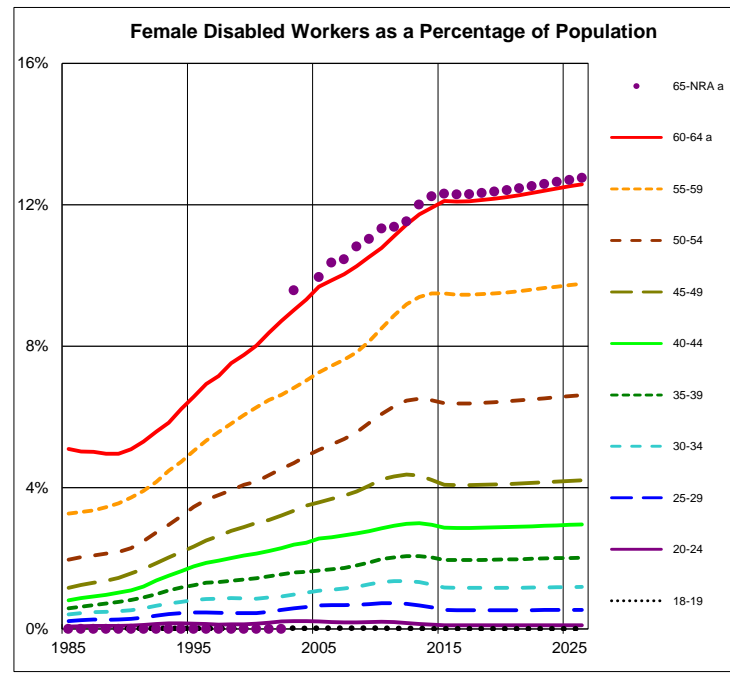
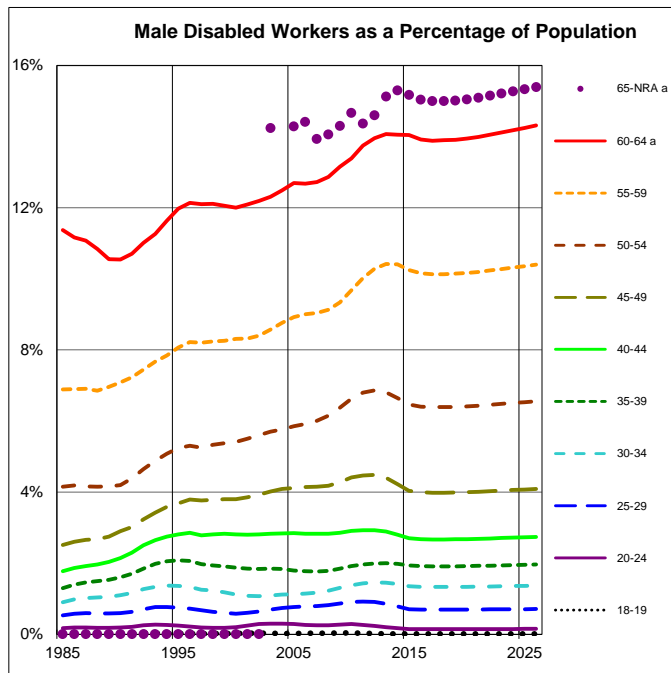


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	Actual 2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
By Calendar Year												
Beneficiaries on December 31 (Thousands)												
Disabled Workers												
Men	4,581	4,586	4,614	4,643	4,677	4,706	4,779	4,850	4,916	4,985	5,058	5,121
Women	4,328	4,352	4,382	4,410	4,441	4,467	4,531	4,594	4,651	4,710	4,772	4,827
All Disabled Workers	8,909	8,939	8,996	9,053	9,118	9,174	9,310	9,444	9,567	9,695	9,830	9,948
Spouses	142	137	133	130	127	124	123	121	119	118	117	115
Children	1,755	1,736	1,726	1,716	1,724	1,730	1,744	1,767	1,796	1,824	1,856	1,886
Total	10,806	10,811	10,855	10,900	10,969	11,028	11,177	11,333	11,482	11,637	11,803	11,949
Average Monthly Benefit on December 31 (Dollars)												
Disabled Workers												
Men	1,289	1,300	1,336	1,375	1,416	1,459	1,504	1,551	1,600	1,653	1,708	1,765
Women	1,036	1,049	1,081	1,116	1,152	1,190	1,229	1,270	1,313	1,359	1,407	1,457
All Disabled Workers	1,166	1,178	1,212	1,248	1,287	1,328	1,370	1,415	1,461	1,510	1,562	1,616
Spouses	318	322	331	342	352	364	376	388	401	416	430	446
Children	351	353	362	373	386	398	412	425	440	455	471	488
Disabled Workers (Thousands)												
Start of Year	8,955	8,909	8,939	8,996	9,053	9,118	9,174	9,310	9,444	9,567	9,695	9,830
Awards	776	824	862	878	890	901	909	927	938	947	965	968
Exits	-821	-795	-804	-820	-825	-846	-773	-793	-815	-819	-829	-851
End of Year	8,909	8,939	8,996	9,053	9,118	9,174	9,310	9,444	9,567	9,695	9,830	9,948
By Fiscal Year												
Benefit Outlays (Billions of Dollars)												
Regular Benefit Outlays												
Disabled Workers	124.5	124.6	126.2	130.1	134.9	140.1	147.2	154.2	161.4	168.9	176.0	184.5
Spouses	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
Children	7.6	7.4	7.3	7.4	7.7	7.9	8.2	8.6	9.0	9.5	9.9	10.5
Subtotal	132.6	132.5	134.0	138.1	143.1	148.6	155.9	163.3	171.0	178.9	186.5	195.6
Retroactive Benefit Outlays	10.2	10.8	11.6	12.5	13.7	14.3	15.0	15.8	16.5	17.3	18.2	19.0
Total Outlays	142.8	143.3	145.7	150.7	156.8	162.9	171.0	179.1	187.5	196.2	204.7	214.6
Key Assumptions												
Average Wage for Indexing	47,884	49,501	51,127	52,933	54,712	56,532	58,491	60,585	62,770	65,039	67,371	69,765
Taxable Maximum	118,500	118,500	126,600	130,800	135,000	139,800	144,600	149,400	154,500	160,200	165,900	171,900
PIA for Hypothetical "Lifelong Average"												
Disabled Worker (Age 50)	1,678	1,750	1,833	1,894	1,957	2,026	2,094	2,164	2,239	2,321	2,405	2,492
Maximum PIA (Age 50)	2,718	2,838	2,972	3,074	3,176	3,289	3,401	3,514	3,633	3,766	3,903	4,046
COLA	0.0%	0.7%	2.4%	2.4%	2.4%	2.4%	2.4%	2.4%	2.4%	2.5%	2.5%	2.5%
First month for which COLA is effective	12/2015	12/2016	12/2017	12/2018	12/2019	12/2020	12/2021	12/2022	12/2023	12/2024	12/2025	12/2026

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Notes:

Details may not add to totals because of rounding.

Exits primarily represent terminations because of death or conversion to retirement, and some medical recoveries.

Benefit outlays exclude outlays for administrative spending, demonstration projects, vocational rehabilitation, and the payment to railroad retirement.

PIA = primary insurance amount; COLA = cost-of-living adjustment; NRA = normal retirement age.

a. At 62 or older, eligible workers may collect either retired- or disabled-worker benefits. Disabled workers are converted to retired workers at "normal retirement age," which is now 66 and set to rise to 67.