

4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

Table 4.B1—Number of workers with taxable earnings, amount of earnings, and Social Security numbers issued, selected years 1937–2003

Year	Number ^a (thousands)			Earnings						Social Security numbers issued ^b (thousands)
	Total	With maximum earnings	New entrants into covered employment ^c	Total in covered employment ^d (millions of dollars)	Reported taxable ^a		Average per worker (dollars)			
					Amount (millions of dollars)	Percentage of total	Total earnings ^d	Reported taxable		
1937	32,900	1,031	32,900	32,200	29,620	92.0	979	900	37,139	
1940	35,390	1,196	4,430	35,700	32,970	92.4	1,009	932	5,227	
1945	46,390	6,361	3,480	71,600	62,950	87.9	1,543	1,357	3,321	
1950	48,280	13,936	2,520	109,800	87,500	79.7	2,274	1,812	2,891	
1951	58,120	14,270	6,000	148,900	120,770	81.1	2,562	2,078	4,927	
1952	59,580	16,606	3,500	159,900	128,640	80.5	2,684	2,159	4,363	
1953	60,840	19,013	3,090	173,000	135,870	78.5	2,844	2,233	3,464	
1954	59,610	18,866	2,360	171,900	133,520	77.7	2,884	2,240	2,743	
1955	65,200	16,704	4,760	196,100	157,540	80.3	3,008	2,416	4,323	
1956	67,610	19,236	3,660	216,800	170,720	78.8	3,207	2,525	4,376	
1957	70,590	21,095	3,380	233,900	181,380	77.5	3,314	2,569	3,639	
1958	69,770	21,328	2,450	236,500	180,720	76.4	3,390	2,590	2,290	
1959	71,700	19,112	3,180	255,000	202,310	79.3	3,556	2,822	3,388	
1960	72,530	20,310	3,130	265,200	207,000	78.1	3,656	2,854	3,415	
1961	72,820	21,265	2,990	270,700	209,640	77.4	3,717	2,879	3,370	
1962	74,280	23,154	3,360	289,000	219,050	75.8	3,891	2,949	4,519	
1963	75,540	24,570	3,520	302,300	225,550	74.6	4,002	2,986	8,617	
1964	77,430	26,717	3,890	324,500	236,390	72.8	4,191	3,053	5,623	
1965	80,680	29,136	4,620	351,700	250,730	71.3	4,359	3,108	6,131	
1966	84,600	20,498	5,080	390,700	312,540	80.0	4,618	3,694	6,506	
1967	87,040	22,948	4,530	422,300	329,960	78.1	4,852	3,791	5,920	
1968	89,380	19,120	4,830	460,000	375,840	81.7	5,147	4,205	5,862	
1969	92,060	22,577	5,160	502,800	402,550	80.1	5,462	4,373	6,289	
1970	93,090	24,224	4,440	531,600	415,600	78.2	5,711	4,464	6,132	
1971	93,340	26,404	4,470	559,700	426,960	76.3	5,996	4,574	6,401	
1972	96,240	24,074	5,150	617,900	484,110	78.3	6,420	5,030	9,564	
1973	99,830	20,250	5,670	686,700	561,850	81.8	6,879	5,628	10,038	
1974	101,330	15,310	4,940	746,700	636,760	85.3	7,369	6,284	7,998	
1975	100,200	15,070	4,120	787,600	664,660	84.4	7,860	6,633	8,164	
1976	102,600	15,330	4,700	874,700	737,700	84.3	8,525	7,190	9,043	
1977	105,800	15,700	5,070	960,100	816,550	85.0	9,075	7,718	7,724	
1978	110,600	17,050	5,460	1,092,600	915,600	83.8	9,879	8,278	5,260	
1979	112,700	11,236	4,883	1,222,200	1,067,000	87.3	10,845	9,468	5,213	
1980	113,000	9,903	4,243	1,328,800	1,180,700	88.9	11,759	10,449	5,984	
1981	113,000	8,594	4,090	1,450,900	1,294,100	89.2	12,840	11,452	5,581	
1982	111,800	7,929	3,408	1,516,600	1,365,300	90.0	13,565	12,212	5,362	
1983	112,100	7,044	3,914	1,615,200	1,454,100	90.0	14,409	12,971	6,699	
1984	116,300	7,421	4,743	1,800,800	1,608,800	89.3	15,484	13,833	5,980	
1985	119,800	7,766	4,756	1,936,800	1,722,600	88.9	16,167	14,379	5,720	
1986	122,900	7,624	4,641	2,081,800	1,844,400	88.6	16,939	15,007	5,711	
1987	125,600	7,735	4,956	2,237,000	1,960,000	87.6	17,811	15,605	11,621	
1988	129,600	8,483	5,489	2,432,800	2,088,400	85.8	18,772	16,114	11,370	
1989	131,700	8,110	4,856	2,578,700	2,239,500	86.8	19,580	17,005	8,049	
1990	133,600	7,575	4,012	2,703,800	2,358,000	87.2	20,238	17,650	9,054	
1991	133,000	7,483	3,541	2,760,500	2,422,500	87.8	20,756	18,214	7,509	
1992	134,000	7,667	3,918	2,917,800	2,532,900	86.8	21,775	18,902	6,819	
1993	136,100	7,617	4,204	3,022,900	2,636,100	87.2	22,211	19,369	5,893	
1994	138,200	7,518	4,591	3,197,000	2,785,200	87.1	23,133	20,153	5,816	

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Table 4.B1—Number of workers with taxable earnings, amount of earnings, and Social Security numbers issued, selected years 1937–2003—Continued

Year	Number ^a (thousands)			Earnings					Social Security numbers issued ^b (thousands)
	Total	With maximum earnings	New entrants into covered employment ^c	Total in covered employment ^d (millions of dollars)	Reported taxable ^a		Average per worker (dollars)		
					Amount (millions of dollars)	Percentage of total	Total earnings ^d	Reported taxable	
1995	141,000	8,191	4,621	3,401,800	2,919,100	85.8	24,126	20,703	5,465
1996	143,400	8,682	4,620	3,587,600	3,073,500	85.7	25,018	21,433	5,533
1997	146,145	9,022	4,710	3,858,721	3,285,000	85.1	26,403	22,478	5,413
1998	148,786	9,372	4,904	4,172,641	3,524,900	84.5	28,045	23,691	5,288
1999	151,333	9,209	4,966	4,467,110	3,749,600	83.9	29,518	24,777	5,306
2000 ^e	153,691	9,496	4,974	4,823,674	4,008,400	83.1	31,386	26,081	5,476
2001 ^e	153,716	9,110	4,440	4,920,937	4,170,100	84.7	32,013	27,129	5,883
2002 ^f	153,837	8,365	4,239	4,946,105	4,243,164	85.8	32,152	27,582	5,699
2003 ^g	154,324	...	...	5,063,091	4,352,138	86.0	32,808	28,201	5,372

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample; Bureau of Labor Statistics; and Bureau of Economic Analysis.

NOTE: ... = not available.

- a. Relates to wage and salary workers for 1937–1950. Beginning in 1951, includes self-employment. See Table 2.A3 for annual maximum taxable earnings.
- b. Excludes railroad account numbers. Since program began, 419.4 million Social Security numbers have been issued. Some individuals have been issued more than one number.
- c. Workers reported with first taxable earnings under program in specified year. During 1937–2001, 313.7 million different persons reported with taxable earnings.
- d. Total wages, including estimated amounts above taxable limit, for 1937–1950. Beginning in 1951, also includes reported total net earnings of self-employed persons.
- e. Preliminary data.
- f. Taxable earnings are preliminary estimates based on Social Security data; employment data are preliminary estimates based on data from Bureau of Labor Statistics.
- g. Preliminary estimates based on data from Bureau of Labor Statistics and the Bureau of Economic Analysis.

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4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

Table 4.B2—Number with taxable earnings and amount of earnings, by type of earnings, 1951–2003

Year	Number ^a (thousands)		Wage and salary					Self-employed				
			Total in covered employment ^b (millions of dollars)	Reported taxable		Average per worker (dollars)		Total in covered employment ^c (millions of dollars)	Reported taxable		Average per worker (dollars)	
	Wage and salary	Self-employed		Amount ^d (millions of dollars)	Percentage of total wages	Total wages ^b	Reported taxable ^d		Amount ^d (millions of dollars)	Percentage of total self-employment	Total earnings ^c	Reported taxable ^d
1951	54,630	4,190	132,500	111,250	84.0	2,425	2,036	16,400	9,520	58.0	3,914	2,272
1952	56,060	4,240	143,500	118,880	82.8	2,560	2,121	16,400	9,760	59.5	3,868	2,302
1953	57,220	4,340	156,000	125,840	80.7	2,726	2,199	17,000	10,030	59.0	3,917	2,311
1954	55,940	4,350	155,100	123,410	79.6	2,773	2,206	16,800	10,110	60.2	3,862	2,324
1955	59,560	6,810	171,600	141,810	82.6	2,881	2,381	24,500	15,730	64.2	3,598	2,310
1956	61,560	7,390	188,500	153,010	81.2	3,062	2,486	28,300	17,710	62.6	3,829	2,396
1957	64,730	7,150	205,500	163,990	79.8	3,175	2,533	28,400	17,390	61.2	3,972	2,432
1958	64,040	7,130	208,000	163,140	78.4	3,248	2,547	28,500	17,580	61.7	3,997	2,466
1959	66,000	7,060	225,100	183,620	81.6	3,411	2,782	29,900	18,690	62.5	4,235	2,647
1960	66,980	6,870	236,000	188,580	79.9	3,523	2,815	29,200	18,420	63.1	4,250	2,681
1961	67,360	6,790	240,700	190,850	79.3	3,573	2,833	30,000	18,790	62.6	4,418	2,767
1962	68,890	6,720	257,700	200,130	77.7	3,741	2,905	31,300	18,920	60.4	4,658	2,815
1963	70,310	6,590	270,600	206,840	76.4	3,849	2,942	31,700	18,710	59.0	4,810	2,839
1964	72,230	6,480	290,900	217,430	74.7	4,027	3,010	33,600	18,960	56.4	5,185	2,926
1965	75,430	6,550	311,400	230,830	74.1	4,128	3,060	40,300	19,900	49.4	6,153	3,038
1966	79,460	6,630	346,700	287,860	83.0	4,363	3,623	44,000	24,680	56.1	6,637	3,722
1967	82,020	6,470	377,500	305,670	81.0	4,603	3,727	44,800	24,290	54.2	6,924	3,754
1968	84,470	6,570	413,600	348,500	84.3	4,896	4,126	46,400	27,340	58.9	7,062	4,161
1969	87,200	6,350	455,700	375,010	82.3	5,226	4,301	47,100	27,540	58.5	7,417	4,337
1970	88,180	6,270	483,600	388,680	80.4	5,484	4,408	48,000	26,920	56.1	7,656	4,293
1971	88,460	6,290	509,000	399,550	78.5	5,754	4,517	50,700	27,410	54.1	8,060	4,358
1972	91,220	6,600	563,300	452,050	80.3	6,175	4,956	54,600	32,060	58.7	8,273	4,858
1973	94,610	7,100	624,400	523,450	83.8	6,600	5,533	62,300	38,400	61.6	8,775	5,408
1974	96,190	7,040	681,600	594,400	87.2	7,086	6,179	65,200	42,360	65.0	9,261	6,017
1975	94,900	7,000	717,200	621,100	86.6	7,557	6,545	70,400	43,560	61.9	10,057	6,223
1976	97,230	7,400	797,200	689,200	86.4	8,199	7,088	76,800	48,500	63.2	10,378	6,554
1977	100,450	7,480	879,500	763,600	86.8	8,935	7,602	80,600	52,950	65.7	10,775	7,079
1978	104,810	8,040	998,900	856,100	85.7	9,531	8,168	93,700	59,500	63.5	11,654	7,400
1979	106,900	8,200	1,122,000	997,500	88.9	10,496	9,331	100,200	69,500	69.4	12,220	8,476
1980	107,200	8,200	1,231,000	1,109,000	90.1	11,483	10,345	97,800	71,700	73.3	11,927	8,744
1981	107,300	8,250	1,352,000	1,220,000	90.2	12,600	11,370	98,900	74,100	74.9	11,988	8,982
1982	105,800	8,550	1,418,000	1,290,000	91.0	13,403	12,193	98,600	75,300	76.4	11,532	8,807
1983	105,900	9,200	1,502,000	1,369,000	91.1	14,183	12,927	113,200	85,100	75.2	12,304	9,250
1984	109,900	9,900	1,671,500	1,515,000	90.6	15,209	13,785	129,300	93,800	72.5	13,061	9,475
1985	113,100	10,600	1,794,500	1,621,000	90.3	15,866	14,332	142,300	101,600	71.4	13,425	9,585
1986	115,900	11,200	1,921,000	1,730,800	90.1	16,575	14,934	160,800	113,600	70.6	14,357	10,143
1987	118,200	12,000	2,057,100	1,835,100	89.2	17,404	15,525	179,900	124,900	69.4	14,992	10,408
1988	122,100	12,400	2,224,700	1,952,000	87.7	18,220	15,987	208,100	136,400	65.5	16,782	11,000
1989	123,900	12,900	2,367,800	2,096,000	88.5	19,111	16,917	210,900	143,500	68.0	16,349	11,124
1990	126,100	12,500	2,510,000	2,222,000	88.5	19,905	17,621	193,800	136,000	70.2	15,504	10,880
1991	125,200	12,800	2,565,000	2,283,000	89.0	20,487	18,235	195,500	139,500	71.4	15,273	10,898
1992	126,000	13,100	2,711,000	2,386,000	88.0	21,516	18,937	206,800	146,600	71.0	15,786	11,214
1993	128,100	13,200	2,808,900	2,483,400	88.4	21,927	19,386	214,000	152,700	71.4	16,212	11,568
1994	130,100	13,300	2,964,100	2,624,500	88.5	22,783	20,173	232,900	160,700	69.0	17,511	12,083

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Table 4.B2—Number with taxable earnings and amount of earnings, by type of earnings, 1951–2003—Continued

Year	Number ^a (thousands)		Wage and salary					Self-employed				
			Total in covered employment ^b (millions of dollars)	Reported taxable		Average per worker (dollars)		Total in covered employment ^c (millions of dollars)	Reported taxable		Average per worker (dollars)	
	Wage and salary	Self-employed		Amount ^d (millions of dollars)	Percentage of total wages	Total wages ^b	Reported taxable ^d		Amount ^d (millions of dollars)	Percentage of total self-employment	Total earnings ^c	Reported taxable ^d
1995	132,800	13,500	3,159,100	2,754,300	87.2	23,788	20,740	242,700	164,800	67.9	17,978	12,207
1996	135,100	13,900	3,331,900	2,901,700	87.1	24,662	21,478	255,700	171,800	67.2	18,396	12,360
1997	137,765	14,020	3,586,721	3,104,300	86.5	26,035	22,533	272,000	180,700	66.4	19,401	12,889
1998	140,386	14,230	3,882,341	3,333,700	85.9	27,655	23,747	290,300	191,200	65.9	20,401	13,436
1999	142,703	14,500	4,159,210	3,547,300	85.3	29,146	24,858	307,900	202,300	65.7	21,234	13,952
2000 ^e	145,046	14,725	4,498,374	3,798,900	84.5	31,013	26,191	325,300	209,500	64.4	22,092	14,228
2001 ^e	144,921	14,875	4,591,237	3,953,600	86.1	31,681	27,281	329,700	216,500	65.7	22,165	14,555
2002 ^f	144,897	15,150	4,602,609	4,015,000	87.2	31,765	27,709	343,496	228,164	66.4	22,673	15,060
2003 ^g	145,059	15,126	4,698,461	4,110,100	87.5	32,390	28,334	364,630	242,038	66.4	24,106	16,001

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample; Bureau of Labor Statistics; and Bureau of Economic Analysis.

NOTE: See Table 4.B1 for wage and salary data before 1951.

- a. Represents total number in specified type of employment. Persons with both types of covered employment during the year are included in each type.
- b. Total wages, including estimated amounts above the taxable limit.
- c. Reported self-employment net earnings.
- d. See Table 2.A3 for annual maximum taxable earnings.
- e. Preliminary data.
- f. Taxable earnings are preliminary estimates based on Social Security data; employment data are preliminary estimates based on data from Bureau of Labor Statistics.
- g. Preliminary estimates based on data from Bureau of Labor Statistics and the Bureau of Economic Analysis.

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4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

Table 4.B3—Number of workers and median annual earnings, by type of earnings and sex, selected years 1937–2002

Year	All workers ^a			Wage and salary			Self-employed ^b		
	Total	Men	Women	Subtotal	Men	Women	Subtotal	Men	Women
<i>Number (thousands)</i>									
1937	32,900	23,810	9,090	32,900	23,810	9,090	...	...	...
1940	35,390	25,570	9,820	35,390	25,570	9,820	...	...	...
1945	46,390	28,820	17,570	46,390	28,820	17,570	...	...	...
1950	48,280	32,620	15,660	48,280	32,620	15,660	...	...	...
1955	65,200	43,140	22,060	59,560	38,240	21,320	6,810	5,980	830
1960	72,530	47,900	24,630	66,980	43,100	23,880	6,870	5,990	880
1965	80,680	51,990	28,690	75,430	47,500	27,930	6,550	5,640	910
1970	93,090	57,330	35,760	88,180	53,180	35,000	6,270	5,370	900
1975	100,200	59,520	40,680	94,900	55,140	39,760	7,000	5,790	1,210
1980	113,000	64,288	48,712	107,200	59,751	47,449	8,200	6,407	1,793
1985	119,800	66,113	53,687	113,100	61,285	51,815	10,600	7,623	2,977
1986	122,900	67,412	55,488	115,900	62,398	53,502	11,200	7,932	3,268
1987	125,600	68,591	57,009	118,200	63,306	54,894	12,000	8,450	3,550
1988	129,600	70,596	59,004	122,100	65,270	56,830	12,400	8,630	3,770
1989	131,700	71,517	60,183	123,900	66,105	57,795	12,900	8,842	4,058
1990	133,600	72,291	61,309	126,100	67,064	59,036	12,500	8,526	3,974
1991	133,000	71,787	61,213	125,200	66,406	58,794	12,800	8,669	4,131
1992	134,000	72,016	61,984	126,000	66,543	59,457	13,100	8,797	4,303
1993	136,100	73,154	62,946	128,100	67,673	60,427	13,200	8,840	4,360
1994	138,200	73,989	64,211	130,100	68,481	61,619	13,300	8,840	4,460
1995	141,000	75,444	65,556	132,800	69,900	62,900	13,500	8,908	4,592
1996	143,400	76,241	67,158	135,100	70,670	64,429	13,900	9,074	4,826
1997	146,145	77,498	68,647	137,765	71,910	65,855	14,020	9,078	4,942
1998	148,786	78,671	70,115	140,386	73,111	67,275	14,230	9,108	5,122
1999	151,333	80,042	71,291	142,703	74,376	68,327	14,500	9,224	5,276
2000 ^c	153,691	81,091	72,600	145,046	75,476	69,570	14,725	9,250	5,475
2001 ^c	153,716	81,049	72,667	144,921	75,412	69,509	14,875	9,232	5,643
2002 ^c	153,837	80,964	72,873	144,897	75,222	69,675	15,150	9,276	5,874

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Table 4.B3—Number of workers and median annual earnings, by type of earnings and sex, selected years 1937–2002—Continued

Year	All workers ^a			Wage and salary			Self-employed ^b		
	Total	Men	Women	Subtotal	Men	Women	Subtotal	Men	Women
	<i>Median earnings ^d (dollars)</i>								
1937	761	945	484	761	945	484	...	...	...
1940	746	935	472	746	935	472	...	...	...
1945	1,159	1,654	770	1,159	1,654	770	...	...	...
1950	1,926	2,532	1,124	1,926	2,532	1,124	...	...	...
1955	2,438	3,315	1,351	2,383	3,348	1,338	2,397	2,550	1,552
1960	2,894	3,879	1,679	2,833	3,875	1,676	2,903	3,129	1,695
1965	3,414	4,685	1,984	3,319	4,630	1,979	3,858	4,242	1,898
1970	4,375	6,180	2,735	4,317	6,173	2,770	5,104	5,683	2,360
1975	5,803	8,250	3,730	5,790	8,315	3,794	6,700	7,846	3,113
1980	8,549	11,963	6,012	8,612	12,166	6,106	8,699	10,572	4,133
1985	11,265	14,959	8,293	11,638	15,706	8,525	9,877	12,301	5,529
1986	11,831	15,579	8,796	12,064	16,025	9,019	10,424	12,908	6,152
1987	12,327	16,073	9,261	12,576	16,559	9,500	10,886	13,401	6,573
1988	12,825	16,613	9,753	13,086	17,055	9,992	11,478	14,090	7,036
1989	13,314	17,014	10,265	13,762	17,800	10,577	11,602	14,538	7,010
1990	13,898	17,582	10,837	14,432	18,483	11,199	11,220	14,097	6,898
1991	14,278	17,765	11,369	14,859	18,730	11,767	11,125	13,703	7,186
1992	14,739	18,208	11,842	15,386	19,292	12,268	11,392	13,966	7,452
1993	15,000	18,430	12,093	15,665	19,516	12,546	11,595	14,128	7,720
1994	15,560	19,249	12,422	16,010	19,969	12,807	12,051	14,737	8,002
1995	16,108	19,907	12,897	16,618	20,672	13,296	12,198	14,931	8,301
1996	16,712	20,779	13,335	17,256	21,591	13,763	12,481	15,300	8,628
1997	17,562	21,814	14,043	18,127	22,693	14,482	12,910	15,911	8,944
1998	18,513	23,028	14,834	19,103	23,920	15,290	13,462	16,565	9,365
1999	19,265	23,927	15,465	19,885	24,839	15,938	14,051	17,338	9,784
2000 ^c	20,226	25,035	16,289	20,885	26,001	16,804	14,489	17,875	10,136
2001 ^c	20,907	25,654	17,038	21,621	26,639	17,591	14,539	18,016	10,323
2002 ^c	21,153	25,747	17,423	21,914	26,797	18,036	14,053	17,449	10,370

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTE: . . . = not applicable.

- a. Workers with earnings in both wage and salary employment and self-employment are counted in each type of employment but only once in the total.
b. Not covered before 1951.
c. Preliminary data.
d. For all workers, medians relate to combined earnings from wage and salary employment and self-employment. For all wage and salary workers, medians relate to wages and salaries only.

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4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

Table 4.B4—Percentage of workers with earnings below annual maximum taxable, by sex, selected years 1937–2002

Year	All workers ^a			All self-employed workers			Annual maximum taxable earnings (dollars)
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	
1937	96.9	95.8	99.7	...	...	...	3,000
1940	96.6	95.4	99.7	...	...	...	3,000
1945	86.3	78.6	98.9	...	...	...	3,000
1950	71.1	59.9	94.6	...	...	...	3,000
1951	75.5	64.6	96.7	65.4	62.6	83.3	3,600
1952	72.1	60.0	95.4	64.1	61.2	83.5	3,600
1953	68.8	55.5	93.8	62.9	59.5	83.1	3,600
1954	68.4	55.4	93.0	62.6	58.8	82.8	3,600
1955	74.4	63.4	95.9	74.0	72.3	86.3	4,200
1956	71.6	59.7	94.5	71.2	69.1	86.0	4,200
1957	70.1	58.7	93.1	69.6	67.2	85.5	4,200
1958	69.4	58.4	91.8	68.8	66.3	85.7	4,200
1959	73.3	62.7	94.3	72.0	69.6	88.0	4,800
1960	72.0	60.9	93.5	71.6	69.2	87.7	4,800
1961	70.8	59.6	92.4	70.3	67.8	86.9	4,800
1962	68.8	57.1	91.1	67.9	65.3	85.3	4,800
1963	67.5	55.5	90.0	66.3	63.4	85.3	4,800
1964	65.5	53.1	88.5	63.8	60.5	84.4	4,800
1965	63.9	51.0	87.3	59.5	55.8	82.5	4,800
1966	75.8	64.4	95.6	68.3	65.0	88.4	6,600
1967	73.6	61.5	94.2	66.7	63.2	87.5	6,600
1968	78.6	68.0	96.3	70.3	67.2	89.7	7,800
1969	75.5	62.8	96.0	68.3	65.0	89.1	7,800
1970	74.0	61.8	93.5	67.8	64.3	88.3	7,800
1971	71.7	59.1	91.7	66.7	63.3	86.2	7,800
1972	75.0	62.9	93.9	68.8	65.0	89.7	9,000
1973	79.7	68.9	96.2	71.1	67.4	91.0	10,800
1974	84.9	76.2	97.8	75.7	72.1	94.0	13,200
1975	84.9	76.4	97.5	77.8	74.4	93.9	14,100
1976	85.1	76.3	97.5	78.6	75.1	94.3	15,300
1977	85.2	76.3	97.5	79.3	75.8	94.1	16,500
1978	84.6	75.4	97.1	79.3	75.6	94.0	17,700
1979	90.0	83.6	98.6	84.3	81.3	95.9	22,900
1980	91.2	85.5	98.8	86.9	84.2	96.6	25,900
1981	92.4	87.4	99.0	89.4	87.1	97.2	29,700
1982	92.9	88.3	98.9	91.0	88.8	97.7	32,400
1983	93.7	89.6	99.0	92.0	90.0	97.7	35,700
1984	93.6	89.4	98.9	91.8	89.7	97.6	37,800
1985	93.5	89.3	98.8	92.0	89.8	97.5	39,600
1986	93.8	89.7	98.7	92.3	90.2	97.5	42,000
1987	93.9	89.9	98.6	92.5	90.4	97.5	43,800
1988	93.5	89.4	98.3	91.7	89.4	97.1	45,000
1989	93.8	90.1	98.3	92.4	90.1	97.3	48,000
1990	94.3	90.9	98.4	93.3	91.3	97.7	51,300
1991	94.4	91.1	98.3	93.6	91.6	97.7	53,400
1992	94.3	91.0	98.1	93.6	91.7	97.6	55,500
1993	94.4	91.3	98.1	93.7	91.9	97.4	57,600
1994	94.6	91.4	98.1	93.9	92.0	97.5	60,600

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Table 4.B4—Percentage of workers with earnings below annual maximum taxable, by sex, selected years 1937–2002—Continued

Year	All workers ^a			All self-employed workers			Annual maximum taxable earnings (dollars)
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	
1995	94.2	91.0	97.9	93.9	92.0	97.5	61,200
1996	93.9	90.6	97.7	93.9	92.0	97.4	62,700
1997	93.8	90.5	97.6	93.8	91.9	97.3	65,400
1998	93.7	90.3	97.5	94.0	92.2	97.3	68,400
1999	93.9	90.7	97.5	94.2	92.3	97.4	72,600
2000 ^b	93.8	90.6	97.4	94.2	92.3	97.4	76,200
2001 ^b	94.1	91.0	97.5	94.5	92.7	97.5	80,400
2002 ^b	94.6	91.8	97.6	95.0	93.2	97.7	84,900

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTE: . . . = not applicable.

- a. For 1937–1950, relates to wage and salary workers. Beginning in 1951, includes self-employed workers.
 b. Preliminary data.

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Table 4.B5—Number of workers, by sex and age, selected years 1937–2002 (in thousands)—Continued

Year	Total, all ages	Under 20	20–24	25–29	30–34	35–39	40–44	45–49	50–54	55–59	60–61	62–64	65–69	70–71	72 or older
<i>Women</i>															
1937	9,090	1,257	2,281	1,683	1,176	913	668	489	312	198	54	47	^a 12	...	...
1940	9,820	1,142	2,409	1,766	1,359	1,008	792	555	377	218	64	60	48	10	12
1945	17,570	2,970	3,612	2,517	1,993	1,802	1,473	1,221	866	593	167	161	137	25	33
1950	15,660	1,939	2,842	2,235	1,856	1,720	1,597	1,249	958	646	176	209	164	29	40
1955	22,060	2,384	3,085	2,480	2,456	2,423	2,376	2,180	1,704	1,266	411	506	525	123	141
1960	24,630	2,580	3,294	2,313	2,348	2,710	2,750	2,614	2,265	1,660	518	622	597	126	233
1965	28,690	3,350	4,335	2,687	2,335	2,704	3,086	2,934	2,627	2,128	669	753	668	144	270
1970	35,760	4,482	6,306	3,827	2,928	2,902	3,252	3,405	3,029	2,510	844	962	840	154	319
1975	40,680	5,304	7,297	5,607	3,864	3,333	3,166	3,266	3,167	2,603	871	948	787	159	308
1980	48,712	5,752	8,432	7,186	5,978	4,610	3,825	3,371	3,252	2,924	935	1,035	881	182	349
1985	53,686	5,138	8,295	8,142	7,127	6,356	4,911	3,875	3,249	2,938	1,002	1,233	909	200	411
1990	61,309	5,217	7,925	8,570	8,445	7,792	7,007	5,143	3,882	3,071	1,073	1,235	1,161	247	540
1995	65,557	5,241	7,396	7,981	8,546	8,654	7,951	6,959	4,891	3,474	1,066	1,230	1,222	295	651
1996	67,158	5,483	7,375	8,110	8,454	8,829	8,241	7,236	5,242	3,634	1,104	1,235	1,234	295	685
1997	68,647	5,579	7,543	8,139	8,336	8,998	8,466	7,372	5,648	3,875	1,146	1,261	1,264	298	724
1998	70,115	5,837	7,683	8,115	8,222	9,021	8,709	7,567	5,989	4,113	1,212	1,302	1,283	308	755
1999	71,291	5,990	7,868	7,980	8,102	9,031	8,889	7,838	6,321	4,304	1,239	1,353	1,299	317	762
2000 ^b	72,600	6,045	8,109	7,814	8,172	8,901	9,039	8,097	6,748	4,466	1,280	1,439	1,346	340	807
2001 ^b	72,667	5,752	8,216	7,586	8,144	8,631	9,049	8,255	6,932	4,748	1,343	1,469	1,369	347	825
2002 ^b	72,872	5,419	8,259	7,588	7,989	8,298	9,006	8,371	7,056	5,136	1,488	1,542	1,426	378	916

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTES: Age refers to age attained during year.

... = not applicable.

a. Represents workers attaining age 65 during the year. Workers aged 65 or older were not covered under the program in that year.

b. Preliminary data.

CONTACT: Greg Diez (410) 965-0153 or William Kearns (410) 965-6750.

Table 4.B6—Median earnings of workers, by sex and age, selected years 1937–2002 (in dollars)—Continued

Year	Total, all ages	Under 20	20–24	25–29	30–34	35–39	40–44	45–49	50–54	55–59	60–61	62–64	65–69	70–71	72 or older
<i>Women</i>															
1937	484	163	477	602	621	609	604	589	576	563	585	582	^a 366	...	...
1940	472	127	432	530	590	599	596	590	580	562	499	577	607	999	424
1945	770	307	811	821	871	971	1,026	1,018	987	955	946	899	832	766	928
1950	1,124	362	1,153	1,158	1,196	1,297	1,421	1,456	1,410	1,416	1,370	1,349	1,176	1,399	1,232
1955	1,351	408	1,312	1,406	1,430	1,586	1,706	1,775	1,768	1,622	1,542	1,445	1,057	949	802
1960	1,679	484	1,558	1,969	1,718	1,899	2,075	2,205	2,290	2,221	2,040	1,783	1,142	1,007	1,036
1965	1,984	539	1,852	2,067	2,069	2,243	2,478	2,660	2,715	2,764	2,678	2,372	1,208	1,054	1,093
1970	2,735	675	2,538	3,151	2,953	3,210	3,498	3,721	3,790	3,747	3,729	3,236	1,674	1,344	1,375
1975	3,730	905	3,287	4,800	4,454	4,512	4,870	5,168	5,340	5,300	5,020	4,055	2,189	1,895	1,715
1980	6,012	1,451	5,083	7,496	7,649	7,495	7,761	7,893	8,079	7,966	7,756	6,044	3,589	2,853	2,569
1985	8,293	1,524	6,063	10,251	10,986	11,169	11,163	11,072	10,898	10,714	10,133	7,728	4,959	3,671	3,067
1990	10,837	1,816	7,104	12,677	13,642	14,339	15,031	14,920	14,373	13,088	12,194	9,133	5,888	4,387	3,830
1995	12,897	1,991	7,232	14,249	15,853	16,547	18,068	18,732	17,937	16,030	14,147	9,882	6,910	5,120	4,376
1996	13,335	2,051	7,383	14,637	16,387	17,009	18,532	19,496	18,834	16,728	14,670	10,358	6,971	5,605	4,372
1997	14,043	2,243	7,873	15,238	17,150	17,801	19,277	20,325	19,989	17,750	15,762	11,003	7,331	5,638	4,687
1998	14,834	2,435	8,529	16,128	18,133	18,625	20,046	21,484	21,088	18,656	16,606	11,646	7,619	5,968	4,871
1999	15,465	2,519	8,928	16,897	18,823	19,283	20,688	22,265	22,129	19,594	17,168	12,324	8,032	6,245	4,876
2000 ^b	16,289	2,635	9,445	17,777	19,896	20,381	21,549	23,205	23,083	20,681	17,977	12,900	8,464	6,466	4,954
2001 ^b	17,038	2,647	9,516	18,329	20,750	21,112	22,234	24,042	24,166	21,840	18,707	14,094	9,219	7,105	5,215
2002 ^b	17,423	2,591	9,257	18,478	21,163	21,669	22,775	24,392	25,089	22,851	19,577	15,070	9,760	7,551	5,332

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTES: The amount of median earnings includes estimates above the taxable maximum.

Age refers to age attained during year.

... = not applicable.

a. Earnings of workers attaining age 65 during the year. Workers aged 65 or older not covered under program in that year.

b. Preliminary data.

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4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

Table 4.B7—Number of wage and salary workers, by sex and amount of taxable earnings, 1992–2002 (in thousands)

Year	Total	Workers with earnings below the taxable maximum (by dollar amount of earnings)											Workers with maximum earnings
		1–999	1,000–4,999	5,000–9,999	10,000–19,999	20,000–29,999	30,000–39,999	40,000–49,999	50,000–59,999	60,000–69,999	70,000–79,999	80,000–84,899	
<i>All wage and salary workers</i>													
1992	126,000	9,357	19,519	17,496	29,812	20,699	12,554	7,084	2,422	...	...	...	7,057
1993	128,100	9,655	19,395	17,521	29,900	21,134	12,786	7,371	3,325	...	...	...	7,013
1994	130,100	9,591	19,403	17,273	29,903	21,482	13,230	7,709	4,310	277	...	...	6,921
1995	132,800	9,213	19,355	17,213	30,142	22,097	13,853	8,171	4,662	498	...	...	7,597
1996	135,100	9,161	19,195	16,977	29,832	22,612	14,435	8,706	5,052	1,053	...	...	8,077
1997	137,765	8,743	18,811	16,853	29,676	23,076	15,243	9,330	5,523	2,106	...	...	8,405
1998	140,386	8,427	18,402	16,431	29,360	23,586	16,095	10,062	6,008	3,268	...	...	8,747
1999	142,703	8,260	18,162	16,261	28,975	23,861	16,763	10,546	6,456	3,974	856	...	8,589
2000 ^a	145,046	8,207	17,864	15,866	28,213	24,118	17,258	11,249	7,009	4,409	1,981	...	8,873
2001 ^a	144,921	8,072	17,406	15,418	27,385	23,681	17,443	11,642	7,383	4,675	3,121	173	8,521
2002 ^a	144,897	8,262	17,415	15,298	26,604	23,244	17,440	11,755	7,598	4,922	3,308	1,257	7,795
<i>Men</i>													
1992	66,543	4,171	8,743	7,726	13,773	11,128	8,069	5,109	1,868	...	...	...	5,955
1993	67,673	4,429	8,665	7,740	13,875	11,270	8,074	5,224	2,527	...	...	...	5,869
1994	68,481	4,350	8,548	7,546	13,836	11,360	8,211	5,372	3,243	222	...	...	5,794
1995	69,901	4,256	8,510	7,457	13,865	11,653	8,448	5,587	3,444	388	...	...	6,292
1996	70,670	4,177	8,333	7,261	13,491	11,791	8,667	5,838	3,672	800	...	...	6,641
1997	71,910	4,040	8,158	7,154	13,199	11,864	8,957	6,162	3,932	1,582	...	...	6,862
1998	73,111	3,900	7,964	6,936	12,868	11,947	9,297	6,520	4,199	2,406	...	...	7,074
1999	74,376	3,848	7,894	6,892	12,595	11,942	9,565	6,711	4,456	2,895	642	...	6,936
2000 ^a	75,477	3,842	7,776	6,732	12,139	11,860	9,678	7,018	4,701	3,149	1,465	...	7,115
2001 ^a	75,412	3,822	7,687	6,622	11,823	11,475	9,635	7,085	4,854	3,229	2,261	133	6,787
2002 ^a	75,221	3,987	7,749	6,652	11,548	11,117	9,501	7,003	4,883	3,320	2,356	931	6,175
<i>Women</i>													
1992	59,457	5,186	10,776	9,770	16,039	9,571	4,485	1,975	...	...	...	...	1,103
1993	60,427	5,226	10,730	9,781	16,026	9,864	4,712	2,147	...	...	...	...	1,144
1994	61,619	5,241	10,856	9,726	16,068	10,122	5,020	2,337	1,067	55	...	...	1,127
1995	62,900	4,957	10,845	9,756	16,277	10,444	5,405	2,584	1,217	110	...	...	1,305
1996	64,429	4,985	10,862	9,716	16,341	10,819	5,768	2,868	1,380	253	...	...	1,437
1997	65,855	4,703	10,653	9,698	16,477	11,212	6,285	3,169	1,591	524	...	...	1,543
1998	67,275	4,527	10,438	9,495	16,492	11,640	6,798	3,541	1,808	862	...	...	1,673
1999	68,327	4,411	10,267	9,369	16,380	11,919	7,199	3,835	2,000	1,079	214	...	1,652
2000 ^a	69,569	4,364	10,088	9,134	16,074	12,258	7,580	4,231	2,307	1,259	516	...	1,757
2001 ^a	69,509	4,250	9,720	8,796	15,563	12,206	7,808	4,557	2,529	1,446	860	40	1,735
2002 ^a	69,676	4,275	9,666	8,647	15,056	12,127	7,938	4,752	2,715	1,602	952	326	1,620

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTE: ... = not applicable.

a. Preliminary data.

CONTACT: Greg Diez (410) 965-0153 or William Kearns (410) 965-6750.

**Table 4.B8—Number of self-employed workers, by sex and age, selected years 1951–2002
(in thousands)**

Year	Total, all ages	Under 20	20–24	25–29	30–34	35–39	40–44	45–49	50–54	55–59	60–61	62–64	65–69	70–71	72 or older
<i>All self-employed workers</i>															
1951	4,190	6	71	246	414	543	592	565	503	462	164	215	237	55	117
1955	6,810	18	114	362	600	757	865	874	790	737	290	441	497	143	322
1960	6,870	19	133	305	560	743	848	929	918	846	316	452	414	101	286
1965	6,550	31	143	292	452	664	814	870	913	885	328	411	388	92	267
1970	6,270	33	159	348	476	581	729	808	837	839	327	407	388	94	244
1975	7,000	67	302	581	679	700	731	813	869	823	317	382	393	95	248
1980	8,200	78	380	824	1,052	983	869	812	851	852	307	381	419	112	280
1985	10,600	112	527	1,099	1,488	1,522	1,261	1,030	930	929	368	434	455	124	321
1990	12,500	152	529	1,123	1,663	1,854	1,736	1,377	1,113	980	381	487	567	150	389
1991	12,800	136	521	1,105	1,697	1,897	1,818	1,474	1,170	998	388	486	561	158	391
1992	13,100	137	509	1,093	1,678	1,951	1,864	1,589	1,243	1,018	382	484	576	166	410
1993	13,200	131	488	1,029	1,650	1,956	1,892	1,647	1,325	1,047	375	481	589	164	426
1994	13,300	140	473	989	1,624	1,936	1,945	1,726	1,357	1,070	375	482	580	164	437
1995	13,500	143	482	1,005	1,612	1,960	1,964	1,808	1,393	1,097	385	467	574	166	445
1996	13,900	147	490	1,036	1,614	2,013	2,035	1,873	1,471	1,144	404	475	575	164	458
1997	14,020	151	498	1,030	1,548	1,978	2,053	1,874	1,555	1,203	402	485	592	169	483
1998	14,230	162	510	1,045	1,524	1,963	2,092	1,885	1,616	1,265	415	493	590	178	492
1999	14,500	171	535	1,040	1,521	1,965	2,088	1,969	1,684	1,322	420	514	595	174	502
2000 ^a	14,725	177	565	1,031	1,502	1,945	2,084	2,008	1,786	1,345	445	527	600	184	526
2001 ^a	14,875	177	596	1,031	1,508	1,884	2,087	2,030	1,814	1,422	458	533	621	181	533
2002 ^a	15,150	179	622	1,048	1,534	1,832	2,094	2,057	1,839	1,523	500	560	638	174	551
<i>Men</i>															
1951	3,620	5	61	219	370	478	519	479	430	393	139	179	204	47	97
1955	5,980	16	104	335	555	687	773	773	679	631	247	373	420	122	265
1960	5,990	16	119	284	515	678	757	812	793	709	260	386	348	83	230
1965	5,640	26	127	263	410	598	714	759	772	742	272	339	326	75	217
1970	5,370	28	136	306	422	522	642	699	712	695	268	324	320	77	201
1975	5,790	57	251	479	564	584	619	680	715	672	255	309	326	78	201
1980	6,407	60	305	639	793	752	672	641	681	668	244	301	333	92	226
1985	7,623	79	378	782	1,060	1,058	873	730	674	686	278	328	351	97	249
1990	8,525	103	346	746	1,112	1,241	1,148	914	762	693	270	355	424	116	295
1991	8,668	92	341	726	1,109	1,268	1,204	976	793	699	273	350	418	119	299
1992	8,798	89	330	714	1,090	1,289	1,228	1,041	830	706	271	344	427	126	312
1993	8,840	89	310	674	1,075	1,290	1,241	1,078	885	713	261	341	436	125	322
1994	8,839	89	309	638	1,053	1,269	1,268	1,127	890	723	263	333	423	122	331
1995	8,908	97	305	648	1,030	1,271	1,281	1,170	906	735	269	325	413	124	335
1996	9,074	94	306	658	1,021	1,281	1,322	1,200	954	754	276	328	415	119	346
1997	9,078	98	311	638	975	1,245	1,313	1,197	997	788	275	334	420	122	365
1998	9,109	98	314	641	947	1,217	1,326	1,188	1,033	819	275	338	415	130	368
1999	9,225	107	319	632	948	1,207	1,314	1,240	1,063	844	279	352	415	127	377
2000 ^a	9,250	108	334	611	912	1,183	1,289	1,255	1,122	850	293	350	420	133	391
2001 ^a	9,232	104	341	605	890	1,133	1,286	1,260	1,128	885	297	352	431	131	389
2002 ^a	9,275	107	350	585	883	1,092	1,256	1,274	1,135	941	319	364	441	125	404

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4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

**Table 4.B8—Number of self-employed workers, by sex and age, selected years 1951–2002
(in thousands)—Continued**

Year	Total, all ages	Under 20	20–24	25–29	30–34	35–39	40–44	45–49	50–54	55–59	60–61	62–64	65–69	70–71	72 or older
<i>Women</i>															
1951	570	1	10	27	44	65	73	86	73	69	25	36	33	8	20
1955	830	2	10	27	45	70	92	101	111	106	43	68	77	21	57
1960	880	3	14	21	45	65	91	117	125	137	56	66	67	18	55
1965	910	5	16	29	42	66	100	111	141	143	56	72	62	17	50
1970	900	5	23	42	54	59	87	109	125	144	59	65	68	17	43
1975	1,210	10	51	102	115	116	112	133	154	151	62	73	67	17	47
1980	1,793	18	75	185	259	231	197	171	170	184	63	80	86	20	54
1985	2,977	33	149	317	428	464	388	300	256	243	90	106	104	27	72
1990	3,975	49	183	377	551	613	588	463	350	287	111	132	142	34	94
1991	4,131	44	180	378	588	629	614	499	376	299	115	136	143	39	92
1992	4,302	48	179	380	588	662	636	548	413	312	110	140	148	39	98
1993	4,360	41	178	355	575	666	651	569	440	334	114	140	153	39	104
1994	4,460	51	164	352	572	667	677	599	468	346	112	148	157	42	105
1995	4,592	46	177	357	582	689	683	638	487	362	116	142	161	42	109
1996	4,826	54	183	377	594	733	713	673	517	390	128	147	160	45	112
1997	4,942	54	188	392	572	733	739	676	558	415	128	151	172	47	118
1998	5,121	65	196	404	577	746	767	697	583	445	140	155	175	48	124
1999	5,276	64	216	408	573	757	773	729	621	478	141	162	180	47	126
2000 ^a	5,475	69	231	421	590	762	795	754	664	495	152	176	180	51	135
2001 ^a	5,643	73	255	426	618	751	801	769	686	537	161	181	190	50	144
2002 ^a	5,874	72	273	463	651	739	838	783	704	582	181	196	197	49	147

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTE: Age refers to age attained during year.

a. Preliminary data.

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Table 4.B9—Number of self-employed workers, by sex and amount of taxable earnings, 1992–2002 (in thousands)

Year	Total	Workers with earnings below taxable maximum (by dollar amount of earnings)											Workers with maximum earnings
		1–999	1,000–4,999	5,000–9,999	10,000–19,999	20,000–29,999	30,000–39,999	40,000–49,999	50,000–59,999	60,000–69,999	70,000–79,999	80,000–84,899	
All self-employed workers													
1992	13,100	593	2,927	2,519	2,755	1,576	971	612	308	...	...	...	839
1993	13,200	587	2,866	2,562	2,776	1,570	990	633	388	...	...	...	828
1994	13,300	551	2,825	2,510	2,832	1,586	1,019	645	426	92	...	...	814
1995	13,500	535	2,781	2,593	2,882	1,604	1,044	678	444	116	...	...	822
1996	13,900	521	2,791	2,667	2,964	1,650	1,092	713	471	176	...	...	853
1997	14,020	522	2,716	2,674	2,966	1,669	1,100	737	489	278	...	...	869
1998	14,230	510	2,643	2,675	3,011	1,717	1,157	777	505	387	...	...	848
1999	14,500	485	2,573	2,688	3,075	1,756	1,191	804	535	384	162	...	848
2000 ^a	14,725	512	2,532	2,674	3,079	1,768	1,216	830	573	410	276	...	856
2001 ^a	14,875	511	2,548	2,665	3,143	1,746	1,198	844	593	405	321	85	816
2002 ^a	15,150	527	2,639	2,731	3,244	1,713	1,170	837	598	423	307	199	762
Men													
1992	8,798	288	1,603	1,606	1,936	1,145	746	485	253	...	...	...	734
1993	8,840	291	1,559	1,632	1,927	1,141	760	500	316	...	...	...	715
1994	8,839	268	1,511	1,552	1,958	1,153	772	503	340	77	...	...	705
1995	8,908	256	1,492	1,581	1,964	1,152	782	521	356	96	...	...	708
1996	9,074	247	1,468	1,598	1,997	1,176	807	545	367	141	...	...	729
1997	9,078	255	1,429	1,550	1,980	1,171	796	559	381	223	...	...	735
1998	9,109	247	1,378	1,518	1,955	1,189	831	584	389	309	...	...	710
1999	9,225	233	1,336	1,497	1,972	1,202	848	591	409	299	129	...	709
2000 ^a	9,250	240	1,314	1,454	1,946	1,185	849	598	424	312	216	...	711
2001 ^a	9,232	241	1,302	1,442	1,938	1,157	818	603	429	308	252	68	674
2002 ^a	9,275	252	1,362	1,456	1,951	1,117	792	584	434	310	233	156	628
Women													
1992	4,302	305	1,323	913	819	431	225	127	55	...	...	...	105
1993	4,360	296	1,308	930	849	429	230	133	73	...	...	...	113
1994	4,460	282	1,314	957	873	435	246	142	85	15	...	...	109
1995	4,592	280	1,289	1,012	918	452	261	157	88	20	...	...	114
1996	4,826	274	1,323	1,069	967	475	285	168	104	35	...	...	125
1997	4,942	267	1,287	1,125	985	499	303	178	108	55	...	...	134
1998	5,121	264	1,265	1,157	1,056	528	327	193	116	78	...	...	138
1999	5,276	251	1,237	1,191	1,103	554	343	212	126	85	33	...	139
2000 ^a	5,475	272	1,219	1,220	1,133	583	367	232	149	97	59	...	145
2001 ^a	5,643	270	1,246	1,223	1,205	589	380	242	164	97	69	17	142
2002 ^a	5,874	275	1,277	1,275	1,293	596	378	253	163	113	74	42	134

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTES: Taxable earnings consist of self-employment income and taxable wages. See Table 2.A3.

... = not applicable.

a. Preliminary data.

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4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

Table 4.B10—Number of workers with Social Security (OASDI) taxable earnings, amount taxable, and contributions, by state or other area and type of earnings, 2002

State or area ^a	Number ^b (thousands)			Taxable earnings ^c (millions of dollars)			OASDI contributions ^d (millions of dollars)		
	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed
All areas	153,837	144,897	15,150	4,243,164	4,015,000	228,164	526,152	497,860	28,292
Alabama	2,252	2,132	209	54,224	51,608	2,616	6,724	6,399	324
Alaska	369	347	39	9,832	9,250	582	1,219	1,147	72
Arizona	2,660	2,531	224	71,170	67,928	3,242	8,825	8,423	402
Arkansas	1,383	1,296	146	30,295	28,562	1,732	3,757	3,542	215
California	16,587	15,254	2,047	500,748	462,791	37,957	62,093	57,386	4,707
Colorado	2,397	2,234	277	68,726	64,343	4,383	8,522	7,979	544
Connecticut	1,935	1,808	206	64,437	60,111	4,326	7,990	7,454	536
Delaware	481	464	30	14,101	13,650	451	1,749	1,693	56
District of Columbia	356	342	28	11,884	11,244	640	1,474	1,394	79
Florida	8,556	8,024	917	215,149	204,231	10,918	26,678	25,325	1,354
Georgia	4,453	4,211	420	121,188	115,411	5,777	15,027	14,311	716
Hawaii	673	636	64	18,454	17,535	918	2,288	2,174	114
Idaho	703	660	75	16,246	15,321	926	2,015	1,900	115
Illinois	6,528	6,173	611	189,578	180,532	9,046	23,508	22,386	1,122
Indiana	3,467	3,314	296	90,841	86,870	3,971	11,264	10,772	492
Iowa	1,688	1,583	190	41,116	38,760	2,357	5,098	4,806	292
Kansas	1,550	1,470	150	40,111	38,009	2,102	4,974	4,713	261
Kentucky	2,132	2,009	216	50,823	48,340	2,482	6,302	5,994	308
Louisiana	2,108	1,979	212	48,584	45,692	2,892	6,024	5,666	359
Maine	718	663	91	17,144	15,857	1,287	2,126	1,966	160
Maryland	3,088	2,943	264	101,034	96,604	4,430	12,528	11,979	549
Massachusetts	3,421	3,189	373	109,267	102,428	6,840	13,549	12,701	848
Michigan	5,498	5,254	445	157,254	151,164	6,090	19,499	18,744	755
Minnesota	3,000	2,841	305	87,280	82,973	4,307	10,823	10,289	534
Mississippi	1,379	1,300	134	30,268	28,528	1,740	3,753	3,537	216
Missouri	3,066	2,898	297	76,155	72,349	3,806	9,443	8,971	472
Montana	509	467	73	10,638	9,713	925	1,319	1,204	115
Nebraska	1,014	957	107	24,715	23,408	1,308	3,065	2,903	162
Nevada	1,099	1,048	86	28,135	26,776	1,359	3,489	3,320	168
New Hampshire	767	717	83	23,051	21,628	1,422	2,858	2,682	176
New Jersey	4,728	4,491	408	163,269	155,444	7,825	20,245	19,275	970
New Mexico	906	857	87	21,099	20,053	1,045	2,616	2,487	130
New York	9,873	9,252	1,039	304,426	288,572	15,854	37,749	35,783	1,966
North Carolina	4,461	4,212	424	115,778	109,753	6,024	14,356	13,609	747
North Dakota	367	339	49	8,202	7,584	618	1,017	940	77
Ohio	5,961	5,631	549	152,729	145,209	7,520	18,938	18,006	932
Oklahoma	1,812	1,697	192	41,580	39,342	2,238	5,156	4,878	277
Oregon	1,880	1,764	186	50,005	47,117	2,888	6,201	5,843	358
Pennsylvania	6,695	6,363	564	188,218	178,969	9,249	23,339	22,192	1,147
Rhode Island	608	579	56	17,367	16,497	870	2,154	2,046	108
South Carolina	2,148	2,043	181	52,726	50,305	2,420	6,538	6,238	300
South Dakota	448	417	58	9,593	8,879	715	1,190	1,101	89
Tennessee	3,119	2,921	337	78,407	73,334	5,072	9,722	9,093	629
Texas	10,507	9,805	1,172	278,283	261,730	16,554	34,507	32,454	2,053
Utah	1,214	1,166	102	29,166	28,001	1,165	3,617	3,472	144

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Table 4.B10—Number of workers with Social Security (OASDI) taxable earnings, amount taxable, and contributions, by state or other area and type of earnings, 2002—Continued

State or area ^a	Number ^b (thousands)			Taxable earnings ^c (millions of dollars)			OASDI contributions ^d (millions of dollars)		
	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed
Vermont	378	352	47	9,445	8,803	642	1,171	1,092	80
Virginia	4,119	3,929	342	124,754	119,369	5,384	15,469	14,802	668
Washington	3,269	3,102	288	97,402	92,640	4,763	12,078	11,487	591
West Virginia	867	821	79	19,996	18,970	1,026	2,479	2,352	127
Wisconsin	3,199	3,058	262	87,078	83,447	3,631	10,798	10,347	450
Wyoming	296	278	34	7,045	6,595	450	874	818	56
Outlying area									
Puerto Rico	1,157	1,095	70	19,269	18,002	1,267	2,389	2,232	157
Other and unknown ^e	1,986	1,980	8	44,879	44,770	109	5,565	5,551	14

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Continuous Work History Sample, 1 percent sample.

NOTE: Data are based on preliminary estimates.

- State designation based primarily on employee end-of-year residence, obtained from employer wage reports filed via magnetic media. State designation based on location of employer for reports filed via paper.
- Workers with earnings in both wage and salary employment and self-employment are counted in each type of employment but only once in the total. National and state totals and subtotals are unduplicated counts of workers in each type of employment.
- Annual maximum taxable earnings for Social Security (OASDI) from a single employer or from self-employment were \$84,900 in 2002.
- For 2002 earnings, paid at the rate of 6.2 percent of taxable wages by both employees and employers, 6.2 percent of taxable tips by employees, and 12.4 percent of self-employment income by self-employed workers. Data are unadjusted for multi-employer tax refunds.
- Persons employed in American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, and Virgin Islands; U.S. citizens employed abroad by U.S. employers; persons employed on U.S. oceanborne vessels; and workers with unknown residence.

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4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

Table 4.B11—Number of workers with Social Security (OASDI) taxable earnings, amount taxable, and contributions, by type of earnings, selected years 1937–2003

Year	Number ^a (thousands)			Taxable earnings ^b (millions of dollars)			OASDI contributions ^{c,d} (millions of dollars)		
	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed
1937	32,900	32,900	...	29,620	29,620	...	592	592	...
1940	35,390	35,390	...	32,970	32,970	...	659	659	...
1945	46,390	46,390	...	62,950	62,950	...	1,259	1,259	...
1950	48,280	48,280	...	87,500	87,500	...	2,625	2,625	...
1951	58,120	54,630	4,190	120,770	111,250	9,520	3,552	3,338	214
1952	59,580	56,060	4,240	128,640	118,880	9,760	3,786	3,566	220
1953	60,840	57,220	4,340	135,870	125,840	10,030	4,001	3,775	226
1954	59,610	55,940	4,350	133,520	123,410	10,110	5,240	4,936	303
1955	65,200	59,560	6,810	157,540	141,810	15,730	6,144	5,672	472
1956	67,610	61,560	7,390	170,720	153,010	17,710	6,652	6,120	531
1957	70,590	64,730	7,150	181,380	163,990	17,390	7,966	7,380	587
1958	69,770	64,040	7,130	180,720	163,140	17,580	7,935	7,341	593
1959	71,700	66,000	7,060	202,310	183,620	18,690	9,882	9,181	701
1960	72,530	66,980	6,870	207,000	188,580	18,420	12,144	11,315	829
1961	72,820	67,360	6,790	209,640	190,850	18,790	12,297	11,451	846
1962	74,280	68,890	6,720	219,050	200,130	18,920	13,397	12,508	889
1963	75,540	70,310	6,590	225,550	206,840	18,710	16,006	14,996	1,010
1964	77,430	72,230	6,480	236,390	217,430	18,960	16,788	15,764	1,024
1965	80,680	75,430	6,550	250,730	230,830	19,900	17,810	16,735	1,075
1966	84,600	79,460	6,630	312,540	287,860	24,680	23,597	22,165	1,431
1967	87,040	82,020	6,470	329,960	305,670	24,290	25,275	23,842	1,433
1968	89,380	84,470	6,570	375,800	348,500	27,300	28,069	26,486	1,583
1969	92,060	87,200	6,350	402,510	375,010	27,500	33,233	31,501	1,733
1970	93,090	88,180	6,270	415,580	388,680	26,900	34,344	32,649	1,695
1971	93,340	88,460	6,290	426,950	399,550	27,400	38,649	36,759	1,891
1972	96,240	91,220	6,600	484,150	452,050	32,100	43,804	41,589	2,215
1973	99,830	94,610	7,100	561,850	523,450	38,400	53,463	50,775	2,688
1974	101,330	96,190	7,040	636,800	594,400	42,400	61,814	58,846	2,968
1975	100,200	94,900	7,000	664,700	621,100	43,600	64,541	61,489	3,052
1976	102,600	97,230	7,400	737,700	689,200	48,500	71,626	68,231	3,395
1977	105,800	100,450	7,480	816,600	763,600	53,000	79,306	75,596	3,710
1978	110,600	104,810	8,040	915,600	856,100	59,500	90,691	86,466	4,225
1979	112,700	106,900	8,200	1,067,000	997,500	69,500	106,246	101,346	4,900
1980	113,000	107,200	8,200	1,180,700	1,109,000	71,700	117,729	112,674	5,055
1981	113,000	107,300	8,250	1,294,100	1,220,000	74,100	136,468	130,540	5,928
1982	111,800	105,800	8,550	1,365,300	1,290,000	75,300	145,382	139,320	6,062
1983	112,100	105,900	9,200	1,454,100	1,369,000	85,100	154,703	147,852	6,851
1984	116,300	109,900	9,900	1,608,800	1,515,000	93,800	183,403	172,710	10,693
1985	119,800	113,400	10,600	1,722,600	1,621,000	101,600	196,376	184,794	11,582
1986	122,900	115,900	11,200	1,844,400	1,730,800	113,600	210,262	197,311	12,950
1987	125,600	118,200	12,000	1,960,000	1,835,100	124,900	223,440	209,201	14,239
1988	129,600	122,100	12,400	2,088,400	1,952,000	136,400	253,114	236,582	16,532
1989	131,700	123,900	12,900	2,239,500	2,096,000	143,500	271,427	254,035	17,392
1990	133,600	126,100	12,500	2,358,000	2,222,000	136,000	292,392	275,528	16,864
1991	133,000	125,200	12,800	2,422,500	2,283,000	139,500	300,390	283,092	17,298
1992	134,000	126,000	13,100	2,532,900	2,386,000	146,900	314,080	295,864	18,216
1993	136,100	128,100	13,200	2,636,100	2,483,400	152,700	326,876	307,942	18,935
1994	138,200	130,100	13,300	2,785,200	2,624,500	160,700	345,365	325,438	19,927

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Table 4.B11—Number of workers with Social Security (OASDI) taxable earnings, amount taxable, and contributions, by type of earnings, selected years 1937–2003—Continued

Year	Number ^a (thousands)			Taxable earnings ^b (millions of dollars)			OASDI contributions ^{c,d} (millions of dollars)		
	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed
1995	141,000	132,800	13,500	2,919,100	2,754,300	164,800	361,968	341,533	20,435
1996	143,400	135,100	13,900	3,073,500	2,901,700	171,800	381,114	359,811	21,303
1997	146,145	137,765	14,020	3,285,000	3,104,300	180,700	407,340	384,933	22,407
1998	148,786	140,386	14,230	3,524,900	3,333,700	191,200	437,088	413,379	23,709
1999	151,333	142,703	14,500	3,749,600	3,547,300	202,300	464,950	439,865	25,085
2000 ^e	153,691	145,046	14,725	4,008,400	3,798,900	209,500	497,042	471,064	25,978
2001 ^e	153,716	144,921	14,875	4,170,100	3,953,600	216,500	517,092	490,246	26,846
2002 ^f	153,837	144,897	15,150	4,243,164	4,015,000	228,164	526,152	497,860	28,292
2003 ^g	154,324	145,059	15,126	4,352,138	4,110,100	242,038	539,665	509,652	30,013

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTE: . . . = not applicable.

- a. Workers with earnings in both wage and salary employment and self-employment are counted in each type of employment but only once in the total.
- b. See Table 2.A3 for annual maximum taxable earnings.
- c. See Table 2.A3 for contribution rates.
- d. Unadjusted for multi-employer tax refunds. Unadjusted for tax credits. See Table 2.A5 for information on tax credits.
- e. Preliminary data.
- f. Taxable earnings are preliminary estimates based on Social Security data; employment data are preliminary estimates based on data from Bureau of Labor Statistics and the National Income and Product Accounts.
- g. Preliminary estimates based on data from Bureau of Labor Statistics and Bureau of Economic Analysis.

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4.B HI: Covered Workers

Table 4.B12—Number of workers with Medicare Part A (HI) taxable earnings, amount taxable, and contributions, by state or other area and type of earnings, 2002

State or area ^a	Number ^b (thousands)			Taxable earnings ^c (millions of dollars)			HI contributions ^d (millions of dollars)		
	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed
All areas	157,473	148,675	15,810	5,133,096	4,789,600	343,496	148,860	138,898	9,961
Alabama	2,270	2,150	215	60,929	56,992	3,937	1,767	1,653	114
Alaska	392	372	40	12,100	11,338	761	351	329	22
Arizona	2,675	2,546	236	80,116	75,333	4,783	2,323	2,185	139
Arkansas	1,391	1,305	151	33,388	31,249	2,139	968	906	62
California	17,397	16,100	2,138	652,233	594,587	57,646	18,915	17,243	1,672
Colorado	2,551	2,399	289	87,162	80,342	6,820	2,528	2,330	198
Connecticut	1,973	1,848	221	92,208	84,095	8,113	2,674	2,439	235
Delaware	484	467	32	15,885	15,041	844	461	436	24
District of Columbia	367	353	30	15,976	14,264	1,712	463	414	50
Florida	8,632	8,102	949	250,696	235,408	15,288	7,270	6,827	443
Georgia	4,557	4,318	440	145,907	137,406	8,500	4,231	3,985	247
Hawaii	695	659	66	21,057	19,862	1,195	611	576	35
Idaho	707	665	76	17,519	16,482	1,037	508	478	30
Illinois	6,761	6,416	643	238,344	223,706	14,638	6,912	6,487	424
Indiana	3,487	3,334	307	100,168	94,429	5,740	2,905	2,738	166
Iowa	1,697	1,591	196	44,589	41,674	2,915	1,293	1,209	85
Kansas	1,558	1,478	156	45,181	42,181	3,000	1,310	1,223	87
Kentucky	2,180	2,059	223	57,673	54,358	3,315	1,673	1,576	96
Louisiana	2,265	2,142	219	60,000	56,068	3,932	1,740	1,626	114
Maine	749	695	93	19,709	18,245	1,464	572	529	42
Maryland	3,152	3,008	283	120,985	113,608	7,377	3,509	3,295	214
Massachusetts	3,642	3,423	398	146,223	135,161	11,062	4,240	3,920	321
Michigan	5,530	5,287	468	178,486	170,116	8,369	5,176	4,933	243
Minnesota	3,017	2,857	318	100,595	95,187	5,408	2,917	2,760	157
Mississippi	1,388	1,309	138	32,772	30,308	2,464	950	879	71
Missouri	3,133	2,968	306	88,217	82,702	5,515	2,558	2,398	160
Montana	513	471	74	11,617	10,371	1,246	337	301	36
Nebraska	1,020	963	112	27,445	25,780	1,664	796	748	48
Nevada	1,160	1,111	90	34,906	32,936	1,970	1,012	955	57
New Hampshire	776	726	87	27,474	25,551	1,924	797	741	56
New Jersey	4,758	4,521	442	211,851	197,915	13,935	6,144	5,740	404
New Mexico	917	867	88	23,222	21,995	1,227	673	638	36
New York	9,918	9,296	1,097	402,200	370,593	31,606	11,664	10,747	917
North Carolina	4,481	4,233	440	130,663	122,173	8,491	3,789	3,543	246
North Dakota	370	342	50	8,731	8,051	681	253	233	20
Ohio	6,400	6,094	571	190,500	180,141	10,358	5,524	5,224	300
Oklahoma	1,831	1,717	198	45,671	43,098	2,573	1,324	1,250	75
Oregon	1,891	1,776	191	55,587	51,893	3,694	1,612	1,505	107
Pennsylvania	6,744	6,411	594	219,100	205,880	13,220	6,354	5,971	383
Rhode Island	617	588	59	19,932	18,693	1,239	578	542	36
South Carolina	2,156	2,051	187	58,282	55,009	3,273	1,690	1,595	95
South Dakota	452	421	59	10,370	9,494	875	301	275	25
Tennessee	3,143	2,944	350	91,549	83,921	7,628	2,655	2,434	221
Texas	11,016	10,337	1,210	341,833	318,151	23,682	9,913	9,226	687
Utah	1,225	1,177	106	32,470	30,904	1,566	942	896	45

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Table 4.B12—Number of workers with Medicare Part A (HI) taxable earnings, amount taxable, and contributions, by state or other area and type of earnings, 2002—Continued

State or area ^a	Number ^b (thousands)			Taxable earnings ^c (millions of dollars)			HI contributions ^d (millions of dollars)		
	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed	Total	Wage and salary	Self-employed
Vermont	379	354	49	10,343	9,528	815	300	276	24
Virginia	4,161	3,971	359	147,086	138,160	8,927	4,266	4,007	259
Washington	3,301	3,134	298	113,483	107,205	6,278	3,291	3,109	182
West Virginia	875	829	80	21,948	20,343	1,606	637	590	47
Wisconsin	3,211	3,071	274	97,264	92,490	4,774	2,821	2,682	138
Wyoming	299	281	36	7,749	7,165	583	225	208	17
Outlying area									
Puerto Rico	1,197	1,135	70	21,250	19,702	1,548	616	571	45
Other and unknown ^e	2,010	2,004	8	52,457	52,317	140	1,521	1,517	4

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Continuous Work History Sample, 1 percent sample.

NOTE: Data are based on preliminary estimates.

- a. State designation based primarily on employee end-of-year residence, obtained from employer wage reports filed via magnetic media. State designation based on location of employer for reports filed via paper.
- b. Workers with earnings in both wage and salary employment and self-employment are counted in each type of employment but only once in the total. National and state totals and subtotals are unduplicated counts of workers in each type of employment.
- c. No annual maximum taxable earnings amount for Medicare.
- d. For 2002 earnings, paid at the rate of 1.45 percent of taxable wages by both employees and employers, 1.45 percent of taxable tips by employees, and 2.9 percent of self-employment income by self-employed workers.
- e. Persons employed in American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, and Virgin Islands; U.S. citizens employed abroad by U.S. employers; persons employed on U.S. oceanborne vessels; and workers with unknown residence.

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4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

Table 4.B13—Social Security (OASDI) taxable earnings, by sex and age, 2002

Sex	Total, all ages	Under 20	20–29	30–39	40–49	50–59	60–61	62–64	65–69	70 or older
Social Security (OASDI) taxable earnings (in millions of dollars)										
All workers	4,243,164	44,489	596,825	1,105,414	1,282,135	912,785	101,444	90,942	65,782	43,349
Men	2,590,702	23,693	338,511	683,953	787,628	560,308	65,018	58,811	43,813	28,966
Women	1,652,462	20,796	258,313	421,460	494,507	352,477	36,426	32,131	21,968	14,384
Percentage distribution, by age										
All workers	100	1	14	26	30	22	2	2	2	1
Men	100	1	13	26	30	22	3	2	2	1
Women	100	1	16	26	30	21	2	2	1	1
Percentage distribution, by sex										
All workers	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Men	61	53	57	62	61	61	64	65	67	67
Women	39	47	43	38	39	39	36	35	33	33

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

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Table 4.B14—Medicare (HI) taxable earnings, by sex and age, 2002

Sex	Total, all ages	Under 20	20–29	30–39	40–49	50–59	60–61	62–64	65–69	70 or older
Medicare (HI) taxable earnings (in millions of dollars)										
All workers	5,133,096	45,090	626,103	1,275,732	1,607,889	1,187,778	128,514	120,688	84,427	56,875
Men	3,300,304	24,063	356,170	812,888	1,045,901	786,390	88,140	85,758	60,189	40,805
Women	1,832,792	21,027	269,933	462,844	561,988	401,388	40,374	34,930	24,238	16,070
Percentage distribution, by age										
All workers	100	1	12	25	31	23	3	2	2	1
Men	100	1	11	25	32	24	3	3	2	1
Women	100	1	15	25	31	22	2	2	1	1
Percentage distribution, by sex										
All workers	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Men	64	53	57	64	65	66	69	71	71	72
Women	36	47	43	36	35	34	31	29	29	28

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

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