

**Table 1.**  
**Number of people receiving Social Security, Supplemental Security Income (SSI), or both, May 2023**  
**(in thousands)**

Type of beneficiary	Total	Social Security only	SSI only	Both Social Security and SSI
All beneficiaries	71,259	63,744	4,991	2,523
Aged 65 or older	53,633	51,264	1,017	1,352
Disabled, under age 65 <sup>a</sup>	11,867	6,722	3,974	1,171
Other <sup>b</sup>	5,758	5,758	...	...

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, May 2023**

Type of beneficiary	Beneficiaries		Total monthly benefits (millions of dollars)	Average monthly benefit (dollars)
	Number (thousands)	Percent		
Total	66,665	100.0	113,287	1,699.35
Old-Age and Survivors Insurance	57,946	86.9	101,576	1,752.95
Retirement benefits	52,058	78.1	93,043	1,787.31
Retired workers	49,387	74.1	90,678	1,836.06
Spouses of retired workers	1,972	3.0	1,765	894.81
Children of retired workers	698	1.0	601	860.21
Survivor benefits	5,888	8.8	8,532	1,449.20
Children of deceased workers	2,067	3.1	2,213	1,070.70
Widowed mothers and fathers	109	0.2	133	1,224.04
Nondisabled widow(er)s	3,502	5.3	5,998	1,712.71
Disabled widow(er)s	209	0.3	187	894.48
Parents of deceased workers	1	(L)	1	1,537.06
Disability Insurance	8,720	13.1	11,711	1,343.09
Disabled workers	7,500	11.2	11,139	1,485.22
Spouses of disabled workers	90	0.1	36	405.81
Children of disabled workers	1,130	1.7	536	474.50

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, May 2023**

Age	Recipients		Total payments <sup>a</sup> (millions of dollars)	Average monthly payment <sup>b</sup> (dollars)
	Number (thousands)	Percent		
All recipients	7,514	100.0	5,339	675.10
Under 18	1,001	13.3	844	788.90
18–64	4,144	55.1	3,173	717.36
65 or older	2,369	31.5	1,322	553.14

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

a. Includes retroactive payments.

b. Excludes retroactive payments.

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