

Table 21.
Number and average monthly family benefit, by selected family groups, December 1960–2001,
selected years

Year	Worker only			Worker, spouse, and—		Worker and aged spouse ^a
	All	Men	Women	1 child	2 or more children	
<i>Number (thousands)</i>						
1960	357	261	96	22	32	22
1965	714	481	232	54	109	30
1970	1,054	680	374	77	164	43
1975	1,750	1,080	671	137	250	66
1980	2,061	1,257	804	154	228	80
1981	^b	^b	^b	^b	^b	^b
1982	1,969	1,208	760	124	163	78
1983	1,961	1,215	746	85	143	80
1984	1,993	1,241	752	83	140	76
1985	2,039	1,267	772	84	140	76
1986	2,096	1,301	795	82	136	74
1987	2,154	1,338	816	79	132	74
1988	2,194	1,353	841	77	125	71
1989	2,262	1,390	872	75	120	67
1990	2,370	1,448	922	75	118	63
1991	2,523	1,529	994	76	119	61
1992	2,738	1,643	1,094	78	125	61
1993	2,935	1,743	1,192	78	127	59
1994	3,121	1,830	1,292	76	128	57
1995	3,305	1,909	1,396	75	124	55
1996	3,473	1,973	1,500	61	104	53
1997	3,593	2,006	1,588	57	91	53
1998	3,769	2,074	1,695	52	80	53
1999	3,924	2,131	1,793	49	72	52
2000	4,080	2,191	1,890	45	65	50
2001	4,260	2,289	1,970	68	92	57

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Number and average monthly family benefit, by selected family groups, December 1960–2001,
selected years—Continued

Year	Worker only			Worker, spouse, and—		Worker and aged spouse ^a
	All	Men	Women	1 child	2 or more children	
<i>Average monthly family benefit (dollars)</i>						
1960	87.90	91.90	76.90	184.70	192.20	135.50
1965	95.40	100.70	85.00	201.00	216.30	145.90
1970	128.10	136.30	113.10	264.10	273.20	199.20
1975	218.90	240.00	185.00	441.00	454.00	344.00
1980	355.40	396.20	291.70	727.00	746.10	573.00
1981	^b	^b	^b	^b	^b	^b
1982	424.40	474.20	344.70	847.40	858.20	690.70
1983	439.40	490.90	355.40	867.90	881.80	716.20
1984	454.00	507.60	365.70	881.50	885.50	740.40
1985	466.90	523.10	374.60	898.10	895.20	765.00
1986	470.70	527.80	377.40	896.90	888.30	773.30
1987	491.60	552.00	392.60	929.40	918.30	815.50
1988	512.20	576.10	409.50	960.20	938.40	855.40
1989	539.30	607.10	431.20	1,009.40	971.90	903.70
1990	570.40	642.80	456.80	1,062.10	1,016.00	960.80
1991	592.30	668.40	475.50	1,098.00	1,043.30	1,004.70
1992	609.50	688.70	490.70	1,122.10	1,057.40	1,045.00
1993	625.50	707.20	506.00	1,143.00	1,074.20	1,078.20
1994	646.20	731.80	525.00	1,177.60	1,100.00	1,118.60
1995	667.60	757.40	544.80	1,205.50	1,130.90	1,159.90
1996	690.60	785.30	566.00	1,245.90	1,148.50	1,200.60
1997	708.00	806.60	583.60	1,280.20	1,165.90	1,238.50
1998	720.00	820.20	597.40	1,300.40	1,189.40	1,261.90
1999	741.20	844.50	618.50	1,344.90	1,224.20	1,295.30
2000	773.60	880.70	649.40	1,394.20	1,274.30	1,355.50
2001	807.40	914.40	683.10	1,413.50	1,298.50	1,393.50

SOURCES: *Annual Statistical Supplement to the Social Security Bulletin*, Table 5.H1 for 1960–2000 data. Data for 1985–2000 are based on 10 percent sample. Data for prior years are based on different sampling rates. Disabled Beneficiaries and Dependents Master Beneficiary Record file beginning with 2001.

NOTES: A family means beneficiaries entitled on one worker's account.

Includes beneficiaries whose benefits are being withheld.

a. Spouse's entitlement based on age.

b. Not available.

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Table 22.
Number, average primary insurance amount, and average monthly family benefit, December 2001

Family composition	Number of families	Number of beneficiaries	Average primary insurance amount (dollars)	Average monthly family benefit (dollars)	Percentage of families receiving maximum family benefit
Worker only					
Men	2,289,722	2,289,722	920.20	914.40	8.9
Women	1,970,580	1,970,578	684.70	683.10	20.9
Worker with children					
By sex of worker					
Men	533,406	1,372,780	893.90	1,276.30	83.3
Women	376,944	945,500	717.70	987.60	89.1
By number of children					
1 child	555,505	1,111,010	827.90	1,161.20	84.9
2 children	250,651	751,959	819.10	1,163.20	88.1
3 or more children	104,194	455,311	788.50	1,117.90	84.4
Workers with—					
Spouse aged 62 or older ^a	57,354	114,967	1,130.40	1,393.50	8.3
Spouse aged 62 or older and 1 or more children	1,770	5,627	1,040.60	1,654.50	67.8
Spouse and 1 child	66,012	198,137	927.80	1,408.30	90.4
Spouse and 2 children	54,425	217,761	898.00	1,335.50	89.6
Spouse and 3 or more children	37,070	204,770	851.50	1,241.40	82.9

SOURCE: Disabled Beneficiaries and Dependents Master Beneficiary Record file.

NOTES: A family means beneficiaries entitled on one worker's account.

Includes beneficiaries whose benefits are being withheld.

a. If the spouse is also entitled to a retired-worker benefit, only the benefit amount received as a spouse is included.

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Table 23.
Distribution, by age of worker, December 2001

Family composition	Total, all ages	Under 30	30–34	35–39	40–44	45–49	50–54	55–59	60 or older
Number									
Worker only	4,260,302	123,854	134,738	217,238	364,179	549,869	792,418	1,002,519	1,075,487
Worker with—									
Spouse									
Aged 62 or older ^a	59,124	b	b	b	73	375	1,677	7,822	49,164
Child in care	157,507	2,876	9,594	21,902	33,436	32,546	26,631	18,510	12,012
Children									
1 child	555,505	18,264	34,256	69,276	115,079	120,359	95,886	63,003	39,382
2 children	250,651	8,843	26,663	56,233	66,670	46,230	25,958	13,204	6,850
3 or more children	104,194	3,766	14,977	29,288	27,213	14,907	7,754	4,082	2,207
Families receiving maximum benefit ^c	1,541,857	99,229	123,758	214,339	280,724	256,452	216,795	187,086	163,474
Percent									
Worker only	100.0	2.9	3.2	5.1	8.6	12.9	18.6	23.5	25.2
Worker with—									
Spouse									
Aged 62 or older ^a	100.0	b	b	b	0.1	0.6	2.8	13.2	83.2
Child in care	100.0	1.8	6.1	13.9	21.2	20.7	16.9	11.8	7.6
Children									
1 child	100.0	3.3	6.2	12.5	20.7	21.7	17.3	11.3	7.1
2 children	100.0	3.5	10.6	22.4	26.6	18.4	10.4	5.3	2.7
3 or more children	100.0	3.6	14.4	28.1	26.1	14.3	7.4	3.9	2.1
Families receiving maximum benefit ^c	28.6	63.0	56.2	54.4	46.3	33.6	22.8	16.9	13.8

SOURCE: Disabled Beneficiaries and Dependents Master Beneficiary Record file.

NOTES: A family means beneficiaries entitled on one worker's account.

Includes beneficiaries whose benefits are being withheld.

- a. Includes spouses aged 62 or older with children.
- b. Data not shown to avoid disclosure of information for particular individuals.
- c. Includes worker-only families.

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