Table 1.

Recipients (by type of payment), total payments, and average monthly payment,
January 2008–December 2008

		Number o	of recipients			
			Federal		Total	Average
			payment	State	payments ^a	monthly
		Federal	and state	supplementation	(thousands	payment ^b
Month	Total	payment only	supplementation	only	of dollars)	(dollars)
January	7,386,859	5,078,577	2,011,353	296,929	3,742,315	475.70
February	7,382,806	5,076,113	2,010,168	296,525	3,741,089	476.40
March	7,399,632	5,089,646	2,013,465	296,521	3,769,599	476.90
April	7,428,073	5,111,396	2,019,671	297,006	3,845,076	476.40
May	7,408,267	5,096,218	2,014,736	297,313	3,777,113	477.70
June	7,453,089	5,129,012	2,025,843	298,234	3,841,233	477.00
July	7,450,629	5,125,978	2,025,538	299,113	3,769,838	475.70
August	7,468,701	5,138,210	2,030,920	299,571	3,809,124	477.40
September	7,509,397	5,168,764	2,040,252	300,381	3,866,226	476.70
October	7,504,271	5,163,780	2,039,238	301,253	3,838,166	476.80
November	7,533,795	5,185,746	2,046,378	301,671	3,820,243	477.30
December	7,520,501	5,176,902	2,042,110	301,489	3,880,433	477.80

NOTE: Data are for the end of the specified month.

a. Includes retroactive payments.

b. Excludes retroactive payments.

Table 2. Recipients, by eligibility category and age, January 2008–December 2008

		Eligibility ca			Age	
Month	Total	Aged	Blind and disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older
January	7,386,859	1,207,249	6,179,610	1,121,830	4,241,747	2,023,282
February	7,382,806	1,205,049	6,177,757	1,120,026	4,241,558	2,021,222
March	7,399,632	1,204,243	6,195,389	1,126,322	4,251,217	2,022,093
April	7,428,073	1,204,559	6,223,514	1,132,149	4,271,980	2,023,944
May	7,408,267	1,201,557	6,206,710	1,124,418	4,263,373	2,020,476
June	7,453,089	1,202,416	6,250,673	1,140,154	4,289,159	2,023,776
July	7,450,629	1,202,303	6,248,326	1,137,327	4,288,179	2,025,123
August	7,468,701	1,203,846	6,264,855	1,136,978	4,302,730	2,028,993
September	7,509,397	1,205,505	6,303,892	1,147,765	4,328,605	2,033,027
October	7,504,271	1,206,466	6,297,805	1,138,706	4,330,689	2,034,876
November	7,533,795	1,210,023	6,323,772	1,152,268	4,341,446	2,040,081
December	7,520,501	1,203,256	6,317,245	1,153,844	4,333,096	2,033,561

Table 3. Recipients of federal payment only, by eligibility category and age, January 2008–December 2008

		Eligibility o	category	Age		
			Blind and			
Month	Total	Aged	disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older
January	5,078,577	610,816	4,467,761	895,654	3,061,087	1,121,836
February	5,076,113	609,282	4,466,831	894,205	3,061,706	1,120,202
March	5,089,646	608,122	4,481,524	899,489	3,070,057	1,120,100
April	5,111,396	607,789	4,503,607	904,323	3,086,385	1,120,688
May	5,096,218	605,553	4,490,665	898,091	3,080,232	1,117,895
June	5,129,012	605,097	4,523,915	910,658	3,099,644	1,118,710
July	5,125,978	604,523	4,521,455	907,961	3,099,058	1,118,959
August	5,138,210	604,910	4,533,300	906,983	3,110,480	1,120,747
September	5,168,764	605,337	4,563,427	915,806	3,130,287	1,122,671
October	5,163,780	605,292	4,558,488	908,584	3,132,083	1,123,113
November	5,185,746	606,874	4,578,872	919,557	3,140,406	1,125,783
December	5,176,902	602,347	4,574,555	920,836	3,135,122	1,120,944

Table 4.

Recipients of federal payment and state supplementation, by eligibility category and age, January 2008–December 2008

		Eligibility cat	egory	Age		
Month	Total	Aged	Blind and disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older
January	2,011,353	494,940	1,516,413	223,660	1,032,325	755,368
February	2,010,168	494,345	1,515,823	223,466	1,031,723	754,979
March	2,013,465	494,626	1,518,839	224,507	1,033,195	755,763
April	2,019,671	495,216	1,524,455	225,482	1,037,319	756,870
May	2,014,736	494,441	1,520,295	223,909	1,034,682	756,145
June	2,025,843	495,450	1,530,393	227,132	1,040,607	758,104
July	2,025,538	495,842	1,529,696	226,878	1,039,642	759,018
August	2,030,920	496,836	1,534,084	227,526	1,042,646	760,748
September	2,040,252	497,843	1,542,409	229,530	1,048,281	762,441
October	2,039,238	498,613	1,540,625	227,594	1,048,053	763,591
November	2,046,378	500,397	1,545,981	230,264	1,050,271	765,843
December	2,042,110	497,841	1,544,269	230,458	1,048,077	763,575

Table 5.

Recipients of state supplementation only, by eligibility category and age, January 2008–December 2008

		Eligibility cate	egory	Age		
Month	Total	Aged	Blind and disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older
January	296,929	101,493	195,436	2,516	148,335	146,078
February	296,525	101,422	195,103	2,355	148,129	146,041
March	296,521	101,495	195,026	2,326	147,965	146,230
April	297,006	101,554	195,452	2,344	148,276	146,386
May	297,313	101,563	195,750	2,418	148,459	146,436
June	298,234	101,869	196,365	2,364	148,908	146,962
July	299,113	101,938	197,175	2,488	149,479	147,146
August	299,571	102,100	197,471	2,469	149,604	147,498
September	300,381	102,325	198,056	2,429	150,037	147,915
October	301,253	102,561	198,692	2,528	150,553	148,172
November	301,671	102,752	198,919	2,447	150,769	148,455
December	301,489	103,068	198,421	2,550	149,897	149,042

Table 6.

Total payments, by eligibility category, age, and source of payment, January 2008–December 2008 (in thousands of dollars)

		Eligibility	category		Age	
			Blind and			
Month	Total	Aged	disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older
			All so	urces		
January	3,742,315	472,645	3,269,669	661,309	2,282,644	798,361
February	3,741,089	471,094	3,269,995	664,604	2,279,637	796,848
March	3,769,599	472,120	3,297,479	670,708	2,299,885	799,006
April	3,845,076	473,162	3,371,915	681,076	2,362,885	801,115
May	3,777,113	470,934	3,306,179	668,912	2,309,775	798,426
June	3,841,233	471,815	3,369,418	683,340	2,357,134	800,758
July	3,769,838	470,803	3,299,034	665,779	2,304,600	799,459
August	3,809,124	471,801	3,337,323	674,981	2,332,418	801,724
September	3,866,226	473,306	3,392,920	683,173	2,378,779	804,274
October	3,838,166	473,343	3,364,824	671,832	2,361,694	804,640
November	3,820,243	475,770	3,344,472	680,894	2,331,667	807,682
December	3,880,433	475,880	3,404,553	684,552	2,386,554	809,328
			Federal p	ayments		
January	3,366,810	369,611	2,997,198	642,967	2,081,735	642,107
February	3,366,130	368,255	2,997,875	646,373	2,079,036	640,721
March	3,392,883	369,029	3,023,854	652,280	2,098,149	642,455
April	3,463,950	369,735	3,094,214	662,372	2,157,503	644,074
May	3,400,489	367,931	3,032,558	650,593	2,108,041	641,855
June	3,460,281	368,409	3,091,872	664,631	2,152,097	643,554
July	3,392,740	367,562	3,025,179	647,315	2,102,976	642,450
August	3,430,320	368,265	3,062,055	656,424	2,129,688	644,208
September	3,483,686	369,382	3,114,304	664,311	2,173,220	646,155
October	3,457,102	369,367	3,087,735	653,337	2,157,278	646,487
November	3,440,107	371,338	3,068,768	662,297	2,128,868	648,941
December	3,497,759	371,512	3,126,247	665,678	2,181,608	650,473

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Table 6.

Total payments, by eligibility category, age, and source of payment, January 2008–December 2008 (in thousands of dollars)—*Continued*

	Eligibility catego		tegory	egory Age			
Month	Total	Aged	Blind and disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older	
			State supplem	entation			
January	375,505	103,034	272,471	18,343	200,908	156,254	
February	374,958	102,839	272,119	18,231	200,600	156,127	
March	376,716	103,091	273,625	18,428	201,737	156,551	
April	381,127	103,427	277,700	18,704	205,382	157,041	
May	376,624	103,003	273,621	18,319	201,734	156,571	
June	380,952	103,406	277,546	18,710	205,038	157,204	
July	377,097	103,241	273,856	18,464	201,624	157,009	
August	378,804	103,536	275,268	18,557	202,730	157,516	
September	382,540	103,924	278,616	18,862	205,558	158,120	
October	381,064	103,976	277,089	18,496	204,416	158,153	
November	380,136	104,432	275,704	18,597	202,799	158,740	
December	382,674	104,368	278,306	18,875	204,946	158,854	

NOTE: Data are for the end of the specified month and include retroactive payments.

Table 7.

Average monthly payment, by eligibility category, age, and source of payment, January 2008–December 2008 (in dollars)

		Eligibility	category		Age	
			Blind and			
Month	Total	Aged	disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older
			All so	urces		
January	475.70	390.00	492.40	563.00	492.00	393.00
February	476.40	389.40	493.40	568.20	492.20	392.60
March	476.90	390.50	493.70	567.50	492.50	393.50
April	476.40	390.70	493.00	565.40	492.00	393.70
May	477.70	391.00	494.50	571.20	492.70	394.00
June	477.00	391.10	493.50	567.70	492.00	394.10
July	475.70	391.00	492.10	562.70	491.30	393.90
August	477.40	391.20	494.00	569.90	492.30	394.20
September	476.70	391.20	493.10	566.00	491.90	394.10
October	476.80	391.50	493.20	566.30	492.20	394.30
November	477.30	391.90	493.70	567.10	492.40	394.60
December	477.80	393.50	493.90	561.30	494.00	396.00
			Federal p	ayments		
January	444.60	333.00	465.20	548.80	463.70	340.80
February	445.40	332.50	466.30	554.00	463.90	340.40
March	445.80	333.40	466.50	553.20	464.30	341.20
April	445.40	333.50	465.90	551.20	463.90	341.30
May	446.70	333.70	467.40	557.00	464.60	341.60
June	446.10	333.80	466.50	553.60	463.90	341.60
July	444.80	333.60	465.10	548.50	463.30	341.50
August	446.60	333.90	467.10	555.80	464.30	341.70
September	445.90	333.80	466.20	551.90	464.00	341.70
October	446.00	333.90	466.30	552.10	464.30	341.80
November	446.50	334.40	466.90	553.00	464.50	342.10
December	447.00	336.00	467.00	547.10	466.10	343.60

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Table 7.

Average monthly payment, by eligibility category, age, and source of payment, January 2008–December 2008 (in dollars)—*Continued*

		Eligibility	Eligibility category		Age	
Month	Total	Aged	Blind and disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older
			State suppl	ementation		
January	156.30	171.50	151.10	76.40	159.60	172.10
February	156.30	171.30	151.00	76.40	159.60	172.00
March	156.30	171.50	151.10	76.40	159.60	172.20
April	156.30	171.60	150.90	76.40	159.50	172.20
May	156.40	171.70	151.10	76.60	159.60	172.30
June	156.20	171.70	150.80	76.30	159.40	172.20
July	156.10	171.70	150.70	76.30	159.20	172.20
August	156.10	171.70	150.70	76.20	159.30	172.30
September	156.00	171.80	150.60	76.10	159.10	172.20
October	156.10	171.90	150.70	76.30	159.10	172.30
November	156.00	171.90	150.50	76.00	159.10	172.40
December	156.20	172.30	150.70	76.10	159.30	172.70

NOTE: Data are for the end of the specified month and exclude retroactive payments.

Table 8. All awards, by eligibility category and age of awardee, January 2008–December 2008

		Eligibility category		Age		
Month	Total	Aged	Blind and disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older
January	67,580	7,531	60,049	13,763	46,159	7,658
February	68,866	8,902	59,964	13,865	45,961	9,040
March	70,815	8,313	62,502	14,395	47,992	8,428
April	85,983	9,111	76,872	17,671	59,044	9,268
May	76,256	8,981	67,275	15,150	51,979	9,127
June	85,974	8,769	77,205	18,261	58,787	8,926
July	73,646	8,965	64,681	14,822	49,738	9,086
August	75,295	9,126	66,169	14,244	51,789	9,262
September	85,720	9,076	76,644	16,499	59,986	9,235
October	79,082	9,769	69,313	13,874	55,273	9,935
November	72,635	9,945	62,690	13,521	49,048	10,066
December	77,917	8,074	69,843	15,287	54,422	8,208

NOTE: Data are for all awards made during the specified month.