



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	
Maryland	850,361	573,774	115,898	65,556	30,771	64,362	953,323	692,881	74,897	611,149
1	142,644	101,722	16,388	10,514	5,154	8,866	164,689	125,260	12,381	105,476
2	113,664	69,869	20,047	9,884	3,735	10,129	126,154	84,653	11,385	75,671
3	104,875	72,104	13,395	8,691	3,729	6,956	123,179	90,933	10,473	77,772
4	77,114	51,215	11,062	4,676	2,316	7,845	79,913	56,702	4,831	53,136
5	94,396	64,154	12,248	6,864	3,352	7,778	103,060	74,104	7,448	67,204
6	125,988	85,000	16,305	10,602	5,411	8,670	141,535	102,647	12,203	90,751
7	102,954	63,274	19,472	7,966	2,421	9,821	108,557	73,965	8,287	67,673
8	88,726	66,436	6,981	6,359	4,653	4,297	106,235	84,617	7,889	73,466
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
Maryland	107,636	14,923	591	92,122	59,432	5,878	284	53,270	29,793	24,825
1	10,116	944	64	9,108	5,287	258	30	4,999	3,423	1,715
2	16,583	1,177	101	15,305	9,608	423	51	9,135	4,369	2,465
3	12,411	2,178	59	10,174	6,800	967	28	5,806	3,394	3,577
4	12,059	2,454	72	9,533	6,502	1,012	39	5,452	2,832	3,372
5	8,436	1,279	55	7,102	4,484	472	24	3,988	2,429	2,051
6	9,659	750	64	8,845	5,074	244	28	4,802	3,250	1,596
7	29,103	2,071	122	26,910	17,032	679	58	16,295	7,693	5,130
8	9,269	4,070	54	5,145	4,644	1,825	26	2,794	2,403	4,919
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.

For technical information about the data processing, call Sheron Matthews at (410) 965-0090, or e-mail statistics@ssa.gov.

Social Security Administration
Office of Retirement and Disability Policy
Office of Research, Evaluation, and Statistics
500 E Street, SW, 8th Floor
Washington, DC 20254

SSA Publication No. 13-11710