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

	Number of recipients				Total	Average
		Federal payment	Federal payment and state	State supplementation	payments ^a (thousands	monthly payment b
Month	Total		supplementation	only	of dollars)	(dollars)
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
June	8,055,593	6,612,190	1,298,748	144,655	4,880,630	577.40
July	8,028,020	6,589,193	1,294,575	144,252	4,807,628	577.35
August	8,041,824	6,603,262	1,294,784	143,778	4,830,585	577.78
September	8,051,680	6,612,756	1,295,421	143,503	4,885,925	576.38
October	8,007,647	6,576,780	1,287,797	143,070	4,808,354	579.56
November	7,993,867	6,568,365	1,283,058	142,444	4,786,759	577.32
December	7,959,766	6,541,267	1,276,519	141,980	4,797,688	575.73

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

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

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a. Includes retroactive payments.

b. Excludes retroactive payments.