

**Awards to Disabled Workers**

**Table 28.**  
**Percentage distribution, by age and sex, 1960–2001**

Year	Total number	Average age	Percentage distribution										
			Total, all ages	Under 30	30–34	35–39 <sup>a</sup>	40–44	45–49	50–54	55–59	60–61	62–64	65–67 <sup>b</sup>
<i>All disabled workers</i>													
2000	610,700	48.9	100.0	6.4	4.9	8.4	11.5	13.1	18.1	21.3	8.7	7.6	0.2
2001	661,900	48.6	100.0	7.8	5.3	8.0	10.8	12.9	18.0	21.6	8.5	7.0	0.1
<i>Men</i>													
1960	168,466	54.5	100.0	0.8	a	7.0	6.5	10.5	16.7	20.0	11.8	21.3	5.4
1965	186,808	53.0	100.0	1.8	a	8.2	7.9	11.1	17.1	25.7	14.0	13.0	1.0
1970	258,072	52.1	100.0	6.7	a	7.6	6.5	10.1	14.7	23.5	12.3	16.1	2.6
1975	408,531	51.5	100.0	7.7	a	8.6	6.2	9.5	15.7	23.1	12.1	14.6	2.5
1980	275,185	51.2	100.0	8.3	a	9.7	6.0	8.4	14.7	24.6	12.3	14.2	1.8
1981	244,984	50.8	100.0	8.6	a	10.2	6.2	8.4	14.5	24.3	13.0	13.1	1.7
1982	207,453	50.9	100.0	8.4	a	10.4	6.3	8.4	14.1	24.6	12.9	13.6	1.2
1983	217,422	50.2	100.0	9.5	a	11.7	6.6	8.4	13.6	23.4	12.2	13.3	1.3
1984	247,833	50.0	100.0	9.2	a	12.8	7.1	8.7	13.4	22.6	12.2	12.7	1.3
1985	274,400	50.1	100.0	8.7	a	13.3	7.0	9.9	14.6	23.1	12.4	10.6	0.3
1986	273,700	48.7	100.0	10.7	a	15.3	8.1	9.4	14.3	21.3	11.1	9.5	0.3
1987	265,900	49.0	100.0	9.4	a	16.0	8.6	9.3	13.9	20.8	10.9	11.0	0.2
1988	265,700	49.2	100.0	8.4	a	16.0	9.7	9.0	14.6	21.3	10.5	10.2	0.2
1989	268,600	49.0	100.0	8.7	a	16.0	9.5	10.2	14.2	20.6	9.7	10.8	0.3
1990	293,300	48.1	100.0	10.9	a	16.9	9.4	9.5	13.5	20.5	10.3	8.8	0.1
1991	322,700	47.9	100.0	9.5	a	17.7	10.6	11.0	14.1	18.4	9.4	9.1	0.2
1992	395,600	47.8	100.0	9.5	a	18.5	10.8	11.0	13.0	18.6	9.8	8.7	0.2
1993	391,800	47.7	100.0	9.2	a	18.9	10.1	11.7	14.7	18.8	8.6	7.8	0.2
1994	379,300	48.4	100.0	6.8	a	18.4	10.8	12.7	15.4	19.3	9.0	7.6	0.1
1995	368,400	48.9	100.0	7.2	a	16.3	10.7	11.5	15.7	20.4	8.9	9.1	0.2
1996	347,100	48.3	100.0	6.9	7.2	9.0	10.8	13.2	16.2	19.9	9.3	7.5	0.1
1997	311,100	48.8	100.0	6.3	5.6	8.9	10.8	13.5	16.1	21.6	8.8	8.2	0.1
1998	331,400	48.8	100.0	6.3	6.2	8.1	11.1	12.4	18.3	21.6	8.1	7.8	0.2
1999	338,900	49.1	100.0	6.2	5.2	7.6	11.4	12.4	18.2	21.7	8.8	8.0	0.3
2000	328,700	49.1	100.0	6.8	4.6	8.3	10.7	12.7	17.6	21.1	9.1	8.9	0.2
2001	360,000	49.1	100.0	7.5	4.8	7.9	10.0	12.2	17.5	22.7	9.2	8.0	0.1

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**Percentage distribution, by age and sex, 1960–2001—Continued**

Year	Total number	Average age	Percentage distribution										
			Total, all ages	Under 30	30–34	35–39 <sup>a</sup>	40–44	45–49	50–54	55–59	60–61	62–64	65–67 <sup>b</sup>
<b>Women</b>													
1960	39,339	52.5	100.0	0.7	a	8.1	8.0	13.3	21.9	24.6	12.4	10.1	0.8
1965	66,691	53.2	100.0	1.1	a	6.5	7.4	11.7	19.3	28.3	14.1	10.9	0.6
1970	92,312	52.8	100.0	4.2	a	6.3	6.1	11.0	17.5	27.2	13.0	12.9	1.7
1975	183,518	52.1	100.0	6.1	a	7.3	6.1	10.1	17.7	25.5	12.2	12.9	2.1
1980	121,374	51.1	100.0	7.4	a	9.7	6.4	9.3	16.3	25.5	11.7	12.2	1.5
1981	106,863	50.8	100.0	7.8	a	10.2	6.5	9.5	16.4	25.1	12.0	11.1	1.4
1982	89,678	50.5	100.0	8.0	a	10.9	6.8	9.5	15.6	24.9	11.7	11.4	1.1
1983	94,127	49.8	100.0	9.0	a	12.2	7.4	9.5	14.8	23.5	10.9	11.6	1.1
1984	114,165	49.7	100.0	8.3	a	13.2	7.9	9.7	14.9	22.8	10.9	11.7	1.2
1985	134,500	49.7	100.0	8.6	a	12.9	8.0	10.6	15.8	23.3	10.1	10.5	0.1
1986	135,700	48.8	100.0	9.0	a	15.5	10.4	10.5	14.8	21.3	9.6	8.6	0.2
1987	143,700	49.5	100.0	7.5	a	15.2	8.1	11.2	15.8	23.4	9.6	8.8	0.3
1988	147,000	49.3	100.0	8.5	a	14.0	8.8	10.9	16.1	23.5	10.5	7.4	0.3
1989	146,900	49.1	100.0	7.8	a	14.8	10.4	11.9	13.8	21.2	10.8	8.9	0.3
1990	168,500	48.4	100.0	8.5	a	16.3	9.8	13.1	14.2	22.3	8.9	6.5	0.4
1991	190,400	48.4	100.0	8.5	a	16.8	10.1	12.2	16.2	19.5	8.9	7.4	0.4
1992	241,300	47.7	100.0	8.6	a	17.7	12.0	12.4	15.6	17.6	8.4	7.5	0.2
1993	237,900	48.1	100.0	7.5	a	17.5	11.2	13.1	16.5	19.7	6.8	7.4	0.2
1994	234,000	48.2	100.0	7.4	a	16.9	11.1	12.9	17.0	20.8	7.3	6.4	0.2
1995	263,200	48.5	100.0	6.4	a	16.7	11.4	13.8	17.2	20.5	7.6	6.3	0.1
1996	256,900	48.7	100.0	5.3	6.2	8.9	11.3	14.0	19.0	21.2	8.3	5.8	0.1
1997	250,200	47.9	100.0	6.2	6.0	10.3	12.2	14.1	19.0	19.0	6.8	6.2	0.2
1998	271,900	48.5	100.0	5.4	5.9	9.0	12.2	14.5	19.1	20.4	7.6	5.7	0.2
1999	266,900	48.7	100.0	5.7	5.9	8.7	12.5	15.4	18.1	20.6	6.6	6.2	0.3
2000	282,000	48.7	100.0	5.8	5.2	8.6	12.3	13.5	18.7	21.6	8.1	6.1	0.2
2001	301,900	48.0	100.0	8.0	5.9	8.2	11.8	13.8	18.5	20.2	7.7	5.9	0.1

SOURCES: *Annual Statistical Supplement to the Social Security Bulletin*, Table 6.C2 for years prior to 2000; Annual Award and Termination Transaction file. Beginning in 1985, data are based on a 1 percent sample.

NOTE: Age in year of award for 1960–1984. Age in month of award for 1985–2001.

a. Ages 30–39 grouped together in the 35–39 column before 1996.

b. Includes awards processed after attainment of full retirement age.

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**Table 29.**  
**Distribution, by diagnostic group, selected years 1960–2001**

Year <sup>a</sup>	All disabled workers	Total with diagnosis available	Infectious and parasitic diseases <sup>b</sup>	Neoplasms	Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases	Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	Mental disorders <sup>c</sup>		
							Total	Retardation	Other
<i>Number</i>									
1960	207,805	179,419	10,903	17,739	5,406	442	17,287	n.a.	n.a.
1961	279,758	241,060	15,153	23,103	7,070	566	26,864	n.a.	n.a.
1962	286,434	286,434	15,271	27,632	9,383	739	37,315	n.a.	n.a.
1963	224,229	224,229	10,859	25,042	7,563	597	24,526	n.a.	n.a.
1967	310,947	310,947	10,945	33,358	10,743	n.a.	35,344	n.a.	n.a.
1968	330,783	330,783	10,360	36,560	11,359	n.a.	41,894	n.a.	n.a.
1969	344,741	344,741	9,828	35,740	12,169	n.a.	43,225	n.a.	n.a.
1970	350,384	350,384	8,760	36,095	13,141	n.a.	38,406	n.a.	n.a.
1971	415,897	415,897	8,524	39,629	15,823	1,043	42,687	n.a.	n.a.
1972	455,438	455,398	8,627	43,667	17,352	1,155	45,253	n.a.	n.a.
1973	491,776	491,776	7,957	50,644	18,131	1,347	47,014	n.a.	n.a.
1975	592,049	592,049	7,579	59,852	23,176	1,491	67,213	n.a.	n.a.
1976	551,460	551,460	6,049	57,656	20,966	2,039	63,667	n.a.	n.a.
1977	568,874	568,874	5,807	59,833	21,725	1,516	70,825	n.a.	n.a.
1978	464,415	464,415	4,512	54,878	16,855	1,236	54,329	n.a.	n.a.
1981	351,847	345,243	2,596	56,410	14,768	942	36,318	n.a.	n.a.
1982	298,531	298,531	2,312	50,999	13,187	808	31,531	n.a.	n.a.
1983	311,490	311,488	6,730	52,379	14,904	958	50,633	n.a.	n.a.
1984	357,140	335,221	3,185	59,104	14,418	904	64,078	n.a.	n.a.
1985	377,371	345,619	2,985	55,120	16,976	890	68,610	n.a.	n.a.
1986	416,865	399,922	2,736	53,176	21,260	1,186	123,983	n.a.	n.a.
1987	415,848	397,096	4,676	55,339	21,114	1,205	81,241	n.a.	n.a.
1988	409,490	409,490	2,802	53,944	14,513	1,419	85,756	n.a.	n.a.
1989	425,582	425,582	3,773	60,352	14,279	1,524	88,500	n.a.	n.a.
1990	467,977	467,977	22,023	65,939	16,255	1,734	105,173	n.a.	n.a.
1991	536,434	536,434	28,245	69,244	19,931	1,904	126,184	n.a.	n.a.
1992	636,637	636,637	39,253	77,175	29,904	2,277	164,093	n.a.	n.a.
1993	635,238	635,238	37,450	80,266	30,862	2,075	166,045	n.a.	n.a.
1994	631,870	631,870	36,087	89,231	31,532	2,066	156,703	n.a.	n.a.
1995	645,645	643,149	27,993	64,401	33,370	2,006	147,900	16,681	131,219
1996	624,254	621,664	23,324	63,321	33,832	1,836	132,022	14,062	117,960
1997	587,700	586,023	15,327	62,279	33,807	1,815	122,901	12,888	110,013
1998	608,382	606,882	12,680	63,973	36,373	1,801	131,502	14,506	116,996
1999	620,559	619,118	11,743	65,681	36,975	1,911	138,980	16,608	122,372
2000	610,700	609,400	10,700	63,600	17,100	1,500	143,200	17,600	125,600
2001	661,900	660,100	11,200	62,000	19,500	2,200	168,600	22,500	146,100

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**Table 29.**  
**Distribution, by diagnostic group, selected years 1960–2001—Continued**

Year <sup>a</sup>	Diseases of the—							Congenital anomalies	Injuries	Other
	Nervous system and sense organs	Circulatory system	Respiratory system	Digestive system	Genito-urinary system	Skin and subcutaneous tissue	Musculo-skeletal system and connective tissue			
	<i>Number</i>									
1960	32,105	55,855	16,489	3,575	1,077	463	17,124	865	n.a.	89
1961	44,709	71,860	20,030	4,300	1,608	794	23,241	1,637	n.a.	125
1962	45,261	82,015	23,408	5,922	2,040	1,177	33,751	2,026	n.a.	494
1963	32,712	66,468	19,107	4,437	1,725	719	21,744	1,646	6,496	588
1967	38,278	81,507	24,646	7,627	n.a.	n.a.	41,090	n.a.	19,815	7,594
1968	41,758	80,906	22,635	7,806	2,926	n.a.	43,677	2,670	25,319	2,913
1969	21,967	105,760	23,265	8,719	2,717	n.a.	47,357	3,004	28,473	2,517
1970	22,575	108,906	24,254	9,051	2,912	n.a.	52,086	3,597	28,231	2,370
1971	26,442	131,854	30,103	11,629	3,501	1,667	66,558	4,365	31,810	262
1972	28,216	146,684	33,038	13,369	4,304	1,756	75,923	4,033	31,728	293
1973	31,139	158,202	34,656	14,614	4,810	1,854	85,431	5,276	30,418	283
1975	39,960	177,311	39,485	17,474	5,719	2,306	110,637	6,576	32,341	929
1976	36,156	165,182	35,210	15,194	4,907	2,532	105,907	5,817	29,848	330
1977	36,751	167,801	35,002	15,342	5,271	1,766	107,840	6,681	31,942	772
1978	29,314	134,634	28,005	12,407	4,719	2,017	86,921	5,850	27,490	1,248
1981	28,516	85,994	21,520	7,363	6,230	1,345	58,639	3,118	20,868	616
1982	26,886	74,242	19,766	6,067	3,165	998	48,985	2,432	16,617	536
1983	26,203	68,352	17,978	5,272	6,489	848	41,782	2,827	15,646	487
1984	28,201	70,891	18,891	5,895	3,441	983	45,826	2,439	16,189	776
1985	28,733	72,764	20,213	5,626	3,348	1,110	49,214	2,480	16,558	992
1986	30,328	73,226	23,449	6,262	3,099	1,075	54,560	1,953	3,629	n.a.
1987	35,206	76,758	22,978	6,122	5,801	1,173	63,807	787	20,889	n.a.
1988	34,443	72,224	23,073	6,388	7,131	785	68,623	550	21,022	16,817
1989	34,756	70,235	21,400	6,803	9,010	828	71,419	534	21,531	20,638
1990	37,737	73,585	22,158	7,431	10,294	866	74,501	511	22,315	7,455
1991	41,551	78,339	23,798	8,648	10,874	1,021	92,469	575	24,129	9,522
1992	46,952	89,818	27,264	9,872	12,763	1,070	96,895	619	25,042	13,640
1993	45,742	88,623	27,494	10,026	13,390	1,118	94,255	543	23,206	14,143
1994	47,820	86,645	30,958	10,520	15,531	1,116	84,705	602	22,560	15,794
1995	46,477	83,065	28,831	11,167	11,956	1,643	141,306	722	27,566	14,746
1996	45,960	81,209	27,983	11,530	12,206	1,588	142,776	777	27,616	18,274
1997	45,496	76,531	26,483	11,310	12,151	1,473	135,430	654	25,930	14,436
1998	47,517	76,698	27,148	12,413	13,118	1,466	141,847	676	25,926	13,744
1999	49,869	74,755	26,981	13,389	13,842	1,416	146,754	645	25,925	10,252
2000	50,100	75,400	26,200	12,700	14,900	1,700	153,600	700	28,700	9,300
2001	54,600	82,500	28,300	15,600	16,300	<sup>d</sup>	162,100	<sup>d</sup>	25,400	10,000

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							Total	Retardation	Other
<b>Percent</b>									
1960	207,805	100.0	6.1	9.9	3.0	0.2	9.6	n.a.	n.a.
1961	279,758	100.0	6.3	9.6	2.9	0.2	11.1	n.a.	n.a.
1962	286,434	100.0	5.3	9.6	3.3	0.3	13.0	n.a.	n.a.
1963	224,229	100.0	4.8	11.2	3.4	0.3	10.9	n.a.	n.a.
1967	310,947	100.0	3.5	10.7	3.5	n.a.	11.4	n.a.	n.a.
1968	330,783	100.0	3.1	11.1	3.4	n.a.	12.7	n.a.	n.a.
1969	344,741	100.0	2.9	10.4	3.5	n.a.	12.5	n.a.	n.a.
1970	350,384	100.0	2.5	10.3	3.8	n.a.	11.0	n.a.	n.a.
1971	415,897	100.0	2.0	9.5	3.8	0.3	10.3	n.a.	n.a.
1972	455,438	100.0	1.9	9.6	3.8	0.3	9.9	n.a.	n.a.
1973	491,776	100.0	1.6	10.3	3.7	0.3	9.6	n.a.	n.a.
1975	592,049	100.0	1.3	10.1	3.9	0.3	11.4	n.a.	n.a.
1976	551,460	100.0	1.1	10.5	3.8	0.4	11.5	n.a.	n.a.
1977	568,874	100.0	1.0	10.5	3.8	0.3	12.5	n.a.	n.a.
1978	464,415	100.0	1.0	11.8	3.6	0.3	11.7	n.a.	n.a.
1981	351,847	100.0	0.8	16.3	4.3	0.3	10.5	n.a.	n.a.
1982	298,531	100.0	0.8	17.1	4.4	0.3	10.6	n.a.	n.a.
1983	311,490	100.0	2.2	16.8	4.8	0.3	16.3	n.a.	n.a.
1984	357,140	100.0	1.0	17.6	4.3	0.3	19.1	n.a.	n.a.
1985	377,371	100.0	0.9	15.9	4.9	0.3	19.9	n.a.	n.a.
1986	416,865	100.0	0.7	13.3	5.3	0.3	31.0	n.a.	n.a.
1987	415,848	100.0	1.2	13.9	5.3	0.3	20.5	n.a.	n.a.
1988	409,490	100.0	0.7	13.2	3.5	0.3	20.9	n.a.	n.a.
1989	425,582	100.0	0.9	14.2	3.4	0.4	20.8	n.a.	n.a.
1990	467,977	100.0	4.7	14.1	3.5	0.4	22.5	n.a.	n.a.
1991	536,434	100.0	5.3	12.9	3.7	0.4	23.5	n.a.	n.a.
1992	636,637	100.0	6.2	12.1	4.7	0.4	25.8	n.a.	n.a.
1993	635,238	100.0	5.9	12.6	4.9	0.3	26.1	n.a.	n.a.
1994	631,870	100.0	5.7	14.1	5.0	0.3	24.8	n.a.	n.a.
1995	645,645	100.0	4.4	10.0	5.2	0.3	23.0	2.6	20.4
1996	624,254	100.0	3.8	10.2	5.4	0.3	21.2	2.3	19.0
1997	587,700	100.0	2.6	10.6	5.8	0.3	21.0	2.2	18.8
1998	608,382	100.0	2.1	10.5	6.0	0.3	21.7	2.4	19.3
1999	620,559	100.0	1.9	10.6	6.0	0.3	22.4	2.7	19.8
2000	610,700	100.0	1.8	10.4	2.8	0.2	23.5	2.9	20.6
2001	661,900	100.0	1.7	9.4	3.0	0.3	25.5	3.4	22.1

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SOURCES: *Annual Statistical Supplement to the Social Security Bulletin*, Table 6.C3; Annual Award and Termination Transaction file. Beginning in 2000, data are based on a 1 percent sample.

NOTE: n.a. = not available.

**Table 29.**  
**Distribution, by diagnostic group, selected years 1960–2001—Continued**

Year <sup>a</sup>	Diseases of the—							Congenital anomalies	Injuries	Other
	Nervous system and sense organs	Circulatory system	Respiratory system	Digestive system	Genito-urinary system	Skin and subcutaneous tissue	Musculo-skeletal system and connective tissue			
	<i>Percent</i>									
1960	17.9	31.1	9.2	2.0	0.6	0.3	9.5	0.5	n.a.	<sup>e</sup>
1961	18.5	29.8	8.3	1.8	0.7	0.3	9.6	0.7	n.a.	0.1
1962	15.8	28.6	8.2	2.1	0.7	0.4	11.8	0.7	n.a.	0.2
1963	14.6	29.6	8.5	2.0	0.8	0.3	9.7	0.7	2.9	0.3
1967	12.3	26.2	7.9	2.5	n.a.	n.a.	13.2	n.a.	6.4	2.4
1968	12.6	24.5	6.8	2.4	0.9	n.a.	13.2	0.8	7.7	0.9
1969	6.4	30.7	6.7	2.5	0.8	n.a.	13.7	0.9	8.3	0.7
1970	6.4	31.1	6.9	2.6	0.8	n.a.	14.9	1.0	8.1	0.7
1971	6.4	31.7	7.2	2.8	0.8	0.4	16.0	1.0	7.6	0.1
1972	6.2	32.2	7.3	2.9	0.9	0.4	16.7	0.9	7.0	0.1
1973	6.3	32.2	7.0	3.0	1.0	0.4	17.4	1.1	6.2	0.1
1975	6.7	29.9	6.7	3.0	1.0	0.4	18.7	1.1	5.5	0.2
1976	6.6	30.0	6.4	2.8	0.9	0.5	19.2	1.1	5.4	0.1
1977	6.5	29.5	6.2	2.7	0.9	0.3	19.0	1.2	5.6	0.1
1978	6.3	29.0	6.0	2.7	1.0	0.4	18.7	1.3	5.9	0.3
1981	8.3	24.9	6.2	2.1	1.8	0.4	17.0	0.9	6.0	0.2
1982	9.0	24.9	6.6	2.0	1.1	0.3	16.4	0.8	5.6	0.2
1983	8.4	21.9	5.8	1.7	2.1	0.3	13.4	0.9	5.0	0.2
1984	8.4	21.1	5.6	1.8	1.0	0.3	13.7	0.7	4.8	0.2
1985	8.3	21.1	5.8	1.6	1.0	0.3	14.2	0.7	4.8	0.3
1986	7.6	18.3	5.9	1.6	0.8	0.3	13.6	0.5	0.9	n.a.
1987	8.9	19.3	5.8	1.5	1.5	0.3	16.1	0.2	5.3	n.a.
1988	8.4	17.6	5.6	1.6	1.7	0.2	16.8	0.1	5.1	4.1
1989	8.2	16.5	5.0	1.6	2.1	0.2	16.8	0.1	5.1	4.8
1990	8.1	15.7	4.7	1.6	2.2	0.2	15.9	0.1	4.8	1.6
1991	7.7	14.6	4.4	1.6	2.0	0.2	17.2	0.1	4.5	1.8
1992	7.4	14.1	4.3	1.6	2.0	0.2	15.2	0.1	3.9	2.1
1993	7.2	14.0	4.3	1.6	2.1	0.2	14.8	0.1	3.7	2.2
1994	7.6	13.7	4.9	1.7	2.5	0.2	13.4	0.1	3.6	2.5
1995	7.2	12.9	4.5	1.7	1.9	0.3	22.0	0.1	4.3	2.3
1996	7.4	13.1	4.5	1.9	2.0	0.3	23.0	0.1	4.4	2.9
1997	7.8	13.1	4.5	1.9	2.1	0.3	23.1	0.1	4.4	2.5
1998	7.8	12.6	4.5	2.0	2.2	0.2	23.4	0.1	4.3	2.3
1999	8.1	12.1	4.4	2.2	2.2	0.2	23.7	0.1	4.2	1.7
2000	8.2	12.4	4.3	2.1	2.4	0.3	25.2	0.1	4.7	1.5
2001	8.3	12.5	4.3	2.4	2.5	<sup>d</sup>	24.6	<sup>d</sup>	3.8	1.5

a. Data for 1964–1966 are not available. As of 1995, diagnostic data for awards are no longer based solely on cases allowed at the initial disability determination level.

b. AIDS and HIV records are counted in "Infectious and parasitic diseases." Before 1990, they were included in "Other."

c. Mental retardation not identified separately before 1995.

d. Data not shown to avoid disclosure of information for particular individuals.

e. Less than 0.05 percent.

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**Awards to Disabled Workers**

**Table 30.**  
**Distribution of workers aged 50 or older, by diagnostic group, selected years 1975–2001**

Year <sup>a</sup>	All disabled workers	Total with diagnosis available	Infectious and parasitic diseases <sup>b</sup>	Neoplasms	Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases	Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	Mental disorders <sup>c</sup>		
							Total	Retardation	Other
<i>Number</i>									
1975	408,556	408,556	4,222	44,264	16,665	743	25,094	n.a.	n.a.
1981	222,162	222,155	1,387	41,393	9,580	426	11,685	n.a.	n.a.
1982	189,252	189,252	1,216	36,418	8,448	392	9,877	n.a.	n.a.
1983	190,884	190,883	2,971	37,552	9,274	501	15,302	n.a.	n.a.
1984	216,348	207,576	1,657	42,931	8,668	367	20,398	n.a.	n.a.
1985	219,219	205,909	1,475	38,263	9,442	418	19,297	n.a.	n.a.
1986	228,510	221,988	1,202	36,858	10,444	498	34,162	n.a.	n.a.
1987	231,367	224,506	1,414	37,744	8,709	466	22,271	n.a.	n.a.
1988	226,473	226,473	1,419	37,085	8,665	552	22,474	n.a.	n.a.
1989	235,874	235,874	1,276	41,054	8,191	578	24,407	n.a.	n.a.
1990	252,596	252,596	2,733	44,342	9,065	640	27,272	n.a.	n.a.
1991	280,986	280,986	3,407	46,082	10,982	686	31,839	n.a.	n.a.
1992	323,462	323,462	4,487	50,690	14,555	799	38,484	n.a.	n.a.
1993	322,619	322,619	4,378	52,425	15,312	733	39,459	n.a.	n.a.
1994	338,833	338,883	4,877	58,440	16,425	788	39,891	n.a.	n.a.
1995	337,021	337,021	4,257	42,034	18,407	756	39,384	2,950	36,434
1996	330,177	330,177	3,691	41,381	18,819	718	36,933	2,401	34,532
1997	322,681	322,392	2,966	41,034	19,140	762	37,415	2,209	35,206
1998	335,100	334,810	2,863	41,880	20,605	729	41,430	2,626	38,804
1999	360,879	359,727	3,076	43,721	21,549	880	52,338	7,267	45,071
2000	340,900	340,300	3,800	42,500	11,100	<sup>d</sup>	44,900	3,200	41,700
2001	365,100	364,300	2,300	41,400	12,200	<sup>d</sup>	49,900	2,300	47,600

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**Table 30.**  
**Distribution of workers aged 50 or older, by diagnostic group, selected years 1975–2001—Continued**

Year <sup>a</sup>	Diseases of the—							Congenital anomalies	Injuries	Other
	Nervous system and sense organs	Circulatory system	Respiratory system	Digestive system	Genito-urinary system	Skin and subcutaneous tissue	Musculo-skeletal system and connective tissue			
	<i>Number</i>									
1975	22,634	147,018	34,026	11,618	3,185	1,352	80,002	2,864	14,396	473
1981	14,038	70,716	18,331	4,363	2,916	658	37,563	1,173	7,541	385
1982	13,004	59,933	17,009	3,306	1,425	460	31,096	853	5,529	287
1983	12,747	54,763	15,544	2,980	3,949	362	27,624	1,398	5,610	306
1984	14,160	57,383	16,428	3,591	1,730	508	31,531	1,064	6,654	506
1985	14,009	59,114	17,442	2,870	1,557	625	34,154	1,042	6,201	n.a
1986	14,033	59,280	20,406	3,242	1,415	538	37,412	751	1,747	n.a
1987	16,149	60,240	19,443	3,358	2,796	514	43,288	289	7,825	n.a
1988	16,079	56,689	19,302	3,230	2,874	328	45,338	224	8,432	3,782
1989	15,860	56,011	17,936	3,492	3,646	424	48,791	223	8,770	5,216
1990	17,110	58,428	18,620	3,738	4,123	438	52,433	194	9,386	4,074
1991	18,756	61,780	19,725	4,245	4,437	497	63,025	191	10,237	5,097
1992	20,832	71,043	22,665	4,690	5,168	497	70,548	215	11,351	7,438
1993	20,841	69,583	22,830	4,698	5,578	525	67,335	193	10,516	8,213
1994	22,470	69,696	26,029	4,983	6,691	544	66,787	218	10,997	10,047
1995	21,663	65,575	23,126	5,131	5,251	744	89,642	250	12,241	8,560
1996	21,548	63,601	22,236	5,222	5,334	643	88,768	264	11,942	9,077
1997	22,017	60,198	21,197	5,281	5,427	647	86,689	219	11,529	7,871
1998	23,200	60,091	21,631	5,730	6,052	615	91,421	214	11,605	6,744
1999	26,483	59,690	22,198	6,367	6,670	633	97,452	275	12,526	5,869
2000	25,100	59,500	20,800	5,800	6,400	<sup>d</sup>	101,700	<sup>d</sup>	12,500	4,600
2001	24,700	65,600	23,100	8,000	6,400	<sup>d</sup>	111,700	<sup>d</sup>	12,500	5,400

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**Awards to Disabled Workers**

**Table 30.**  
**Distribution of workers aged 50 or older, by diagnostic group, selected years 1975–2001—Continued**

Year <sup>a</sup>	All disabled workers	Total with diagnosis available	Infectious and parasitic diseases <sup>b</sup>	Neoplasms	Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases	Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	Mental disorders <sup>c</sup>		
							Total	Retardation	Other
<i>Percent</i>									
1975	408,556	100.0	1.0	10.8	4.1	0.2	6.1	n.a.	n.a.
1981	222,162	100.0	0.6	18.6	4.3	0.2	5.3	n.a.	n.a.
1982	189,252	100.0	0.6	19.2	4.5	0.2	5.2	n.a.	n.a.
1983	190,884	100.0	1.6	19.7	4.9	0.3	8.0	n.a.	n.a.
1984	216,348	100.0	0.8	20.7	4.2	0.2	9.8	n.a.	n.a.
1985	219,219	100.0	0.7	18.6	4.6	0.2	9.4	n.a.	n.a.
1986	228,510	100.0	0.5	16.6	4.7	0.2	15.4	n.a.	n.a.
1987	231,367	100.0	0.6	16.8	3.9	0.2	9.9	n.a.	n.a.
1988	226,473	100.0	0.6	16.4	3.8	0.2	9.9	n.a.	n.a.
1989	235,874	100.0	0.5	17.4	3.5	0.2	10.3	n.a.	n.a.
1990	252,596	100.0	1.1	17.6	3.6	0.3	10.8	n.a.	n.a.
1991	280,986	100.0	1.2	16.4	3.9	0.2	11.3	n.a.	n.a.
1992	323,462	100.0	1.4	15.7	4.5	0.2	11.9	n.a.	n.a.
1993	322,619	100.0	1.4	16.2	4.7	0.2	12.2	n.a.	n.a.
1994	338,833	100.0	1.4	17.2	4.8	0.2	11.8	n.a.	n.a.
1995	337,021	100.0	1.3	12.5	5.5	0.2	11.7	0.9	10.8
1996	330,177	100.0	1.1	12.5	5.7	0.2	11.2	0.7	10.5
1997	322,681	100.0	0.9	12.7	5.9	0.2	11.6	0.7	10.9
1998	335,100	100.0	0.9	12.5	6.2	0.2	12.4	0.8	11.6
1999	360,879	100.0	0.9	12.2	6.0	0.2	14.5	2.0	12.5
2000	340,900	100.0	1.1	12.5	3.3	<sup>d</sup>	13.2	0.9	12.3
2001	365,100	100.0	0.6	11.4	3.3	<sup>d</sup>	13.7	0.6	13.1

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**Table 30.**  
**Distribution of workers aged 50 or older, by diagnostic group, selected years 1975–2001—Continued**

Year <sup>a</sup>	Diseases of the—							Congenital anomalies	Injuries	Other
	Nervous system and sense organs	Circulatory system	Respiratory system	Digestive system	Genito-urinary system	Skin and subcutaneous tissue	Musculo-skeletal system and connective tissue			
	<i>Percent</i>									
1975	5.5	36.0	8.3	2.8	0.8	0.3	19.6	0.7	3.5	0.1
1981	6.3	31.8	8.3	2.0	1.3	0.3	16.9	0.5	3.4	0.2
1982	6.9	31.7	9.0	1.7	0.8	0.2	16.4	0.5	2.9	0.2
1983	6.7	28.7	8.1	1.6	2.1	0.2	14.5	0.7	2.9	0.2
1984	6.8	27.6	7.9	1.7	0.8	0.2	15.2	0.5	3.2	0.2
1985	6.8	28.7	8.5	1.4	0.8	0.3	16.6	0.5	3.0	n.a.
1986	6.3	26.7	9.2	1.5	0.6	0.2	16.9	0.3	0.8	n.a.
1987	7.2	26.8	8.7	1.5	1.2	0.2	19.3	0.1	3.5	n.a.
1988	7.1	25.0	8.5	1.4	1.3	0.1	20.0	0.1	3.7	1.7
1989	6.7	23.7	7.6	1.5	1.5	0.2	20.7	0.1	3.7	2.2
1990	6.8	23.1	7.4	1.5	1.6	0.2	20.8	0.1	3.7	1.6
1991	6.7	22.0	7.0	1.5	1.6	0.2	22.4	0.1	3.6	1.8
1992	6.4	22.0	7.0	1.4	1.6	0.2	21.8	0.1	3.5	2.3
1993	6.5	21.6	7.1	1.5	1.7	0.2	20.9	0.1	3.3	2.5
1994	6.6	20.6	7.7	1.5	2.0	0.2	19.7	0.1	3.2	3.0
1995	6.4	19.5	6.9	1.5	1.6	0.2	26.6	0.1	3.6	2.5
1996	6.5	19.3	6.7	1.6	1.6	0.2	26.9	0.1	3.6	2.7
1997	6.8	18.7	6.6	1.6	1.7	0.2	26.9	0.1	3.6	2.4
1998	6.9	17.9	6.5	1.7	1.8	0.2	27.3	0.1	3.5	2.0
1999	7.4	16.6	6.2	1.8	1.9	0.2	27.1	0.1	3.5	1.6
2000	7.4	17.5	6.1	1.7	1.9	<sup>d</sup>	29.9	<sup>d</sup>	3.7	1.4
2001	6.8	18.0	6.3	2.2	1.8	<sup>d</sup>	30.7	<sup>d</sup>	3.4	1.5

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NOTE: n.a. = not available.

a. As of 1995, diagnostic data for awards are no longer based solely on cases allowed at the initial disability determination level.

b. AIDS and HIV records are counted in "Infectious and parasitic diseases." Before 1990, they were included in "Other."

c. Mental retardation not identified separately before 1995.

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**Awards to Disabled Workers**

**Table 31.**  
**Distribution of workers under age 50, by diagnostic group, selected years 1975–2001**

Year <sup>a</sup>	All disabled workers	Total with diagnosis available	Infectious and parasitic diseases <sup>b</sup>	Neoplasms	Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases	Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	Mental disorders <sup>c</sup>		
							Total	Retardation	Other
<i>Number</i>									
1975	183,493	183,493	3,357	15,588	6,511	748	42,119	n.a.	n.a.
1981	123,090	123,088	1,209	15,017	5,188	516	24,633	n.a.	n.a.
1982	109,279	109,279	1,096	14,581	4,739	416	21,654	n.a.	n.a.
1983	120,606	120,605	3,759	14,827	5,630	457	35,331	n.a.	n.a.
1984	140,792	127,645	1,528	16,173	5,750	537	43,680	n.a.	n.a.
1985	158,152	138,718	1,510	16,857	7,534	472	49,313	n.a.	n.a.
1986	188,355	177,934	1,534	16,318	10,816	688	89,821	n.a.	n.a.
1987	184,481	172,590	3,262	17,595	12,405	739	58,970	n.a.	n.a.
1988	183,017	183,017	1,383	16,859	5,848	867	63,282	n.a.	n.a.
1989	189,708	189,709	2,497	19,298	6,088	946	64,093	n.a.	n.a.
1990	215,381	215,381	19,290	21,597	7,190	1,094	77,901	n.a.	n.a.
1991	255,448	255,448	24,838	23,162	8,949	1,218	94,345	n.a.	n.a.
1992	313,175	313,175	34,766	26,485	15,349	1,478	125,609	n.a.	n.a.
1993	312,619	312,619	33,072	27,841	15,550	1,342	126,586	n.a.	n.a.
1994	292,987	292,987	31,210	30,791	15,107	1,278	116,812	n.a.	n.a.
1995	308,624	306,801	23,736	22,367	14,963	1,250	108,516	13,731	94,785
1996	294,077	294,077	19,633	21,940	15,013	1,118	95,089	11,661	83,428
1997	265,019	263,631	12,361	21,245	14,667	1,053	85,486	10,679	74,807
1998	273,282	272,052	9,817	22,093	15,768	1,072	90,072	11,880	78,192
1999	259,680	259,391	8,667	21,960	15,426	1,031	86,642	9,341	77,301
2000	269,800	269,100	6,900	21,100	6,000	<sup>d</sup>	98,300	14,400	83,900
2001	296,800	295,800	8,900	20,600	7,300	<sup>d</sup>	118,700	20,200	98,500

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**Table 31.**  
**Distribution of workers under age 50, by diagnostic group, selected years 1975–2001—Continued**

Year <sup>a</sup>	Diseases of the—							Congenital anomalies	Injuries	Other
	Nervous system and sense organs	Circulatory system	Respiratory system	Digestive system	Genito-urinary system	Skin and subcutaneous tissue	Musculo-skeletal system and connective tissue			
	<i>Number</i>									
1975	17,326	30,293	5,459	5,856	2,534	954	30,635	3,712	17,945	456
1981	14,478	15,278	3,189	3,000	3,314	687	21,076	1,945	13,327	231
1982	13,882	14,309	2,757	2,761	1,740	538	17,889	1,579	11,088	250
1983	13,456	13,589	2,434	2,292	2,540	486	14,158	1,429	10,036	181
1984	14,041	13,508	2,463	2,304	1,711	475	14,295	1,375	9,535	270
1985	14,724	13,650	2,771	2,756	1,791	485	15,060	1,438	10,357	n.a.
1986	16,295	13,946	3,043	3,020	1,684	537	17,148	1,202	1,882	n.a.
1987	19,057	16,518	3,535	2,764	3,005	659	20,519	498	13,064	n.a.
1988	18,364	15,535	3,771	3,158	4,257	457	23,285	326	12,590	13,035
1989	18,896	14,224	3,464	3,311	5,364	404	22,628	311	12,761	15,424
1990	20,627	15,157	3,538	3,693	6,171	428	22,068	317	12,929	3,381
1991	22,795	16,559	4,073	4,403	6,437	524	29,444	384	13,892	4,425
1992	26,120	18,775	4,599	5,182	7,595	573	26,347	404	13,691	6,202
1993	24,901	19,040	4,664	5,328	7,812	593	26,920	350	12,690	5,930
1994	25,350	16,949	4,929	5,537	8,840	572	17,918	384	11,563	5,747
1995	24,814	17,490	5,705	6,036	6,705	899	51,664	472	15,325	6,859
1996	24,412	17,608	5,747	6,308	6,872	945	54,008	513	15,674	9,197
1997	23,479	16,333	5,286	6,029	6,724	826	48,741	435	14,401	6,565
1998	24,297	16,607	5,517	6,683	7,066	851	50,426	462	14,321	7,000
1999	23,386	15,065	4,783	7,022	7,172	783	49,302	370	13,399	4,383
2000	25,000	15,900	5,400	6,900	8,500	<sup>d</sup>	51,900	<sup>d</sup>	16,200	4,700
2001	29,900	16,900	5,200	7,600	9,900	<sup>d</sup>	50,400	<sup>d</sup>	12,900	4,600

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**Table 31.**  
**Distribution of workers under age 50, by diagnostic group, selected years 1975–2001—Continued**

Year <sup>a</sup>	All disabled workers	Total with diagnosis available	Infectious and parasitic diseases <sup>b</sup>	Neoplasms	Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases	Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	Mental disorders <sup>c</sup>		
							Total	Retardation	Other
<i>Percent</i>									
1975	183,493	100.0	1.8	8.5	3.5	0.4	23.0	n.a.	n.a.
1981	123,090	100.0	1.0	12.2	4.2	0.4	20.0	n.a.	n.a.
1982	109,279	100.0	1.0	13.3	4.3	0.4	19.8	n.a.	n.a.
1983	120,606	100.0	3.1	12.3	4.7	0.4	29.3	n.a.	n.a.
1984	140,792	100.0	1.2	12.7	4.5	0.4	34.2	n.a.	n.a.
1985	158,152	100.0	1.1	12.2	5.4	0.3	35.5	n.a.	n.a.
1986	188,355	100.0	0.9	9.2	6.1	0.4	50.5	n.a.	n.a.
1987	184,481	100.0	1.9	10.2	7.2	0.4	34.2	n.a.	n.a.
1988	183,017	100.0	0.8	9.2	3.2	0.5	34.6	n.a.	n.a.
1989	189,708	100.0	1.3	10.2	3.2	0.5	33.8	n.a.	n.a.
1990	215,381	100.0	9.0	10.0	3.3	0.5	36.2	n.a.	n.a.
1991	255,448	100.0	9.7	9.1	3.5	0.5	36.9	n.a.	n.a.
1992	313,175	100.0	11.1	8.5	4.9	0.5	40.1	n.a.	n.a.
1993	312,619	100.0	10.6	8.9	5.0	0.4	40.5	n.a.	n.a.
1994	292,987	100.0	10.7	10.5	5.2	0.4	39.9	n.a.	n.a.
1995	308,624	100.0	7.7	7.3	4.9	0.4	35.4	4.5	30.9
1996	294,077	100.0	6.7	7.5	5.1	0.4	32.3	4.0	28.4
1997	265,019	100.0	4.7	8.1	5.6	0.4	32.4	4.1	28.4
1998	273,282	100.0	3.6	8.1	5.8	0.4	33.1	4.4	28.7
1999	259,680	100.0	3.3	8.5	5.9	0.4	33.4	3.6	29.8
2000	269,800	100.0	2.6	7.8	2.2	<sup>d</sup>	36.5	5.4	31.2
2001	296,800	100.0	3.0	7.0	2.5	<sup>d</sup>	40.1	6.8	33.3

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**Table 31.**  
**Distribution of workers under age 50, by diagnostic group, selected years 1975–2001—Continued**

Year <sup>a</sup>	Diseases of the—							Congenital anomalies	Injuries	Other
	Nervous system and sense organs	Circulatory system	Respiratory system	Digestive system	Genito-urinary system	Skin and subcutaneous tissue	Musculo-skeletal system and connective tissue			
	<i>Percent</i>									
1975	9.4	16.5	3.0	3.2	1.4	0.5	16.7	2.0	9.8	0.2
1981	11.8	12.4	2.6	2.4	2.7	0.6	17.1	1.6	10.8	0.2
1982	12.7	13.1	2.5	2.5	1.6	0.5	16.4	1.4	10.1	0.2
1983	11.2	11.3	2.0	1.9	2.1	0.4	11.7	1.2	8.3	0.2
1984	11.0	10.6	1.9	1.8	1.3	0.4	11.2	1.1	7.5	0.2
1985	10.6	9.8	2.0	2.0	1.3	0.3	10.9	1.0	7.5	n.a.
1986	9.2	7.8	1.7	1.7	0.9	0.3	9.6	0.7	1.1	n.a.
1987	11.0	9.6	2.0	1.6	1.7	0.4	11.9	0.3	7.6	n.a.
1988	10.0	8.5	2.1	1.7	2.3	0.2	12.7	0.2	6.9	7.1
1989	10.0	7.5	1.8	1.7	2.8	0.2	11.9	0.2	6.7	8.1
1990	9.6	7.0	1.6	1.7	2.9	0.2	10.2	0.1	6.0	1.6
1991	8.9	6.5	1.6	1.7	2.5	0.2	11.5	0.2	5.4	1.7
1992	8.3	6.0	1.5	1.7	2.4	0.2	8.4	0.1	4.4	2.0
1993	8.0	6.1	1.5	1.7	2.5	0.2	8.6	0.1	4.1	1.9
1994	8.7	5.8	1.7	1.9	3.0	0.2	6.1	0.1	3.9	2.0
1995	8.1	5.7	1.9	2.0	2.2	0.3	16.8	0.2	5.0	2.2
1996	8.3	6.0	2.0	2.1	2.3	0.3	18.4	0.2	5.3	3.1
1997	8.9	6.2	2.0	2.3	2.6	0.3	18.5	0.2	5.5	2.5
1998	8.9	6.1	2.0	2.5	2.6	0.3	18.5	0.2	5.3	2.6
1999	9.0	5.8	1.8	2.7	2.8	0.3	19.0	0.1	5.2	1.7
2000	9.3	5.9	2.0	2.6	3.2	<sup>d</sup>	19.3	<sup>d</sup>	6.0	1.7
2001	10.1	5.7	1.8	2.6	3.3	<sup>d</sup>	17.0	<sup>d</sup>	4.4	1.6

SOURCES: *Annual Statistical Supplement to the Social Security Bulletin*, Table 6.C3; Annual Award and Termination Transaction file. Beginning 2000, data are based on a 1 percent sample.

NOTE: n.a. = not available.

a. As of 1995, diagnostic data for awards are no longer based solely on cases allowed at the initial disability determination level.

b. AIDS and HIV records are counted in "Infectious and parasitic diseases." Before 1990, they were included in "Other."

c. Mental retardation not identified separately before 1995.

d. Data not shown to avoid disclosure of information for particular individuals.

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**Table 32.**  
**Average primary insurance amount and monthly benefit, by sex, selected years 1960–2001 (in dollars)**

Year	Average primary insurance amount			Average monthly benefit		
	All disabled workers	Men	Women	All disabled workers	Men	Women
1960	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	91.20	94.00	78.90
1965 (Jan.–Aug.)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	93.30	97.90	80.30
1965 (Sept.–Dec.)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	101.30	106.50	86.80
1970	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	139.80	148.40	115.70
1975	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	241.20	263.80	190.90
1980	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	406.30	449.40	308.50
1985	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	475.60	530.40	363.70
1986	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	473.80	531.50	357.40
1987	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	506.00	573.20	381.60
1988	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	297.40	321.20	263.50
1989	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	562.10	634.40	429.90
1990	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	594.20	667.90	465.80
1991	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	605.50	685.20	470.60
1992	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	621.90	699.80	494.20
1993	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	639.80	720.10	507.70
1994	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	672.80	757.70	535.00
1995	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	687.70	786.90	549.00
1996	734.00	836.40	595.70	709.10	807.90	575.60
1997	752.00	855.40	623.50	728.10	824.00	608.80
1998	771.30	879.50	639.50	746.30	846.80	623.80
1999	813.20	922.30	674.70	787.80	890.70	657.10
2000	856.80	975.30	718.70	833.70	947.70	700.90
2001	891.60	1,019.60	739.00	867.70	989.30	722.60

SOURCES: *Annual Statistical Supplement to the Social Security Bulletin*, Tables 6.A4 for years prior to 2000; Annual Award and Termination Transaction file. Beginning in 1985, data are based on a 1 percent sample.

NOTES: Benefits awarded before the December cost-of-living increase are converted to the December rates before averages are computed.

n.a. = not available.

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**Table 33.**  
**Distribution, by diagnostic group, sex, and age, 2001**

Diagnostic group	Total				Men				Women			
	All ages	Under 35	35-49	50 or older	All ages	Under 35	35-49	50 or older	All ages	Under 35	35-49	50 or older
	<i>Number</i>											
All disabled workers	661,900	86,400	210,400	365,100	360,000	44,500	108,500	207,000	301,900	41,900	101,900	158,100
Total with diagnosis available	660,100	86,100	209,700	364,300	359,200	44,500	108,000	206,700	300,900	41,600	101,700	157,600
Infectious and parasitic diseases	11,200	1,900	7,000	2,300	7,000	1,400	4,600	1,000	4,200	500	2,400	1,300
Neoplasms	62,000	3,200	17,400	41,400	32,200	1,400	8,300	22,500	29,800	1,800	9,100	18,900
Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases	19,500	1,100	6,200	12,200	10,600	<sup>a</sup>	3,500	6,400	8,900	<sup>a</sup>	2,700	5,800
Diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs	2,200	1,100	700	<sup>a</sup>	1,100	600	<sup>a</sup>	<sup>a</sup>	1,100	500	500	<sup>a</sup>
Mental disorders												
Retardation	22,500	11,900	8,300	2,300	12,500	6,600	4,700	1,200	10,000	5,300	3,600	1,100
Other	146,100	36,000	62,500	47,600	67,400	18,100	27,300	22,000	78,700	17,900	35,200	25,600
Diseases of the—												
Nervous system and sense organs	54,600	11,000	18,900	24,700	28,300	5,500	9,100	13,700	26,300	5,500	9,800	11,000
Circulatory system	82,500	2,400	14,500	65,600	59,200	1,000	10,000	48,200	23,300	1,400	4,500	17,400
Respiratory system	28,300	1,000	4,200	23,100	16,000	<sup>a</sup>	1,800	13,900	12,300	<sup>a</sup>	2,400	9,200
Digestive system	15,600	1,000	6,600	8,000	9,200	<sup>a</sup>	3,900	4,900	6,400	<sup>a</sup>	2,700	3,100
Genitourinary system	16,300	3,400	6,500	6,400	10,100	2,100	3,800	4,200	6,200	1,300	2,700	2,200
Skin and subcutaneous tissue	1,700	<sup>a</sup>	800	700	800	<sup>a</sup>	<sup>a</sup>	500	900	<sup>a</sup>	500	<sup>a</sup>
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	162,100	7,000	43,400	111,700	83,500	3,500	22,300	57,700	78,600	3,500	21,100	54,000
Congenital anomalies	<sup>a</sup>	<sup>a</sup>	<sup>a</sup>	<sup>a</sup>	<sup>a</sup>	<sup>a</sup>	<sup>a</sup>	<sup>a</sup>	<sup>a</sup>	<sup>a</sup>	<sup>a</sup>	<sup>a</sup>
Injuries	25,400	4,000	8,900	12,500	17,000	2,700	6,400	7,900	8,400	1,300	2,500	4,600
Other	10,000	800	3,800	5,400	4,300	<sup>a</sup>	1,800	2,300	5,700	<sup>a</sup>	2,000	3,100

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**Table 33.**  
**Distribution, by diagnostic group, sex, and age, 2001—Continued**

Diagnostic group	Total				Men				Women			
	All ages	Under 35	35–49	50 or older	All ages	Under 35	35–49	50 or older	All ages	Under 35	35–49	50 or older
	<b>Percent</b>											
Total with diagnosis available	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Infectious and parasitic diseases	1.7	2.2	3.3	0.6	2.0	3.2	4.3	0.5	1.4	1.2	2.4	0.8
Neoplasms	9.4	3.7	8.3	11.4	9.0	3.2	7.7	10.9	9.9	4.3	9.0	12.0
Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic diseases	3.0	1.3	3.0	3.4	3.0	a	3.2	3.1	3.0	a	2.7	3.7
Diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs	0.3	1.3	0.3	a	0.3	1.4	a	a	0.4	1.2	0.5	a
Mental disorders												
Retardation	3.4	13.8	4.0	0.6	3.5	14.8	4.4	0.6	3.3	12.7	3.5	0.7
Other	22.1	41.8	29.8	13.1	18.8	40.7	25.3	10.6	26.2	43.0	34.6	16.2
Diseases of the—												
Nervous system and sense organs	8.3	12.8	9.0	6.8	7.9	12.4	8.4	6.6	8.7	13.2	9.6	7.0
Circulatory system	12.5	2.8	6.9	18.0	16.5	2.3	9.3	23.3	7.7	3.4	4.4	11.0
Respiratory system	4.3	1.2	2.0	6.3	4.5	a	1.7	6.7	4.1	a	2.4	5.8
Digestive system	2.4	1.2	3.2	2.2	2.6	a	3.6	2.4	2.1	a	2.7	2.0
Genitourinary system	2.5	4.0	3.1	1.8	2.8	4.7	3.5	2.0	2.1	3.1	2.7	1.4
Skin and subcutaneous tissue	0.3	a	0.4	0.2	0.2	a	a	0.2	0.3	a	0.5	a
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	24.6	8.1	20.7	30.7	23.3	7.9	20.7	27.9	26.1	8.4	20.8	34.3
Congenital anomalies	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a
Injuries	3.9	4.7	4.2	3.4	4.7	6.1	5.9	3.8	2.8	3.1	2.5	2.9
Other	1.5	0.9	1.8	1.5	a	0.5	1.7	1.1	1.9	a	2.0	2.0

SOURCE: Annual Award and Termination Transaction file, based on a 1 percent sample.

NOTE: n.a. = not applicable.

a. Data not shown to avoid disclosure of information for particular individuals.

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**Table 34.**  
**Distribution, by monthly benefit and sex, 2001**

Monthly benefit (dollars)	All disabled workers		Men		Women	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total	661,900	100.0	360,000	100	301,900	100.0
Less than 100.00	5,300	0.8	2,500	0.7	2,800	0.9
100.00–199.90	12,900	2.0	4,100	1.1	8,800	2.9
200.00–299.90	24,300	3.7	9,300	2.6	15,000	5.0
300.00–399.90	26,700	4.0	9,400	2.6	17,300	5.7
400.00–499.90	38,700	5.9	14,800	4.1	23,900	7.9
500.00–599.90	76,500	11.6	29,400	8.2	47,100	15.6
600.00–699.90	70,400	10.6	26,800	7.4	43,600	14.4
700.00–799.90	64,900	9.8	30,600	8.5	34,300	11.4
800.00–899.90	60,400	9.1	30,000	8.3	30,400	10.1
900.00–999.90	50,200	7.6	28,400	7.9	21,800	7.2
1,000.00–1,099.90	43,600	6.6	26,100	7.3	17,500	5.8
1,100.00–1,199.90	41,000	6.2	28,900	8.0	12,100	4.0
1,200.00–1,299.90	33,100	5.0	24,300	6.8	8,800	2.9
1,300.00–1,399.90	28,300	4.3	21,200	5.9	7,100	2.4
1,400.00–1,499.90	35,700	5.4	29,100	8.1	6,600	2.2
1,500.00–1,599.90	24,900	3.8	22,300	6.2	2,600	0.9
1,600.00 or more	25,000	3.8	22,800	6.3	2,200	0.7
Average benefit (dollars)	867.70		989.30		722.60	

SOURCE: Annual Award and Termination Transaction File, based on a 1 percent sample.

NOTE: Benefits awarded before the December cost-of-living increase are converted to the December rates before averages are computed.

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