



*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 monthly benefit amount,**  
**December 2003**

Congressional district	Number of beneficiaries						Monthly benefit amount (thousands of dollars)			Number of OASDI beneficiaries aged 65 or older
	Total	Retired workers <sup>a</sup>	Disabled workers	Widow(er)s <sup>b</sup>	Wives and husbands	Children	All beneficiaries	Retired workers	Widow(er)s <sup>b</sup>	
Arizona	863,905	562,478	106,090	76,415	50,001	68,921	743,448	527,791	68,241	615,292
1	125,546	77,666	16,465	11,266	8,101	12,048	102,027	69,936	9,211	85,108
2	167,294	119,135	16,496	13,461	8,818	9,384	148,080	112,020	12,380	127,310
3	91,031	59,062	11,860	8,379	4,570	7,160	83,904	59,177	7,988	64,686
4	67,140	34,757	13,903	5,912	3,084	9,484	51,728	30,823	4,803	38,953
5	77,376	52,918	7,752	6,991	4,592	5,123	73,666	54,358	6,892	57,974
6	101,228	67,748	11,598	8,992	5,335	7,555	88,719	63,628	8,255	73,667
7	101,536	60,991	14,387	9,609	6,432	10,117	78,912	52,579	7,849	67,935
8	132,754	90,201	13,629	11,805	9,069	8,050	116,408	85,265	10,861	99,659
All areas <sup>c</sup>	47,038,391	29,531,615	5,873,673	4,899,704	2,772,576	3,960,823	39,541,474	27,230,628	4,238,982	33,433,599

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.

c. Includes beneficiaries in the 50 states, District of Columbia, American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, Puerto Rico, and Virgin Islands.

**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 monthly payment amount, December 2003**

Congressional district	Number of recipients				Monthly payment amount (thousands of dollars)				Number of recipients	
	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	With OASDI <sup>a</sup>	Aged 65 or older
Arizona	91,786	13,231	927	77,628	39,176	3,798	381	34,995	29,866	22,714
1	18,789	2,680	216	15,893	7,737	641	89	7,006	6,882	5,479
2	9,705	1,303	102	8,300	4,310	366	40	3,903	3,275	2,217
3	8,231	1,018	77	7,136	3,722	347	31	3,343	2,261	1,568
4	18,702	2,068	154	16,480	8,290	639	62	7,588	5,369	3,844
5	4,629	670	50	3,909	1,969	222	19	1,727	1,322	1,010
6	6,102	804	54	5,244	2,600	231	24	2,344	1,790	1,248
7	17,102	3,330	167	13,605	7,040	945	71	6,022	6,008	5,284
8	8,526	1,358	107	7,061	3,503	403	41	3,058	2,959	2,064
All areas <sup>b</sup>	6,902,364	1,232,778	77,082	5,592,504	3,077,818	424,774	35,646	2,617,398	2,421,362	1,989,737

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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