

Table 1.
Number of people receiving Social Security, Supplemental Security Income (SSI), or both, July 2022
(in thousands)

Type of beneficiary	Total	Social Security only	SSI only	Both Social Security and SSI
All beneficiaries	70,300	62,709	5,061	2,529
Aged 65 or older	52,383	50,073	998	1,312
Disabled, under age 65 ^a	12,251	6,970	4,063	1,218
Other ^b	5,666	5,666

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 based on 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, July 2022

Type of beneficiary	Beneficiaries		Total monthly benefits (millions of dollars)	Average monthly benefit (dollars)
	Number (thousands)	Percent		
Total	65,640	100.0	101,394	1,544.70
Old-Age and Survivors Insurance	56,632	86.3	90,304	1,594.58
Retirement benefits	50,790	77.4	82,532	1,624.98
Retired workers	48,039	73.2	80,271	1,670.95
Spouses of retired workers	2,079	3.2	1,734	834.18
Children of retired workers	672	1.0	527	784.79
Survivor benefits	5,842	8.9	7,771	1,330.27
Children of deceased workers	1,974	3.0	1,935	980.24
Widowed mothers and fathers	113	0.2	128	1,133.87
Nondisabled widow(er)s	3,537	5.4	5,529	1,563.20
Disabled widow(er)s	217	0.3	178	819.49
Parents of deceased workers	1	(L)	1	1,400.66
Disability Insurance	9,009	13.7	11,091	1,231.13
Disabled workers	7,750	11.8	10,556	1,362.03
Spouses of disabled workers	94	0.1	35	376.80
Children of disabled workers	1,164	1.8	499	428.80

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, July 2022

Age	Recipients		Total payments ^a (millions of dollars)	Average monthly payment ^b (dollars)
	Number (thousands)	Percent		
All recipients	7,590	100.0	4,905	624.24
Under 18	1,016	13.4	777	736.44
18–64	4,265	56.2	2,942	659.14
65 or older	2,310	30.4	1,185	510.64

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

a. Includes retroactive payments.

b. Excludes retroactive payments.

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