

Table 1.**Beneficiaries as a percentage of the total resident population and of the population aged 65 or older, by state, 2001**

State	Total population		Population aged 65 or older	
	Number (thousands)	Percentage receiving benefits ^a	Number (thousands)	Percentage receiving benefits ^a
United States	284,797	15.7	35,291	91.2
Alabama	4,464	18.8	584	92.7
Alaska	635	8.9	37	93.9
Arizona	5,307	15.4	692	85.1
Arkansas	2,692	19.6	374	93.2
California	34,501	12.3	3,656	85.7
Colorado	4,418	12.2	426	91.7
Connecticut	3,425	16.9	470	94.8
Delaware	796	16.9	104	92.9
District of Columbia	572	12.8	68	78.6
Florida	16,397	19.8	2,848	85.3
Georgia	8,384	13.4	802	91.4
Hawaii	1,224	15.3	164	87.9
Idaho	1,321	15.2	149	96.1
Illinois	12,482	14.8	1,495	91.7
Indiana	6,115	16.5	753	95.8
Iowa	2,923	18.6	433	96.2
Kansas	2,695	16.4	355	93.7
Kentucky	4,066	18.4	506	92.9
Louisiana	4,465	16.0	517	90.6
Maine	1,287	19.7	185	95.2
Maryland	5,375	13.7	609	88.6
Massachusetts	6,379	16.6	860	91.8
Michigan	9,991	16.6	1,223	96.1
Minnesota	4,972	15.0	597	94.5
Mississippi	2,858	18.2	345	91.9
Missouri	5,630	18.0	754	94.4
Montana	904	17.6	122	94.0
Nebraska	1,713	16.7	231	94.6
Nevada	2,106	14.2	235	91.6
New Hampshire	1,259	16.1	150	97.5
New Jersey	8,484	16.0	1,114	92.5
New Mexico	1,829	15.4	217	89.4
New York	19,011	15.9	2,446	89.5
North Carolina	8,186	16.8	985	94.5
North Dakota	634	18.0	94	95.0
Ohio	11,374	16.8	1,507	93.5
Oklahoma	3,460	17.3	457	93.0
Oregon	3,473	16.4	442	95.6
Pennsylvania	12,287	19.2	1,908	93.6
Rhode Island	1,059	18.2	152	93.6
South Carolina	4,063	17.3	496	92.8
South Dakota	757	18.1	108	96.7
Tennessee	5,740	17.5	712	93.9
Texas	21,325	12.5	2,118	89.7
Utah	2,270	10.8	196	91.2
Vermont	613	17.2	78	95.6
Virginia	7,188	14.7	808	91.2
Washington	5,988	14.3	671	93.4
West Virginia	1,802	22.0	276	93.2
Wisconsin	5,402	16.8	704	96.8
Wyoming	494	15.6	58	95.3

a. Percentage receiving benefits is based on the number of beneficiaries in December 2001.

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Master Beneficiary Record, 100 percent data.
Population data for 2001 on which percentages are based are from the U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division.

Table 2.**Number of beneficiaries with benefits in current-payment status, by type of benefit and sex of beneficiaries aged 65 or older, December 2001**

State or area	Total	Retirement			Survivors		Disability			Aged 65 or older	
		Retired workers ^a	Spouses	Children	Widow(er)s ^b	Children	Disabled workers	Spouses	Children	Men	Women
All areas	45,877,413	28,836,810	2,741,962	467,053	5,028,266	1,890,125	5,274,183	156,899	1,482,115	13,679,531	19,251,333
Alabama	839,235	462,858	46,099	9,791	104,331	42,154	129,677	4,309	40,016	216,203	324,861
Alaska	56,503	32,766	2,770	1,082	4,871	4,673	7,668	220	2,453	16,604	17,987
Arizona	816,843	533,827	49,306	7,289	75,772	31,095	91,664	2,392	25,498	259,108	330,257
Arkansas	527,654	303,121	28,374	5,305	60,893	23,352	80,375	2,520	23,714	143,876	204,540
California	4,251,502	2,745,727	285,026	51,638	421,949	171,534	448,654	11,969	115,005	1,350,152	1,784,469
Colorado	540,869	341,279	37,195	4,094	56,271	21,224	62,253	1,401	17,152	167,901	223,079
Connecticut	579,261	403,333	26,029	5,269	52,048	19,969	56,222	936	15,455	182,078	263,804
Delaware	134,750	88,008	6,832	1,137	13,160	5,498	15,549	284	4,282	40,684	55,838
District of Columbia	73,203	47,531	2,566	835	7,730	4,663	8,406	61	1,411	20,662	32,963
Florida	3,239,295	2,196,499	182,510	29,774	306,013	104,444	324,413	8,664	86,978	1,049,227	1,380,199
Georgia	1,120,746	657,707	51,611	11,307	123,126	61,750	164,285	4,180	46,780	292,335	440,869
Hawaii	187,794	133,271	9,863	3,005	15,695	6,566	14,855	408	4,131	63,091	80,921
Idaho	200,150	127,517	13,800	1,856	20,090	7,908	21,858	744	6,377	63,057	80,150
Illinois	1,845,749	1,199,206	102,431	19,305	209,266	78,502	182,165	4,152	50,722	556,866	813,098
Indiana	1,006,703	638,762	56,333	8,676	113,031	41,053	113,555	2,946	32,347	291,961	430,074
Iowa	542,536	354,972	38,783	3,953	64,162	17,241	48,904	1,081	13,440	169,427	247,160
Kansas	440,703	287,681	27,270	3,500	48,975	16,733	43,495	824	12,225	135,812	196,495
Kentucky	746,722	388,959	46,454	6,697	96,929	31,524	131,225	6,204	38,730	191,098	278,969
Louisiana	716,427	365,041	56,409	9,435	109,006	44,873	92,787	5,255	33,621	191,985	276,662
Maine	253,789	155,303	14,140	2,049	25,489	8,005	36,703	1,061	11,039	73,710	102,323
Maryland	734,104	480,602	38,312	6,782	78,329	36,667	73,564	1,233	18,615	220,055	319,494
Massachusetts	1,059,201	695,913	50,678	8,945	101,436	34,735	127,542	2,529	37,423	316,147	472,631
Michigan	1,660,729	1,028,768	102,264	17,372	186,850	71,105	192,171	5,143	57,056	485,295	689,879
Minnesota	747,599	494,494	48,944	5,998	80,699	25,780	71,533	1,156	18,995	234,658	329,042
Mississippi	520,558	275,756	23,648	7,071	60,048	30,672	89,520	3,160	30,683	126,321	190,734
Missouri	1,015,733	627,630	55,801	8,564	111,853	42,368	129,429	3,228	36,860	290,510	421,900
Montana	159,424	100,077	11,158	1,601	17,810	6,090	17,439	605	4,644	50,020	64,354
Nebraska	286,394	187,012	19,770	2,255	32,257	10,056	26,611	549	7,884	89,763	129,136
Nevada	300,066	204,026	14,221	2,894	25,340	11,117	34,071	602	7,795	100,767	113,981
New Hampshire	202,984	135,746	9,220	1,422	17,434	6,696	24,124	462	7,880	61,925	84,694
New Jersey	1,353,984	930,034	59,452	12,372	132,897	50,593	130,126	3,124	35,386	416,813	613,422
New Mexico	281,858	167,866	20,834	3,573	30,746	14,372	33,227	1,548	9,692	85,178	108,627
New York	3,016,879	1,965,220	147,009	35,181	294,875	115,122	349,723	10,324	99,425	883,848	1,305,513
North Carolina	1,375,574	854,109	57,706	10,983	135,792	57,956	202,733	4,167	52,128	374,101	556,947
North Dakota	114,484	70,803	10,842	897	16,096	4,018	9,249	226	2,353	37,371	51,713
Ohio	1,915,354	1,174,952	139,952	17,306	249,815	73,322	200,954	5,448	53,605	576,418	833,208
Oklahoma	598,036	368,220	37,594	5,384	72,169	26,192	68,415	2,260	17,802	175,861	249,802
Oregon	571,065	380,333	35,054	4,769	57,244	18,833	59,895	1,519	13,418	180,773	241,542
Pennsylvania	2,363,939	1,543,687	140,086	18,941	282,701	81,576	228,285	6,725	61,938	715,583	1,069,776
Rhode Island	192,480	130,486	6,751	1,455	16,596	5,843	24,340	496	6,513	56,316	86,257
South Carolina	703,165	420,823	30,072	6,831	71,629	34,896	107,027	2,463	29,424	187,003	273,234
South Dakota	136,639	86,777	10,751	1,186	16,504	5,276	12,320	268	3,557	44,061	60,152
Tennessee	1,005,350	587,027	53,464	9,435	115,958	46,245	148,745	4,625	39,851	269,695	398,960
Texas	2,672,134	1,604,065	197,170	31,114	339,060	137,226	272,147	10,929	80,423	804,433	1,096,194
Utah	245,624	158,455	17,887	2,892	22,660	12,602	22,868	639	7,621	77,940	100,517
Vermont	105,290	66,889	5,805	988	10,653	3,722	12,997	348	3,888	31,478	43,449
Virginia	1,054,496	651,632	57,426	9,595	115,635	44,768	133,790	4,491	37,159	300,327	436,102
Washington	856,796	559,790	54,827	7,541	84,180	30,157	95,013	2,179	23,109	268,907	357,732
West Virginia	396,602	203,208	29,325	4,172	58,345	15,593	64,298	4,113	17,548	104,196	152,590
Wisconsin	908,331	609,500	52,444	7,957	95,231	31,701	86,373	1,567	23,558	283,154	397,643
Wyoming	77,121	49,977	4,844	636	7,938	3,141	8,208	238	2,139	24,512	30,930
Outlying areas											
American Samoa	5,314	1,361	194	388	555	941	1,066	83	726	759	858
Guam	10,539	5,526	1,054	547	1,010	1,148	756	53	445	3,251	3,045
Northern Mariana Islands	2,011	739	126	248	282	401	146	7	62	431	391
Puerto Rico	682,132	305,379	55,265	15,694	80,726	40,531	127,400	9,874	47,263	171,149	208,967
Virgin Islands	13,865	8,688	827	391	1,125	1,016	1,307	50	461	4,227	4,823
Foreign countries	411,089	237,870	57,384	7,671	76,978	14,875	12,058	855	3,398	150,446	188,374

a. Includes 41 special age-72 beneficiaries. Data for individual states is not available.

b. Includes nondisabled widow(er)s, disabled widow(er)s, widowed mothers and fathers, and parents.

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

Massachusetts

Table 4.

Number of beneficiaries with benefits in current-payment status, by type of benefit, sex of beneficiaries aged 65 or older, and county, December 2001

County	Total	Retirement			Survivors		Disability			Aged 65 or older	
		Retired workers ^a	Spouses	Children	Widow(er)s ^b	Children	Disabled workers	Spouses	Children	Men	Women
Total, Massachusetts ^c	1,059,201	695,913	50,678	8,945	101,436	34,735	127,542	2,529	37,423	316,147	472,631
Barnstable	62,390	45,110	4,070	425	5,575	1,140	4,675	90	1,305	21,635	28,910
Berkshire	30,020	19,810	1,450	280	3,065	875	3,415	85	1,040	8,940	13,465
Bristol	99,180	63,800	3,585	790	8,640	3,315	14,475	340	4,235	27,610	42,490
Dukes	2,790	1,930	160	30	305	80	215	0	70	910	1,315
Essex	122,685	80,935	6,005	1,090	11,780	4,000	14,335	280	4,260	36,395	55,525
Franklin	12,915	8,075	635	95	1,285	385	1,795	50	595	3,765	5,555
Hampden	85,775	53,525	3,760	690	8,550	3,415	11,635	330	3,870	24,090	36,900
Hampshire	22,875	15,075	1,155	195	2,190	695	2,685	55	825	6,880	10,245
Middlesex	221,690	151,985	11,475	1,785	21,050	6,335	22,825	390	5,845	69,340	103,460
Nantucket	1,275	935	75	10	150	20	70	0	15	460	590
Norfolk	107,010	73,400	5,900	940	11,205	3,115	9,660	165	2,625	33,775	51,040
Plymouth	74,800	46,895	3,710	685	7,430	2,880	9,735	170	3,295	21,960	31,305
Suffolk	89,185	53,175	3,240	990	8,010	3,920	15,420	265	4,165	23,505	36,715
Worcester	126,605	81,260	5,460	940	12,200	4,560	16,600	310	5,275	36,875	55,115

a. Includes special age-72 beneficiaries.

b. Includes nondisabled widow(er)s, disabled widow(er)s, widowed mothers and fathers, and parents.

c. Total includes beneficiaries with unknown county code.

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

Massachusetts

Table 5.

Amount of benefits in current-payment status, by type of benefit, sex of beneficiaries aged 65 or older, and county, December 2001 (in thousands of dollars)

County	Total	Retirement			Survivors		Disability			Aged 65 or older	
		Retired workers ^a	Spouses	Children	Widow(er)s ^b	Children	Disabled workers	Spouses	Children	Men	Women
Total, Massachusetts ^c	860,425	612,238	23,643	3,879	87,232	21,099	102,952	483	8,900	318,199	360,520
Barnstable	52,522	40,438	1,947	187	5,061	734	3,810	19	326	22,422	21,712
Berkshire	24,501	17,525	678	128	2,647	541	2,735	17	229	8,985	10,363
Bristol	73,858	50,972	1,489	321	6,731	1,926	11,370	59	991	25,077	29,914
Dukes	2,391	1,777	83	13	277	48	174	0	19	960	1,044
Essex	100,735	71,959	2,841	477	10,243	2,489	11,650	52	1,024	37,080	42,693
Franklin	9,956	6,801	283	41	1,087	232	1,375	9	128	3,553	4,120
Hampden	66,096	45,662	1,655	268	7,004	1,850	8,816	54	785	23,366	27,494
Hampshire	17,888	12,774	496	84	1,821	424	2,074	10	204	6,546	7,631
Middlesex	190,818	140,391	5,688	841	18,946	4,163	19,184	83	1,523	73,910	82,062
Nantucket	1,186	923	41	5	138	13	61	0	5	515	495
Norfolk	92,855	67,870	2,932	454	10,356	2,088	8,385	39	731	35,983	40,795
Plymouth	60,404	41,100	1,720	301	6,372	1,850	8,199	34	829	22,034	23,562
Suffolk	65,473	43,022	1,303	345	6,146	1,978	11,750	52	877	20,776	26,897
Worcester	101,733	71,020	2,489	413	10,399	2,762	13,367	55	1,227	36,983	41,736

a. Includes special age-72 beneficiaries.

b. Includes nondisabled widow(er)s, disabled widow(er)s, widowed mothers and fathers, and parents.

c. Total includes beneficiaries with unknown county code.

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