

Table 1.
Recipients (by type of payment), total payments, and average monthly payment,
May 2019–May 2020

Month	Number of recipients				Total payments ^a (thousands of dollars)	Average monthly payment ^b (dollars)
	Total	Federal payment only	Federal payment and state supplementation	State supplementation only		
2019						
May	8,083,401	6,625,028	1,308,489	149,884	4,821,538	566.57
June	8,091,247	6,633,148	1,308,628	149,471	4,832,990	566.88
July	8,099,815	6,639,763	1,310,620	149,432	4,873,582	565.12
August	8,072,203	6,616,601	1,306,576	149,026	4,821,479	567.64
September	8,100,730	6,641,920	1,309,690	149,120	4,873,073	566.71
October	8,082,330	6,626,122	1,307,192	149,016	4,808,860	566.99
November	8,071,343	6,617,058	1,305,407	148,878	4,787,443	567.39
December	8,076,867	6,622,882	1,305,279	148,706	4,815,717	565.69
2020						
January	8,039,312	6,592,965	1,299,922	146,425	4,818,669	574.83
February	8,059,114	6,611,611	1,301,487	146,016	4,868,653	575.14
March	8,074,868	6,625,379	1,303,813	145,676	4,946,599	574.72
April	8,053,280	6,609,179	1,298,936	145,165	4,898,403	576.47
May	8,047,662	6,603,969	1,298,688	145,005	4,868,681	577.07

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

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

a. Includes retroactive payments.

b. Excludes retroactive payments.

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Table 2.
Recipients, by eligibility category and age, May 2019–May 2020

Month	Total	Eligibility category		Age		
		Aged	Blind and disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older
2019						
May	8,083,401	1,162,648	6,920,753	1,133,661	4,681,915	2,267,825
June	8,091,247	1,163,106	6,928,141	1,140,841	4,678,769	2,271,637
July	8,099,815	1,164,942	6,934,873	1,138,846	4,682,703	2,278,266
August	8,072,203	1,164,116	6,908,087	1,127,342	4,664,725	2,280,136
September	8,100,730	1,166,361	6,934,369	1,137,720	4,675,699	2,287,311
October	8,082,330	1,166,366	6,915,964	1,131,117	4,661,340	2,289,873
November	8,071,343	1,167,717	6,903,626	1,125,210	4,651,054	2,295,079
December	8,076,867	1,166,666	6,910,201	1,132,080	4,646,559	2,298,228
2020						
January	8,039,312	1,162,768	6,876,544	1,119,357	4,625,174	2,294,781
February	8,059,114	1,163,569	6,895,545	1,129,729	4,630,974	2,298,411
March	8,074,868	1,164,329	6,910,539	1,131,568	4,641,090	2,302,210
April	8,053,280	1,160,386	6,892,894	1,127,215	4,628,093	2,297,972
May	8,047,662	1,157,841	6,889,821	1,123,785	4,625,377	2,298,500

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

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Table 3.
Recipients of federal payment only, by eligibility category and age, May 2019–May 2020

Month	Total	Eligibility category		Age		
		Aged	Blind and disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older
2019						
May	6,625,028	755,889	5,869,139	1,008,448	4,013,893	1,602,687
June	6,633,148	756,255	5,876,893	1,015,206	4,012,160	1,605,782
July	6,639,763	757,403	5,882,360	1,013,143	4,015,668	1,610,952
August	6,616,601	756,996	5,859,605	1,002,696	4,000,867	1,613,038
September	6,641,920	758,500	5,883,420	1,012,157	4,011,193	1,618,570
October	6,626,122	758,557	5,867,565	1,006,292	3,999,207	1,620,623
November	6,617,058	759,585	5,857,473	1,001,224	3,990,871	1,624,963
December	6,622,882	759,028	5,863,854	1,007,497	3,987,578	1,627,807
2020						
January	6,592,965	756,739	5,836,226	996,013	3,970,565	1,626,387
February	6,611,611	757,361	5,854,250	1,005,535	3,976,723	1,629,353
March	6,625,379	757,839	5,867,540	1,007,104	3,986,041	1,632,234
April	6,609,179	755,385	5,853,794	1,003,435	3,975,925	1,629,819
May	6,603,969	753,380	5,850,589	1,000,361	3,973,461	1,630,147

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

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Table 4.
Recipients of federal payment and state supplementation, by eligibility category and age,
May 2019–May 2020

Month	Total	Eligibility category		Age		
		Aged	Blind and disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older
2019						
May	1,308,489	355,638	952,851	124,320	603,361	580,808
June	1,308,628	355,617	953,011	124,821	602,491	581,316
July	1,310,620	356,247	954,373	124,812	603,256	582,552
August	1,306,576	355,830	950,746	123,813	600,492	582,271
September	1,309,690	356,416	953,274	124,725	601,346	583,619
October	1,307,192	356,335	950,857	123,893	599,236	584,063
November	1,305,407	356,654	948,753	123,073	597,518	584,816
December	1,305,279	356,182	949,097	123,677	596,561	585,041
2020						
January	1,299,922	355,274	944,648	122,486	593,363	584,073
February	1,301,487	355,465	946,022	123,385	593,413	584,689
March	1,303,813	355,746	948,067	123,617	594,663	585,533
April	1,298,936	354,303	944,633	122,953	592,148	583,835
May	1,298,688	353,910	944,778	122,615	591,993	584,080

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

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Table 5.
Recipients of state supplementation only, by eligibility category and age,
May 2019–May 2020

Month	Total	Eligibility category		Age		
		Aged	Blind and disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older
2019						
May	149,884	51,121	98,763	893	64,661	84,330
June	149,471	51,234	98,237	814	64,118	84,539
July	149,432	51,292	98,140	891	63,779	84,762
August	149,026	51,290	97,736	833	63,366	84,827
September	149,120	51,445	97,675	838	63,160	85,122
October	149,016	51,474	97,542	932	62,897	85,187
November	148,878	51,478	97,400	913	62,665	85,300
December	148,706	51,456	97,250	906	62,420	85,380
2020						
January	146,425	50,755	95,670	858	61,246	84,321
February	146,016	50,743	95,273	809	60,838	84,369
March	145,676	50,744	94,932	847	60,386	84,443
April	145,165	50,698	94,467	827	60,020	84,318
May	145,005	50,551	94,454	809	59,923	84,273

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

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

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Table 6.
Total payments, by eligibility category, age, and source of payment, May 2019–May 2020
(in thousands of dollars)

Month	Total	Eligibility category		Age		
		Aged	Blind and disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older
All sources						
2019						
May	4,821,538	523,685	4,297,853	798,375	2,978,975	1,044,188
June	4,832,990	523,837	4,309,153	806,843	2,979,994	1,046,153
July	4,873,582	525,636	4,347,946	805,580	3,017,444	1,050,557
August	4,821,479	524,122	4,297,357	800,587	2,971,055	1,049,837
September	4,873,073	526,265	4,346,808	810,503	3,007,610	1,054,959
October	4,808,860	524,619	4,284,241	788,461	2,967,138	1,053,262
November	4,787,443	525,489	4,261,954	791,666	2,940,042	1,055,735
December	4,815,717	524,357	4,291,360	795,543	2,963,297	1,056,877
2020						
January	4,818,669	530,540	4,288,130	789,956	2,957,929	1,070,784
February	4,868,653	531,850	4,336,803	806,396	2,987,908	1,074,349
March	4,946,599	533,712	4,412,887	813,784	3,053,445	1,079,371
April	4,898,403	530,555	4,367,848	807,442	3,015,716	1,075,246
May	4,868,681	529,844	4,338,837	801,804	2,991,243	1,075,634
Federal payments						
2019						
May	4,600,964	461,837	4,139,128	790,050	2,869,418	941,497
June	4,612,341	461,932	4,150,409	798,475	2,870,529	943,336
July	4,651,160	463,568	4,187,591	797,104	2,906,688	947,368
August	4,601,162	462,208	4,138,954	792,284	2,862,040	946,838
September	4,649,130	463,539	4,185,591	802,030	2,896,612	950,488
October	4,588,242	462,641	4,125,601	780,152	2,858,167	949,924
November	4,568,256	463,458	4,104,797	783,488	2,832,379	952,389
December	4,595,807	462,508	4,133,299	787,249	2,854,972	953,586
2020						
January	4,601,136	468,938	4,132,197	781,795	2,851,505	967,836
February	4,650,048	470,154	4,179,893	798,132	2,880,705	971,211
March	4,725,151	471,811	4,253,340	805,387	2,944,069	975,695
April	4,680,087	469,142	4,210,945	799,253	2,908,491	972,343
May	4,650,955	468,451	4,182,504	793,678	2,884,659	972,618

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Table 6.
Total payments, by eligibility category, age, and source of payment, May 2019–May 2020
(in thousands of dollars)—Continued

Month	Total	Eligibility category		Age		
		Aged	Blind and disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older
State supplementation						
2019						
May	220,574	61,848	158,725	8,325	109,557	102,691
June	220,649	61,905	158,744	8,367	109,465	102,816
July	222,422	62,067	160,355	8,476	110,757	103,190
August	220,317	61,914	158,403	8,303	109,015	102,999
September	223,943	62,726	161,217	8,473	110,999	104,471
October	220,618	61,978	158,640	8,309	108,971	103,338
November	219,187	62,031	157,156	8,177	107,663	103,347
December	219,910	61,849	158,061	8,294	108,325	103,291
2020						
January	217,534	61,601	155,933	8,161	106,424	102,948
February	218,605	61,695	156,910	8,265	107,202	103,139
March	221,449	61,902	159,547	8,396	109,376	103,676
April	218,316	61,413	156,903	8,189	107,225	102,903
May	217,727	61,393	156,333	8,126	106,584	103,016

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

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

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Table 7.
Average monthly payment, by eligibility category, age, and source of payment,
May 2019–May 2020 (in dollars)

Month	Total	Eligibility category		Age		
		Aged	Blind and disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older
All sources						
2019						
May	566.57	449.46	586.28	673.89	592.86	459.09
June	566.88	449.56	586.61	675.83	592.74	459.21
July	565.12	449.48	584.58	666.45	592.21	459.10
August	567.64	449.80	587.54	678.89	593.92	459.34
September	566.71	449.53	586.46	673.63	593.49	459.13
October	566.99	450.59	586.67	667.56	595.35	460.01
November	567.39	449.68	587.34	676.31	594.57	459.28
December	565.69	448.68	585.46	669.78	593.38	458.63
2020						
January	574.83	456.13	594.92	680.05	603.44	466.04
February	575.14	456.04	595.25	681.64	603.38	466.04
March	574.72	456.52	594.66	676.58	603.69	466.45
April	576.47	456.82	596.64	685.57	604.48	466.70
May	577.07	457.32	597.18	686.41	605.08	467.15
Federal payments						
2019						
May	550.46	414.67	572.65	667.48	578.97	430.03
June	550.81	414.81	573.00	669.43	578.86	430.20
July	549.00	414.73	570.93	660.04	578.30	430.11
August	551.54	415.07	573.91	672.48	580.01	430.40
September	550.63	414.86	572.83	667.26	579.57	430.24
October	550.90	416.08	573.00	661.21	581.40	431.24
November	551.30	415.06	573.70	670.00	580.65	430.45
December	549.61	414.10	571.82	663.46	579.47	429.84
2020						
January	558.77	421.65	581.28	673.64	589.54	437.40
February	559.11	421.61	581.63	675.24	589.47	437.43
March	558.68	422.15	581.02	670.18	589.77	437.88
April	560.44	422.41	583.02	679.16	590.55	438.12
May	561.04	422.82	583.56	680.03	591.17	438.53

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Table 7.
Average monthly payment, by eligibility category, age, and source of payment,
May 2019–May 2020 (in dollars)—Continued

Month	Total	Eligibility category		Age		
		Aged	Blind and disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older
State supplementation						
2019						
May	145.59	150.98	143.51	62.94	153.49	153.15
June	145.52	150.97	143.41	62.90	153.42	153.15
July	145.48	150.89	143.39	62.89	153.38	153.09
August	145.58	150.92	143.51	63.00	153.46	153.09
September	145.51	150.86	143.43	62.87	153.47	153.04
October	145.68	151.02	143.60	62.86	153.66	153.20
November	145.59	150.83	143.54	62.85	153.50	153.05
December	145.39	150.62	143.35	62.78	153.34	152.90
2020						
January	145.50	150.79	143.44	62.83	153.40	153.00
February	145.41	150.74	143.33	62.70	153.36	152.96
March	145.41	150.76	143.32	62.67	153.35	152.99
April	145.39	150.78	143.29	62.69	153.30	152.99
May	145.47	150.94	143.35	62.70	153.26	153.17

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

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

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Table 8.
All awards, by eligibility category and age of awardee, May 2019–May 2020

Month	Total	Eligibility category		Age		
		Aged	Blind and disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older
2019						
May	59,997	8,336	51,661	13,273	38,232	8,492
June	55,888	7,922	47,966	12,256	35,572	8,060
July	65,724	8,640	57,084	14,720	42,190	8,814
August	58,688	8,619	50,069	13,065	36,843	8,780
September	69,851	8,964	60,887	15,838	44,862	9,151
October	57,331	8,290	49,041	12,417	36,472	8,442
November	55,692	8,545	47,147	12,018	34,962	8,712
December	57,256	7,733	49,523	13,046	36,329	7,881
2020						
January	48,444	7,439	41,005	10,730	30,155	7,559
February	57,386	8,668	48,718	12,565	35,989	8,832
March	72,687	8,894	63,793	15,938	47,602	9,147
April ^a	60,717	6,769	53,948	13,699	40,014	7,004
May ^a	51,292	4,912	46,380	11,160	35,053	5,079

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

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

a. Preliminary data. In the first 2 months after their release, numbers may be adjusted to reflect returned checks.

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