

**Table 1.--Beneficiaries and benefits paid under the Railroad Retirement Act and the Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act,  
by fiscal year, 2006-2015, cash basis**

Fiscal year	Total <sup>1</sup>	Retirement <sup>2</sup>	Survivor <sup>2</sup>	Unemployment <sup>3, 4</sup>	Sickness <sup>4</sup>
<b>BENEFICIARIES (in thousands)</b>					
2006.....	643	441	187	9	20
2007.....	641	444	180	10	19
2008.....	623	433	174	11	19
2009.....	626	430	167	24	18
2010.....	617	428	161	22	18
2011.....	603	429	156	11	18
2012.....	595	429	150	10	17
2013.....	592	429	146	11	16
2014.....	585	428	141	10	16
2015.....	581	428	136	9	16
<b>BENEFIT PAYMENTS (in millions)</b>					
2006.....	\$9,513.7	\$7,294.0	\$2,146.9	\$30.8	\$42.1
2007.....	9,871.5	7,641.1	2,156.4	27.8	46.2
2008.....	10,115.4	7,877.0	2,158.1	35.1	44.9
2009.....	10,663.8	8,311.0	2,192.0	111.7	48.1
2010.....	10,939.8	8,588.6	2,187.1	109.6	50.0
2011.....	11,047.2	8,778.5	2,165.3	48.3	52.3
2012.....	11,418.8	9,155.4	2,171.7	41.1	47.5
2013.....	11,726.4	9,456.5	2,175.5	47.8	42.9
2014.....	11,980.9	9,724.9	2,167.2	37.7	46.7
2015.....	12,257.3	10,012.2	2,156.9	34.0	49.2

<sup>1</sup> Beginning in fiscal year 2008, beneficiaries and benefit payments include partition payments to spouses and divorced spouses where the employee is deceased or not otherwise entitled to an annuity. Benefit payments also include a small amount of payments for hospital insurance benefits for services in Canada.

<sup>2</sup> Retirement benefits include vested dual benefit and supplemental annuity payments. Survivor benefits include vested dual benefit payments.

<sup>3</sup> Includes temporary extended unemployment benefits under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 and Worker, Homeownership, and Business Assistance Act of 2009, as amended by the Tax Relief, Unemployment Insurance Reauthorization, and Job Creation Act of 2010, the Temporary Payroll Tax Cut Continuation Act of 2011, the Middle Class Tax Relief and Job Creation Act of 2012, and the American Taxpayer Relief Act of 2012.

<sup>4</sup> In accordance with the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended by the Budget Control Act of 2011, amounts reflect a reduction of 9.2% under sequestration for days of unemployment and sickness after February 28, 2013, 7.2% for days after September 30, 2013, and 7.3% for days after September 30, 2014.

NOTE.-- Number of beneficiaries represents all individuals paid benefits in year. In total number for each year, beneficiaries are counted only once, even though they may have received more than one type of benefit. In fiscal year 2015, 7,300 individuals received both retirement and survivor benefits, 600 employees received both unemployment and sickness benefits, and 1,800 employees received benefits under both the Railroad Retirement Act and the Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act. These figures are partly estimated, and totals for earlier years are similarly adjusted.