

Table 1.

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.

Number of OASDI beneficiaries in current-payment status and total monthly benefits, December 2019

	Number of beneficiaries							Total monthly benefits (thousands of dollars)			
Congressional district	Total	Retired workers	Disabled workers	Widow(er)s and parents		Children ^b	All beneficiaries	Retired workers	Widow(er)s and parents		
Maine	349,962	242,442	54,497	19,192	11,278	22,553	455,580	342,843	25,396	259,508	
1 2	172,815 177,147	124,729 117,713	23,192 31,305	9,063 10,129	5,762 5,516	10,069 12,484	236,678 218,903	184,408 158,434	12,699 12,697	133,761 125,747	
All areas ^c	64,064,496	45,094,245	8,378,374	3,996,448	2,543,961	4,051,468	88,523,452	67,769,892	5,476,827	48,653,036	

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Master Beneficiary Record, 100 percent data; and U.S. Postal Service geographic data.

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.

Number of recipients of federally administered SSI payments and total monthly payments, December 2019												
										payments f dollars)	Number of recipients with	
Congressional district	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	
Maine	36,599	1,747	212	34,640	3,877	26,792	5,930	20,316	541	116	19,659	14,034
1	14,387	843	79	13,465	1,497	10,448	2,442	8,000	302	44	7,654	5,436
2	22,212	904	133	21,175	2,380	16,344	3,488	12,316	239	72	12,005	8,598
All areas ^b	8,076,867	1,166,666	68,747	6,841,454	1,132,080	4,646,559	2,298,228	4,815,717	524,357	41,163	4,250,196	2,682,082

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data; and U.S. Postal Service geographic data.

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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