## **Benefits and Beneficiaries Under the Railroad Retirement and Unemployment Insurance Systems - February 2013**

Benefit payments	February 2013	February 2012
Total	\$964,700,000	\$942,452,000
Retired employees	656,082,000	639,231,000
Spouses and divorced spouses	127,283,000	121,684,000
Widow(er)s - aged and disabled	156,432,000	157,130,000
Other benefits	24,903,000	24,406,000

Regular Retirement and Survivor Benefits

Monthly benefits	Being paid end of month		Awarded in month		Average under Social Security February 2013	
	Number	Average <sup>1</sup>	Number	Average <sup>1</sup>	Being Paid	<u>Awarded</u>
Total	544,100		3,000			
Regular employee annuities, total	271,300	\$2,403	1,200	\$2,679		
Age	189,500	2,417	<sup>2</sup> 500	<sup>2</sup> 3,490	\$1,265	<sup>3</sup> \$1,763
Disability, Full Retirement Age and Over	38,300	2,151				
Disability, Under Full Retirement Age	43,600	2,567	200	2,544	1,130	1,203
Spouses and divorced spouses	139,900	902	1,100	959	607	489
Widow(er)saged and disabled	108,200	1,443	600	1,851	1,187	955
Widowed mothers and fathers	700	1,708	<u>4</u> /	1,989	891	873
Widow(er)sremarried and divorced	13,400	966	100	1,115	<u>5</u> /	<u>5</u> /
Children	9,600	1,002	<u>4</u> /	1,302	801	796
Other survivors	1,000	308				

Supplemental
Annuities<sup>6</sup>

Benefit pay	vments	Being end of			arded month
February 2013	February 2012	<u>Number</u>	<u>Average</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Average</u>
\$5,076,000	\$5,081,000	121,300	\$42	500	\$41

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Railroad retirement benefits shown are net of reduction for social security benefit entitlement.

**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.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>For employees retiring directly from the railroad industry with full age annuity (their years of service averaged 35); some 400 other age annuities were awarded in the month.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>For men full retirement age or over.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>Fewer than 50.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup>Remarried and divorced widow(er)s included with aged and disabled widow(er)s and widowed mothers and fathers.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup>Includes partition payments to spouses and divorced spouses where the employee is deceased. Number and averages are for employee annuitants only and reflect court-ordered partitions.

## Benefits and Beneficiaries Under the Railroad Retirement and Unemployment Insurance Systems - (Continued) February 2013 (REVISED)

## **Unemployment and Sickness Benefits**

		Average payment		
Number of beneficiaries during month		Per 2-week registration period	Per full week	
Unemployment	4,800	\$572	\$327	
Sickness	4,300	571	327	
		Benefi	t payments	
		February 2013	February 2012	
Total		\$8,035,000	\$7,089,000	
Unemployment <sup>1</sup>		5,083,000	3,809,000	
Sickness		2,953,000	3,280,000	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 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, as amended.

Note. -- Data are on a cash basis (unaudited). Detail may not add to totals due to rounding.