

**Table 1.****Number of people receiving Social Security, Supplemental Security Income (SSI), or both, December 2024  
(in thousands)**

Type of beneficiary	Total	Social Security only	SSI only	Both Social Security and SSI
All beneficiaries	72,946	65,522	4,891	2,533
Aged 65 or older	56,064	53,595	1,067	1,403
Disabled, under age 65 <sup>a</sup>	11,342	6,387	3,824	1,130
Other <sup>b</sup>	5,540	5,540	...	...

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, December 2024**

Type of beneficiary	Beneficiaries		Total monthly benefits (millions of dollars)	Average monthly benefit (dollars)
	Number (thousands)	Percent		
Total	68,456	100.0	125,578	1,834.43
Old-Age and Survivors Insurance	60,134	87.8	113,598	1,889.09
Retirement benefits	54,348	79.4	104,656	1,925.66
Retired workers	51,773	75.6	102,268	1,975.34
Spouses of retired workers	1,862	2.7	1,733	930.60
Children of retired workers	714	1.0	655	917.78
Survivor benefits	5,786	8.5	8,942	1,545.57
Children of deceased workers	2,051	3.0	2,325	1,133.60
Widowed mothers and fathers	104	0.2	137	1,316.11
Nondisabled widow(er)s	3,434	5.0	6,293	1,832.47
Disabled widow(er)s	196	0.3	187	951.06
Parents of deceased workers	1	(L)	1	1,675.42
Disability Insurance	8,322	12.2	11,980	1,439.50
Disabled workers	7,231	10.6	11,431	1,580.79
Spouses of disabled workers	86	0.1	37	431.66
Children of disabled workers	1,005	1.5	512	509.19

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, December 2024**

Age	Recipients		Total payments <sup>a</sup> (millions of dollars)	Average monthly payment <sup>b</sup> (dollars)
	Number (thousands)	Percent		
All recipients	7,424	100.0	5,528	696.70
Under 18	1,003	13.5	896	812.54
18–64	3,952	53.2	3,201	743.12
65 or older	2,469	33.3	1,431	575.59

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

a. Includes retroactive payments.

b. Excludes retroactive payments.

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