

**Table 1.****Number of people receiving Social Security, Supplemental Security Income (SSI), or both, April 2015  
(in thousands)**

Type of beneficiary	Total	Social Security only	SSI only	Both Social Security and SSI
All beneficiaries	64,613	56,269	5,574	2,770
Aged 65 or older	43,317	41,185	945	1,187
Disabled, under age 65 <sup>a</sup>	14,260	8,048	4,629	1,583
Other <sup>b</sup>	7,036	7,036	...	...

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Master Beneficiary Record and Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data.

NOTES: Social Security beneficiaries who are entitled to a primary and a secondary benefit (dual entitlement) are counted only once in this table. SSI counts include recipients of federal SSI, federally administered state supplementation, or both.

... = not applicable.

a. Includes children receiving SSI on the basis of their own disability.

b. Social Security beneficiaries who are neither aged nor disabled (for example, early retirees, young survivors).

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**Table 2.**  
**Social Security benefits, April 2015**

Type of beneficiary	Beneficiaries		Total monthly benefits (millions of dollars)	Average monthly benefit (dollars)
	Number (thousands)	Percent		
Total	59,447	100.0	72,469	1,219.04
Old-Age and Survivors Insurance	48,525	81.6	61,362	1,264.54
Retirement benefits	42,390	71.3	54,564	1,287.19
Retired workers	39,432	66.3	52,577	1,333.35
Spouses of retired workers	2,302	3.9	1,561	677.87
Children of retired workers	655	1.1	426	649.90
Survivor benefits	6,135	10.3	6,798	1,108.05
Children of deceased workers	1,928	3.2	1,607	833.32
Widowed mothers and fathers	138	0.2	128	927.90
Nondisabled widow(er)s	3,809	6.4	4,875	1,279.82
Disabled widow(er)s	259	0.4	187	722.23
Parents of deceased workers	1	(L)	1	1,125.51
Disability Insurance	10,922	18.4	11,107	1,016.88
Disabled workers	8,939	15.0	10,417	1,165.23
Spouses of disabled workers	146	0.2	46	315.78
Children of disabled workers	1,837	3.1	644	350.57

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

NOTE: (L) = less than 0.05 percent.

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**Table 3.**  
**Supplemental Security Income recipients, April 2015**

Age	Recipients		Total payments <sup>a</sup> (millions of dollars)	Average monthly payment <sup>b</sup> (dollars)
	Number (thousands)	Percent		
All recipients	8,344	100.0	4,761	541.73
Under 18	1,292	15.5	878	653.62
18–64	4,920	59.0	2,957	559.61
65 or older	2,132	25.6	925	432.95

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data.

a. Includes retroactive payments.

b. Excludes retroactive payments.

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