



Old-Age (retirement), Survivors, and Disability Insurance (OASDI)—popularly referred to as Social Security—provides monthly benefits to an eligible worker and family members when the worker elects to start receiving retirement benefits or when the worker dies or becomes disabled. A worker’s lifetime covered earnings largely determine the amount of benefits received.

Table 1.
Number of OASDI beneficiaries in current-payment status and total monthly benefits, December 2012

Congressional district	Number of beneficiaries						Total monthly benefits (thousands of dollars)			Number of beneficiaries aged 65 or older
	Total	Retired workers	Disabled workers	Widow(er)s and parents	Spouses ^a	Children ^b	All beneficiaries	Retired workers	Widow(er)s and parents	
New Jersey	1,525,574	1,059,928	198,643	105,636	54,728	106,639	1,973,247	1,481,065	137,878	1,132,487
1	134,801	85,595	23,210	10,416	4,354	11,226	166,398	116,011	13,037	92,270
2	156,079	104,815	24,366	10,527	4,587	11,784	193,502	140,497	13,357	109,840
3	164,210	115,940	20,490	11,739	5,387	10,654	214,657	161,409	15,506	123,200
4	152,380	110,852	16,342	11,264	5,235	8,687	204,524	157,535	15,224	118,508
5	130,260	96,610	12,113	8,849	5,220	7,468	182,302	144,066	12,407	103,466
6	109,889	73,616	15,993	7,987	4,106	8,187	141,341	102,212	10,423	78,644
7	117,814	87,362	10,758	7,996	4,639	7,059	166,847	131,276	11,346	93,563
8	89,368	56,686	15,687	5,908	3,992	7,095	93,342	64,477	6,239	61,353
9	113,695	79,053	14,680	7,670	4,948	7,344	138,773	104,907	9,555	85,184
10	103,063	64,458	18,710	6,648	2,915	10,332	118,704	82,686	7,591	68,002
11	132,655	101,018	10,688	9,057	5,289	6,603	190,175	153,101	12,994	108,795
12	121,360	83,923	15,606	7,575	4,056	10,200	162,681	122,887	10,198	89,662
All areas ^c	56,758,185	36,720,492	8,826,591	4,348,486	2,443,212	4,419,404	65,430,104	46,327,075	5,107,327	39,613,754

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Master Beneficiary Record, 100 percent data as of December 2012 and U.S. Postal Service geography data as of March 2013; represents the 2010 Census redistricting in effect for the 113th Congress.

- a. These beneficiaries receive payment on the record of a worker who is retired or disabled.
- b. These beneficiaries receive payment on the record of a worker who is retired, deceased, or disabled.
- c. Includes beneficiaries in the 50 States, District of Columbia, American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Islands, and foreign countries.

Supplemental Security Income (SSI) is a federal cash assistance program that provides monthly payments to low-income aged, blind, or disabled persons in the 50 States, the District of Columbia, and the Northern Mariana Islands.

Table 2.
Number of recipients of federally administered SSI payments and total monthly payments, December 2012

Congressional district	Number of recipients				Total monthly payments (thousands of dollars)				Number of recipients	
	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	With OASDI ^a	Aged 65 or older
New Jersey	177,344	34,946	789	141,609	96,545	14,431	378	81,736	55,897	55,352
1	19,634	1,857	106	17,671	11,217	698	52	10,467	6,078	3,903
2	17,356	1,666	73	15,617	9,749	571	35	9,143	5,959	3,322
3	9,125	961	44	8,120	5,018	341	19	4,657	3,070	1,659
4	8,635	1,346	39	7,250	4,557	512	19	4,026	2,821	2,216
5	7,901	2,529	29	5,343	3,989	1,099	13	2,878	2,212	3,356
6	13,074	3,772	54	9,248	6,785	1,609	24	5,152	4,109	5,273
7	5,742	1,567	32	4,143	2,806	669	15	2,122	1,695	2,098
8	27,238	6,309	123	20,806	14,528	2,495	58	11,976	9,559	10,778
9	18,960	5,327	85	13,548	10,072	2,328	41	7,703	6,302	7,773
10	29,562	4,446	129	24,987	16,983	1,815	69	15,098	8,464	7,836
11	6,667	2,334	29	4,304	3,236	1,040	11	2,185	1,788	3,043
12	13,450	2,832	46	10,572	7,605	1,254	23	6,329	3,840	4,095
All areas ^b	8,262,877	1,156,188	67,725	7,038,964	4,598,945	474,662	36,865	4,087,418	2,759,751	2,081,532

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record (Characteristic Extract Record format), 100 percent data as of December 2012 and U.S. Postal Service geography data as of March 2013; represents the 2010 Census redistricting in effect for the 113th Congress.

- a. Includes persons who are receiving both SSI payments and Social Security benefits.
b. Includes recipients in the 50 States, District of Columbia, and Northern Mariana Islands.

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