

Benefits and Beneficiaries Under the Railroad Retirement and Unemployment Insurance Systems - June 2010

Regular Retirement and Survivor Benefits

Benefit payments	<u>June 2010</u>	<u>June 2009</u>
Total	\$899,725,000	\$883,456,000
Retired employees	605,353,000	590,891,000
Spouses and divorced spouses	112,296,000	108,694,000
Widow(er)s - aged and disabled	157,907,000	159,610,000
Other benefits	24,168,000	24,262,000

Monthly benefits	Being paid end of month		Awarded in month		Average under Social Security June 2010	
	<u>Number</u>	<u>Average</u> ¹	<u>Number</u>	<u>Average</u> ¹	<u>Being Paid</u>	<u>Awarded</u>
Total	555,200	.....	2,600	.....	.....	.....
Regular employee annuities, total	273,100	\$2,183	1,100	\$2,766	.....	.....
Age	189,500	2,168	² 500	² 3,417	\$1,170	³ \$1,604
Disability, Full Retirement Age and Over	35,200	1,943	.....	.....	.....	.....
Disability, Under Full Retirement Age	48,400	2,415	300	2,611	1,065	1,123
Spouses and divorced spouses	136,600	811	800	948	558	414
Widow(er)s--aged and disabled	120,100	1,312	600	1,729	1,104	885
Widowed mothers and fathers	800	1,623	<u>4/</u>	1,608	839	817
Widow(er)s--remarried and divorced	13,700	879	100	876	<u>5/</u>	<u>5/</u>
Children	10,300	939	<u>4/</u>	1,116	751	735
Other benefits	700	309	.....	.....	.....	.....

Supplemental Annuities ⁶	Benefit payments		Being paid end of month		Awarded in month	
	June 2010	June 2009	<u>Number</u>	<u>Average</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Average</u>
	\$5,039,000	\$5,021,000	120,500	\$42	600	\$41

¹Railroad retirement benefits shown are net of reduction for social security benefit entitlement.

²For employees retiring directly from the railroad industry with full age annuity (their years of service averaged 36); about 300 other age annuities were awarded in the month.

³For men full retirement age or over.

⁴Fewer than 50.

⁵Remarried and divorced widow(er)s included with aged and disabled widow(er)s and widowed mothers and fathers.

⁶Benefit payments include supplemental benefits paid to partitioned spouses and partitioned divorced spouses where the employee is deceased. Number and averages are for employee annuitants only and reflect court-ordered partitions.

Note.--Data are on a cash basis (unaudited) and are partly estimated. Detail may not add to totals due to rounding. Regular retirement and survivor benefit payments total includes hospital insurance benefits for services in Canada.

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Unemployment and Sickness Benefits

Number of beneficiaries during month	Average payment		
	Per 2-week registration period	Per full week	
Unemployment	4,700	\$534	\$318
Sickness	4,700	559	318
		Benefit payments	
		June 2010	June 2009
Total		\$8,418,000	\$17,600,000
Unemployment¹		5,087,000	14,132,000
Sickness		3,331,000	3,468,000

¹ Starting in June 2009, includes temporary extended unemployment benefits authorized by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009. Beginning in November 2009, temporary extended unemployment benefits are also being paid under the Worker, Homeownership, and Business Assistance Act of 2009.

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