
100	0	0	0	0	0	37	31	43	46	42
Mean proportion	44	44	44	47	43	86	84	89	86	91
Number (thousands)	5,081	3,310	1,771	568	1,203	1,057	579	478	178	300

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Relative Importance of Income Sources for Units 65 or Older with Income from Specified Source

**Table 6.B3**  
**Percentage distribution, by Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, and sex of nonmarried persons, 2004—Continued**

Proportion of income	Beneficiary <sup>a</sup>					Nonbeneficiary				
	All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons		
			Total	Men	Women			Total	Men	Women
<b>Income from assets</b>										
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>c</sup>	77	77	77	75	77	66	69	63	60	64
20–39	13	14	13	13	13	8	6	9	11	8
40–59	5	5	6	7	5	6	8	5	7	4
60–79	3	3	3	3	4	3	2	3	3	3
80 or more	1	1	1	2	1	17	15	20	19	20
50 or more	7	6	7	8	7	23	20	25	23	25
90 or more	0	0	0	0	0	16	14	18	14	20
100	0	0	0	0	0	15	13	17	10	20
Mean proportion	13	13	13	14	13	27	24	29	29	29
Number (thousands)	13,390	6,620	6,770	1,840	4,930	1,126	527	599	186	412

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## Relative Importance of Income Sources for Units 65 or Older with Income from Specified Source

**Table 6.B3**

Percentage distribution, by Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, and sex of nonmarried persons, 2004—*Continued*

Proportion of income	Beneficiary <sup>a</sup>					Nonbeneficiary				
	All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons		
			Total	Men	Women			Total	Men	Women
<b>Public assistance</b>										
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>c</sup>	47	53	46	48	46	4	10	2	e	0
20–39	31	32	30	34	30	4	9	1	e	0
40–59	19	14	20	14	21	3	7	2	e	2
60–79	2	1	2	0	3	4	7	3	e	3
80 or more	1	0	2	4	1	85	68	92	e	95
50 or more	9	7	10	8	10	90	75	96	e	99
90 or more	1	0	1	0	1	83	67	89	e	91
100	0	0	0	0	0	76	66	80	e	81
Mean proportion	25	21	26	25	26	91	79	95	e	97
Number (thousands)	764	144	620	134	485	412	115	298	70	228

NOTE: Units with zero total income or with negative total income, earnings, or income from assets are excluded.

- a. Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, or special age-72 benefits.
- b. Includes Social Security benefits, Railroad Retirement, government employee pensions, and private pensions or annuities.
- c. Includes units with at least \$1 but less than 1 percent of income from the specified source.
- d. Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.
- e. Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.



Relative Importance of Income Sources for Units 65 or Older with Income from Specified Source

**Table 6.B4**  
**Percentage distribution, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, race, and Hispanic origin, 2004**

Proportion of income	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons									
	White alone	Black alone	Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>	White alone	Black alone	Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>	Total			Men			Women			
							White alone	Black alone	Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>	White alone	Black alone	Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>	White alone	Black alone	Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>	
<b>Retirement benefits<sup>b</sup></b>																
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19 <sup>c</sup>	4	3	3	7	8	5	2	2	2	4	3	3	2	1	1	1
20-39	8	7	8	11	15	10	7	5	7	8	5	11	6	5	5	5
40-59	10	8	8	12	10	9	8	7	7	9	7	5	8	6	8	8
60-79	12	10	10	14	11	13	11	9	8	12	10	6	10	9	9	9
80 or more	65	72	71	56	56	63	72	78	76	67	75	76	74	79	76	76
50 or more	82	86	86	76	73	79	87	91	89	83	88	84	89	92	92	92
90 or more	56	67	66	46	52	55	64	73	72	60	73	71	65	72	72	72
100	29	53	51	18	35	39	37	58	58	34	58	57	38	59	58	58
Mean proportion	80	84	84	74	73	79	84	88	87	81	87	85	85	89	88	88
Number (thousands)	21,262	2,223	1,361	9,009	561	507	12,253	1,662	854	3,247	462	255	9,006	1,199	599	599
<b>Social Security<sup>d</sup></b>																
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19 <sup>c</sup>	10	8	6	15	17	8	6	5	4	10	7	7	4	4	3	3
20-39	16	12	11	21	16	15	13	11	9	17	11	15	12	11	7	7
40-59	18	14	13	20	17	15	17	12	12	20	15	11	16	12	13	13
60-79	16	13	13	17	12	16	15	13	11	14	11	9	15	13	12	12
80 or more	40	54	57	27	38	46	49	59	63	39	56	59	53	61	65	65
50 or more	65	74	78	53	59	72	73	79	82	63	75	73	77	80	86	86
90 or more	32	49	51	20	32	39	41	54	58	32	52	53	44	55	60	60
100	19	40	43	10	24	31	26	45	49	22	44	45	28	46	51	51
Mean proportion	65	73	76	55	61	69	71	77	80	64	75	75	74	78	82	82
Number (thousands)	20,698	2,125	1,318	8,743	522	495	11,955	1,603	823	3,138	442	238	8,817	1,161	585	585

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Relative Importance of Income Sources for Units 65 or Older with Income from Specified Source

**Table 6.B4**  
**Percentage distribution, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, race, and Hispanic origin, 2004—Continued**

Proportion of income	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons									
	White alone	Black alone	Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>	White alone	Black alone	Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>	Total			Men			Women			
							White alone	Black alone	Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>	White alone	Black alone	Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>	White alone	Black alone	Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>	
<b>Retirement benefits<sup>b</sup> (cont.)</b>																
<i>Government employee pensions<sup>e</sup></i>																
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>c</sup>	18	13	22	20	24	f	16	7	f	13	f	f	16	6	f	
20–39	25	20	9	28	33	f	23	13	f	18	f	f	24	15	f	
40–59	28	28	29	27	18	f	29	33	f	26	f	f	31	39	f	
60–79	18	23	18	16	8	f	19	30	f	24	f	f	17	29	f	
80 or more	11	17	21	10	17	f	13	17	f	18	f	f	11	12	f	
50 or more	43	54	55	39	32	f	48	66	f	55	f	f	45	63	f	
90 or more	6	10	8	5	9	f	7	11	f	9	f	f	6	8	f	
100	1	4	4	1	6	f	1	3	f	1	f	f	1	4	f	
Mean proportion	46	52	52	44	42	f	49	58	f	54	f	f	46	55	f	
Number (thousands)	3,171	256	88	1,689	89	41	1,482	166	47	433	55	15	1,049	111	32	
<i>Private pensions or annuities</i>																
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	
1–19 <sup>c</sup>	41	25	33	42	31	38	40	22	29	30	23	f	44	21	31	
20–39	33	35	35	34	38	41	31	33	28	30	26	f	31	36	34	
40–59	19	21	17	18	18	13	21	22	22	28	28	f	17	19	22	
60–79	5	11	6	5	2	5	6	16	7	9	21	f	5	14	5	
80 or more	2	8	8	1	10	3	2	7	13	3	2	f	2	9	7	
50 or more	14	26	21	13	19	10	16	30	31	20	33	f	13	28	23	
90 or more	1	7	7	1	9	1	2	5	12	2	2	f	2	7	6	
100	1	5	5	0	6	1	1	5	10	1	1	f	1	6	3	
Mean proportion	28	38	34	27	34	29	30	40	39	34	39	f	27	40	34	
Number (thousands)	7,081	470	264	3,631	167	126	3,450	303	138	1,114	92	58	2,335	211	80	

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Relative Importance of Income Sources for Units 65 or Older with Income from Specified Source

**Table 6.B4**  
**Percentage distribution, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, race, and Hispanic origin, 2004—Continued**

Proportion of income	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons									
	White alone	Black alone	Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>	White alone	Black alone	Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>	Total			Men			Women			
							White alone	Black alone	Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>	White alone	Black alone	Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>	White alone	Black alone	Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>	
<b>Earnings</b>																
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>c</sup>	22	13	10	24	10	13	20	16	7	19	11	f	20	18	9	
20–39	17	16	13	16	20	15	17	14	9	16	12	f	18	14	9	
40–59	22	17	15	22	19	16	20	15	14	19	17	f	21	14	16	
60–79	21	23	25	20	26	19	22	19	36	24	17	f	21	20	32	
80 or more	19	31	36	18	25	38	21	36	34	22	43	f	20	33	35	
50 or more	50	62	71	49	61	67	52	63	75	55	76	f	50	59	72	
90 or more	13	24	30	11	15	29	16	32	30	17	37	f	16	30	31	
100	5	14	20	4	7	21	7	20	19	9	19	f	6	20	15	
Mean proportion	50	59	65	49	57	63	52	62	68	54	67	f	51	60	68	
Number (thousands)	5,339	532	356	3,470	253	217	1,869	279	138	636	75	56	1,232	204	83	
<b>Income from assets</b>																
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	
1–19 <sup>c</sup>	76	85	80	76	87	82	75	84	79	72	88	f	76	82	80	
20–39	13	8	9	13	6	9	13	8	9	14	5	f	13	10	8	
40–59	6	3	4	5	2	3	6	4	4	7	3	f	5	4	5	
60–79	3	2	2	3	4	1	4	1	3	3	1	f	4	1	4	
80 or more	2	3	4	2	1	4	3	3	5	3	3	f	2	4	4	
50 or more	8	5	8	7	5	7	9	5	9	10	4	f	8	5	9	
90 or more	1	2	4	1	1	2	2	2	5	1	0	f	2	3	4	
100	1	2	4	1	1	2	1	2	5	1	0	f	1	3	4	
Mean proportion	14	10	14	14	10	13	15	10	14	16	8	f	15	12	13	
Number (thousands)	13,383	666	388	6,654	222	181	6,729	444	207	1,832	133	63	4,897	311	144	

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## Relative Importance of Income Sources for Units 65 or Older with Income from Specified Source

**Table 6.B4**

Percentage distribution, by marital status, sex of nonmarried persons, race, and Hispanic origin, 2004—*Continued*

Proportion of income	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
	White alone	Black alone	Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>	White alone	Black alone	Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>	Total			Men			Women		
							White alone	Black alone	Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>	White alone	Black alone	Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>	White alone	Black alone	Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>
<b>Public assistance</b>															
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>c</sup>	35	31	19	32	f	f	35	29	17	45	f	f	33	33	13
20–39	21	29	29	22	f	f	20	28	25	18	f	f	21	23	27
40–59	14	14	14	11	f	f	15	14	15	10	f	f	16	15	16
60–79	3	4	1	4	f	f	2	3	2	1	f	f	2	4	1
80 or more	28	23	36	31	f	f	28	26	41	26	f	f	28	25	42
50 or more	35	32	40	39	f	f	34	34	44	32	f	f	35	36	46
90 or more	26	22	34	31	f	f	25	25	39	23	f	f	26	25	41
100	25	19	34	31	f	f	23	21	38	21	f	f	23	21	40
Mean proportion	46	44	54	48	f	f	45	46	58	41	f	f	46	45	60
Number (thousands)	787	258	233	192	35	50	595	223	184	123	57	31	473	166	152

NOTE: Units with zero total income or with negative total income, earnings, or income from assets are excluded.

- a. Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.
- b. Includes Social Security benefits, Railroad Retirement, government employee pensions, and private pensions or annuities.
- c. Includes units with at least \$1 but less than 1 percent of income from the specified source.
- d. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.
- e. Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.
- f. Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.

Relative Importance of Income Sources for Units 65 or Older with Income from Specified Source

**Table 6.B5**  
Percentage distribution, by marital status and quintiles of total money income, 2004

Proportion of income	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
<i>Retirement benefits <sup>a</sup></i>															
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19 <sup>b</sup>	1	0	1	2	18	1	0	1	5	30	1	1	0	1	9
20-39	1	2	5	9	24	2	3	8	16	26	1	0	2	6	22
40-59	3	4	9	14	16	4	6	13	18	17	3	3	5	12	15
60-79	7	8	13	18	13	8	14	20	17	11	6	8	8	14	15
80 or more	88	86	73	57	28	85	76	58	44	17	88	88	85	67	39
50 or more	97	97	91	81	48	96	94	84	68	35	97	98	96	88	61
90 or more	81	78	63	46	21	79	64	48	31	12	81	83	75	57	32
100	64	50	30	15	4	50	27	14	6	2	65	61	44	25	11
Mean proportion	94	93	86	77	53	92	88	78	67	43	94	94	91	83	63
Number (thousands)	3,930	5,322	5,158	5,058	4,893	1,776	2,108	2,070	2,061	1,957	2,207	3,058	3,150	3,061	2,914
<i>Social Security <sup>c</sup></i>															
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19 <sup>b</sup>	1	1	2	5	40	1	1	3	15	59	1	1	1	3	24
20-39	1	3	9	24	42	2	5	16	41	37	2	1	5	12	44
40-59	4	7	23	35	15	5	13	36	37	3	4	5	9	35	26
60-79	9	14	26	25	2	12	28	36	5	1	7	11	18	30	4
80 or more	85	74	40	11	2	79	52	9	2	0	87	82	68	20	2
50 or more	96	94	80	52	8	94	89	67	19	2	96	96	92	72	16
90 or more	77	63	29	6	1	71	34	4	1	0	79	75	54	12	2
100	60	38	13	1	1	44	11	1	1	0	63	53	29	5	1
Mean proportion	92	87	71	53	27	89	77	57	38	19	93	92	84	61	34
Number (thousands)	3,822	5,242	5,029	4,892	4,677	1,711	2,049	2,012	1,992	1,887	2,155	3,011	3,115	2,974	2,758

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**Relative Importance of Income Sources for Units 65 or Older with Income from Specified Source**

**Table 6.B5**  
**Percentage distribution, by marital status and quintiles of total money income, 2004—Continued**

Proportion of income	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
<i>Retirement benefits<sup>a</sup> (cont.)</i>															
<i>Government employee pensions<sup>d</sup></i>															
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	e	21	15	14	21	e	24	16	17	25	e	e	23	12	14
20–39	e	18	25	25	25	e	30	32	24	28	e	e	21	25	21
40–59	e	27	27	30	27	e	15	25	36	21	e	e	23	30	30
60–79	e	17	18	21	16	e	13	20	14	18	e	e	16	21	21
80 or more	e	17	15	10	10	e	17	7	8	8	e	e	17	12	14
50 or more	e	47	47	47	40	e	38	36	40	36	e	e	44	48	52
90 or more	e	12	10	5	4	e	11	4	3	2	e	e	10	8	7
100	e	1	4	1	0	e	6	1	0	0	e	e	0	3	1
Mean proportion	e	48	49	48	44	e	44	44	45	40	e	e	46	50	51
Number (thousands)	68	234	644	1,081	1,538	60	206	368	616	615	31	75	185	530	879
<i>Private pensions or annuities</i>															
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	46	58	40	32	40	58	60	33	29	47	41	59	57	28	31
20–39	17	28	37	37	27	20	28	47	32	28	11	20	32	43	23
40–59	9	9	19	24	20	9	9	19	30	13	5	11	8	24	29
60–79	8	3	2	6	10	1	1	1	7	11	17	3	3	3	14
80 or more	21	2	1	1	2	11	2	1	1	1	26	7	1	1	3
50 or more	32	7	9	16	21	18	6	7	20	19	44	12	6	11	29
90 or more	17	1	1	1	1	8	1	1	1	0	21	6	1	1	2
100	14	1	1	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	15	6	0	1	1
Mean proportion	39	22	27	31	30	27	21	28	32	28	46	25	21	31	36
Number (thousands)	301	1,032	1,891	2,454	2,078	248	812	1,029	1,027	807	110	329	815	1,352	1,228

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Relative Importance of Income Sources for Units 65 or Older with Income from Specified Source

**Table 6.B5**  
**Percentage distribution, by marital status and quintiles of total money income, 2004—Continued**

Proportion of income	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
<b>Earnings</b>															
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	35	28	28	23	16	31	38	26	24	13	40	31	25	23	14
20–39	16	24	23	21	12	19	26	25	16	9	13	22	25	22	13
40–59	9	18	22	23	20	12	20	23	24	22	9	14	21	25	17
60–79	3	12	12	18	27	10	8	13	22	26	1	3	15	13	30
80 or more	37	18	15	15	25	28	7	12	13	30	37	30	14	17	26
50 or more	44	37	37	46	62	43	25	38	48	67	42	40	35	41	65
90 or more	35	17	14	13	14	27	6	11	8	15	37	28	11	17	19
100	26	13	9	6	4	22	4	6	3	4	26	20	10	9	7
Mean proportion	51	44	43	47	57	47	34	43	47	60	50	48	43	47	59
Number (thousands)	164	319	861	1,717	3,077	175	407	753	1,057	1,498	77	99	219	582	1,272

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## Relative Importance of Income Sources for Units 65 or Older with Income from Specified Source

**Table 6.B5**  
**Percentage distribution, by marital status and quintiles of total money income, 2004—Continued**

Proportion of income	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
<b>Income from assets</b>															
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1–19 <sup>b</sup>	72	85	81	78	67	77	86	82	78	64	71	86	85	77	65
20–39	9	10	13	15	14	10	11	14	12	16	8	10	11	14	15
40–59	4	3	4	4	9	3	2	3	7	9	4	3	3	6	9
60–79	0	1	2	2	7	1	1	1	2	7	1	0	1	2	8
80 or more	15	0	1	0	3	9	0	0	0	4	17	1	0	1	3
50 or more	16	3	4	4	14	11	2	2	6	15	19	2	3	4	15
90 or more	14	0	0	0	1	9	0	0	0	0	17	1	0	0	1
100	13	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	16	1	0	0	0
Mean proportion	22	9	11	12	19	17	9	10	12	21	24	8	10	12	20
Number (thousands)	1,109	2,211	3,048	3,757	4,391	743	1,305	1,536	1,690	1,874	570	907	1,507	1,975	2,411

NOTES: Quintile limits are \$10,399, \$16,363, \$25,587, and \$44,129 for all units; \$20,258, \$29,437, \$42,129, and \$68,299 for married couples; and \$8,364, \$12,000, \$16,471, and \$26,064 for nonmarried persons.

Units with zero total income or with negative total income, earnings, or income from assets are excluded.

- a. Includes Social Security benefits, Railroad Retirement, government employee pensions, and private pensions or annuities.
- b. Includes units with at least \$1 but less than 1 percent of income from the specified source.
- c. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.
- d. Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.
- e. Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.



## Shares of Aggregate Income, by Source

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**Table 7.1**  
**Percentage distribution, by age, 2004**

Source of income	Aged 55–61	Aged 62–64	Aged 65 or older				
			Total	65–69	70–74	75–79	80 or older
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Percentage of income from—							
Retirement benefits	8.1	21.5	58.3	43.1	58.3	68.4	75.2
Social Security <sup>a</sup>	2.3	10.3	38.6	26.8	37.6	46.4	52.9
Railroad Retirement	0	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.5	0.7	0.8
Government employee pensions <sup>b</sup>	2.9	5.1	9.0	7.8	8.7	10.6	10.1
Private pensions or annuities	2.9	5.8	10.2	8.3	11.5	10.7	11.4
Earnings	83.1	67.7	26.3	42.9	26.8	15.6	6.8
Income from assets	6.1	8.2	12.6	11.5	12.0	13.6	14.6
Public assistance	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.8
Other	2.2	2.0	2.1	1.9	2.2	1.8	2.6
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>15,772</b>	<b>4,990</b>	<b>26,865</b>	<b>7,078</b>	<b>5,999</b>	<b>5,827</b>	<b>7,960</b>

- a. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.
- b. Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

## Shares of Aggregate Income for Units 65 or Older

**Table 7.2**  
**Percentage distribution, by marital status and sex of nonmarried persons, 2004**

Source of income	All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons		
			Total	Men	Women
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Percentage of income from—					
Retirement benefits	58.3	53.0	67.5	61.8	70.6
Social Security <sup>a</sup>	38.6	33.1	48.0	38.3	53.4
Railroad Retirement	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Government employee pensions <sup>b</sup>	9.0	9.0	9.0	10.6	8.1
Private pensions or annuities	10.2	10.3	9.9	12.3	8.6
Earnings	26.3	31.7	17.0	21.5	14.5
Income from assets	12.6	13.2	11.7	12.9	11.1
Public assistance	0.6	0.3	1.2	0.8	1.4
Other	2.1	1.8	2.7	3.1	2.4
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>26,865</b>	<b>10,930</b>	<b>15,935</b>	<b>4,292</b>	<b>11,643</b>

a. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.

b. Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

**Table 7.3**  
**Percentage distribution, by Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, and sex of nonmarried persons, 2004**

Source of income	Beneficiary					Nonbeneficiary				
	Total	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			Total	Married couples	Nonmarried persons		
			Total	Men	Women			Total	Men	Women
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Percentage of income from—										
Retirement benefits	62.6	57.1	72.2	67.1	74.8	19.3	15.5	25.8	24.8	26.6
Social Security <sup>a</sup>	42.9	36.8	53.4	43.9	58.5	0	0	0	0	0
Railroad Retirement	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	3.1	3.4	2.7	2.0	3.2
Government employee pensions <sup>b</sup>	8.8	9.1	8.2	9.6	7.4	11.4	8.4	16.4	17.4	15.7
Private pensions or annuities	10.8	11.1	10.3	13.3	8.7	4.8	3.7	6.6	5.4	7.7
Earnings	22.1	27.4	13.0	16.8	11.0	63.9	70.6	52.5	53.7	51.5
Income from assets	12.8	13.5	11.7	12.6	11.2	11.0	10.4	12.1	14.8	9.8
Public assistance	0.3	0.1	0.6	0.4	0.7	3.7	2.2	6.1	3.4	8.3
Other	2.1	1.9	2.6	3.1	2.3	2.1	1.3	3.5	3.2	3.8
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>23,936</b>	<b>9,848</b>	<b>14,088</b>	<b>3,749</b>	<b>10,339</b>	<b>2,929</b>	<b>1,082</b>	<b>1,847</b>	<b>543</b>	<b>1,303</b>

a. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.

b. Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

## Shares of Aggregate Income for Units 65 or Older

**Table 7.4**  
**Percentage distribution, by race, Hispanic origin, marital status, and sex of nonmarried persons, 2004**

Source of income	White alone					Black alone					Hispanic origin <sup>a</sup>					
	All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			
			Total	Men	Women			Total	Men	Women			Total	Men	Women	
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Percentage of income from—																
Retirement benefits	58.5	53.5	67.6	62.2	70.6	61.5	53.6	68.2	59.4	73.5	59.4	52.7	68.5	66.7	69.5	
Social Security <sup>b</sup>	38.6	33.4	48.0	38.2	53.3	42.4	34.5	49.1	39.5	55.0	47.2	41.7	54.5	45.6	59.4	
Railroad Retirement	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.4	0	0.7	0.2	0.9	0.4	0.2	0.8	0.9	0.7	
Government employee pensions <sup>c</sup>	9.0	9.0	9.1	10.6	8.2	9.1	8.9	9.2	10.8	8.2	4.0	3.7	4.2	4.9	3.9	
Private pensions or annuities	10.3	10.5	10.1	12.7	8.6	9.7	10.2	9.2	8.9	9.4	7.9	7.1	9.0	15.3	5.5	
Earnings	25.8	31.1	16.3	20.6	14.0	28.1	35.7	21.7	28.8	17.4	30.9	38.5	20.5	24.7	18.2	
Income from assets	13.2	13.4	12.7	13.9	12.1	5.5	7.6	3.7	5.1	2.8	4.8	5.3	4.1	4.1	4.2	
Public assistance	0.5	0.3	0.8	0.5	1.0	1.9	0.8	2.9	2.4	3.3	3.0	1.4	5.3	2.3	6.9	
Other	2.0	1.7	2.6	2.9	2.4	2.9	2.4	3.4	4.2	3.0	1.9	2.1	1.6	2.2	1.3	
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>23,121</b>	<b>9,818</b>	<b>13,303</b>	<b>3,554</b>	<b>9,748</b>	<b>2,565</b>	<b>618</b>	<b>1,947</b>	<b>542</b>	<b>1,406</b>	<b>1,741</b>	<b>619</b>	<b>1,121</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>797</b>	

a. Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

b. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.

c. Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

**Table 7.5**  
**Percentage distribution, by marital status and quintiles of total money income, 2004**

Source of income	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Percentage of income from—															
Retirement benefits	86.1	90.3	83.3	73.2	40.1	86.5	86.5	75.1	64.3	31.8	84.1	91.7	89.9	79.5	49.8
Social Security <sup>a</sup>	82.6	83.4	66.6	47.5	18.9	81.2	72.9	52.5	34.5	14.1	81.9	87.6	81.3	56.5	23.9
Railroad Retirement	0.3	0.4	0.6	1.0	0.3	0.4	0.5	1.4	1.0	0	0.1	0.5	0.3	0.7	0.5
Government employee															
pensions <sup>b</sup>	0.7	2.2	6.0	10.1	10.9	1.6	4.9	7.8	13.3	9.2	0.5	1.0	2.8	8.5	13.4
Private pensions or															
annuities	2.5	4.4	10.0	14.6	10.0	3.3	8.2	13.4	15.5	8.5	1.5	2.6	5.5	13.7	11.9
Earnings	1.2	2.8	7.1	15.7	40.1	3.7	6.3	15.1	23.6	47.8	1.0	1.5	3.1	9.0	28.8
Income from assets	2.3	3.8	6.0	8.4	17.8	3.4	5.2	7.2	9.7	18.9	1.8	2.2	4.6	7.7	18.3
Public assistance	8.4	1.6	0.9	0.2	0.1	4.1	0.5	0.1	0.1	0	11.3	3.1	0.9	0.5	0.1
Other	2.0	1.5	2.7	2.6	1.9	2.3	1.6	2.5	2.2	1.5	1.9	1.5	1.5	3.3	3.0
Number (thousands)	5,270	5,475	5,372	5,374	5,374	2,185	2,185	2,187	2,184	2,189	3,182	3,173	3,205	3,182	3,193

NOTE: Quintile limits are \$10,399, \$16,363, \$25,587, and \$44,129 for all units; \$20,258, \$29,437, \$42,129, and \$68,299 for married couples; and \$8,364, \$12,000, \$16,471, and \$26,064 for nonmarried persons.

a. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.

b. Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

## Shares of Aggregate Income for Nonmarried Persons 65 or Older

**Table 7.6**  
**Percentage distribution, by sex and marital status, 2004**

Source of income	Nonmarried men				Nonmarried women			
	Total <sup>a</sup>	Widowed	Never married	Divorced	Total <sup>a</sup>	Widowed	Never married	Divorced
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Percentage of income from—								
Retirement benefits	61.8	68.4	55.9	55.0	70.6	74.8	64.9	57.6
Social Security— <sup>b</sup>	38.3	41.8	33.8	34.7	53.4	57.9	38.2	41.7
Railroad Retirement	0.5	0.9	0.3	0.2	0.5	0.6	0.1	0.2
Government employee pensions <sup>c</sup>	10.6	12.2	9.8	9.5	8.1	7.9	13.2	8.3
Private pensions or annuities	12.3	13.6	12.0	10.7	8.6	8.4	13.3	7.4
Earnings	21.5	14.8	21.7	30.4	14.5	10.5	21.1	27.9
Income from assets	12.9	12.9	17.9	11.1	11.1	11.3	9.2	10.0
Public assistance	0.8	0.4	1.9	0.7	1.4	1.1	2.3	1.4
Other	3.1	3.4	2.5	2.7	2.4	2.2	2.5	3.2
<b>Number (thousands)</b>	<b>4,292</b>	<b>2,069</b>	<b>670</b>	<b>1,070</b>	<b>11,643</b>	<b>8,613</b>	<b>790</b>	<b>1,707</b>

a. Includes persons who are separated or are married but living apart from their spouse.

b. Includes retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, and special age-72 benefits.

c. Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.



**Poverty Status of  
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**Table 8.1**  
**By Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, race, Hispanic origin, sex, and age, 2004**

Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line	Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line
<b>All persons</b>				<b>By beneficiary status (cont.)</b>			
				<i>Nonbeneficiary</i>			
All persons				All persons			
55-61	22,214	9.1	11.9	55-61	20,192	8.4	10.8
62-64	7,317	9.8	13.4	62-64	4,102	9.6	11.8
65 or older	35,213	9.8	16.5	65 or older	4,168	25.4	30.2
Men				Men			
55-61	10,563	8.1	10.5	55-61	9,629	7.6	9.5
62-64	3,484	9.1	11.9	62-64	2,082	8.6	10.8
65 or older	15,151	7.0	12.2	65 or older	1,836	22.7	26.7
Women				Women			
55-61	11,651	10.0	13.2	55-61	10,562	9.2	12.0
62-64	3,834	10.5	14.6	62-64	2,020	10.6	12.9
65 or older	20,063	12.0	19.7	65 or older	2,333	27.5	33.0
<b>By beneficiary status</b>				<b>By marital status</b>			
<i>Beneficiary<sup>a</sup></i>				<i>Married</i>			
All persons				All persons			
55-61	2,023	16.0	23.1	55-61	15,124	5.5	7.5
62-64	3,215	10.1	15.3	62-64	5,072	4.9	7.2
65 or older	31,045	7.7	14.6	65 or older	19,278	4.5	8.1
Men				Men			
55-61	934	12.9	20.4	55-61	7,790	5.4	7.0
62-64	1,402	9.8	13.6	62-64	2,665	5.6	8.2
65 or older	13,315	4.8	10.2	65 or older	10,858	4.6	8.0
Women				Women			
55-61	1,089	18.5	25.4	55-61	7,333	5.6	7.9
62-64	1,814	10.3	16.6	62-64	2,407	4.1	6.0
65 or older	17,730	9.9	18.0	65 or older	8,420	4.4	8.1

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Poverty Status of Aged Persons Based on Family Income

**Table 8.1**  
**By Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, race, Hispanic origin, sex, and age, 2004—Continued**

Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line	Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line
<i>By marital status (cont.) Nonmarried<sup>b</sup></i>				<i>By marital status (cont.) Never married</i>			
All persons				All persons			
55–61	7,091	16.8	21.5	55–61	1,487	16.9	21.8
62–64	2,245	20.9	27.3	62–64	366	21.8	28.1
65 or older	15,935	16.2	26.7	65 or older	1,460	21.9	30.6
Men				Men			
55–61	2,773	15.7	20.2	55–61	747	15.3	22.4
62–64	819	20.4	24.2	62–64	158	19.5	23.3
65 or older	4,292	13.1	22.7	65 or older	670	22.6	33.9
Women				Women			
55–61	4,317	17.5	22.4	55–61	740	18.6	21.2
62–64	1,427	21.1	29.1	62–64	208	23.5	31.8
65 or older	11,643	17.4	28.2	65 or older	790	21.3	27.9
<i>Widowed</i>				<i>Divorced</i>			
All persons				All persons			
55–61	1,194	14.9	20.3	55–61	3,592	16.2	20.3
62–64	624	21.7	31.7	62–64	1,002	19.8	24.4
65 or older	10,682	14.5	25.5	65 or older	2,777	17.3	26.7
Men				Men			
55–61	221	13.6	21.3	55–61	1,466	15.7	18.1
62–64	123	24.9	28.4	62–64	397	20.0	23.9
65 or older	2,069	10.9	19.9	65 or older	1,070	12.0	21.5
Women				Women			
55–61	973	15.2	20.1	55–61	2,125	16.6	21.8
62–64	501	20.9	32.5	62–64	605	19.7	24.7
65 or older	8,613	15.4	26.9	65 or older	1,707	20.7	30.0

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**Table 8.1**  
**By Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, race, Hispanic origin, sex, and age, 2004—Continued**

Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line	Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line
<b>By race</b>				<b>Hispanic origin <sup>c</sup></b>			
<i>White alone</i>							
All persons				All persons			
55–61	18,737	8.1	10.7	55–61	1,776	13.9	19.4
62–64	6,254	8.7	11.8	62–64	540	17.3	23.7
65 or older	30,710	8.3	14.4	65 or older	2,194	18.7	30.0
Men				Men			
55–61	9,007	7.5	9.5	55–61	852	12.5	16.3
62–64	3,000	8.6	10.9	62–64	250	17.4	22.5
65 or older	13,314	5.8	10.4	65 or older	930	16.4	26.5
Women				Women			
55–61	9,729	8.7	11.7	55–61	924	15.2	22.3
62–64	3,254	8.9	12.6	62–64	290	17.2	24.8
65 or older	17,396	10.2	17.6	65 or older	1,264	20.4	32.6
<i>Black alone</i>							
All persons							
55–61	2,223	17.1	21.9				
62–64	686	18.7	25.5				
65 or older	2,958	23.9	35.1				
Men							
55–61	973	14.0	19.1				
62–64	299	16.7	22.2				
65 or older	1,154	17.4	27.6				
Women							
55–61	1,250	19.5	24.0				
62–64	387	20.2	28.0				
65 or older	1,804	28.0	39.8				

NOTE: The family money income of aged persons is compared with the official poverty lines of families in 2004.

- a. Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, or special age-72 benefits.
- b. Includes persons who are separated or are married but living apart from their spouse.
- c. Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

Poverty Status of Persons 65 or Older Based on Family Income

**Table 8.2**  
**By Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, race, Hispanic origin, sex, and age, 2004**

Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line	Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line
<b>All persons</b>				<b>By beneficiary status</b>			
				<i>Beneficiary<sup>a</sup></i>			
All persons				All persons			
65-69	10,124	9.2	13.8	65-69	8,416	6.9	11.6
70-74	8,264	9.6	15.3	70-74	7,361	7.6	13.4
75-79	7,596	9.1	16.5	75-79	6,853	6.7	14.5
80 or older	9,229	11.3	20.4	80 or older	8,415	9.5	18.9
Men				Men			
65-69	4,814	7.0	10.9	65-69	3,984	4.7	8.5
70-74	3,652	7.6	12.3	70-74	3,273	5.5	10.4
75-79	3,227	6.2	12.3	75-79	2,922	4.0	10.4
80 or older	3,457	7.0	13.7	80 or older	3,136	5.1	11.9
Women				Women			
65-69	5,310	11.1	16.5	65-69	4,432	9.0	14.3
70-74	4,612	11.2	17.7	70-74	4,088	9.2	15.9
75-79	4,368	11.3	19.6	75-79	3,931	8.8	17.6
80 or older	5,772	13.9	24.5	80 or older	5,278	12.1	23.0

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**Table 8.2**  
**By Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, race, Hispanic origin, sex, and age, 2004—Continued**

Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line	Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line
<b>By beneficiary status (cont.)</b>				<b>By marital status</b>			
<i>Nonbeneficiary</i>				<i>Married</i>			
All persons				All persons			
65–69	1,708	20.2	25.0	65–69	6,756	4.3	7.2
70–74	903	26.2	30.7	70–74	4,996	4.5	7.6
75–79	742	31.1	34.6	75–79	4,111	4.4	8.5
80 or older	815	30.3	36.6	80 or older	3,415	5.0	9.7
Men				Men			
65–69	830	18.4	22.4	65–69	3,673	4.4	7.3
70–74	380	25.5	29.1	70–74	2,716	4.4	7.4
75–79	305	27.9	30.7	75–79	2,335	5.0	9.0
80 or older	321	25.7	31.5	80 or older	2,135	4.5	9.0
Women				Women			
65–69	879	21.8	27.5	65–69	3,083	4.2	7.2
70–74	523	26.7	31.9	70–74	2,280	4.6	7.9
75–79	437	33.4	37.4	75–79	1,776	3.7	7.9
80 or older	494	33.4	39.9	80 or older	1,281	5.9	10.9

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Poverty Status of Persons 65 or Older Based on Family Income

Table 8.2

By Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, race, Hispanic origin, sex, and age, 2004—Continued

Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line	Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line
<b>By marital status (cont.)</b>				<b>By marital status (cont.)</b>			
<i>Nonmarried<sup>b</sup></i>				<i>Widowed</i>			
All persons				All persons			
65–69	3,368	18.9	27.0	65–69	1,448	17.9	26.4
70–74	3,268	17.4	27.1	70–74	2,020	14.9	24.5
75–79	3,485	14.7	25.9	75–79	2,410	13.6	25.5
80 or older	5,814	15.0	26.7	80 or older	4,804	13.8	25.7
Men				Men			
65–69	1,141	15.3	22.6	65–69	285	10.4	17.3
70–74	936	16.8	26.6	70–74	407	14.6	21.2
75–79	892	9.4	20.8	75–79	445	10.6	21.7
80 or older	1,323	11.0	21.2	80 or older	932	9.7	19.3
Women				Women			
65–69	2,227	20.7	29.3	65–69	1,163	19.8	28.6
70–74	2,332	17.6	27.3	70–74	1,613	15.0	25.3
75–79	2,592	16.5	27.6	75–79	1,965	14.3	26.4
80 or older	4,492	16.2	28.3	80 or older	3,872	14.8	27.2

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**Table 8.2**  
**By Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, race, Hispanic origin, sex, and age, 2004—Continued**

Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line	Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line
<b>By marital status (cont.) Never married</b>				<b>By marital status (cont.) Divorced</b>			
All persons				All persons			
65–69	464	24.9	33.0	65–69	1,141	17.3	25.0
70–74	354	26.5	34.5	70–74	658	15.1	25.1
75–79	329	13.6	22.7	75–79	559	17.5	27.4
80 or older	312	20.7	31.1	80 or older	418	20.6	32.9
Men				Men			
65–69	232	29.3	37.4	65–69	463	11.9	19.2
70–74	177	27.0	39.2	70–74	256	13.8	23.5
75–79	148	6.5	19.7	75–79	212	9.2	20.8
80 or older	113	22.6	37.1	80 or older	138	13.1	26.6
Women				Women			
65–69	233	20.6	28.6	65–69	679	21.1	28.9
70–74	178	26.0	29.9	70–74	402	15.9	26.2
75–79	181	19.4	25.2	75–79	347	22.6	31.5
80 or older	199	19.5	27.7	80 or older	280	24.3	36.0

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Poverty Status of Persons 65 or Older Based on Family Income

Table 8.2

By Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, race, Hispanic origin, sex, and age, 2004—Continued

Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line	Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line
<b>By race</b>				<b>By race (cont.)</b>			
<i>White alone</i>				<i>Black alone</i>			
All persons				All persons			
65–69	8,591	7.6	11.7	65–69	1,001	20.2	28.4
70–74	7,163	7.8	13.0	70–74	714	25.0	35.3
75–79	6,741	7.5	14.2	75–79	573	25.7	39.7
80 or older	8,215	10.0	18.7	80 or older	669	26.5	40.8
Men				Men			
65–69	4,084	5.4	8.8	65–69	463	17.7	24.8
70–74	3,204	6.2	10.3	70–74	265	19.3	28.4
75–79	2,894	5.3	10.4	75–79	230	15.6	30.9
80 or older	3,132	6.2	12.5	80 or older	196	16.2	29.4
Women				Women			
65–69	4,506	9.6	14.4	65–69	538	22.4	31.5
70–74	3,959	9.1	15.1	70–74	449	28.4	39.4
75–79	3,847	9.1	17.1	75–79	344	32.5	45.6
80 or older	5,083	12.3	22.6	80 or older	473	30.7	45.6

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**Table 8.2**  
**By Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, race, Hispanic origin, sex, and age, 2004—Continued**

Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line
<i>Hispanic origin</i> <sup>c</sup>			
All persons			
65–69	750	19.0	29.5
70–74	566	19.1	28.9
75–79	428	18.9	30.2
80 or older	449	17.4	32.0
Men			
65–69	322	17.3	26.2
70–74	245	16.8	28.5
75–79	188	16.6	24.6
80 or older	174	13.7	26.5
Women			
65–69	428	20.2	32.0
70–74	321	20.9	29.2
75–79	240	20.7	34.7
80 or older	275	19.8	35.5

NOTE: The family money income of aged persons is compared with the official poverty lines of families in 2004.

- a. Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured benefits, or special age-72 benefits.
- b. Includes persons who are separated or are married but living apart from their spouse.
- c. Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

Poverty Status of Persons 65 or Older Based on Family Income

Table 8.3

Social Security beneficiaries, by marital status, race, Hispanic origin, sex, and age, 2004

Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line	Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line
<b>All persons</b>				<b>By marital status</b>			
				<i>Married</i>			
All persons 65 or older	31,045	7.7	14.6	All persons 65 or older	16,957	2.6	6.1
65-69	8,416	6.9	11.6	65-69	5,655	2.6	5.4
70-74	7,361	7.6	13.4	70-74	4,475	2.5	5.7
75-79	6,853	6.7	14.5	75-79	3,722	2.6	6.6
80 or older	8,415	9.5	18.9	80 or older	3,105	3.0	7.4
Men 65 or older	13,315	4.8	10.2	Men 65 or older	9,566	2.7	6.1
65-69	3,984	4.7	8.5	65-69	3,051	2.6	5.5
70-74	3,273	5.5	10.4	70-74	2,438	2.5	5.5
75-79	2,922	4.0	10.4	75-79	2,126	2.9	7.0
80 or older	3,136	5.1	11.9	80 or older	1,952	2.7	7.0
Women 65 or older	17,730	9.9	18.0	Women 65 or older	7,391	2.6	6.1
65-69	4,432	9.0	14.3	65-69	2,603	2.5	5.3
70-74	4,088	9.2	15.9	70-74	2,037	2.5	5.9
75-79	3,931	8.8	17.6	75-79	1,597	2.2	6.1
80 or older	5,278	12.1	23.0	80 or older	1,153	3.4	8.1

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**Table 8.3**  
**Social Security beneficiaries, by marital status, race, Hispanic origin, sex, and age, 2004—Continued**

Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line	Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line
<b>By marital status (cont.)</b>				<b>By marital status (cont.)</b>			
<i>Nonmarried<sup>a</sup></i>				<i>Widowed</i>			
All persons 65 or older	14,088	13.9	24.9	All persons 65 or older	9,652	12.5	24.1
65–69	2,761	15.9	24.2	65–69	1,211	15.0	23.8
70–74	2,886	15.4	25.4	70–74	1,801	13.4	23.4
75–79	3,131	11.7	23.9	75–79	2,194	11.0	23.7
80 or older	5,310	13.3	25.6	80 or older	4,446	12.2	24.5
Men 65 or older	3,749	10.3	20.5	Men 65 or older	1,851	9.2	18.6
65–69	933	11.3	18.6	65–69	232	8.4	16.0
70–74	835	14.3	24.6	70–74	366	12.4	19.6
75–79	796	6.9	19.4	75–79	402	9.1	20.8
80 or older	1,185	9.0	19.9	80 or older	850	8.0	17.8
Women 65 or older	10,339	15.2	26.5	Women 65 or older	7,801	13.3	25.4
65–69	1,828	18.2	27.1	65–69	979	16.6	25.6
70–74	2,051	15.9	25.8	70–74	1,435	13.6	24.4
75–79	2,335	13.3	25.4	75–79	1,792	11.4	24.4
80 or older	4,125	14.5	27.2	80 or older	3,596	13.2	26.1

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Poverty Status of Persons 65 or Older Based on Family Income

Table 8.3

Social Security beneficiaries, by marital status, race, Hispanic origin, sex, and age, 2004—*Continued*

Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line	Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line
<b><i>By marital status (cont.) Never married</i></b>				<b><i>By marital status (cont.) Divorced</i></b>			
All persons 65 or older	1,150	17.3	27.0	All persons 65 or older	2,444	15.4	25.3
65–69	331	18.6	26.5	65–69	974	15.5	23.6
70–74	296	25.5	33.8	70–74	595	13.0	22.6
75–79	277	7.4	18.2	75–79	506	15.9	26.9
80 or older	246	16.9	29.3	80 or older	370	18.5	32.1
Men 65 or older	556	18.8	30.9	Men 65 or older	933	8.0	18.3
65–69	171	23.1	30.4	65–69	396	7.4	15.1
70–74	153	28.5	41.0	70–74	229	8.9	18.7
75–79	137	3.6	17.8	75–79	185	6.0	19.3
80 or older	95	17.2	34.4	80 or older	122	11.1	26.5
Women 65 or older	595	16.0	23.3	Women 65 or older	1,512	20.0	29.6
65–69	161	13.9	22.4	65–69	578	21.0	29.4
70–74	142	22.4	26.1	70–74	365	15.5	25.0
75–79	140	11.2	18.6	75–79	321	21.6	31.2
80 or older	151	16.7	26.1	80 or older	248	22.1	34.9

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**Table 8.3**  
**Social Security beneficiaries, by marital status, race, Hispanic origin, sex, and age, 2004—Continued**

Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line	Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line
<b>By race</b> <i>White alone</i>				<b>By race (cont.)</b> <i>Black alone</i>			
All persons 65 or older	27,507	6.4	12.9	All persons 65 or older	2,420	21.5	33.5
65–69	7,300	5.8	10.0	65–69	747	17.3	25.0
70–74	6,455	6.0	11.2	70–74	602	23.3	34.5
75–79	6,170	5.5	12.6	75–79	475	21.4	37.1
80 or older	7,582	8.3	17.3	80 or older	596	25.2	40.2
Men 65 or older	11,864	3.9	8.6	Men 65 or older	943	14.3	25.5
65–69	3,449	3.5	6.9	65–69	353	13.4	21.2
70–74	2,901	4.3	8.5	70–74	226	17.3	27.5
75–79	2,646	3.2	8.6	75–79	196	12.5	29.7
80 or older	2,868	4.5	10.9	80 or older	167	13.9	27.2
Women 65 or older	15,643	8.4	16.1	Women 65 or older	1,477	26.2	38.5
65–69	3,851	7.9	12.8	65–69	393	20.7	28.5
70–74	3,553	7.4	13.4	70–74	376	26.8	38.6
75–79	3,524	7.2	15.6	75–79	278	27.7	42.3
80 or older	4,714	10.6	21.2	80 or older	429	29.7	45.3

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## Poverty Status of Persons 65 or Older Based on Family Income

**Table 8.3**

**Social Security beneficiaries, by marital status, race, Hispanic origin, sex, and age, 2004—*Continued***

Sex and age	Number (thousands)	Percentage below poverty line	Percentage below 125% of poverty line
<i>Hispanic origin</i> <sup>b</sup>			
All persons 65 or older	1,680	14.3	26.7
65–69	530	15.3	25.0
70–74	439	14.8	26.2
75–79	348	13.0	26.6
80 or older	363	13.5	30.1
Men 65 or older	722	11.7	22.6
65–69	223	12.1	20.8
70–74	201	12.3	25.2
75–79	156	11.1	20.7
80 or older	142	10.8	23.9
Women 65 or older	958	16.3	29.8
65–69	307	17.7	28.1
70–74	238	17.0	27.0
75–79	192	14.5	31.3
80 or older	221	15.3	34.0

NOTE: The family money income of aged persons is compared with the official poverty lines of families in 2004.

- a. Includes persons who are separated or are married but living apart from their spouse.
- b. Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.



# Appendix

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## Appendix: Reliability of the Estimates

Because the figures in this report are based on a sample of the older population, all reported statistics (counts, percentages, and medians) are only estimates of population parameters and may deviate somewhat from their true values—that is, from the values that would have been obtained from a complete census using the same questionnaires, instructions, and interviewers.<sup>1</sup>

The standard error is primarily a measure of sampling variability—that is, it measures the variations that occur by chance because a sample rather than the entire population is surveyed. As calculated for this report, the standard error also partly measures the effect of response and enumeration errors but does not measure systematic biases in the data. The chances are about 68 out of 100 that an estimate for the sample would differ from a complete census figure by less than the standard error. The chances are about 95 out of 100 that the difference would be less than twice the standard error.

### Standard Error of Estimated Percentages

The reliability of an estimated percentage, computed by using sample data for both numerator and denominator, depends on both the size of the percentage and the size of the total on which the percentage is based. The approximate standard error  $S_x$  of an estimated percentage can be obtained using the formula

$$S_{x,p} = \sqrt{\frac{b}{x} p(100 - p)}$$

Here  $x$  is the total number of persons, families, or households (the base of the percentage),  $p$  is the percentage, and  $b$  is the parameter from the following table associated with the characteristic in the numerator of the percentage.

Characteristic	Total or white	Black	Hispanic
Below poverty level	1,998	1,998	1,998
All income levels	1,249	1,430	1,430

Use of this formula in calculating the standard error of a single percentage is illustrated as follows:

An estimated 33.8 percent of units aged 65 or older had total money income of \$30,000 or more in 2004 (Table 3.1). Because the base of this percentage is approximately 26,865,000—the number of units aged 65 or older—the standard error of the estimated 33.8 percent is approximately 0.3 percent. The chances are 68 out of 100 that the estimate would have shown a figure that differed from one resulting from a complete census by less than 0.3 percent. The chances are 95 out of 100 that the estimate would have shown a figure differing from one after a complete census by less than 0.6 percent—that is, this 95 percent confidence interval would range from 33.2 percent to 34.4 percent.

For a difference between two sample estimates, the standard error is approximately equal to the square root of the sum of the squares of the standard errors of each estimate considered separately. This formula will represent the actual standard error quite accurately for the difference between separate and uncorrelated characteristics. If, however, there is a high positive correlation between the two characteristics, the formula will overestimate the true standard error.

A comparison of the difference in the percentage of units aged 62 to 64 and 65 or older who had total money income of \$30,000 or more in 2004 illustrates how to calculate the standard error of a difference between two percentages:

33.8 percent of the 26,865,000 units aged 65 or older and 55.8 percent of the 4,990,000 units aged 62 to 64 had total money income of \$30,000 or more in 2004—a difference of 22 percentage points. The standard errors of those percentages are 0.3 and 0.8, respectively. The standard error of the estimated difference of 22 percentage points is about

$$0.9 = \sqrt{(0.3)^2 + (0.8)^2}$$

The chances are 68 out of 100 that the difference is between 21.1 and 22.9 percentage points and 95 out of 100 that it is between 20.2 and 23.8 percentage points. Because the confidence interval around the difference does not include zero, there is a statistically significant difference between the proportions of units who are aged 62 to

1. Most of the discussion of estimation procedures has been excerpted from Current Population Reports, No. 114 (July 1978).

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64 and those who are aged 65 or older with income of \$30,000 or more.

### Confidence Limits of Medians

The sampling variability of an estimated median depends on the distribution as well as on the size of the base. Confidence limits of a median based on sample data may be estimated as follows: (1) using the appropriate base, the standard error of a 50 percent characteristic is determined; (2) the standard error determined in step 1 is added to and subtracted from 50 percent; and (3) the confidence interval around the median corresponding to the two

points estimated in step 2 is then read from the distribution of the characteristic. A two-standard-error confidence limit may be determined by finding the values corresponding to 50 percent plus and minus twice the standard error. This procedure may be illustrated as follows:

The median total money income of the estimated 26,865,000 units aged 65 or older was \$20,481 in 2004 (Table 3.1). The standard error of 50 percent of those units expressed as a percentage is about 0.34 percent. As interest usually centers on the confidence interval for the median at the two-standard-error level, it

is necessary to add and subtract twice the standard error obtained in step 1 from 50 percent. This procedure yields limits of approximately 49.3 percent and 50.7 percent. By interpolation, 49.3 percent of units aged 65 or older had total money income below \$20,297, and 50.7 percent had total money income below \$20,990. Thus, the chances are about 95 out of 100 that the census would have shown the median to be greater than \$20,297 but less than \$20,990.