

**Table 5.**  
**DI benefits, by type of beneficiary, October 2006–October 2007**

Month	All beneficiaries	Disabled workers	Spouses	Children
<i>Number (thousands)</i>				
2006				
October	8,571	6,780	156	1,635
November	8,596	6,796	156	1,644
December	8,619	6,812	156	1,652
2007				
January	8,634	6,824	154	1,657
February	8,659	6,841	154	1,664
March	8,688	6,859	154	1,675
April	8,722	6,882	154	1,686
May	8,748	6,901	153	1,693
June	8,739	6,924	153	1,662
July	8,724	6,947	152	1,624
August	8,744	6,966	152	1,626
September	8,798	7,012	152	1,633
October	8,856	7,058	154	1,644
<i>Total monthly benefits (millions of dollars)</i>				
2006				
October	6,906	6,409	39	458
November	6,932	6,432	39	462
December	7,181	6,661	40	480
2007				
January	7,195	6,674	39	482
February	7,215	6,691	39	485
March	7,236	6,709	39	488
April	7,263	6,733	39	491
May	7,285	6,753	39	493
June	7,300	6,777	39	484
July	7,312	6,800	39	471
August	7,332	6,821	39	472
September	7,384	6,869	40	475
October	7,438	6,919	40	479

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**OASDI Benefits in Current-Payment Status**

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Month	All beneficiaries	Disabled workers	Spouses	Children
<i>Average monthly benefit (dollars)</i>				
2006				
October	805.80	945.30	249.30	280.20
November	806.50	946.40	249.10	280.80
December	833.10	977.90	257.00	290.50
2007				
January	833.30	978.00	256.90	291.00
February	833.30	978.10	256.50	291.20
March	832.90	978.10	256.20	291.20
April	832.80	978.40	256.10	291.30
May	832.80	978.50	256.20	291.40
June	835.30	978.80	256.90	291.00
July	838.10	979.00	258.30	290.20
August	838.60	979.10	258.30	290.50
September	839.40	979.70	260.00	291.00
October	839.90	980.20	260.90	291.40

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

NOTES: Data are for the end of the specified month.

Some Social Security beneficiaries are entitled to more than one type of benefit. In most cases, they are dually entitled to a worker benefit and a higher spouse or widow(er) benefit. If both benefits are financed from the same trust fund, the beneficiary is usually counted only once in the statistics, as a retired-worker or a disabled-worker beneficiary, and the benefit amount recorded is the larger amount associated with the auxiliary benefit. If the benefits are paid from different trust funds the beneficiary is counted twice, and the respective benefit amounts are recorded for each type of benefit.

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