



# Louisiana Congressional Statistics, 2022

*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 2022**

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 <sup>a</sup>	Children <sup>b</sup>	All beneficiaries	Retired workers	Widow(er)s and parents	
Louisiana	933,612	600,241	139,242	78,857	38,078	77,194	1,430,357	1,014,568	122,344	679,089
1	165,442	114,360	19,746	13,168	7,175	10,993	280,052	210,930	22,566	129,036
2	145,665	91,030	25,259	11,365	4,327	13,684	203,694	141,189	16,142	101,421
3	158,530	97,999	24,434	14,840	7,686	13,571	248,022	170,559	23,768	112,801
4	158,009	101,285	25,142	13,041	5,488	13,053	232,563	163,371	19,134	113,273
5	160,601	99,590	26,069	14,070	6,194	14,678	226,623	154,627	20,105	113,246
6	145,365	95,977	18,592	12,373	7,208	11,215	239,403	173,892	20,629	109,312
All areas <sup>c</sup>	65,994,457	48,587,883	7,604,098	3,840,827	2,113,864	3,847,785	111,421,667	88,679,497	6,324,926	52,052,807

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.

**Table 2.**  
**Number of recipients of federally administered SSI payments and total monthly payments, December 2022**

Congressional district	Number of recipients							Total monthly payments (thousands of dollars)				Number of recipients with OASDI <sup>a</sup>
	Total	By type			By age			Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	
		Aged	Blind	Disabled	Under 18	18–64	65 or older					
Louisiana	160,575	10,147	1,306	149,122	28,404	96,422	35,749	103,322	3,640	777	98,904	51,715
1	16,923	1,309	108	15,506	2,888	10,187	3,848	10,689	499	64	10,127	5,455
2	37,261	2,685	254	34,322	6,346	21,488	9,427	24,221	1,023	152	23,046	12,615
3	23,092	1,345	197	21,550	3,989	14,438	4,665	14,829	466	122	14,242	7,713
4	29,845	1,757	267	27,821	5,256	18,198	6,391	19,336	575	158	18,603	9,221
5	35,787	2,031	343	33,413	6,251	21,655	7,881	22,625	664	198	21,763	11,455
6	17,667	1,020	137	16,510	3,674	10,456	3,537	11,622	415	83	11,124	5,256
All areas <sup>b</sup>	7,542,222	1,138,100	64,393	6,339,729	997,109	4,195,789	2,349,324	4,910,154	569,774	43,223	4,297,157	2,530,634

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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