

Table 4.B1—Workers, earnings, and Social Security numbers issued, selected years 1937–2001

Year	Number of workers reported with taxable earnings ^a (thousands)			Earnings					Social Security numbers issued ^b (thousands)
	Total	With maximum earnings	New entrants into covered employment ^c	Total in covered employment ^d (millions of dollars)	Reported taxable ^a		Average per worker (dollars)		
					Amount (millions of dollars)	Percentage of total	Total earnings ^d	Reported taxable	
1937	32,900	1,031	32,900	32,200	29,620	92.0	979	900	37,139
1940	35,390	1,196	4,430	35,700	32,970	92.4	1,009	932	5,227
1945	46,390	6,361	3,480	71,600	62,950	87.9	1,543	1,357	3,321
1950	48,280	13,936	2,520	109,800	87,500	79.7	2,274	1,812	2,891
1951	58,120	14,270	6,000	148,900	120,770	81.1	2,562	2,078	4,927
1952	59,580	16,606	3,500	159,900	128,640	80.5	2,684	2,159	4,363
1953	60,840	19,013	3,090	173,000	135,870	78.5	2,844	2,233	3,464
1954	59,610	18,866	2,360	171,900	133,520	77.7	2,884	2,240	2,743
1955	65,200	16,704	4,760	196,100	157,540	80.3	3,008	2,416	4,323
1956	67,610	19,236	3,660	216,800	170,720	78.8	3,207	2,525	4,376
1957	70,590	21,095	3,380	233,900	181,380	77.5	3,314	2,569	3,639
1958	69,770	21,328	2,450	236,500	180,720	76.4	3,390	2,590	2,290
1959	71,700	19,112	3,180	255,000	202,310	79.3	3,556	2,822	3,388
1960	72,530	20,310	3,130	265,200	207,000	78.1	3,656	2,854	3,415
1961	72,820	21,265	2,990	270,700	209,640	77.4	3,717	2,879	3,370
1962	74,280	23,154	3,360	289,000	219,050	75.8	3,891	2,949	4,519
1963	75,540	24,570	3,520	302,300	225,550	74.6	4,002	2,986	8,617
1964	77,430	26,717	3,890	324,500	236,390	72.8	4,191	3,053	5,623
1965	80,680	29,136	4,620	351,700	250,730	71.3	4,359	3,108	6,131
1966	84,600	20,498	5,080	390,700	312,540	80.0	4,618	3,694	6,506
1967	87,040	22,948	4,530	422,300	329,960	78.1	4,852	3,791	5,920
1968	89,380	19,120	4,830	460,000	375,840	81.7	5,147	4,205	5,862
1969	92,060	22,577	5,160	502,800	402,550	80.1	5,462	4,373	6,289
1970	93,090	24,224	4,440	531,600	415,600	78.2	5,711	4,464	6,132
1971	93,340	26,404	4,470	559,700	426,960	76.3	5,996	4,574	6,401
1972	96,240	24,074	5,150	617,900	484,110	78.3	6,420	5,030	9,564
1973	99,830	20,250	5,670	686,700	561,850	81.8	6,879	5,628	10,038
1974	101,330	15,310	4,940	746,700	636,760	85.3	7,369	6,284	7,998
1975	100,200	15,070	4,120	787,600	664,660	84.4	7,860	6,633	8,164
1976	102,600	15,330	4,700	874,700	737,700	84.3	8,525	7,190	9,043
1977	105,800	15,700	5,070	960,100	816,550	85.0	9,075	7,718	7,724
1978	110,600	17,050	5,460	1,092,600	915,600	83.8	9,879	8,278	5,260
1979	112,700	11,236	4,883	1,222,200	1,067,000	87.3	10,845	9,468	5,213
1980	113,000	9,903	4,243	1,328,800	1,180,700	88.9	11,759	10,449	5,984
1981	113,000	8,594	4,090	1,450,900	1,294,100	89.2	12,840	11,452	5,581
1982	111,800	7,929	3,408	1,516,600	1,365,300	90.0	13,565	12,212	5,362
1983	112,100	7,044	3,914	1,615,200	1,454,100	90.0	14,409	12,971	6,699
1984	116,300	7,421	4,743	1,800,800	1,608,800	89.3	15,484	13,833	5,980
1985	119,800	7,766	4,756	1,936,800	1,722,600	88.9	16,167	14,379	5,720
1986	122,900	7,624	4,641	2,081,800	1,844,400	88.6	16,939	15,007	5,711
1987	125,600	7,735	4,956	2,237,000	1,960,000	87.6	17,811	15,605	11,621
1988	129,600	8,483	5,489	2,432,800	2,088,400	85.8	18,772	16,114	11,370
1989	131,700	8,110	4,856	2,578,700	2,239,500	86.8	19,580	17,005	8,049
1990	133,600	7,575	4,012	2,703,800	2,358,000	87.2	20,238	17,650	9,054
1991	133,000	7,483	3,541	2,760,500	2,422,500	87.8	20,756	18,214	7,509
1992	134,000	7,667	3,918	2,917,800	2,532,900	86.8	21,775	18,902	6,819
1993	136,100	7,617	4,204	3,022,900	2,636,100	87.2	22,211	19,369	5,893
1994	138,200	7,518	4,591	3,197,000	2,785,200	87.1	23,133	20,153	5,816
1995	141,000	8,191	4,621	3,401,800	2,919,100	85.8	24,126	20,703	5,465
1996	143,400	8,682	4,620	3,587,600	3,073,500	85.7	25,018	21,433	5,533
1997 ^e	146,100	9,022	4,700	3,860,200	3,285,300	85.1	26,422	22,487	5,413
1998 ^e	148,900	9,371	4,893	4,167,200	3,521,500	84.5	27,987	23,650	5,288
1999 ^e	151,400	9,099	4,898	4,451,100	3,744,600	84.1	29,400	24,733	5,306
2000 ^f	153,700	^g	^g	4,794,500	3,991,100	83.2	31,194	25,967	5,476
2001 ^h	153,500	^g	^g	5,056,100	4,198,300	83.0	32,939	27,350	5,883

a. Relates to wage and salary workers for 1937–1950. Beginning in 1951, includes self-employment. See Table 2.A3 for annual maximum taxable earnings.

b. Excludes railroad account numbers. Since program began, 408 million Social Security numbers have been issued. Some individuals have been issued more than one number.

c. Workers reported with first taxable earnings under program in specified year. During 1937–1999, 300 million different persons reported with taxable earnings.

d. Total wages, including estimated amounts above taxable limit, for 1937–1950. Beginning in 1951, also includes reported total net earnings of self-employed persons.

e. Preliminary data.

f. Taxable earnings are preliminary estimates based on Social Security data.

g. Data not available.

h. Preliminary estimates based on data from Bureau of Labor Statistics and the Bureau of Economic Analysis.

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample; Bureau of Labor Statistics; and Bureau of Economic Analysis.

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4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

Table 4.B2—Number and amount of earnings for wage and salary and self-employed workers, 1951–2001

Year	Number of workers reported with taxable earnings ^a (thousands)		Wage and salary earnings					Self-employment earnings				
			Total in covered employment ^b (millions of dollars)	Reported taxable		Average per worker		Total in covered employment ^c (millions)	Reported taxable		Average per self-employed person (dollars)	
	Wage and salary employment	Self-employment		Amount ^d (millions of dollars)	Percentage of total wages	Total wages ^b	Reported taxable ^d		Amount ^d (millions of dollars)	Percentage of total self-employment	Total earnings ^c	Reported taxable ^d
1951.....	54,630	4,190	132,500	111,250	84.0	2,425	2,036	16,400	9,520	58.0	3,914	2,272
1952.....	56,060	4,240	143,500	118,880	82.8	2,560	2,121	16,400	9,760	59.5	3,868	2,302
1953.....	57,220	4,340	156,000	125,840	80.7	2,726	2,199	17,000	10,030	59.0	3,917	2,311
1954.....	55,940	4,350	155,100	123,410	79.6	2,773	2,206	16,800	10,110	60.2	3,862	2,324
1955.....	59,560	6,810	171,600	141,810	82.6	2,881	2,381	24,500	15,730	64.2	3,598	2,310
1956.....	61,560	7,390	188,500	153,010	81.2	3,062	2,486	28,300	17,710	62.6	3,829	2,396
1957.....	64,730	7,150	205,500	163,990	79.8	3,175	2,533	28,400	17,390	61.2	3,972	2,432
1958.....	64,040	7,130	208,000	163,140	78.4	3,248	2,547	28,500	17,580	61.7	3,997	2,466
1959.....	66,000	7,060	225,100	183,620	81.6	3,411	2,782	29,900	18,690	62.5	4,235	2,647
1960.....	66,980	6,870	236,000	188,580	79.9	3,523	2,815	29,200	18,420	63.1	4,250	2,681
1961.....	67,360	6,790	240,700	190,850	79.3	3,573	2,833	30,000	18,790	62.6	4,418	2,767
1962.....	68,890	6,720	257,700	200,130	77.7	3,741	2,905	31,300	18,920	60.4	4,658	2,815
1963.....	70,310	6,590	270,600	206,840	76.4	3,849	2,942	31,700	18,710	59.0	4,810	2,839
1964.....	72,230	6,480	290,900	217,430	74.7	4,027	3,010	33,600	18,960	56.4	5,185	2,926
1965.....	75,430	6,550	311,400	230,830	74.1	4,128	3,060	40,300	19,900	49.4	6,153	3,038
1966.....	79,460	6,630	346,700	287,860	83.0	4,363	3,623	44,000	24,680	56.1	6,637	3,722
1967.....	82,020	6,470	377,500	305,670	81.0	4,603	3,727	44,800	24,290	54.2	6,924	3,754
1968.....	84,470	6,570	413,600	348,500	84.3	4,896	4,126	46,400	27,340	58.9	7,062	4,161
1969.....	87,200	6,350	455,700	375,010	82.3	5,226	4,301	47,100	27,540	58.5	7,417	4,337
1970.....	88,180	6,270	483,600	388,680	80.4	5,484	4,408	48,000	26,920	56.1	7,656	4,293
1971.....	88,460	6,290	509,000	399,550	78.5	5,754	4,517	50,700	27,410	54.1	8,060	4,358
1972.....	91,220	6,600	563,300	452,050	80.3	6,175	4,956	54,600	32,060	58.7	8,273	4,858
1973.....	94,610	7,100	624,400	523,450	83.8	6,600	5,533	62,300	38,400	61.6	8,775	5,408
1974.....	96,190	7,040	681,600	594,400	87.2	7,086	6,179	65,200	42,360	65.0	9,261	6,017
1975.....	94,900	7,000	717,200	621,100	86.6	7,557	6,545	70,400	43,560	61.9	10,057	6,223
1976.....	97,230	7,400	797,200	689,200	86.4	8,199	7,088	76,800	48,500	63.2	10,378	6,554
1977.....	100,450	7,480	879,500	763,600	86.8	8,935	7,602	80,600	52,950	65.7	10,775	7,079
1978.....	104,810	8,040	998,900	856,100	85.7	9,531	8,168	93,700	59,500	63.5	11,654	7,400
1979.....	106,900	8,200	1,122,000	997,500	88.9	10,496	9,331	100,200	69,500	69.4	12,220	8,476
1980.....	107,200	8,200	1,231,000	1,109,000	90.1	11,483	10,345	97,800	71,700	73.3	11,927	8,744
1981.....	107,300	8,250	1,352,000	1,220,000	90.2	12,600	11,370	98,900	74,100	74.9	11,988	8,982
1982.....	105,800	8,550	1,418,000	1,290,000	91.0	13,403	12,193	98,600	75,300	76.4	11,532	8,807
1983.....	105,900	9,200	1,502,000	1,369,000	91.1	14,183	12,927	113,200	85,100	75.2	12,304	9,250
1984.....	109,900	9,900	1,671,500	1,515,000	90.6	15,209	13,785	129,300	93,800	72.5	13,061	9,475
1985.....	113,100	10,600	1,794,500	1,621,000	90.3	15,866	14,332	142,300	101,600	71.4	13,425	9,585
1986.....	115,900	11,200	1,921,000	1,730,800	90.1	16,575	14,934	160,800	113,600	70.6	14,357	10,143
1987.....	118,200	12,000	2,057,100	1,835,100	89.2	17,404	15,525	179,900	124,900	69.4	14,992	10,408
1988.....	122,100	12,400	2,224,700	1,952,000	87.7	18,220	15,987	208,100	136,400	65.5	16,782	11,000
1989.....	123,900	12,900	2,367,800	2,096,000	88.5	19,111	16,917	210,900	143,500	68.0	16,349	11,124
1990.....	126,100	12,500	2,510,000	2,222,000	88.5	19,905	17,621	193,800	136,000	70.2	15,504	10,880
1991.....	125,200	12,800	2,565,000	2,283,000	89.0	20,487	18,235	195,500	139,500	71.4	15,273	10,898
1992.....	126,000	13,100	2,711,000	2,386,000	88.0	21,516	18,937	206,800	146,600	71.0	15,786	11,214
1993.....	128,100	13,200	2,808,900	2,483,400	88.4	21,927	19,386	214,000	152,700	71.4	16,212	11,568
1994.....	130,100	13,300	2,964,100	2,624,500	88.5	22,783	20,173	232,900	160,700	69.0	17,511	12,083
1995.....	132,800	13,500	3,159,100	2,754,300	87.2	23,788	20,740	242,700	164,800	67.9	17,978	12,207
1996.....	135,100	13,900	3,331,900	2,901,700	87.1	24,662	21,478	255,700	171,800	67.2	18,396	12,360
1997 ^e	137,700	14,100	3,588,000	3,104,500	86.5	26,057	22,545	272,200	180,800	66.4	19,305	12,823
1998 ^e	140,400	14,300	3,876,400	3,330,100	85.9	27,610	23,719	290,800	191,400	65.8	20,336	13,385
1999 ^e	142,700	14,600	4,143,900	3,542,800	85.5	29,039	24,827	307,200	201,800	65.7	21,041	13,822
2000 ^f	144,900	14,700	4,474,200	3,780,400	84.5	30,878	26,090	320,300	210,700	65.8	21,789	14,333
2001 ^g	144,800	14,700	4,722,700	3,978,700	84.2	32,615	27,477	333,400	219,600	65.9	22,680	14,939

a. Represents total number in specified type of employment. Persons with both types of covered employment during the year are included in each type.

b. Total wages, including estimated amounts above the taxable limit.

c. Reported self-employment net earnings.

d. See Table 2.A3 for annual maximum taxable earnings.

e. Preliminary data.

f. Preliminary estimates.

g. Preliminary estimates.

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample; Bureau of Labor Statistics; and Bureau of Economic Analysis.

NOTE: See Table 4.B1 for wage and salary data before 1951.

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Table 4.B3—Number of workers and median annual earnings, by type of worker and sex, selected years 1937–1999

Year	All workers			All wage and salary workers			All self-employed workers ^a		
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
<i>Number (thousands)</i>									
1937.....	32,900	23,810	9,090	32,900	23,810	9,090	...	...	...
1940.....	35,390	25,570	9,820	35,390	25,570	9,820	...	...	...
1945.....	46,390	28,820	17,570	46,390	28,820	17,570	...	...	...
1950.....	48,280	32,620	15,660	48,280	32,620	15,660	...	...	...
1955.....	65,200	43,140	22,060	59,560	38,240	21,320	6,810	5,980	830
1960.....	72,530	47,900	24,630	66,980	43,100	23,880	6,870	5,990	880
1965.....	80,680	51,990	28,690	75,430	47,500	27,930	6,550	5,640	910
1970.....	93,090	57,330	35,760	88,180	53,180	35,000	6,270	5,370	900
1975.....	100,200	59,520	40,680	94,900	55,140	39,760	7,000	5,790	1,210
1980.....	113,000	64,288	48,712	107,200	59,751	47,449	8,200	6,407	1,793
1981.....	113,000	63,984	49,016	107,300	59,562	47,738	8,250	6,361	1,889
1982.....	111,800	63,089	48,711	105,800	58,557	47,243	8,550	6,443	2,107
1983.....	112,100	62,881	49,219	105,900	58,248	47,652	9,200	6,823	2,377
1984.....	116,300	64,700	51,600	109,900	60,009	49,891	9,900	7,196	2,704
1985.....	119,800	66,113	53,687	113,100	61,285	51,815	10,600	7,623	2,977
1986.....	122,900	67,412	55,488	115,900	62,398	53,502	11,200	7,932	3,268
1987.....	125,600	68,591	57,009	118,200	63,306	54,894	12,000	8,450	3,550
1988.....	129,600	70,596	59,004	122,100	65,270	56,830	12,400	8,630	3,770
1989.....	131,700	71,517	60,183	123,900	66,105	57,795	12,900	8,842	4,058
1990.....	133,600	72,291	61,309	126,100	67,064	59,036	12,500	8,526	3,974
1991.....	133,000	71,787	61,213	125,200	66,406	58,794	12,800	8,669	4,131
1992.....	134,000	72,016	61,984	126,000	66,543	59,457	13,100	8,797	4,303
1993.....	136,100	73,154	62,946	128,100	67,673	60,427	13,200	8,840	4,360
1994.....	138,200	73,989	64,211	130,100	68,481	61,619	13,300	8,840	4,460
1995.....	141,000	75,444	65,556	132,800	69,900	62,900	13,500	8,908	4,592
1996.....	143,400	76,241	67,158	135,100	70,670	64,429	13,900	9,074	4,826
1997 ^b	146,100	77,463	68,636	137,700	71,864	65,837	14,100	9,130	4,970
1998 ^b	148,900	78,690	70,210	140,400	73,097	67,303	14,300	9,143	5,156
1999 ^b	151,400	79,879	71,521	142,700	74,237	68,463	14,600	9,244	5,356
<i>Median earnings^c (dollars)</i>									
1937.....	761	945	484	761	945	484	...	...	...
1940.....	746	935	472	746	935	472	...	...	...
1945.....	1,159	1,654	770	1,159	1,654	770	...	...	...
1950.....	1,926	2,532	1,124	1,926	2,532	1,124	...	...	...
1955.....	2,438	3,315	1,351	2,383	3,348	1,338	2,397	2,550	1,552
1960.....	2,894	3,879	1,679	2,833	3,875	1,676	2,903	3,129	1,695
1965.....	3,414	4,685	1,984	3,319	4,630	1,979	3,858	4,242	1,898
1970.....	4,375	6,180	2,735	4,317	6,173	2,770	5,104	5,683	2,360
1975.....	5,803	8,250	3,730	5,790	8,315	3,794	6,700	7,846	3,113
1980.....	8,549	11,963	6,012	8,612	12,166	6,106	8,699	10,572	4,133
1981.....	9,361	12,941	6,690	9,476	13,255	6,807	8,655	10,512	4,330
1982.....	9,924	13,318	7,232	10,109	13,726	7,390	8,175	10,139	4,333
1983.....	10,322	13,687	7,618	10,527	14,130	7,809	8,669	10,686	4,722
1984.....	10,757	14,360	7,878	11,094	15,062	8,088	9,302	11,684	5,113
1985.....	11,265	14,959	8,293	11,638	15,706	8,525	9,877	12,301	5,529
1986.....	11,831	15,579	8,796	12,064	16,025	9,019	10,424	12,908	6,152
1987.....	12,327	16,073	9,261	12,576	16,559	9,500	10,886	13,401	6,573
1988.....	12,825	16,613	9,753	13,086	17,055	9,992	11,478	14,090	7,036
1989.....	13,314	17,014	10,265	13,762	17,800	10,577	11,602	14,538	7,010
1990.....	13,898	17,582	10,837	14,432	18,483	11,199	11,220	14,097	6,898
1991.....	14,278	17,765	11,369	14,859	18,730	11,767	11,125	13,703	7,186
1992.....	14,739	18,208	11,842	15,386	19,292	12,268	11,392	13,966	7,452
1993.....	15,000	18,430	12,093	15,665	19,516	12,546	11,595	14,128	7,720
1994.....	15,560	19,249	12,422	16,010	19,969	12,807	12,051	14,737	8,002
1995.....	16,108	19,907	12,897	16,618	20,672	13,296	12,198	14,931	8,301
1996.....	16,712	20,779	13,335	17,256	21,591	13,763	12,481	15,300	8,628
1997 ^b	17,555	21,810	14,038	18,120	22,688	14,476	12,911	15,914	8,939
1998 ^b	18,516	23,045	14,834	19,096	23,920	15,283	13,494	16,652	9,360
1999 ^b	19,195	23,849	15,419	19,784	24,719	15,876	13,881	17,237	9,696

a. Not covered before 1951.

b. Preliminary data.

c. For all workers, medians relate to combined earnings from wage and salary employment and self-employment. For all wage and salary workers, medians relate to wages and salaries only.

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTE: ... = not applicable.

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4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

Table 4.B4—Percentage of all workers and self-employed workers with total annual earnings below annual maximum taxable, by sex, selected years 1937–1999

Year	Annual maximum taxable earnings (dollars)	All workers ^a (percent)			All self-employed workers (percent)		
		Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
1937	3,000	96.9	95.8	99.7	...	...	...
1940	3,000	96.6	95.4	99.7	...	...	...
1945	3,000	86.3	78.6	98.9	...	...	...
1950	3,000	71.1	59.9	94.6	...	...	...
1951	3,600	75.5	64.6	96.7	65.4	62.6	83.3
1952	3,600	72.1	60.0	95.4	64.1	61.2	83.5
1953	3,600	68.8	55.5	93.8	62.9	59.5	83.1
1954	3,600	68.4	55.4	93.0	62.6	58.8	82.8
1955	4,200	74.4	63.4	95.9	74.0	72.3	86.3
1956	4,200	71.6	59.7	94.5	71.2	69.1	86.0
1957	4,200	70.1	58.7	93.1	69.6	67.2	85.5
1958	4,200	69.4	58.4	91.8	68.8	66.3	85.7
1959	4,800	73.3	62.7	94.3	72.0	69.6	88.0
1960	4,800	72.0	60.9	93.5	71.6	69.2	87.7
1961	4,800	70.8	59.6	92.4	70.3	67.8	86.9
1962	4,800	68.8	57.1	91.1	67.9	65.3	85.3
1963	4,800	67.5	55.5	90.0	66.3	63.4	85.3
1964	4,800	65.5	53.1	88.5	63.8	60.5	84.4
1965	4,800	63.9	51.0	87.3	59.5	55.8	82.5
1966	6,600	75.8	64.4	95.6	68.3	65.0	88.4
1967	6,600	73.6	61.5	94.2	66.7	63.2	87.5
1968	7,800	78.6	68.0	96.3	70.3	67.2	89.7
1969	7,800	75.5	62.8	96.0	68.3	65.0	89.1
1970	7,800	74.0	61.8	93.5	67.8	64.3	88.3
1971	7,800	71.7	59.1	91.7	66.7	63.3	86.2
1972	9,000	75.0	62.9	93.9	68.8	65.0	89.7
1973	10,800	79.7	68.9	96.2	71.1	67.4	91.0
1974	13,200	84.9	76.2	97.8	75.7	72.1	94.0
1975	14,100	84.9	76.4	97.5	77.8	74.4	93.9
1976	15,300	85.1	76.3	97.5	78.6	75.1	94.3
1977	16,500	85.2	76.3	97.5	79.3	75.8	94.1
1978	17,700	84.6	75.4	97.1	79.3	75.6	94.0
1979	22,900	90.0	83.6	98.6	84.3	81.3	95.9
1980	25,900	91.2	85.5	98.8	86.9	84.2	96.6
1981	29,700	92.4	87.4	99.0	89.4	87.1	97.2
1982	32,400	92.9	88.3	98.9	91.0	88.8	97.7
1983	35,700	93.7	89.6	99.0	92.0	90.0	97.7
1984	37,800	93.6	89.4	98.9	91.8	89.7	97.6
1985	39,600	93.5	89.3	98.8	92.0	89.8	97.5
1986	42,000	93.8	89.7	98.7	92.3	90.2	97.5
1987	43,800	93.9	89.9	98.6	92.5	90.4	97.5
1988	45,000	93.5	89.4	98.3	91.7	89.4	97.1
1989	48,000	93.8	90.1	98.3	92.4	90.1	97.3
1990	51,300	94.3	90.9	98.4	93.3	91.3	97.7
1991	53,400	94.4	91.1	98.3	93.6	91.6	97.7
1992	55,500	94.3	91.0	98.1	93.6	91.7	97.6
1993	57,600	94.4	91.3	98.1	93.7	91.9	97.4
1994	60,600	94.6	91.4	98.1	93.9	92.0	97.5
1995	61,200	94.2	91.0	97.9	93.9	92.0	97.5
1996	62,700	93.9	90.6	97.7	93.9	92.0	97.4
1997 ^b	65,400	93.8	90.5	97.6	93.8	91.9	97.3
1998 ^b	68,400	93.7	90.3	97.5	93.8	92.0	97.2
1999 ^b	72,600	94.0	90.8	97.6	94.1	92.3	97.3

a. For 1937–1950, relates to wage and salary workers. Beginning in 1951, includes self-employed workers.

b. Preliminary data.

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTE: . . . = not applicable.

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4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

Table 4.B6—Median earnings of all workers, by age and sex, selected years 1937–1999 (in dollars)

Year	Total, all ages	Under 20	20–24	25–29	30–34	35–39	40–44	45–49	50–54	55–59	60–61	62–64	65–69	70–71	72 or older
	Total														
1937	761	170	570	829	998	1,061	1,126	1,121	1,177	1,020	1,010	927	^a 512	...	...
1940	746	140	498	764	934	1,041	1,064	1,110	1,071	1,018	978	963	874	924	788
1945	1,159	288	669	818	1,383	1,617	1,842	2,026	1,874	1,821	1,782	1,739	1,482	1,341	1,307
1950	1,926	385	1,376	1,971	2,312	2,456	2,473	2,517	2,442	2,394	2,492	2,252	1,973	1,916	1,589
1955	2,438	443	1,601	2,689	3,173	3,233	3,196	3,068	2,966	2,728	2,525	2,427	1,736	1,279	1,149
1960	2,894	561	1,917	3,138	3,738	3,903	3,891	3,785	3,643	3,452	3,166	3,052	1,590	1,140	1,252
1965	3,414	613	2,326	3,919	4,540	4,747	4,756	4,665	4,526	4,304	4,087	3,767	1,791	1,171	1,326
1970	4,375	810	2,988	5,334	6,156	6,339	6,357	6,292	6,105	5,831	5,473	5,047	2,099	1,578	1,683
1975	5,803	1,070	4,187	6,795	8,249	8,629	8,725	8,810	8,748	8,299	7,779	6,620	2,524	2,105	2,137
1980	8,549	1,646	6,205	9,593	11,510	12,540	12,690	12,784	12,794	12,309	11,606	9,651	4,451	3,306	3,140
1985	11,265	1,647	7,136	12,453	14,886	16,458	16,984	16,849	16,528	15,831	14,724	11,907	5,974	4,330	3,729
1990	13,898	1,937	8,054	14,687	17,482	19,296	20,664	20,958	20,157	18,584	17,163	13,021	6,812	5,375	4,536
1995	16,108	2,076	8,392	16,134	19,654	21,629	23,468	24,690	24,090	21,320	19,136	12,961	7,551	5,816	4,681
1996	16,712	2,140	8,562	16,664	20,327	22,311	24,116	25,317	25,176	22,083	19,718	13,408	7,692	6,217	4,861
1997 ^b	17,555	2,307	9,055	17,588	21,257	23,272	24,979	26,264	26,415	23,406	20,493	14,318	8,050	6,387	5,038
1998 ^b	18,516	2,513	9,740	18,665	22,465	24,352	25,989	27,409	27,620	24,731	21,365	15,291	8,438	6,755	5,320
1999 ^b	19,195	2,582	9,995	19,465	23,397	25,126	26,742	28,289	28,641	25,561	22,094	15,864	8,915	6,795	5,463
	Men														
1937	945	174	647	1,117	1,202	1,286	1,338	1,308	1,232	1,137	1,131	1,008	^a 563	...	...
1940	935	147	550	928	1,143	1,289	1,306	1,320	1,238	1,153	1,088	1,058	950	917	899
1945	1,654	271	422	813	1,983	2,245	2,405	2,364	2,319	2,170	2,106	2,000	1,666	1,462	1,390
1950	2,532	402	1,566	2,465	2,918	3,102	3,131	3,156	3,018	2,959	2,812	2,618	2,317	2,049	1,707
1955	3,315	468	1,871	3,450	4,079	4,201	4,159	4,005	3,818	3,512	3,201	3,044	2,164	1,498	1,292
1960	3,879	615	2,116	3,942	4,831	5,175	5,167	4,954	4,702	4,416	3,982	3,812	2,112	1,207	1,340
1965	4,685	710	2,609	4,957	6,055	6,481	6,519	6,369	5,921	5,581	4,993	4,784	2,628	1,246	1,443
1970	6,180	930	3,281	6,827	8,131	8,528	8,686	8,735	8,370	7,675	7,051	6,456	2,927	1,662	1,863
1975	8,250	1,246	4,870	8,464	11,170	12,131	12,533	12,605	12,270	11,290	10,398	8,700	2,895	2,276	2,371
1980	11,963	1,857	7,007	11,880	15,491	17,982	18,720	18,896	18,391	17,585	15,939	13,201	4,902	3,658	3,529
1985	14,959	1,771	8,185	14,465	18,642	22,021	24,433	24,385	23,841	22,117	19,953	16,532	6,760	4,977	4,351
1990	17,582	2,058	8,945	16,412	21,211	24,424	27,608	29,074	28,027	25,509	23,243	17,408	7,714	6,153	5,129
1995	19,907	2,164	9,618	17,810	23,200	26,912	29,732	32,334	32,505	28,260	24,673	17,090	8,133	6,430	4,977
1996	20,779	2,234	9,900	18,538	24,024	27,769	30,658	32,850	33,648	29,426	25,177	17,632	8,441	6,715	5,295
1997 ^b	21,810	2,375	10,339	19,738	25,228	28,867	31,789	33,740	34,908	31,047	26,234	18,216	8,821	7,108	5,302
1998 ^b	23,045	2,599	11,114	21,050	26,658	30,172	33,030	34,864	36,155	32,667	27,596	19,812	9,307	7,438	5,653
1999 ^b	23,849	2,692	11,424	22,075	27,705	31,080	33,899	35,704	36,960	33,434	28,321	20,097	9,834	7,304	5,825
	Women														
1937	484	163	477	602	621	609	604	589	576	563	585	582	^a 366	...	...
1940	472	127	432	530	590	599	596	590	580	562	499	577	607	999	424
1945	770	307	811	821	871	971	1,026	1,018	987	955	946	899	832	766	928
1950	1,124	362	1,153	1,158	1,196	1,297	1,421	1,456	1,410	1,416	1,370	1,349	1,176	1,399	1,232
1955	1,351	408	1,312	1,406	1,430	1,586	1,706	1,775	1,768	1,622	1,542	1,445	1,057	949	802
1960	1,679	484	1,558	1,969	1,718	1,899	2,075	2,205	2,290	2,221	2,040	1,783	1,142	1,007	1,036
1965	1,984	539	1,852	2,067	2,069	2,243	2,478	2,660	2,715	2,764	2,678	2,372	1,208	1,054	1,093
1970	2,735	675	2,538	3,151	2,953	3,210	3,498	3,721	3,790	3,747	3,729	3,236	1,674	1,344	1,375
1975	3,730	905	3,287	4,800	4,454	4,512	4,870	5,168	5,340	5,300	5,020	4,055	2,189	1,895	1,715
1980	6,012	1,451	5,083	7,496	7,649	7,495	7,761	7,893	8,079	7,966	7,756	6,044	3,589	2,853	2,569
1985	8,293	1,524	6,063	10,251	10,986	11,169	11,163	11,072	10,898	10,714	10,133	7,728	4,959	3,671	3,067
1990	10,837	1,816	7,104	12,677	13,642	14,339	15,031	14,920	14,373	13,088	12,194	9,133	5,888	4,387	3,830
1995	12,897	1,991	7,232	14,249	15,853	16,547	18,068	18,732	17,937	16,030	14,147	9,882	6,910	5,120	4,376
1996	13,335	2,051	7,383	14,637	16,387	17,009	18,532	19,496	18,834	16,728	14,670	10,358	6,971	5,605	4,372
1997 ^b	14,038	2,240	7,855	15,232	17,153	17,796	19,276	20,321	19,991	17,748	15,754	11,022	7,326	5,638	4,701
1998 ^b	14,834	2,432	8,501	16,123	18,144	18,628	20,049	21,497	21,087	18,678	16,627	11,713	7,619	5,973	4,898
1999 ^b	15,419	2,491	8,793	16,853	18,881	19,249	20,652	22,242	22,107	19,589	17,139	12,323	8,013	6,288	5,110

a. Earnings of workers attaining age 65 during the year. Workers aged 65 or older not covered under program in that year.
b. Preliminary data.

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTES: The amount of median earnings includes estimates above the taxable maximum.
Age refers to age attained during year.
... = not applicable.

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Table 4.B7—Number of wage and salary workers, by amount of taxable earnings and sex, 1992–1999

Year	All workers	Workers with earnings below the taxable maximum by dollar amount of earnings (numbers in thousands)											Workers with maximum earnings
		1–999	1,000–4,999	5,000–9,999	10,000–14,999	15,000–19,999	20,000–24,999	25,000–29,999	30,000–39,999	40,000–49,999	50,000–59,999	60,000–72,599	
Total													
1992	126,000	9,357	19,519	17,496	15,765	14,047	11,641	9,058	12,554	7,084	2,422	...	7,057
1993	128,100	9,655	19,395	17,521	15,808	14,092	11,807	9,327	12,786	7,371	3,325	...	7,013
1994	130,100	9,591	19,403	17,273	15,709	14,194	11,930	9,552	13,230	7,709	4,310	277	6,921
1995	132,800	9,213	19,355	17,213	15,766	14,376	12,230	9,867	13,853	8,171	4,662	498	7,597
1996	135,100	9,161	19,195	16,977	15,579	14,253	12,448	10,164	14,435	8,706	5,052	1,053	8,077
1997 ^a	137,700	8,767	18,832	16,837	15,425	14,203	12,593	10,456	15,232	9,327	5,521	2,105	8,403
1998 ^a	140,400	8,459	18,456	16,424	15,199	14,102	12,749	10,814	16,096	10,063	6,013	3,271	8,754
1999 ^a	142,700	8,470	18,427	16,278	14,766	13,976	12,717	10,997	16,694	10,523	6,449	4,826	8,575
Men													
1992	66,543	4,171	8,743	7,726	7,186	6,587	6,006	5,122	8,069	5,109	1,868	...	5,955
1993	67,673	4,429	8,665	7,740	7,223	6,652	6,048	5,222	8,074	5,224	2,527	...	5,869
1994	68,481	4,350	8,548	7,546	7,118	6,718	6,068	5,292	8,211	5,372	3,243	222	5,794
1995	69,901	4,256	8,510	7,457	7,051	6,814	6,238	5,415	8,448	5,587	3,444	388	6,292
1996	70,670	4,177	8,333	7,261	6,854	6,637	6,279	5,512	8,667	5,838	3,672	800	6,641
1997 ^a	71,864	4,052	8,172	7,145	6,706	6,465	6,260	5,586	8,948	6,159	3,931	1,580	6,859
1998 ^a	73,097	3,911	7,994	6,933	6,514	6,318	6,219	5,706	9,293	6,521	4,202	2,407	7,078
1999 ^a	74,237	3,945	8,014	6,927	6,272	6,205	6,089	5,730	9,493	6,677	4,439	3,528	6,919
Women													
1992	59,457	5,186	10,776	9,770	8,579	7,460	5,635	3,936	4,485	1,975	554	...	1,103
1993	60,427	5,226	10,730	9,781	8,586	7,440	5,759	4,105	4,712	2,147	798	...	1,144
1994	61,619	5,241	10,856	9,726	8,592	7,476	5,862	4,260	5,020	2,337	1,067	55	1,127
1995	62,900	4,957	10,845	9,756	8,714	7,563	5,992	4,452	5,405	2,584	1,217	110	1,305
1996	64,429	4,985	10,862	9,716	8,725	7,616	6,168	4,651	5,768	2,868	1,380	253	1,437
1997 ^a	65,837	4,715	10,660	9,692	8,719	7,737	6,333	4,870	6,284	3,168	1,590	525	1,544
1998 ^a	67,303	4,548	10,462	9,492	8,685	7,783	6,530	5,107	6,803	3,542	1,811	864	1,675
1999 ^a	68,463	4,526	10,413	9,352	8,494	7,772	6,628	5,267	7,201	3,846	2,010	1,298	1,656

a. Preliminary data.

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTE: ... = not applicable.

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4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

Table 4.B8—Number of self-employed workers, by age and sex, selected years 1951–1999 (in thousands)

Year	Total, all ages	Under 20	20–24	25–29	30–34	35–39	40–44	45–49	50–54	55–59	60–61	62–64	65–69	70–71	72 or older
Total															
1951	4,190	6	71	246	414	543	592	565	503	462	164	215	237	55	117
1955	6,810	18	114	362	600	757	865	874	790	737	290	441	497	143	322
1960	6,870	19	133	305	560	743	848	929	918	846	316	452	414	101	286
1965	6,550	31	143	292	452	664	814	870	913	885	328	411	388	92	267
1970	6,270	33	159	348	476	581	729	808	837	839	327	407	388	94	244
1975	7,000	67	302	581	679	700	731	813	869	823	317	382	393	95	248
1980	8,200	78	380	824	1,052	983	869	812	851	852	307	381	419	112	280
1985	10,600	112	527	1,099	1,488	1,522	1,261	1,030	930	929	368	434	455	124	321
1990	12,500	152	529	1,123	1,663	1,854	1,736	1,377	1,113	980	381	487	567	150	389
1991	12,800	136	521	1,105	1,697	1,897	1,818	1,474	1,170	998	388	486	561	158	391
1992	13,100	137	509	1,093	1,678	1,951	1,864	1,589	1,243	1,018	382	484	576	166	410
1993	13,200	131	488	1,029	1,650	1,956	1,892	1,647	1,325	1,047	375	481	589	164	426
1994	13,300	140	473	989	1,624	1,936	1,945	1,726	1,357	1,070	375	482	580	164	437
1995	13,500	143	482	1,005	1,612	1,960	1,964	1,808	1,393	1,097	385	467	574	166	445
1996	13,900	147	490	1,036	1,614	2,013	2,035	1,873	1,471	1,144	404	475	575	164	458
1997 ^a	14,100	152	500	1,033	1,556	1,986	2,063	1,885	1,565	1,210	404	490	597	170	488
1998 ^a	14,300	162	506	1,036	1,523	1,961	2,098	1,899	1,632	1,275	420	503	600	181	503
1999 ^a	14,600	173	522	1,017	1,494	1,948	2,082	1,982	1,711	1,355	436	535	625	182	539
Men															
1951	3,620	5	61	219	370	478	519	479	430	393	139	179	204	47	97
1955	5,980	16	104	335	555	687	773	773	679	631	247	373	420	122	265
1960	5,990	16	119	284	515	678	757	812	793	709	260	386	348	83	230
1965	5,640	26	127	263	410	598	714	759	772	742	272	339	326	75	217
1970	5,370	28	136	306	422	522	642	699	712	695	268	324	320	77	201
1975	5,790	57	251	479	564	584	619	680	715	672	255	309	326	78	201
1980	6,407	60	305	639	793	752	672	641	681	668	244	301	333	92	226
1985	7,623	79	378	782	1,060	1,058	873	730	674	686	278	328	351	97	249
1990	8,525	103	346	746	1,112	1,241	1,148	914	762	693	270	355	424	116	295
1991	8,668	92	341	726	1,109	1,268	1,204	976	793	699	273	350	418	119	299
1992	8,798	89	330	714	1,090	1,289	1,228	1,041	830	706	271	344	427	126	312
1993	8,840	89	310	674	1,075	1,290	1,241	1,078	885	713	261	341	436	125	322
1994	8,839	89	309	638	1,053	1,269	1,268	1,127	890	723	263	333	423	122	331
1995	8,908	97	305	648	1,030	1,271	1,281	1,170	906	735	269	325	413	124	335
1996	9,074	94	306	658	1,021	1,281	1,322	1,200	954	754	276	328	415	119	346
1997 ^a	9,130	98	312	639	981	1,249	1,320	1,205	1,004	793	276	338	424	123	369
1998 ^a	9,143	97	310	632	944	1,213	1,327	1,197	1,042	827	279	345	422	132	376
1999 ^a	9,244	108	309	607	914	1,189	1,304	1,247	1,077	861	289	365	436	133	403
Women															
1951	570	1	10	27	44	65	73	86	73	69	25	36	33	8	20
1955	830	2	10	27	45	70	92	101	111	106	43	68	77	21	57
1960	880	3	14	21	45	65	91	117	125	137	56	66	67	18	55
1965	910	5	16	29	42	66	100	111	141	143	56	72	62	17	50
1970	900	5	23	42	54	59	87	109	125	144	59	65	68	17	43
1975	1,210	10	51	102	115	116	112	133	154	151	62	73	67	17	47
1980	1,793	18	75	185	259	231	197	171	170	184	63	80	86	20	54
1985	2,977	33	149	317	428	464	388	300	256	243	90	106	104	27	72
1990	3,975	49	183	377	551	613	588	463	350	287	111	132	142	34	94
1991	4,131	44	180	378	588	629	614	499	376	299	115	136	143	39	92
1992	4,302	48	179	380	588	662	636	548	413	312	110	140	148	39	98
1993	4,360	41	178	355	575	666	651	569	440	334	114	140	153	39	104
1994	4,460	51	164	352	572	667	677	599	468	346	112	148	157	42	105
1995	4,592	46	177	357	582	689	683	638	487	362	116	142	161	42	109
1996	4,826	54	183	377	594	733	713	673	517	390	128	147	160	45	112
1997 ^a	4,970	54	188	395	575	737	743	680	561	417	128	152	173	47	120
1998 ^a	5,156	65	196	404	579	748	771	702	590	449	141	158	178	49	127
1999 ^a	5,356	65	213	409	579	759	778	735	634	494	146	171	189	49	136

a. Preliminary data.

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTE: Age refers to age attained during year.

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Table 4.B9—Number of self-employed workers, by amount of taxable earnings and sex, 1992–1999

Year	All workers	Workers with earnings below the taxable maximum by dollar amount of earnings (numbers in thousands)											Workers with maximum earnings
		1–999	1,000–4,999	5,000–9,999	10,000–14,999	15,000–19,999	20,000–24,999	25,000–29,999	30,000–39,999	40,000–49,999	50,000–59,999	60,000–72,599	
Total													
1992	13,100	593	2,927	2,519	1,599	1,156	882	694	971	612	308	...	839
1993	13,200	587	2,866	2,562	1,627	1,149	881	689	990	633	388	...	828
1994	13,300	551	2,825	2,510	1,670	1,162	872	714	1,019	645	426	92	814
1995	13,500	535	2,781	2,593	1,690	1,192	892	712	1,044	678	444	116	822
1996	13,900	521	2,791	2,667	1,754	1,210	918	732	1,092	713	471	176	853
1997 ^a	14,100	524	2,736	2,685	1,748	1,232	932	745	1,106	741	493	281	877
1998 ^a	14,300	514	2,663	2,675	1,765	1,240	953	766	1,160	782	509	391	880
1999 ^a	14,600	508	2,638	2,705	1,796	1,258	964	773	1,194	813	539	557	857
Men													
1992	8,798	288	1,603	1,606	1,109	827	633	512	746	485	253	...	734
1993	8,840	291	1,559	1,632	1,118	809	640	501	760	500	316	...	715
1994	8,839	268	1,511	1,552	1,138	820	626	527	772	503	340	77	705
1995	8,908	256	1,492	1,581	1,138	826	638	514	782	521	356	96	708
1996	9,074	247	1,468	1,598	1,166	831	649	527	807	545	367	141	729
1997 ^a	9,130	255	1,440	1,557	1,144	845	650	526	801	562	384	226	741
1998 ^a	9,143	248	1,383	1,520	1,123	823	650	537	831	588	392	314	736
1999 ^a	9,244	243	1,362	1,505	1,117	826	652	532	849	595	411	436	714
Women													
1992	4,302	305	1,323	913	490	329	249	182	225	127	55	...	105
1993	4,360	296	1,308	930	509	340	241	188	230	133	73	...	113
1994	4,460	282	1,314	957	531	342	247	188	246	142	85	15	109
1995	4,592	280	1,289	1,012	552	366	254	198	261	157	88	20	114
1996	4,826	274	1,323	1,069	588	379	269	206	285	168	104	35	125
1997 ^a	4,970	269	1,296	1,128	604	387	282	220	305	179	109	55	135
1998 ^a	5,156	267	1,280	1,155	643	418	303	228	328	194	117	78	145
1999 ^a	5,356	265	1,276	1,200	678	431	312	241	345	218	128	121	142

a. Preliminary data.

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTE: Taxable earnings consist of self-employment income and taxable wages. See Table 2.A3.

... = not applicable.

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4.B OASDI: Covered Workers

Table 4.B10—Number of workers, taxable earnings, and contributions, by type of employment and state or other area, 1999

State or area ^a	Number of workers reported with taxable earnings ^b (thousands)			Reported taxable earnings ^c (millions of dollars)			OASDI contributions ^d (millions of dollars)		
	Total, all workers	Wage and salary workers	Self-employed persons	Total	Wages	Self-employment income	Total	Wage and salary employment	Self-employment
All areas.....	151,400	142,700	14,600	3,744,600	3,542,800	201,800	464,330	439,307	25,023
Alabama.....	2,308	2,183	207	50,337	47,822	2,515	6,242	5,930	312
Alaska.....	346	324	43	8,272	7,679	593	1,026	952	74
Arizona.....	2,529	2,402	217	60,430	57,406	3,024	7,493	7,118	375
Arkansas.....	1,406	1,316	147	27,365	25,688	1,677	3,393	3,185	208
California.....	16,137	14,876	1,923	428,870	396,751	32,119	53,180	49,197	3,983
Colorado.....	2,362	2,209	267	59,793	55,941	3,852	7,414	6,937	478
Connecticut.....	1,926	1,807	194	57,102	53,680	3,423	7,081	6,656	424
Delaware.....	482	465	31	12,725	12,333	392	1,578	1,529	49
District of Columbia.....	363	346	28	10,155	9,619	536	1,259	1,193	66
Florida.....	8,206	7,727	817	183,291	174,044	9,247	22,728	21,582	1,147
Georgia.....	4,356	4,125	395	106,011	100,864	5,147	13,145	12,507	638
Hawaii.....	627	589	59	15,509	14,719	790	1,923	1,825	98
Idaho.....	702	661	74	14,635	13,827	808	1,815	1,715	100
Illinois.....	6,672	6,328	594	174,929	166,714	8,215	21,691	20,673	1,019
Indiana.....	3,456	3,309	290	83,978	80,251	3,727	10,413	9,951	462
Iowa.....	1,713	1,599	204	37,977	35,413	2,564	4,709	4,391	318
Kansas.....	1,537	1,448	163	36,384	34,221	2,163	4,512	4,243	268
Kentucky.....	2,093	1,967	226	44,598	42,216	2,382	5,530	5,235	295
Louisiana.....	2,086	1,960	203	43,165	40,628	2,537	5,352	5,038	315
Maine.....	692	636	90	14,679	13,523	1,156	1,820	1,677	143
Maryland.....	2,936	2,799	248	83,614	80,011	3,603	10,368	9,921	447
Massachusetts.....	3,401	3,176	364	95,416	89,659	5,757	11,832	11,118	714
Michigan.....	5,691	5,456	429	152,395	146,881	5,514	18,897	18,213	684
Minnesota.....	2,999	2,839	301	78,222	74,046	4,176	9,700	9,182	518
Mississippi.....	1,445	1,367	132	28,645	26,964	1,681	3,552	3,344	208
Missouri.....	3,072	2,901	296	69,059	65,576	3,483	8,563	8,131	432
Montana.....	498	456	73	9,367	8,473	894	1,162	1,051	111
Nebraska.....	1,018	951	117	22,232	20,859	1,373	2,757	2,587	170
Nevada.....	1,030	987	71	24,120	23,064	1,056	2,991	2,860	131
New Hampshire.....	758	711	80	19,982	18,825	1,157	2,478	2,334	143
New Jersey.....	4,692	4,463	383	143,598	137,192	6,406	17,806	17,012	794
New Mexico.....	887	835	90	18,169	17,163	1,006	2,253	2,128	125
New York.....	9,812	9,234	955	270,894	257,649	13,245	33,591	31,948	1,642
North Carolina.....	4,460	4,213	427	104,470	99,011	5,459	12,954	12,277	677
North Dakota.....	374	344	53	7,493	6,854	639	929	850	79
Ohio.....	6,035	5,699	546	141,645	134,513	7,132	17,564	16,680	884
Oklahoma.....	1,807	1,685	200	37,506	35,421	2,085	4,651	4,392	259
Oregon.....	1,895	1,778	192	45,756	43,023	2,733	5,674	5,335	339
Pennsylvania.....	6,663	6,324	560	167,999	159,590	8,409	20,832	19,789	1,043
Rhode Island.....	585	556	54	14,584	13,866	718	1,808	1,719	89
South Carolina.....	2,170	2,062	177	48,111	45,945	2,166	5,966	5,697	269
South Dakota.....	453	416	63	8,783	7,961	823	1,089	987	102
Tennessee.....	3,165	2,977	321	71,373	66,948	4,425	8,850	8,302	549
Texas.....	10,205	9,542	1,086	241,875	227,401	14,474	29,992	28,198	1,795
Utah.....	1,177	1,128	94	25,715	24,587	1,128	3,189	3,049	140
Vermont.....	362	338	45	7,980	7,464	516	990	926	64
Virginia.....	3,951	3,766	328	104,771	100,417	4,354	12,992	12,452	540
Washington.....	3,269	3,097	294	86,475	81,872	4,603	10,723	10,152	571
West Virginia.....	860	816	76	17,938	17,018	920	2,224	2,110	114
Wisconsin.....	3,204	3,059	264	78,980	75,524	3,456	9,793	9,365	429
Wyoming.....	286	268	33	6,061	5,671	390	752	703	48
Outlying area									
Puerto Rico.....	1,163	1,104	66	17,093	16,045	1,048	2,120	1,990	130
Other and unknown ^e	1,079	1,073	9	24,071	23,964	106	2,985	2,972	13

- a. State designation based primarily on employee end-of-year residence, obtained from employer wage reports filed via magnetic media. State designation based on location of employer for reports filed via paper.
- b. Workers with earnings in both wage and salary employment and self-employment are counted in each type of employment. National and state totals and subtotals are unduplicated counts of workers in each type of employment.
- c. Annual maximum taxable earnings for Social Security (OASDI) from a single employer or from self-employment were \$72,600 in 1999.
- d. For 1999 earnings, paid at the rate of 6.2 percent of taxable wages by both employees and employers, 6.2 percent of taxable tips by employees, and 12.4 percent of self-employment income by self-employed workers. Data are unadjusted for multi-employer tax refunds.
- e. Persons employed in American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, and Virgin Islands; U.S. citizens employed abroad by U.S. employers; persons employed on U.S. oceanborne vessels; and workers with unknown residence.

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Continuous Work History Sample, 1 percent sample.

NOTE: Data are based on preliminary estimates.

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Table 4.B11—Number of workers, taxable earnings, and contributions, by type of employment, selected years 1937–2001

Year	Number of workers reported with taxable earnings ^a (thousands)			Reported taxable earnings ^b (millions of dollars)			OASDI contributions ^{c, d} (millions of dollars)		
	Total, all workers	Wage and salary workers	Self-employed persons	Total	Wages	Self-employment income	Total	Wage and salary employment	Self-employment
1937	32,900	32,900	...	29,620	29,620	...	592	592	...
1940	35,390	35,390	...	32,970	32,970	...	659	659	...
1945	46,390	46,390	...	62,950	62,950	...	1,259	1,259	...
1950	48,280	48,280	...	87,500	87,500	...	2,625	2,625	...
1951	58,120	54,630	4,190	120,770	111,250	9,520	3,552	3,338	214
1952	59,580	56,060	4,240	128,640	118,880	9,760	3,786	3,566	220
1953	60,840	57,220	4,340	135,870	125,840	10,030	4,001	3,775	226
1954	59,610	55,940	4,350	133,520	123,410	10,110	5,240	4,936	303
1955	65,200	59,560	6,810	157,540	141,810	15,730	6,144	5,672	472
1956	67,610	61,560	7,390	170,720	153,010	17,710	6,652	6,120	531
1957	70,590	64,730	7,150	181,380	163,990	17,390	7,966	7,380	587
1958	69,770	64,040	7,130	180,720	163,140	17,580	7,935	7,341	593
1959	71,700	66,000	7,060	202,310	183,620	18,690	9,882	9,181	701
1960	72,530	66,980	6,870	207,000	188,580	18,420	12,144	11,315	829
1961	72,820	67,360	6,790	209,640	190,850	18,790	12,297	11,451	846
1962	74,280	68,890	6,720	219,050	200,130	18,920	13,397	12,508	889
1963	75,540	70,310	6,590	225,550	206,840	18,710	16,006	14,996	1,010
1964	77,430	72,230	6,480	236,390	217,430	18,960	16,788	15,764	1,024
1965	80,680	75,430	6,550	250,730	230,830	19,900	17,810	16,735	1,075
1966	84,600	79,460	6,630	312,540	287,860	24,680	23,597	22,165	1,431
1967	87,040	82,020	6,470	329,960	305,670	24,290	25,275	23,842	1,433
1968	89,380	84,470	6,570	375,800	348,500	27,300	28,069	26,486	1,583
1969	92,060	87,200	6,350	402,510	375,010	27,500	33,233	31,501	1,733
1970	93,090	88,180	6,270	415,580	388,680	26,900	34,344	32,649	1,695
1971	93,340	88,460	6,290	426,950	399,550	27,400	38,649	36,759	1,891
1972	96,240	91,220	6,600	484,150	452,050	32,100	43,804	41,589	2,215
1973	99,830	94,610	7,100	561,850	523,450	38,400	53,463	50,775	2,688
1974	101,330	96,190	7,040	636,800	594,400	42,400	61,814	58,846	2,968
1975	100,200	94,900	7,000	664,700	621,100	43,600	64,541	61,489	3,052
1976	102,600	97,230	7,400	737,700	689,200	48,500	71,626	68,231	3,395
1977	105,800	100,450	7,480	816,600	763,600	53,000	79,306	75,596	3,710
1978	110,600	104,810	8,040	915,600	856,100	59,500	90,691	86,466	4,225
1979	112,700	106,900	8,200	1,067,000	997,500	69,500	106,246	101,346	4,900
1980	113,000	107,200	8,200	1,180,700	1,109,000	71,700	117,729	112,674	5,055
1981	113,000	107,300	8,250	1,294,100	1,220,000	74,100	136,468	130,540	5,928
1982	111,800	105,800	8,550	1,365,300	1,290,000	75,300	145,382	139,320	6,062
1983	112,100	105,900	9,200	1,454,100	1,369,000	85,100	154,703	147,852	6,851
1984	116,300	109,900	9,900	1,608,800	1,515,000	93,800	183,403	172,710	10,693
1985	119,800	113,400	10,600	1,722,600	1,621,000	101,600	196,376	184,794	11,582
1986	122,900	115,900	11,200	1,844,400	1,730,800	113,600	210,262	197,311	12,950
1987	125,600	118,200	12,000	1,960,000	1,835,100	124,900	223,440	209,201	14,239
1988	129,600	122,100	12,400	2,088,400	1,952,000	136,400	253,114	236,582	16,532
1989	131,700	123,900	12,900	2,239,500	2,096,000	143,500	271,427	254,035	17,392
1990	133,600	126,100	12,500	2,358,000	2,222,000	136,000	292,392	275,528	16,864
1991	133,000	125,200	12,800	2,422,500	2,283,000	139,500	300,390	283,092	17,298
1992	134,000	126,000	13,100	2,532,900	2,386,000	146,900	314,080	295,864	18,216
1993	136,100	128,100	13,200	2,636,100	2,483,400	152,700	326,876	307,942	18,935
1994	138,200	130,100	13,300	2,785,200	2,624,500	160,700	345,365	325,438	19,927
1995	141,000	132,800	13,500	2,919,100	2,754,300	164,800	361,968	341,533	20,435
1996	143,400	135,100	13,900	3,073,500	2,901,700	171,800	381,114	359,811	21,303
1997 ^e	146,100	137,700	14,100	3,285,300	3,104,500	180,800	407,377	384,958	22,419
1998 ^e	148,900	140,400	14,300	3,521,500	3,330,100	191,400	436,666	412,932	23,734
1999 ^e	151,400	142,700	14,600	3,744,600	3,542,800	201,800	464,330	439,307	25,023
2000 ^f	153,700	144,900	14,700	3,991,100	3,780,400	210,700	494,896	468,770	26,127
2001 ^g	153,500	144,800	14,700	4,198,300	3,978,700	219,600	520,589	493,359	27,230

a. Workers with earnings in both wage and salary employment and self-employment are counted in each type of employment.

b. See Table 2.A3 for annual maximum taxable earnings.

c. See Table 2.A3 for contribution rates.

d. Unadjusted for multi-employer tax refunds. Unadjusted for tax credits. See Table 2.A5 for information on tax credits.

e. Preliminary data.

f. Taxable earnings are preliminary estimates based on Social Security data; employment data are preliminary estimates based on data from Bureau of Labor Statistics and the National Income and Product Accounts.

g. Preliminary estimates based on data from Bureau of Labor Statistics and the National Income and Product Accounts.

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Master Earnings File, 1 percent sample.

NOTE: ... = note applicable.

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4.B HI: Covered Workers

Table 4.B12—Number of workers, taxable earnings, and contributions, by type of employment and state or other area, 1999

State or area ^a	Number of workers reported with taxable earnings ^b (thousands)			Reported taxable earnings ^c (millions of dollars)			Medicare (Hospital Insurance) contributions ^d (millions of dollars)		
	Total, all workers	Wage and salary workers	Self- employed persons	Total	Wages	Self- employment income	Total	Wage and salary employment	Self- employment
All areas.....	154,700	146,100	15,300	4,612,100	4,304,900	307,200	133,751	124,842	8,909
Alabama.....	2,330	2,204	214	56,221	53,020	3,201	1,630	1,538	93
Alaska.....	366	345	44	10,281	9,492	788	298	275	23
Arizona.....	2,547	2,420	228	70,112	66,105	4,007	2,033	1,917	116
Arkansas.....	1,417	1,327	151	29,996	28,022	1,974	870	813	57
California.....	16,847	15,614	2,024	570,835	520,859	49,976	16,554	15,105	1,449
Colorado.....	2,489	2,342	278	79,661	74,054	5,607	2,310	2,148	163
Connecticut.....	1,958	1,840	210	83,398	76,560	6,838	2,419	2,220	198
Delaware.....	486	469	32	14,529	13,919	610	421	404	18
District of Columbia.....	377	360	30	14,681	13,060	1,622	426	379	47
Florida.....	8,283	7,804	847	217,199	205,257	11,942	6,299	5,952	346
Georgia.....	4,451	4,223	412	128,931	120,691	8,240	3,739	3,500	239
Hawaii.....	650	613	61	17,711	16,792	919	514	487	27
Idaho.....	708	666	75	15,875	14,974	901	460	434	26
Illinois.....	6,834	6,496	629	221,784	208,100	13,684	6,432	6,035	397
Indiana.....	3,481	3,333	302	93,636	88,388	5,248	2,715	2,563	152
Iowa.....	1,724	1,610	210	41,870	38,791	3,080	1,214	1,125	89
Kansas.....	1,548	1,458	168	42,268	39,293	2,975	1,226	1,140	86
Kentucky.....	2,135	2,009	233	50,482	47,423	3,059	1,464	1,375	89
Louisiana.....	2,232	2,110	210	53,270	49,440	3,829	1,545	1,434	111
Maine.....	718	664	92	16,803	15,469	1,334	487	449	39
Maryland.....	3,008	2,872	264	102,459	96,703	5,757	2,971	2,804	167
Massachusetts.....	3,581	3,368	391	133,288	121,503	11,785	3,865	3,524	342
Michigan.....	5,728	5,492	459	176,392	168,901	7,490	5,115	4,898	217
Minnesota.....	3,020	2,858	316	90,566	85,337	5,229	2,626	2,475	152
Mississippi.....	1,455	1,377	135	30,664	28,580	2,084	889	829	60
Missouri.....	3,135	2,965	308	80,986	75,962	5,024	2,349	2,203	146
Montana.....	503	461	74	10,243	9,052	1,191	297	262	35
Nebraska.....	1,025	959	122	24,687	22,933	1,754	716	665	51
Nevada.....	1,067	1,027	75	29,199	27,399	1,800	847	795	52
New Hampshire.....	766	720	84	23,902	22,305	1,597	693	647	46
New Jersey.....	4,727	4,498	419	190,010	179,014	10,996	5,510	5,191	319
New Mexico.....	900	848	92	19,874	18,684	1,190	576	542	35
New York.....	9,873	9,293	1,020	364,247	333,085	31,163	10,563	9,659	904
North Carolina.....	4,486	4,239	441	118,653	111,698	6,955	3,441	3,239	202
North Dakota.....	377	347	54	8,075	7,355	720	234	213	21
Ohio.....	6,408	6,094	571	175,604	165,196	10,408	5,093	4,791	302
Oklahoma.....	1,827	1,706	205	41,293	38,961	2,332	1,197	1,130	68
Oregon.....	1,910	1,792	198	51,982	48,580	3,402	1,507	1,409	99
Pennsylvania.....	6,720	6,380	591	198,650	186,895	11,755	5,761	5,420	341
Rhode Island.....	593	564	57	16,605	15,712	894	482	456	26
South Carolina.....	2,183	2,075	182	53,060	50,225	2,835	1,539	1,457	82
South Dakota.....	458	421	64	9,490	8,549	941	275	248	27
Tennessee.....	3,190	3,001	334	83,087	76,711	6,376	2,410	2,225	185
Texas.....	10,642	9,998	1,133	307,870	286,887	20,983	8,928	8,320	609
Utah.....	1,189	1,140	98	29,863	28,212	1,651	866	818	48
Vermont.....	364	340	46	9,001	8,372	630	261	243	18
Virginia.....	4,002	3,816	346	132,745	126,224	6,521	3,850	3,660	189
Washington.....	3,306	3,134	307	109,706	103,688	6,018	3,181	3,007	175
West Virginia.....	870	826	78	19,745	18,326	1,419	573	531	41
Wisconsin.....	3,221	3,075	275	88,241	83,694	4,547	2,559	2,427	132
Wyoming.....	288	271	34	7,145	6,587	557	207	191	16
Outlying area									
Puerto Rico.....	1,197	1,138	66	18,916	17,694	1,222	549	513	35
Other and unknown ^e	1,104	1,098	9	26,308	26,171	136	763	759	4

- a. State designation based primarily on employee end-of-year residence, obtained from employer wage reports filed via magnetic media. State designation based on location of employer for reports filed via paper.
- b. Workers with earnings in both wage and salary employment and self-employment are counted in each type of employment. National and state totals and subtotals are unduplicated counts of workers in each type of employment.
- c. No annual maximum taxable earnings amount for Medicare.
- d. For 1999 earnings, paid at the rate of 1.45 percent of taxable wages by both employees and employers, 1.45 percent of taxable tips by employees, and 2.9 percent of self-employment income by self-employed workers.
- e. Persons employed in American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, and Virgin Islands; U.S. citizens employed abroad by U.S. employers; persons employed on U.S. oceanborne vessels; and workers with unknown residence.

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Continuous Work History Sample, 1 percent sample.

NOTE: Data are based on preliminary estimates.

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