

Table 48.—Number of SSI applications received, by age and year, 1973–2000 <sup>1 2</sup>

Year	Total	Age		
		65 or older	18–64	Under 18
Total .....	45,940,790	8,812,370	31,039,110	6,089,310
State conversions.....	3,406,470	1,977,870	1,423,900	4,700
Federal applications:				
1973 .....	285,220	171,370	70,130	43,720
1974 .....	2,060,580	786,310	1,042,080	232,190
1975 .....	1,467,970	391,040	976,710	100,220
1976 .....	1,212,800	261,720	866,720	84,360
1977 .....	1,272,330	272,550	904,150	95,630
1978 .....	1,268,120	263,340	905,250	99,530
1979 .....	1,325,260	266,260	950,880	108,120
1980 .....	1,410,060	280,120	1,016,740	113,200
1981 .....	1,149,290	190,610	863,660	95,020
1982 .....	1,016,030	146,150	775,060	94,820
1983 .....	1,132,200	198,110	832,380	101,710
1984 .....	1,264,490	293,210	866,400	104,880
1985 .....	1,401,400	232,850	1,047,910	120,640
1986 .....	1,465,950	241,500	1,099,000	125,450
1987 .....	1,433,330	239,530	1,068,710	125,090
1988 .....	1,360,840	227,430	1,008,090	125,320
1989 .....	1,392,650	244,130	1,016,440	132,080
1990 .....	1,550,970	251,210	1,136,070	163,690
1991 .....	1,808,670	246,090	1,314,960	247,620
1992 .....	2,086,810	245,960	1,460,500	380,350
1993 .....	2,308,790	237,220	1,567,750	503,820
1994 .....	2,256,630	203,210	1,512,000	541,420
1995 .....	2,062,580	179,570	1,379,820	503,190
1996 .....	1,915,500	167,180	1,285,540	462,780
1997 .....	1,594,680	131,330	1,130,410	332,940
1998 .....	1,626,920	147,630	1,141,650	337,640
1999 .....	1,659,540	159,600	1,149,770	350,170
2000 .....	1,744,710	159,270	1,226,430	359,010

<sup>1</sup>Totals for 1987–2000 include abbreviated applications.

<sup>2</sup>Totals do not include reapplications as a result of the Zebley decision.

Source: SSI 10-Percent Sample File.

## Applications

Table 49.—Number of SSI applications received for adults aged 65 or older, by selected characteristics, 1992–2000

Selected characteristics	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Total .....	245,960	237,220	203,210	179,570	167,180	131,330	147,630	159,600	159,270
Age:									
65–69 .....	134,030	128,950	113,780	102,800	92,690	74,620	81,480	87,750	87,320
70–74 .....	47,900	47,240	37,310	32,290	32,280	23,860	28,860	31,810	32,020
75 or older .....	64,030	61,030	52,120	44,480	42,210	32,850	37,290	40,040	39,930
Sex:									
Men .....	87,450	85,520	74,060	65,020	61,580	47,330	54,450	59,930	60,060
Women .....	158,510	151,700	129,150	114,550	105,600	84,000	93,180	99,670	99,210
Citizenship status:									
Citizen .....	180,340	169,810	150,450	129,000	120,420	104,620	98,650	105,750	108,980
Noncitizen .....	65,620	67,410	52,760	50,570	46,760	26,710	48,980	53,850	50,290
Region:									
Boston .....	9,330	10,190	8,040	6,420	6,570	5,630	6,270	6,230	6,120
New York .....	34,110	31,960	28,420	24,060	23,430	17,930	21,630	22,590	22,980
Philadelphia .....	17,310	18,980	15,470	13,340	12,260	9,340	10,590	11,970	11,550
Atlanta .....	52,580	49,070	46,690	41,680	37,370	29,620	30,020	31,900	31,450
Chicago .....	20,440	20,480	18,100	16,350	12,530	10,070	11,190	12,170	12,740
Dallas .....	30,960	29,960	26,030	22,220	20,150	16,930	18,210	19,810	19,510
Kansas City .....	6,680	6,720	4,910	4,360	3,800	3,150	2,960	2,860	3,360
Denver .....	3,940	3,790	3,320	2,630	2,570	2,040	1,980	2,330	2,620
San Francisco .....	65,680	61,000	48,530	44,890	44,700	33,850	41,450	45,690	44,930
Seattle .....	4,830	4,940	3,680	3,570	3,680	2,730	3,280	4,040	4,000
Not reported .....	100	130	20	50	120	40	50	10	10

Source: SSI 10-Percent Sample File.

Table 50.—Number of SSI applications received for adults aged 18–64, by selected characteristics, 1992–2000

Selected characteristics	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Total .....	1,460,500	1,567,750	1,512,000	1,379,820	1,285,540	1,130,410	1,141,650	1,149,770	1,226,430
Age:									
18–21 .....	96,930	105,680	101,740	95,490	92,970	80,090	80,760	84,590	88,620
22–29 .....	209,030	226,860	216,310	191,430	169,780	137,970	135,030	130,520	137,210
30–39 .....	374,800	421,240	405,340	369,690	332,720	279,860	272,540	266,030	272,470
40–49 .....	351,870	375,420	372,460	347,040	340,460	312,210	318,510	328,200	357,350
50–59 .....	315,010	328,730	317,490	287,640	270,990	252,320	260,030	264,910	290,790
60–64 .....	112,860	109,820	98,660	88,530	78,620	67,960	74,780	75,520	79,990
Sex:									
Men .....	754,300	806,700	765,780	690,830	632,390	550,900	550,520	552,250	592,340
Women .....	706,200	761,050	746,220	688,990	653,150	579,510	591,130	597,520	634,090
Citizenship status:									
Citizen .....	1,374,990	1,476,480	1,422,250	1,294,630	1,218,560	1,088,000	1,071,530	1,077,760	1,156,810
Noncitizen .....	85,510	91,270	89,750	85,190	66,980	42,410	70,120	72,010	69,620
Region:									
Boston .....	60,580	67,050	68,050	64,650	61,070	51,540	49,990	49,100	48,960
New York .....	128,300	143,110	141,990	139,640	130,570	114,020	113,810	110,460	109,200
Philadelphia .....	126,650	138,860	141,770	128,720	121,890	109,750	110,130	111,830	115,310
Atlanta .....	340,540	361,980	352,070	333,240	319,630	282,920	281,760	283,560	314,950
Chicago .....	247,840	271,110	258,350	220,520	191,060	169,480	169,470	169,010	189,400
Dallas .....	177,570	193,630	192,070	168,380	160,100	139,520	140,940	146,400	158,420
Kansas City .....	63,950	67,840	65,950	61,790	60,030	55,300	52,270	54,350	59,660
Denver .....	30,510	34,210	34,010	29,820	28,660	24,980	24,780	25,060	27,060
San Francisco .....	211,110	221,510	210,190	189,380	171,010	146,790	160,740	159,330	158,100
Seattle .....	37,960	42,560	44,570	42,070	39,660	35,140	36,700	39,800	44,350
Not reported .....	35,490	25,890	2,980	1,610	1,860	970	1,060	870	1,020

Source: SSI 10-Percent Sample File.

## Applications

Table 51.—Number of SSI applications received for children under age 18, by selected characteristics, 1992–2000

Selected characteristics	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Total .....	380,350	503,820	541,420	503,190	462,780	332,940	337,640	350,170	359,010
Age:									
Under 5 .....	116,360	156,530	170,230	162,450	154,980	122,300	121,490	124,040	124,550
5–12 .....	176,590	237,670	261,420	245,960	226,150	154,100	159,710	166,950	172,590
13–17 .....	87,400	109,620	109,770	94,780	81,650	56,540	56,440	59,180	61,870
Sex:									
Male .....	235,940	314,200	340,690	319,150	290,630	207,800	209,810	219,770	224,370
Female .....	144,410	189,620	200,730	184,040	172,150	125,140	127,830	130,400	134,640
Citizenship status:									
Citizen .....	377,430	499,930	537,950	500,180	460,070	331,560	335,530	347,870	356,920
Noncitizen .....	2,920	3,890	3,470	3,010	2,710	1,380	2,110	2,300	2,090
Region:									
Boston .....	10,690	12,990	16,430	17,070	14,810	11,480	11,950	11,760	12,520
New York .....	38,010	54,480	60,190	56,750	51,590	36,010	35,290	34,030	33,680
Philadelphia .....	31,870	40,890	45,610	46,190	45,000	33,040	33,890	35,540	34,730
Atlanta .....	94,120	126,630	137,800	129,650	116,780	85,160	86,680	90,740	98,050
Chicago .....	70,700	100,590	108,300	96,280	88,940	62,920	63,860	64,960	67,240
Dallas .....	61,520	80,100	82,570	72,960	65,260	45,940	44,260	48,320	48,860
Kansas City .....	21,670	23,560	27,060	23,870	21,670	14,940	14,790	16,120	14,270
Denver .....	7,070	8,950	10,400	9,680	9,130	6,670	5,810	6,000	6,080
San Francisco .....	28,450	35,600	40,410	39,120	38,820	30,020	33,240	34,210	34,320
Seattle .....	8,100	11,150	11,500	11,050	10,160	6,500	7,610	8,300	9,110
Not reported .....	8,150	8,880	1,150	570	620	260	260	190	150

Source: SSI 10-Percent Sample File.

Table 52.—Number of persons applying for SSI, by age and year of first application, 1973–2000 <sup>1 2</sup>

Year	Total	Age		
		65 or older	18–64	Under 18
Total .....	32,174,960	6,752,850	20,476,130	4,945,980
State conversions.....	3,406,410	1,977,850	1,423,860	4,700
Federal applications:				
1973 .....	282,590	170,470	69,440	42,680
1974 .....	1,997,000	760,990	1,008,340	227,670
1975 .....	1,300,680	347,770	859,250	93,660
1976 .....	973,420	212,720	684,750	75,950
1977 .....	941,320	200,160	658,950	82,210
1978 .....	896,600	182,990	629,190	84,420
1979 .....	914,350	185,130	638,950	90,270
1980 .....	936,340	190,070	654,570	91,700
1981 .....	722,170	118,200	528,580	75,390
1982 .....	604,290	82,180	449,280	72,830
1983 .....	643,870	99,850	465,100	78,920
1984 .....	735,870	168,870	485,410	81,590
1985 .....	859,300	139,350	627,380	92,570
1986 .....	930,270	144,160	687,400	98,710
1987 .....	891,360	141,470	652,830	97,060
1988 .....	835,660	137,260	603,000	95,400
1989 .....	855,160	147,680	607,010	100,470
1990 .....	981,580	157,450	696,680	127,450
1991 .....	1,199,890	156,150	835,680	208,060
1992 .....	1,455,770	161,620	954,940	339,210
1993 .....	1,620,320	153,050	1,027,380	439,890
1994 .....	1,568,760	129,200	979,330	460,230
1995 .....	1,385,160	114,540	863,270	407,350
1996 .....	1,242,890	104,680	779,120	359,090
1997 .....	980,720	80,360	646,000	254,360
1998 .....	983,500	90,440	643,060	250,000
1999 .....	994,680	99,080	639,460	256,140
2000 .....	1,035,030	99,110	677,920	258,000

<sup>1</sup>Totals for 1987–2000 include abbreviated applications.

<sup>2</sup>Totals do not include reapplications as a result of the Zebley decision.

Source: SSI 10-Percent Sample File.