

5.D OASDI Current-Pay Benefits: Disabled Workers

Table 5.D1—Number, percentage, and average monthly benefit, by year of entitlement as disabled worker and sex, December 2008

Year of entitlement	All disabled workers				Men				Women			
	Number	Percentage distribution	Cumulative percentage <sup>a</sup>	Average monthly benefit (dollars)	Number	Percentage distribution	Cumulative percentage <sup>a</sup>	Average monthly benefit (dollars)	Number	Percentage distribution	Cumulative percentage <sup>a</sup>	Average monthly benefit (dollars)
Total	7,426,691	100.0	...	1,063.10	3,924,524	100.0	...	1,190.70	3,502,167	100.0	...	920.20
<i>Summary data</i>												
2005–2008	2,001,183	26.9	...	1,152.20	1,071,220	27.3	...	1,302.00	929,963	26.6	...	979.70
2000–2004	2,582,861	34.8	...	1,109.50	1,307,864	33.3	...	1,262.20	1,274,997	36.4	...	952.80
1995–1999	1,299,636	17.5	...	985.70	645,601	16.5	...	1,109.20	654,035	18.7	...	863.80
1990–1994	858,241	11.6	...	934.40	463,624	11.8	...	1,030.30	394,617	11.3	...	821.60
1985–1989	361,513	4.9	...	909.70	218,791	5.6	...	978.90	142,722	4.1	...	803.50
1980–1984	173,218	2.3	...	877.40	115,362	2.9	...	925.90	57,856	1.7	...	780.70
1975–1979	99,563	1.3	...	1,134.90	66,470	1.7	...	1,181.70	33,093	0.9	...	1,040.90
1970–1974	43,191	0.6	...	963.50	29,928	0.8	...	985.50	13,263	0.4	...	913.80
Before 1970	7,285	0.1	...	804.30	5,664	0.1	...	813.70	1,621	<sup>b</sup>	...	771.60
<i>Single-year data</i>												
2008	322,607	4.3	4.3	1,192.50	183,355	4.7	4.7	1,332.90	139,252	4.0	4.0	1,007.70
2007	505,224	6.8	11.1	1,158.40	275,169	7.0	11.7	1,301.50	230,055	6.6	10.5	987.30
2006	571,029	7.7	18.8	1,142.10	301,416	7.7	19.4	1,293.40	269,613	7.7	18.2	973.00
2005	602,323	8.1	26.9	1,134.90	311,280	7.9	27.3	1,292.40	291,043	8.3	26.6	966.40
2004	612,898	8.3	35.2	1,139.50	313,687	8.0	35.3	1,300.10	299,211	8.5	35.1	971.20
2003	586,052	7.9	43.1	1,135.60	299,793	7.6	42.9	1,295.20	286,259	8.2	43.3	968.60
2002	535,890	7.2	50.3	1,112.80	271,756	6.9	49.9	1,266.20	264,134	7.5	50.8	955.00
2001	463,635	6.2	56.5	1,075.40	232,556	5.9	55.8	1,217.30	231,079	6.6	57.4	932.50
2000	384,386	5.2	61.7	1,058.00	190,072	4.8	60.6	1,196.70	194,314	5.5	63.0	922.30
1999	330,814	4.5	66.2	1,024.70	163,389	4.2	64.8	1,158.10	167,425	4.8	67.7	894.50
1998	281,315	3.8	70.0	985.20	138,621	3.5	68.3	1,110.90	142,694	4.1	71.8	863.00
1997	247,546	3.3	73.3	967.50	122,467	3.1	71.4	1,086.70	125,079	3.6	75.4	850.90
1996	228,507	3.1	76.4	964.80	114,743	2.9	74.4	1,082.90	113,764	3.2	78.6	845.70
1995	211,454	2.8	79.2	969.10	106,381	2.7	77.1	1,086.10	105,073	3.0	81.6	850.60
1994	199,037	2.7	81.9	963.40	101,590	2.6	79.7	1,075.10	97,447	2.8	84.4	846.90
1993	186,763	2.5	84.4	936.40	98,478	2.5	82.2	1,041.40	88,285	2.5	86.9	819.30
1992	176,554	2.4	86.8	923.20	96,427	2.5	84.6	1,017.70	80,127	2.3	89.2	809.50
1991	163,580	2.2	89.0	917.50	91,677	2.3	87.0	1,003.70	71,903	2.1	91.3	807.70
1990	132,307	1.8	90.8	923.40	75,452	1.9	88.9	1,004.00	56,855	1.6	92.9	816.60
1989	98,238	1.3	92.1	927.60	57,371	1.5	90.3	1,004.50	40,867	1.2	94.1	819.50
1988	78,952	1.1	93.2	925.00	46,780	1.2	91.5	1,001.10	32,172	0.9	95.0	814.40
1987	67,211	0.9	94.1	917.50	40,820	1.0	92.6	988.80	26,391	0.8	95.7	807.20
1986	61,951	0.8	94.9	888.70	38,694	1.0	93.6	951.60	23,257	0.7	96.4	784.00
1985	55,161	0.7	95.6	869.80	35,126	0.9	94.5	926.10	20,035	0.6	97.0	771.10
1984	48,597	0.7	96.3	855.90	31,603	0.8	95.3	907.00	16,994	0.5	97.5	761.00
1983	39,551	0.5	96.8	855.60	26,381	0.7	95.9	904.80	13,170	0.4	97.8	757.20
1982	32,039	0.4	97.3	861.60	21,565	0.5	96.5	909.00	10,474	0.3	98.1	764.10
1981	26,910	0.4	97.6	892.90	18,140	0.5	96.9	939.30	8,770	0.3	98.4	796.80
1980	26,121	0.4	98.0	953.50	17,673	0.5	97.4	997.90	8,448	0.2	98.6	860.60
1979	23,289	0.3	98.3	1,113.40	15,543	0.4	97.8	1,166.10	7,746	0.2	98.9	1,007.60
1978	20,470	0.3	98.6	1,208.80	13,498	0.3	98.1	1,260.30	6,972	0.2	99.1	1,109.00
1977	19,649	0.3	98.8	1,164.70	13,131	0.3	98.5	1,209.50	6,518	0.2	99.2	1,074.30
1976	19,027	0.3	99.1	1,114.60	12,704	0.3	98.8	1,162.10	6,323	0.2	99.4	1,019.10
1975	17,128	0.2	99.3	1,064.10	11,594	0.3	99.1	1,100.90	5,534	0.2	99.6	987.10

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**Table 5.D1—Number, percentage, and average monthly benefit, by year of entitlement as disabled worker and sex, December 2008—Continued**

Year of entitlement	All disabled workers				Men				Women			
	Number	Percentage distribution	Cumulative percentage <sup>a</sup>	Average monthly benefit (dollars)	Number	Percentage distribution	Cumulative percentage <sup>a</sup>	Average monthly benefit (dollars)	Number	Percentage distribution	Cumulative percentage <sup>a</sup>	Average monthly benefit (dollars)
<i>Single-year data (cont.)</i>												
1974	14,502	0.2	99.5	1,006.10	9,757	0.2	99.3	1,036.70	4,745	0.1	99.7	943.10
1973	11,442	0.2	99.7	963.40	7,740	0.2	99.5	982.20	3,702	0.1	99.8	924.10
1972	6,848	0.1	99.8	955.30	4,790	0.1	99.7	979.40	2,058	0.1	99.9	899.10
1971	5,826	0.1	99.8	932.60	4,224	0.1	99.8	950.40	1,602	<sup>b</sup>	99.9	885.60
1970	4,573	0.1	99.9	880.60	3,417	0.1	99.9	898.90	1,156	<sup>b</sup>	100.0	826.50
1969	3,398	<sup>b</sup>	99.9	837.40	2,659	0.1	99.9	848.90	739	<sup>b</sup>	100.0	795.70
1968	3,527	<sup>b</sup>	100.0	768.20	2,707	0.1	100.0	776.30	820	<sup>b</sup>	100.0	741.40
1967	259	<sup>b</sup>	100.0	838.90	212	<sup>b</sup>	100.0	835.70	47	<sup>b</sup>	100.0	853.30
1966	76	<sup>b</sup>	100.0	888.70	65	<sup>b</sup>	100.0	857.00	11	<sup>b</sup>	100.0	1,075.90
1965	20	<sup>b</sup>	100.0	761.80	16	<sup>b</sup>	100.0	777.10	4	<sup>b</sup>	100.0	700.40

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

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

. . . = not applicable.

a. Represents those entitled in specified year or later.

b. Less than 0.05 percent.

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**Table 5.D2—Number and percentage distribution, by monthly benefit and sex, December 2008**

Monthly benefit (dollars)	Total		Men		Women	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
All disabled workers	7,426,691	100.0	3,924,524	100.0	3,502,167	100.0
Less than 300.00	160,501	2.2	52,694	1.3	107,807	3.1
300.00–349.90	92,210	1.2	30,350	0.8	61,860	1.8
350.00–399.90	106,404	1.4	35,484	0.9	70,920	2.0
400.00–449.90	127,084	1.7	44,501	1.1	82,583	2.4
450.00–499.90	126,835	1.7	43,602	1.1	83,233	2.4
500.00–549.90	142,855	1.9	50,803	1.3	92,052	2.6
550.00–599.90	217,933	2.9	80,836	2.1	137,097	3.9
600.00–649.90	272,113	3.7	103,698	2.6	168,415	4.8
650.00–699.90	384,153	5.2	145,341	3.7	238,812	6.8
700.00–749.90	403,080	5.4	159,211	4.1	243,869	7.0
750.00–799.90	396,155	5.3	164,490	4.2	231,665	6.6
800.00–849.90	381,072	5.1	165,779	4.2	215,293	6.1
850.00–899.90	364,092	4.9	166,311	4.2	197,781	5.6
900.00–949.90	343,380	4.6	163,010	4.2	180,370	5.2
950.00–999.90	320,128	4.3	158,024	4.0	162,104	4.6
1,000.00–1,049.90	302,747	4.1	154,921	3.9	147,826	4.2
1,050.00–1,099.90	282,075	3.8	149,928	3.8	132,147	3.8
1,100.00–1,149.90	261,461	3.5	143,365	3.7	118,096	3.4
1,150.00–1,199.90	243,165	3.3	139,044	3.5	104,121	3.0
1,200.00–1,249.90	224,801	3.0	132,751	3.4	92,050	2.6
1,250.00–1,299.90	207,261	2.8	126,505	3.2	80,756	2.3
1,300.00–1,349.90	190,950	2.6	120,626	3.1	70,324	2.0
1,350.00–1,399.90	173,989	2.3	112,842	2.9	61,147	1.7
1,400.00–1,449.90	161,094	2.2	107,260	2.7	53,834	1.5
1,450.00–1,499.90	149,569	2.0	101,947	2.6	47,622	1.4
1,500.00–1,549.90	138,426	1.9	96,560	2.5	41,866	1.2
1,550.00–1,599.90	140,288	1.9	99,996	2.5	40,292	1.2
1,600.00–1,649.90	134,721	1.8	98,154	2.5	36,567	1.0
1,650.00–1,699.90	118,382	1.6	87,783	2.2	30,599	0.9
1,700.00–1,749.90	109,268	1.5	82,446	2.1	26,822	0.8
1,750.00–1,799.90	101,158	1.4	77,233	2.0	23,925	0.7
1,800.00–1,849.90	100,587	1.4	77,389	2.0	23,198	0.7
1,850.00–1,899.90	116,896	1.6	91,030	2.3	25,866	0.7
1,900.00–1,949.90	97,193	1.3	77,593	2.0	19,600	0.6
1,950.00–1,999.90	79,509	1.1	64,883	1.7	14,626	0.4
2,000.00 or more	255,156	3.4	218,134	5.6	37,022	1.1
Average benefit (dollars)	1,063.10		1,190.70		920.20	

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

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

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## 5.D OASDI Current-Pay Benefits: Disabled Workers

**Table 5.D3—Number and total monthly benefits, by sex, December 1957–2008, selected years**

Year	All disabled workers		Men		Women	
	Number	Total monthly benefits (thousands of dollars)	Number	Total monthly benefits (thousands of dollars)	Number	Total monthly benefits (thousands of dollars)
1957	149,850	10,904	121,172	8,903	28,678	2,001
1958	237,719	19,516	189,883	16,138	47,836	3,378
1959	334,443	29,765	264,201	24,417	70,242	5,348
1960	455,371	40,668	356,277	33,034	99,094	7,633
1965	988,074	96,599	734,047	74,946	254,027	21,656
1970	1,492,948	196,010	1,068,986	148,194	423,962	47,819
1975	2,488,774	562,180	1,710,923	418,013	777,851	144,167
1980	2,858,680	1,059,792	1,928,030	784,266	930,650	275,525
1985	2,656,638	1,285,375	1,784,750	953,156	871,888	332,219
1986	2,728,463	1,331,144	1,826,835	985,003	901,628	346,141
1987	2,785,859	1,415,811	1,857,172	1,044,647	928,687	371,165
1988	2,830,284	1,498,637	1,876,878	1,101,675	953,406	396,962
1989	2,895,364	1,609,780	1,906,379	1,176,403	988,985	433,376
1990	3,011,294	1,768,313	1,967,408	1,283,579	1,043,886	484,735
1991	3,194,938	1,946,823	2,067,777	1,401,006	1,127,161	545,817
1992	3,467,783	2,171,080	2,219,789	1,546,924	1,247,994	624,156
1993	3,725,966	2,390,829	2,357,332	1,685,025	1,368,634	705,804
1994	3,962,954	2,620,982	2,473,061	1,824,195	1,489,893	796,787
1995	4,185,263	2,853,365	2,568,359	1,956,168	1,616,904	897,197
1996	4,385,623	3,087,223	2,644,454	2,083,123	1,741,169	1,004,100
1997	4,508,134	3,252,919	2,666,486	2,158,017	1,841,648	1,094,902
1998	4,698,319	3,444,259	2,737,296	2,252,129	1,961,023	1,192,130
1999	4,879,455	3,679,691	2,801,163	2,371,141	2,078,292	1,308,550
2000	5,042,334	3,965,304	2,856,411	2,521,252	2,185,923	1,444,052
2001	5,274,183	4,295,600	2,951,833	2,697,162	2,322,350	1,598,438
2002	5,543,981	4,625,445	3,070,001	2,872,308	2,473,980	1,753,137
2003	5,873,673	5,060,493	3,224,624	3,114,704	2,649,049	1,945,789
2004	6,198,271	5,542,045	3,373,723	3,381,312	2,824,548	2,160,733
2005	6,518,989	6,114,705	3,517,259	3,697,352	3,001,730	2,417,352
2006	6,806,918	6,655,048	3,643,121	3,998,054	3,163,797	2,656,994
2007	7,098,723	7,127,082	3,773,912	4,249,072	3,324,811	2,878,010
2008	7,426,691	7,895,536	3,924,524	4,672,826	3,502,167	3,222,710

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

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## 5.D OASDI Current-Pay Benefits: Disabled Workers

Table 5.D4—Number, average age, and percentage distribution, by sex and age, December 1957–2008, selected years

Year	Number (thousands)	Average age	Percentage distribution							
			Total, all ages	Under 30	30–39	40–44	45–49	50–54	55–59	60–FRA
<i>Men</i>										
1957	121	59.4	100.0	...	...	...	...	18.5	29.9	51.6
1958	190	59.5	100.0	...	...	...	...	18.2	29.7	52.1
1959	264	59.3	100.0	...	...	...	...	19.0	30.7	50.3
1960	356	57.3	100.0	0.5	3.3	3.0	4.9	16.6	26.7	44.9
1965	734	54.4	100.0	1.0	7.5	7.6	10.4	15.4	24.7	33.3
1970	1,069	53.9	100.0	3.3	6.8	6.9	10.9	15.2	23.2	33.7
1975	1,711	53.5	100.0	4.6	7.5	6.2	9.7	15.8	23.2	33.0
1980	1,928	52.9	100.0	4.1	9.6	6.0	8.9	14.3	24.0	33.1
1985	1,785	51.9	100.0	4.6	12.3	7.3	8.6	12.9	21.4	32.9
1986	1,827	51.4	100.0	4.9	13.3	7.9	8.9	12.7	20.7	31.5
1987	1,857	51.1	100.0	4.8	13.8	8.5	9.4	12.5	20.1	30.8
1988	1,869	50.9	100.0	4.7	14.3	9.0	9.8	12.7	19.6	29.9
1989	1,906	50.7	100.0	4.5	14.7	9.6	10.3	12.7	19.4	28.8
1990	1,965	50.4	100.0	4.5	15.2	10.3	10.7	12.7	19.1	27.5
1991	2,066	50.1	100.0	4.5	15.6	10.7	11.2	13.0	18.6	26.4
1992	2,221	49.9	100.0	4.6	16.0	11.0	12.0	13.4	18.0	25.0
1993	2,358	49.6	100.0	4.6	16.2	11.2	12.3	13.9	17.9	23.9
1994	2,476	49.6	100.0	4.3	16.1	11.4	12.8	14.2	17.8	23.4
1995	2,573	49.7	100.0	4.0	15.5	11.5	13.4	14.5	18.0	23.2
1996	2,650	49.9	100.0	3.6	14.8	11.6	13.7	15.0	18.3	22.9
1997	2,671	50.2	100.0	3.3	13.9	11.6	13.6	15.7	18.9	23.0
1998	2,741	50.5	100.0	3.1	13.3	11.6	13.7	16.1	19.4	22.9
1999	2,802	50.6	100.0	2.9	12.6	11.6	13.8	16.7	19.7	22.9
2000	2,857	50.7	100.0	2.8	11.8	11.5	13.9	17.3	20.0	22.8
2001	2,952	50.9	100.0	2.9	11.2	11.1	14.0	17.4	20.5	23.0
2002	3,069	51.0	100.0	3.1	10.5	10.7	14.0	17.2	21.1	23.3
2003	3,226	51.3	100.0	3.2	9.9	10.4	13.8	17.1	21.4	24.2
2004	3,373	51.6	100.0	3.2	9.4	9.9	13.8	17.0	21.8	24.9
2005	3,517	51.9	100.0	3.2	8.9	9.4	13.5	17.0	22.4	25.7
2006	3,643	52.2	100.0	3.1	8.5	8.9	13.2	17.0	22.4	27.0
2007	3,774	52.5	100.0	3.1	8.2	8.3	12.8	17.0	21.9	28.6
2008	3,925	52.7	100.0	3.1	8.1	7.9	12.4	17.1	21.7	29.8

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**Table 5.D4—Number, average age, and percentage distribution, by sex and age, December 1957–2008, selected years—Continued**

Year	Number (thousands)	Average age	Percentage distribution							
			Total, all ages	Under 30	30–39	40–44	45–49	50–54	55–59	60–FRA
<b>Women</b>										
1957	29	57.9	100.0	...	...	...	...	25.6	39.2	35.2
1958	48	58.2	100.0	...	...	...	...	23.8	37.5	38.6
1959	70	58.4	100.0	...	...	...	...	23.4	36.8	39.7
1960	99	56.7	100.0	0.3	3.2	3.2	5.3	19.4	31.4	37.2
1965	254	55.2	100.0	0.6	5.4	6.3	9.8	16.2	27.3	34.3
1970	424	55.0	100.0	1.9	5.1	5.6	10.1	15.9	26.0	35.3
1975	778	54.4	100.0	3.3	6.1	5.3	9.0	16.3	25.5	34.5
1980	931	53.7	100.0	3.4	8.2	5.3	8.2	14.4	25.4	35.0
1985	872	52.6	100.0	3.8	11.2	6.9	8.3	12.9	22.3	34.6
1986	902	52.0	100.0	4.1	12.1	7.6	8.8	12.9	21.6	32.9
1987	929	51.7	100.0	4.2	12.7	8.2	9.4	12.9	20.9	31.7
1988	952	51.4	100.0	4.0	13.1	8.7	9.9	13.2	20.6	30.5
1989	989	51.1	100.0	4.0	13.5	9.2	10.6	13.4	20.1	29.2
1990	1,046	50.8	100.0	3.9	14.0	9.8	11.1	13.4	19.9	27.9
1991	1,133	50.5	100.0	4.0	14.3	10.3	11.6	13.8	19.4	26.5
1992	1,252	50.1	100.0	4.3	14.6	10.7	12.2	14.3	18.8	25.0
1993	1,371	49.9	100.0	4.3	14.9	11.0	12.6	14.8	18.9	23.5
1994	1,491	49.9	100.0	4.1	14.8	11.2	13.1	15.3	18.7	22.8
1995	1,614	49.9	100.0	3.8	14.5	11.5	13.6	15.7	18.8	22.2
1996	1,736	50.0	100.0	3.4	14.1	11.6	13.9	16.2	19.0	21.7
1997	1,835	50.2	100.0	3.1	13.3	11.6	14.0	16.8	19.6	21.5
1998	1,956	50.5	100.0	3.0	12.8	11.5	14.2	17.0	20.0	21.6
1999	2,071	50.5	100.0	2.8	12.1	11.5	14.3	17.5	20.4	21.5
2000	2,179	50.7	100.0	2.7	11.5	11.3	14.5	17.9	20.7	21.5
2001	2,313	50.8	100.0	2.7	11.1	11.1	14.4	18.0	21.1	21.6
2002	2,467	50.9	100.0	2.7	10.6	10.8	14.4	17.8	21.5	22.1
2003	2,642	51.2	100.0	3.0	10.1	10.4	14.2	17.7	21.5	23.1
2004	2,819	51.5	100.0	3.0	9.7	10.0	14.1	17.6	21.8	23.8
2005	2,993	51.7	100.0	2.9	9.2	9.6	13.8	17.7	22.3	24.5
2006	3,164	52.0	100.0	2.8	9.0	9.2	13.5	17.6	22.2	25.7
2007	3,325	52.3	100.0	2.7	8.8	8.7	13.2	17.6	21.8	27.2
2008	3,502	52.5	100.0	2.6	8.6	8.2	12.9	17.6	21.7	28.3

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Beneficiary Record. Data for 1988 and 1990–2005 are based on a 10 percent sample. All other years are 100 percent data.

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

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