

**Table 3.**  
**OASI retired-worker beneficiaries, by sex and election of early retirement, May 2006–May 2007**

Month	All beneficiaries				Men				Women			
	Total	Without reduction for early retirement	With reduction for early retirement	Early retirees as a percentage of total	Subtotal	Without reduction for early retirement	With reduction for early retirement	Early retirees as a percentage of subtotal	Subtotal	Without reduction for early retirement	With reduction for early retirement	Early retirees as a percentage of subtotal
<i>Number (thousands)</i>												
2006												
May	30,781	8,376	22,405	72.8	15,803	4,680	11,123	70.4	14,978	3,696	11,282	75.3
June	30,825	8,383	22,442	72.8	15,823	4,684	11,139	70.4	15,002	3,699	11,303	75.3
July	30,832	8,365	22,467	72.9	15,819	4,670	11,148	70.5	15,014	3,695	11,319	75.4
August	30,830	8,341	22,489	72.9	15,811	4,657	11,155	70.5	15,019	3,685	11,334	75.5
September	30,879	8,344	22,535	73.0	15,832	4,658	11,174	70.6	15,047	3,686	11,361	75.5
October	30,908	8,349	22,559	73.0	15,843	4,660	11,182	70.6	15,065	3,689	11,376	75.5
November	30,959	8,368	22,591	73.0	15,862	4,668	11,194	70.6	15,096	3,700	11,397	75.5
December	30,971	8,373	22,598	73.0	15,866	4,669	11,197	70.6	15,106	3,705	11,401	75.5
2007												
January	31,110	8,394	22,716	73.0	15,941	4,677	11,264	70.7	15,168	3,717	11,452	75.5
February	31,179	8,400	22,779	73.1	15,976	4,680	11,296	70.7	15,203	3,720	11,483	75.5
March	31,225	8,406	22,819	73.1	15,997	4,683	11,314	70.7	15,227	3,722	11,505	75.6
April	31,276	8,416	22,859	73.1	16,022	4,689	11,332	70.7	15,254	3,727	11,527	75.6
May	31,322	8,426	22,896	73.1	16,043	4,695	11,348	70.7	15,279	3,730	11,548	75.6
<i>Total monthly benefits (millions of dollars)</i>												
2006												
May	30,985	9,864	21,121	...	17,936	6,208	11,728	...	13,048	3,655	9,393	...
June	31,045	9,876	21,169	...	17,968	6,216	11,752	...	13,077	3,661	9,417	...
July	31,065	9,859	21,206	...	17,969	6,200	11,769	...	13,096	3,659	9,437	...
August	31,074	9,834	21,240	...	17,965	6,182	11,784	...	13,108	3,652	9,456	...
September	31,135	9,842	21,293	...	17,997	6,187	11,810	...	13,138	3,655	9,483	...
October	31,178	9,852	21,326	...	18,017	6,192	11,825	...	13,161	3,660	9,501	...
November	31,286	9,903	21,383	...	18,071	6,220	11,851	...	13,215	3,683	9,532	...
December	32,346	10,240	22,106	...	18,681	6,430	12,250	...	13,666	3,810	9,855	...
2007												
January	32,556	10,272	22,285	...	18,809	6,447	12,362	...	13,747	3,825	9,922	...
February	32,655	10,283	22,371	...	18,866	6,453	12,412	...	13,789	3,830	9,959	...
March	32,724	10,295	22,429	...	18,902	6,460	12,442	...	13,822	3,835	9,987	...
April	32,802	10,316	22,486	...	18,945	6,473	12,472	...	13,857	3,843	10,015	...
May	32,868	10,333	22,535	...	18,980	6,484	12,496	...	13,888	3,849	10,040	...

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OASDI Benefits in Current-Payment Status

**Table 3.  
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Month	All beneficiaries				Men				Women			
	Total	Without reduction for early retirement	With reduction for early retirement	Early retirees as a percentage of total	Subtotal	Without reduction for early retirement	With reduction for early retirement	Early retirees as a percentage of subtotal	Subtotal	Without reduction for early retirement	With reduction for early retirement	Early retirees as a percentage of subtotal
<i>Average monthly benefit (dollars)</i>												
2006												
May	1,006.60	1,177.70	942.70	...	1,135.00	1,326.60	1,054.30	...	871.20	989.10	832.60	...
June	1,007.20	1,178.20	943.30	...	1,135.60	1,327.10	1,055.00	...	871.70	989.60	833.10	...
July	1,007.60	1,178.50	943.90	...	1,135.90	1,327.40	1,055.70	...	872.30	990.30	833.80	...
August	1,007.90	1,178.90	944.50	...	1,136.20	1,327.60	1,056.40	...	872.80	991.10	834.30	...
September	1,008.30	1,179.50	944.90	...	1,136.70	1,328.10	1,057.00	...	873.10	991.60	834.70	...
October	1,008.70	1,179.90	945.40	...	1,137.20	1,328.50	1,057.50	...	873.60	992.20	835.10	...
November	1,010.60	1,183.40	946.50	...	1,139.20	1,332.50	1,058.70	...	875.40	995.40	836.40	...
December	1,044.40	1,223.00	978.20	...	1,177.40	1,377.20	1,094.10	...	904.70	1,028.60	864.40	...
2007												
January	1,046.50	1,223.70	981.00	...	1,179.90	1,378.30	1,097.50	...	906.30	1,029.10	866.50	...
February	1,047.30	1,224.20	982.10	...	1,180.90	1,378.90	1,098.80	...	907.00	1,029.50	867.30	...
March	1,048.00	1,224.70	982.90	...	1,181.60	1,379.40	1,099.70	...	907.70	1,030.20	868.10	...
April	1,048.80	1,225.70	983.70	...	1,182.50	1,380.40	1,100.50	...	908.50	1,031.10	868.80	...
May	1,049.40	1,226.30	984.20	...	1,183.00	1,381.00	1,101.10	...	909.00	1,031.70	869.40	...

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

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

Some Social Security beneficiaries are entitled to more than one type of benefit. In most cases, they are dually entitled to a worker benefit and a higher spouse or widow(er) benefit. If both benefits are financed from the same trust fund, the beneficiary is usually counted only once in the statistics, as a retired-worker or a disabled-worker beneficiary, and the benefit amount recorded is the larger amount associated with the auxiliary benefit. If the benefits are paid from different trust funds the beneficiary is counted twice, and the respective benefit amounts are recorded for each type of benefit.

... = not applicable.

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