



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 determine the amount of benefits received.

Table 1.
Number of OASDI beneficiaries in current-payment status and total monthly benefits, December 2013

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 and parents	Spouses ^a	Children ^b	All beneficiaries	Retired workers	Widow(er)s and parents	
Tennessee	1,348,004	833,350	252,532	100,768	47,206	114,148	1,559,929	1,068,151	115,715	887,851
1	192,636	114,382	39,850	15,020	7,902	15,482	215,320	141,645	16,389	124,481
2	155,543	99,156	27,083	11,787	6,213	11,304	185,455	130,547	14,122	106,937
3	170,359	103,692	32,818	13,337	6,327	14,185	197,489	133,836	15,344	111,904
4	147,221	90,641	28,190	10,599	5,113	12,678	169,665	115,102	11,976	95,567
5	112,969	72,432	20,165	8,157	3,333	8,882	138,510	98,139	10,232	76,531
6	167,272	107,296	29,398	11,688	5,482	13,408	193,968	136,399	13,324	112,408
7	142,783	88,229	25,660	10,778	5,343	12,773	163,686	111,571	12,231	93,823
8	149,075	95,847	25,035	10,822	5,070	12,301	178,017	125,947	12,833	101,557
9	110,146	61,675	24,333	8,580	2,423	13,135	117,819	74,965	9,263	64,643
All areas ^c	57,978,610	37,892,659	8,940,950	4,290,073	2,442,308	4,412,620	68,544,382	49,026,786	5,152,133	40,865,508

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Master Beneficiary Record, 100 percent data; and U.S. Postal Service geographic data.

- a. These beneficiaries receive payment on the record of a worker who is retired or disabled.
- b. These beneficiaries receive payment on the record of a worker who is retired, deceased, or disabled.
- c. 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 2013

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
Tennessee	183,784	12,243	1,419	170,122	99,164	3,263	728	95,173	64,235	32,006
1	23,478	1,597	168	21,713	12,117	386	81	11,650	9,396	4,529
2	18,202	1,103	107	16,992	9,541	303	53	9,185	6,460	3,261
3	23,203	1,423	159	21,621	12,118	333	82	11,702	8,497	4,232
4	17,282	1,233	139	15,910	9,092	313	71	8,709	6,221	3,118
5	17,336	1,403	175	15,758	9,933	539	88	9,306	5,064	2,776
6	17,767	1,255	161	16,351	9,470	266	82	9,122	6,987	3,268
7	16,447	1,159	112	15,176	8,883	280	59	8,545	6,005	2,961
8	18,123	1,266	119	16,738	9,714	333	60	9,321	6,475	3,178
9	31,946	1,804	279	29,863	18,296	510	152	17,634	9,130	4,683
All areas ^b	8,363,477	1,157,118	67,671	7,138,688	4,677,154	483,984	37,494	4,155,676	2,770,750	2,107,524

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data; and U.S. Postal Service geographic 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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