



*Old-Age (retirement), Survivors, and Disability Insurance (OASDI)*—popularly referred to as Social Security—provides monthly benefits to workers and their families when earnings stop or are reduced because the worker retires, dies, or becomes disabled. The amount of benefits received is based on the worker’s level of earnings in employment or self-employment covered by the Social Security program.

**Table 1.**  
**Number of OASDI beneficiaries with benefits in current-payment status and total monthly benefits, December 2004**

Congressional district	Number of beneficiaries						Total monthly benefits (thousands of dollars)			Number of beneficiaries aged 65 or older
	Total	Retired workers <sup>a</sup>	Disabled workers	Widow(er)s <sup>b</sup>	Spouses <sup>c</sup>	Children <sup>d</sup>	All beneficiaries	Retired workers	Widow(er)s <sup>b</sup>	
Kansas	447,340	292,841	50,781	45,941	24,914	32,863	402,011	286,025	43,759	332,165
1	127,856	84,925	11,702	14,943	8,647	7,639	111,284	79,466	14,124	100,272
2	117,549	75,050	15,075	11,812	6,149	9,463	100,819	70,074	10,614	84,233
3	88,734	59,445	10,093	8,208	4,319	6,669	85,851	62,532	8,391	65,428
4	113,201	73,421	13,911	10,978	5,799	9,092	104,057	73,953	10,631	82,232
All areas <sup>e</sup>	47,687,693	29,952,474	6,198,271	4,828,972	2,721,657	3,986,319	41,574,348	28,601,332	4,329,336	33,696,001

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

- a. Includes special age-72 beneficiaries.
- b. 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.
- c. These beneficiaries receive payment on the record of a worker who is retired or disabled.
- d. These beneficiaries receive payment on the record of a worker who is retired, deceased, or disabled.
- e. Includes beneficiaries in the 50 states, District of Columbia, American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, Puerto Rico, 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 2004**

Congressional district	Number of recipients				Total monthly payments (thousands of dollars)				Number of recipients	
	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	With OASDI <sup>a</sup>	Aged 65 or older
Kansas	38,501	3,388	370	34,743	16,820	815	154	15,850	13,825	6,542
1	8,435	840	79	7,516	3,460	173	32	3,254	3,385	1,534
2	11,321	806	93	10,422	4,952	138	36	4,778	4,358	1,679
3	7,496	809	84	6,603	3,487	257	39	3,191	2,302	1,424
4	11,249	933	114	10,202	4,919	245	46	4,626	3,780	1,905
All areas <sup>b</sup>	6,987,845	1,211,167	75,924	5,700,754	3,224,059	426,925	35,916	2,761,217	2,441,374	1,977,610

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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