



Old-Age (retirement), Survivors, and Disability Insurance (OASDI)—popularly referred to as Social Security—provides monthly benefits to an eligible worker and family members when the worker elects to start receiving retirement benefits or when the worker dies or becomes disabled. A worker’s lifetime covered earnings largely determines the amount of benefits received.

Table 1.
Number of OASDI beneficiaries in current-payment status and total monthly benefits, December 2010

Congressional district	Number of beneficiaries						Total monthly benefits (thousands of dollars)			Number of beneficiaries aged 65 or older
	Total	Retired workers	Disabled workers	Widow(er)s ^a	Spouses ^b	Children ^c	All beneficiaries	Retired workers	Widow(er)s ^a	
Virginia	1,284,823	829,110	199,923	102,415	52,121	101,254	1,392,064	978,605	110,831	884,918
1	124,156	85,605	14,543	10,015	5,295	8,698	136,625	100,874	11,175	90,351
2	89,518	59,302	11,805	7,859	3,982	6,570	96,759	69,387	8,707	63,495
3	112,301	66,461	22,416	9,426	3,117	10,881	111,810	72,963	9,499	70,555
4	125,090	78,426	20,686	10,311	4,274	11,393	132,977	90,969	10,881	82,409
5	159,083	101,998	27,206	11,737	5,461	12,681	166,772	116,785	11,865	106,717
6	148,128	96,400	24,000	11,451	5,445	10,832	159,509	113,002	12,557	102,238
7	128,081	88,210	16,170	9,922	4,733	9,046	149,412	110,798	11,794	92,308
8	63,363	46,836	5,911	4,387	2,867	3,362	73,638	57,983	5,127	50,322
9	171,430	88,357	42,462	15,617	8,683	16,311	174,097	99,657	15,491	101,045
10	86,075	60,779	8,761	6,422	4,017	6,096	100,132	75,631	7,520	64,741
11	77,598	56,736	5,963	5,268	4,247	5,384	90,334	70,555	6,214	60,737
All areas ^d	54,031,968	34,593,080	8,203,951	4,445,547	2,476,836	4,312,554	58,048,295	40,662,492	4,884,520	37,291,572

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

- a. Includes nondisabled widow(er)s, disabled widow(er)s, widowed mothers and fathers, and parents receiving payment on the record of a worker who is deceased.
- b. These beneficiaries receive payment on the record of a worker who is retired or disabled.
- c. These beneficiaries receive payment on the record of a worker who is retired, deceased, or disabled.
- d. Includes beneficiaries in the 50 States, District of Columbia, American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Islands, and foreign countries.

Supplemental Security Income (SSI) is a federal cash assistance program that provides monthly payments to low-income aged, blind, or disabled persons in the 50 States, the District of Columbia, and the Northern Mariana Islands.

Table 2.
Number of recipients of federally administered SSI payments and total monthly payments, December 2010

Congressional district	Number of recipients				Total monthly payments (thousands of dollars)				Number of recipients	
	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	With OASDI ^a	Aged 65 or older
Virginia	148,501	19,033	1,170	128,298	74,051	6,616	563	66,873	51,160	33,909
1	8,938	1,031	86	7,821	4,335	309	38	3,987	3,030	1,847
2	9,232	1,127	81	8,024	4,523	360	41	4,122	2,928	1,833
3	25,069	1,678	212	23,179	13,265	433	98	12,734	7,774	3,844
4	16,328	1,266	133	14,929	8,193	328	60	7,805	5,342	2,797
5	18,883	1,935	107	16,841	9,066	432	53	8,580	7,677	4,015
6	14,622	1,076	141	13,405	7,175	295	66	6,814	5,658	2,458
7	9,627	1,133	79	8,415	4,896	393	41	4,462	3,148	2,015
8	7,564	3,081	66	4,417	3,812	1,436	34	2,342	2,065	4,002
9	24,256	1,435	131	22,690	11,736	310	60	11,367	9,794	4,474
10	6,971	2,239	78	4,654	3,547	946	38	2,563	2,040	2,901
11	7,011	3,032	56	3,923	3,503	1,373	33	2,096	1,704	3,723
All areas ^b	7,912,266	1,183,853	69,289	6,659,124	4,273,680	474,932	36,836	3,761,912	2,697,963	2,041,490

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record (Characteristic Extract Record format), 100 percent data.

a. Includes persons who are receiving both SSI payments and Social Security benefits.

b. Includes recipients in the 50 States, District of Columbia, and Northern Mariana Islands.

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