

5.M OASDI Current-Pay Benefits: International Agreements

Table 5.M1—Number of beneficiaries and average monthly benefit under U.S. totalization agreements, by country and type of benefit, December 1983–2001, selected years

Year and country	Total	Retired workers	Disabled workers	Wives and husbands	Widow(er)s <sup>a</sup>	Children
<i>Number</i>						
1983.....	1,541	970	97	266	109	99
1984.....	2,717	1,664	254	435	202	162
1985.....	7,857	4,773	404	1,730	578	372
1990.....	27,662	17,432	1,609	5,801	2,078	742
1995.....	54,806	35,925	2,428	10,974	4,431	1,048
1996.....	59,455	39,085	2,514	11,917	4,893	1,046
1997.....	63,842	42,163	2,662	12,583	5,342	1,092
1998.....	68,748	45,632	2,708	13,376	5,926	1,106
1999.....	74,933	50,018	2,749	14,421	6,636	1,109
2000.....	82,404	55,398	2,687	15,806	7,302	1,211
2001.....	88,770	59,713	2,859	17,013	7,917	1,268
Austria.....	712	530	52	82	32	16
Belgium.....	524	381	6	93	37	7
Canada.....	36,695	22,448	1,503	8,050	4,207	487
Finland.....	154	111	<sup>b</sup>	23	<sup>b</sup>	<sup>b</sup>
France.....	3,084	2,220	37	560	198	69
Germany.....	13,334	10,176	587	1,672	715	184
Greece.....	1,808	1,217	78	374	95	44
Ireland.....	970	704	30	155	61	20
Italy.....	7,247	4,657	104	1,379	1,005	102
Luxembourg.....	29	17	<sup>b</sup>	5	<sup>b</sup>	<sup>b</sup>
Netherlands.....	1,678	1,190	9	361	92	26
Norway.....	2,939	1,900	88	603	312	36
Portugal.....	1,619	1,080	87	261	157	34
Spain.....	1,682	1,033	60	380	166	43
Sweden.....	1,175	872	25	214	44	20
Switzerland.....	2,840	2,102	24	552	122	40
United Kingdom.....	12,280	9,075	160	2,249	665	131
<i>Average monthly benefit (dollars)</i>						
1983.....	62.61	68.77	145.68	24.01	49.27	40.16
1984.....	79.29	90.32	144.07	25.64	51.61	42.90
1985.....	73.52	86.52	147.43	32.04	60.94	38.79
1990.....	108.07	122.87	223.71	44.37	88.01	63.88
1995.....	134.13	155.20	271.21	51.27	108.60	69.88
1996.....	138.89	160.65	287.11	52.80	112.45	74.22
1997.....	143.69	165.94	298.78	54.24	115.62	74.27
1998.....	146.37	169.15	305.43	55.08	117.87	73.49
1999.....	151.22	174.94	312.05	56.58	123.64	78.56
2000.....	157.03	182.39	324.60	59.01	127.96	79.70
2001.....	162.05	188.04	340.20	60.96	131.50	83.98
Austria.....	199.88	225.39	217.06	63.20	165.22	68.88
Belgium.....	164.26	190.35	377.33	57.22	150.95	54.57
Canada.....	135.66	154.70	330.97	57.09	120.16	88.33
Finland.....	159.67	168.92	<sup>b</sup>	61.26	<sup>b</sup>	<sup>b</sup>
France.....	170.59	198.64	369.49	65.56	152.11	67.10
Germany.....	211.44	236.68	324.00	63.36	140.91	76.21
Greece.....	138.21	148.06	382.53	62.04	133.06	91.14
Ireland.....	185.95	201.45	496.77	74.50	173.41	75.75
Italy.....	147.51	174.74	422.08	58.90	120.80	85.47
Luxembourg.....	195.31	225.12	<sup>b</sup>	55.00	<sup>b</sup>	<sup>b</sup>
Netherlands.....	158.24	184.71	692.33	66.11	147.55	78.65
Norway.....	158.29	176.11	398.56	67.96	163.93	94.78
Portugal.....	150.65	161.29	327.03	63.61	134.87	102.26
Spain.....	139.25	157.53	338.53	57.97	147.92	107.12
Sweden.....	149.76	166.03	324.80	64.56	169.00	90.85
Switzerland.....	152.35	175.12	416.46	61.44	142.70	81.55
United Kingdom.....	202.48	237.11	359.41	69.10	168.75	72.97

a. Includes nondisabled and disabled widow(er)s and mothers and fathers.

b. Not shown to avoid disclosure of information regarding particular individuals.

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

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