

Table 1.**Beneficiaries as a percentage of the total resident population and of the population aged 65 or older, by state, December 2002**

State	Total population		Population aged 65 or older	
	Number ^a (thousands)	Percentage receiving benefits	Number ^a (thousands)	Percentage receiving benefits
United States	288,369	15.7	35,602	91.0
Alabama	4,487	19.0	589	92.6
Alaska	644	9.1	39	91.9
Arizona	5,456	15.4	701	85.7
Arkansas	2,710	19.7	376	92.9
California	35,116	12.3	3,717	85.1
Colorado	4,507	12.2	434	91.3
Connecticut	3,461	16.8	472	94.3
Delaware	807	17.1	105	93.2
District of Columbia	571	12.8	69	77.5
Florida	16,713	19.6	2,855	85.8
Georgia	8,560	13.4	814	91.6
Hawaii	1,245	15.4	167	87.7
Idaho	1,341	15.3	151	96.6
Illinois	12,601	14.7	1,499	91.4
Indiana	6,159	16.5	757	95.8
Iowa	2,937	18.5	433	96.2
Kansas	2,716	16.3	355	93.4
Kentucky	4,093	18.5	509	92.7
Louisiana	4,483	16.2	520	90.6
Maine	1,294	19.9	186	95.3
Maryland	5,458	13.6	617	88.4
Massachusetts	6,428	16.5	864	90.9
Michigan	10,050	16.7	1,232	95.8
Minnesota	5,020	15.1	602	94.3
Mississippi	2,872	18.4	346	92.3
Missouri	5,673	18.1	757	94.2
Montana	909	17.7	123	94.0
Nebraska	1,729	16.6	232	94.2
Nevada	2,173	14.4	240	92.8
New Hampshire	1,275	16.2	153	97.3
New Jersey	8,590	15.8	1,121	92.0
New Mexico	1,855	15.5	221	89.3
New York	19,158	15.8	2,474	88.6
North Carolina	8,320	16.9	998	94.8
North Dakota	634	18.0	94	94.3
Ohio	11,421	16.8	1,513	93.2
Oklahoma	3,494	17.3	460	92.7
Oregon	3,522	16.5	444	96.1
Pennsylvania	12,335	19.2	1,909	93.3
Rhode Island	1,070	18.0	152	93.0
South Carolina	4,107	17.5	503	93.0
South Dakota	761	18.0	108	96.5
Tennessee	5,797	17.6	719	94.0
Texas	21,780	12.5	2,153	89.5
Utah	2,316	10.8	199	91.3
Vermont	617	17.3	79	95.7
Virginia	7,294	14.7	817	91.6
Washington	6,069	14.4	678	93.6
West Virginia	1,802	22.3	276	93.3
Wisconsin	5,441	16.9	706	96.9
Wyoming	499	15.6	59	94.7

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Master Beneficiary Record, 100 percent data; U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division, 2002 estimates of resident population.

a. Population estimates for the United States as of July 1, 2002, as reported by the U.S. Census Bureau.

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 2002

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, Minnesota ^c	756,261	501,667	47,207	5,972	79,331	25,871	75,502	1,141	19,570	237,637	329,847
Aitkin	3,950	2,765	230	30	375	90	370	10	80	1,385	1,570
Anoka	32,975	21,540	1,420	215	2,890	1,390	4,200	55	1,265	9,580	12,910
Becker	6,535	4,245	490	60	725	245	605	15	150	2,155	2,675
Beltrami	6,560	4,005	390	60	685	390	765	20	245	1,975	2,485
Benton	4,665	2,715	310	50	625	195	595	5	170	1,350	1,970
Big Stone	1,650	1,055	160	15	215	40	125	5	35	555	745
Blue Earth	8,645	5,430	595	90	955	360	1,010	10	195	2,490	3,925
Brown	5,795	3,825	525	40	740	110	440	5	110	1,965	2,715
Carlton	6,360	3,935	465	60	775	230	690	15	190	1,955	2,665
Carver	7,325	4,980	435	85	755	310	595	5	160	2,375	3,135
Cass	7,310	5,010	445	55	585	265	720	25	205	2,520	2,645
Chippewa	2,790	1,815	230	20	445	80	165	0	35	900	1,400
Chisago	6,285	4,210	350	55	540	275	640	5	210	2,005	2,455
Clay	7,925	5,070	540	55	925	270	825	15	225	2,445	3,530
Clearwater	1,735	1,135	115	20	195	55	155	5	55	585	695
Cook	1,100	830	65	5	80	25	75	0	20	410	450
Cottonwood	3,045	2,000	300	15	420	65	175	10	60	1,045	1,480
Crow Wing	12,760	8,755	780	85	1,145	385	1,275	25	310	4,215	5,110
Dakota	37,855	25,610	1,790	295	3,475	1,525	3,930	50	1,180	11,625	15,815
Dodge	2,675	1,805	215	15	310	95	185	0	50	910	1,175
Douglas	7,590	5,160	555	45	830	190	640	15	155	2,565	3,280
Faribault	3,990	2,690	350	20	565	80	230	5	50	1,385	1,955
Fillmore	4,640	3,160	425	25	565	120	260	5	80	1,665	2,165
Freeborn	7,615	5,115	600	40	880	190	640	10	140	2,515	3,480
Goodhue	7,855	5,485	495	50	845	235	585	10	150	2,595	3,585
Grant	1,735	1,125	165	10	225	45	125	0	40	610	775
Hennepin	147,240	101,455	7,085	1,160	13,595	4,730	15,690	125	3,400	44,975	67,280
Houston	3,800	2,605	270	25	425	110	265	10	90	1,315	1,730
Hubbard	4,520	3,105	290	35	400	130	440	15	105	1,545	1,750
Isanti	4,935	3,150	275	35	490	220	565	10	190	1,515	1,945
Itasca	10,080	6,165	795	80	1,230	295	1,185	30	300	3,230	3,895
Jackson	2,400	1,580	245	20	325	65	130	5	30	835	1,155
Kanabec	2,915	1,905	140	30	270	90	370	10	100	950	1,120
Kandiyohi	7,715	4,990	580	75	835	265	765	15	190	2,490	3,355
Kittson	1,255	825	110	10	170	40	85	0	15	435	595
Koochiching	3,375	2,010	265	25	470	125	385	10	85	1,050	1,385
Lac Qui Parle	2,040	1,330	220	10	285	50	115	0	30	750	960
Lake	2,615	1,700	255	15	275	70	225	5	70	895	1,100
Lake of the Woods	1,005	685	80	10	95	15	90	0	30	355	415
Le Sueur	4,335	3,080	245	25	415	135	340	5	90	1,440	1,940
Lincoln	1,705	1,115	180	10	245	30	85	5	35	605	830
Lyon	4,530	2,800	385	50	630	180	395	5	85	1,470	2,080
McLeod	6,060	4,140	405	35	730	200	440	5	105	2,000	2,805
Mahnomen	1,030	605	85	10	150	50	95	0	35	345	425
Marshall	2,300	1,465	215	15	340	75	160	5	25	830	1,015
Martin	5,270	3,425	430	40	670	170	400	15	120	1,700	2,470
Meeker	4,265	2,885	290	35	455	125	365	5	105	1,455	1,845
Mille Lacs	5,000	3,345	260	50	480	180	540	10	135	1,620	2,005
Morrison	6,435	4,015	540	70	755	225	635	10	185	2,070	2,735
Mower	8,805	5,800	700	70	1,110	220	755	10	140	2,915	4,105
Murray	2,325	1,445	265	5	350	55	150	5	50	815	1,100
Nicollet	4,170	2,835	290	25	460	95	360	5	100	1,355	1,895
Nobles	4,250	2,695	420	35	605	120	315	5	55	1,395	2,035
Norman	1,845	1,155	180	20	260	55	135	0	40	645	835
Olmsted	18,080	12,915	1,045	135	1,525	560	1,475	20	405	5,740	8,110
Otter Tail	13,385	8,930	1,075	95	1,475	350	1,150	30	280	4,535	5,800
Pennington	2,540	1,650	150	10	320	105	265	0	40	800	1,145
Pine	5,590	3,640	325	50	555	215	630	15	160	1,845	2,150
Pipestone	2,290	1,465	235	10	360	60	130	5	25	785	1,130
Polk	6,365	4,190	410	55	795	200	575	15	125	2,055	2,865
Pope	2,640	1,825	200	10	315	50	185	5	50	900	1,250
Ramsey	70,350	46,735	3,285	645	6,650	2,600	8,200	75	2,160	20,110	31,855
Red Lake	875	550	75	10	115	40	70	5	10	315	385
Redwood	3,860	2,385	420	40	550	130	250	10	75	1,320	1,775
Renville	3,725	2,360	360	30	545	105	240	5	80	1,260	1,765

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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 2002—*Continued*

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
Rice	8,310	5,700	525	55	805	270	715	15	225	2,690	3,720
Rock	2,265	1,425	235	15	315	90	150	0	35	740	1,110
Roseau	2,615	1,725	160	20	300	100	230	0	80	900	1,090
St. Louis	40,445	24,845	2,710	335	4,975	1,235	5,125	125	1,095	11,935	17,225
Scott	8,505	5,595	485	60	840	405	825	10	285	2,690	3,390
Sherburne	7,280	4,720	360	50	615	380	815	10	330	2,230	2,730
Sibley	3,050	2,010	255	25	395	90	215	5	55	1,065	1,400
Stearns	19,915	12,485	1,625	215	2,195	725	2,050	25	595	6,270	8,405
Steele	5,655	3,805	405	30	660	185	435	5	130	1,835	2,575
Stevens	1,845	1,160	205	15	270	60	105	5	25	625	905
Swift	2,460	1,580	200	10	370	90	155	0	55	800	1,235
Todd	4,850	3,035	385	55	560	165	495	15	140	1,570	1,975
Traverse	1,195	780	135	15	150	25	70	5	15	440	555
Wabasha	4,235	2,860	330	30	490	140	300	0	85	1,485	1,790
Wadena	3,420	2,160	260	35	410	115	325	10	105	1,095	1,465
Waseca	3,545	2,440	285	30	375	115	245	5	50	1,190	1,660
Washington	22,775	15,500	1,290	155	2,140	860	2,150	20	660	7,025	9,340
Watsonwan	2,560	1,665	240	15	340	85	155	5	55	880	1,225
Wilkin	1,350	810	120	10	195	60	120	0	35	455	580
Winona	8,060	5,395	465	65	890	275	770	15	185	2,555	3,620
Wright	11,860	7,795	685	90	1,150	505	1,230	25	380	3,740	4,735
Yellow Medicine	2,650	1,665	300	15	385	95	150	5	35	930	1,240

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

- 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.

Table 5.

Amount of benefits in current-payment status, by type of benefit, sex of beneficiaries aged 65 or older, and county, December 2002 (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, Minnesota ^c	622,674	446,799	21,434	2,772	68,459	16,265	61,976	233	4,735	239,183	246,957
Aitkin	3,082	2,302	92	12	285	47	325	2	17	1,285	1,050
Anoka	28,906	20,422	685	108	2,663	938	3,743	13	333	10,387	10,347
Becker	4,825	3,387	197	22	552	139	490	2	36	1,896	1,764
Beltrami	4,698	3,220	158	26	511	164	566	5	49	1,741	1,681
Benton	3,475	2,229	124	19	484	118	462	1	39	1,220	1,353
Big Stone	1,163	808	63	5	159	21	100	2	6	472	470
Blue Earth	6,850	4,663	277	43	839	230	750	2	48	2,517	2,812
Brown	4,526	3,220	227	18	623	72	339	1	25	1,871	1,887
Carlton	5,106	3,406	216	25	661	135	614	5	44	1,898	1,934
Carver	6,295	4,600	199	44	662	222	520	1	47	2,492	2,388
Cass	5,548	4,124	181	19	451	136	587	5	43	2,294	1,748
Chippewa	2,046	1,419	93	7	351	47	122	0	8	800	929
Chisago	5,240	3,773	156	26	465	181	578	1	59	2,012	1,809
Clay	6,287	4,407	238	25	773	161	630	3	50	2,413	2,570
Clearwater	1,164	821	41	8	130	27	123	1	14	451	433
Cook	910	727	30	2	67	15	64	0	6	404	327
Cottonwood	2,285	1,638	127	5	343	35	124	1	11	985	987
Crow Wing	10,159	7,474	345	39	941	224	1,059	6	72	4,063	3,566
Dakota	33,714	24,504	912	158	3,276	1,098	3,441	11	315	12,892	12,716
Dodge	2,064	1,494	88	8	250	62	150	0	11	845	791
Douglas	5,721	4,186	226	20	632	111	506	3	38	2,331	2,148
Faribault	3,070	2,194	149	8	470	50	186	1	12	1,291	1,333
Fillmore	3,380	2,479	163	11	421	75	210	1	20	1,434	1,389
Freeborn	6,069	4,388	258	19	735	115	515	2	38	2,461	2,471
Goodhue	6,460	4,803	218	26	740	149	486	2	37	2,570	2,641
Grant	1,248	875	65	4	171	27	97	0	10	523	498
Hennepin	132,621	98,510	3,725	585	13,000	3,073	12,837	24	866	50,317	56,208
Houston	2,908	2,134	113	11	345	68	213	2	21	1,202	1,193
Hubbard	3,387	2,506	118	14	294	71	360	3	22	1,396	1,136
Isanti	4,016	2,779	122	15	421	139	496	2	42	1,509	1,422
Itasca	8,026	5,350	352	34	1,024	179	1,010	7	71	3,115	2,730
Jackson	1,760	1,237	104	6	267	42	97	1	6	739	760
Kanabec	2,185	1,522	54	11	212	56	305	1	23	838	760
Kandiyohi	5,852	4,147	247	30	681	154	552	4	38	2,331	2,306
Kittson	914	634	47	5	132	21	73	0	2	375	384
Koochiching	2,729	1,767	116	12	404	79	330	2	20	1,041	1,005
Lac Qui Parle	1,499	1,053	91	5	223	30	90	0	6	658	625
Lake	2,115	1,495	120	6	234	45	196	1	16	897	759
Lake of the Woods	736	538	30	4	75	9	76	0	6	306	271
Le Sueur	3,442	2,606	105	12	328	87	283	1	21	1,369	1,375
Lincoln	1,147	808	64	5	177	19	67	0	8	474	505
Lyon	3,432	2,316	164	17	517	107	289	1	21	1,380	1,417
McLeod	4,777	3,474	169	18	589	138	361	1	28	1,877	1,974
Mahnomen	688	454	31	4	109	20	64	0	6	279	268
Marshall	1,636	1,118	89	6	257	40	119	1	6	711	635
Martin	4,103	2,882	188	20	576	105	306	2	23	1,623	1,757
Meeker	3,199	2,315	119	16	351	76	297	2	25	1,300	1,233
Mille Lacs	3,841	2,768	106	22	373	93	446	2	30	1,485	1,394
Morrison	4,425	2,995	191	26	541	129	506	2	36	1,699	1,666
Mower	7,092	5,019	316	36	958	142	592	2	29	2,841	2,979
Murray	1,658	1,115	105	2	274	31	119	0	11	701	699
Nicollet	3,479	2,541	136	11	409	65	290	1	27	1,378	1,426
Nobles	3,190	2,199	170	14	481	71	241	1	14	1,279	1,367
Norman	1,301	887	72	7	199	30	98	0	8	557	527
Olmsted	15,409	11,793	524	69	1,371	371	1,177	4	100	6,041	6,221
Otter Tail	9,959	7,187	427	39	1,126	205	908	6	61	4,030	3,820
Pennington	1,879	1,281	60	4	253	64	207	0	10	689	775
Pine	4,211	2,942	129	19	432	116	530	3	40	1,658	1,434
Pipestone	1,625	1,126	93	3	267	33	95	1	6	675	711
Polk	4,714	3,308	171	21	637	113	430	3	30	1,852	1,923
Pope	1,906	1,406	79	3	233	25	147	1	12	769	809
Ramsey	60,747	43,891	1,687	321	6,176	1,608	6,580	13	472	21,594	26,011
Red Lake	600	398	25	4	85	28	55	2	4	247	233
Redwood	2,877	1,940	176	18	453	80	188	2	19	1,193	1,192
Renville	2,796	1,925	156	10	446	55	186	1	16	1,160	1,190

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Table 5.

Amount of benefits in current-payment status, by type of benefit, sex of beneficiaries aged 65 or older, and county, December 2002 (in thousands of dollars)—*Continued*

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
Rice	6,840	5,076	233	26	692	165	592	4	54	2,732	2,753
Rock	1,720	1,172	97	6	267	54	118	0	6	683	766
Roseau	1,875	1,326	58	8	215	61	187	0	20	751	711
St. Louis	32,826	21,813	1,245	157	4,332	760	4,216	30	273	11,864	12,801
Scott	7,270	5,177	225	29	726	292	739	2	80	2,820	2,551
Sherburne	6,017	4,276	164	24	522	234	717	3	76	2,300	2,010
Sibley	2,259	1,586	101	11	316	59	174	1	12	936	921
Stearns	14,908	10,220	655	95	1,767	442	1,585	5	140	5,784	5,597
Steele	4,565	3,331	183	12	549	114	347	1	28	1,836	1,861
Stevens	1,381	955	88	6	212	31	82	1	5	574	602
Swift	1,755	1,213	77	4	278	49	124	0	10	690	794
Todd	3,310	2,272	133	19	377	88	389	3	29	1,281	1,194
Traverse	843	593	54	5	118	14	55	1	4	380	339
Wabasha	3,275	2,374	134	16	408	86	242	0	16	1,364	1,227
Wadena	2,357	1,636	93	11	287	57	247	1	26	910	900
Waseca	2,760	2,019	123	10	323	75	194	1	14	1,107	1,163
Washington	20,426	14,870	653	76	2,025	619	1,996	4	183	7,707	7,490
Watonwan	1,934	1,361	103	5	283	47	123	1	10	806	851
Wilkin	1,004	662	51	5	153	34	92	0	8	412	387
Winona	6,420	4,641	197	31	751	170	583	3	45	2,473	2,651
Wright	9,691	6,886	310	42	955	339	1,053	6	100	3,758	3,407
Yellow Medicine	1,963	1,339	125	6	309	56	118	1	9	835	808

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