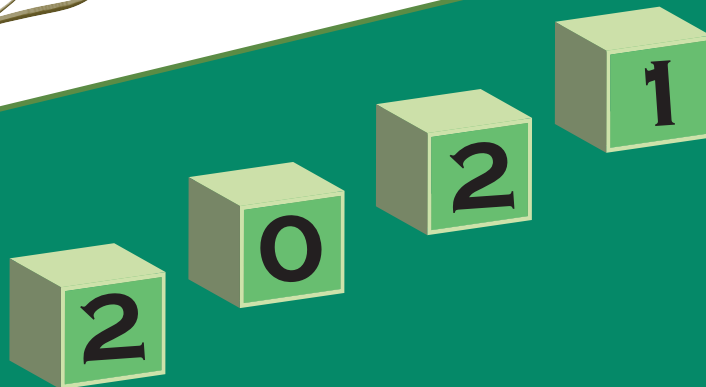




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# PREFACE

The 2021 *Statistical Abstract of the Social Security Board* is the 15<sup>th</sup> such publication by the Social Security Board (SSB) of Belize. This Abstract makes available to the public comprehensive statistical information aimed at increasing public awareness of the Social Security system and ensures the highest level of transparency. This publication covers information for the period 2017 to 2021 on selected SSB topics of public interest that cover all aspects of Insured Persons including: Registration, Contributions, Benefits, Non-contributory Pensions, Appeals, and Investments. Additional information on these topics may be obtained upon written request to SSB.

Furthermore, in SSB's quest to provide the most useful, relevant, timely and accurate data to its stakeholders, and to help promote the extension of social security coverage in line with the objectives and strategies of SSB and the International Social Security Association (ISSA), SSB has included two sections to its Statistical Abstract, namely, data on the number of migrant workers and self-employed. Migrant workers and self-employed were also included in this Abstract for monitoring and evaluation purposes, as well as in response to high demand for additional data from key stakeholders like the International Organization for Migration (IOM) Belize, Department of Immigration and Nationality Services, Labour Department and Belize Trade and Investment Development Service (Beltraide).

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# LIST OF ACRONYMS

AIP	Active Insured Persons
APV	Actuarial Present Value
BZ	Belize
BZ\$	Belize Dollars
CARICOM	Caribbean Community
CMS	Contribution Management System
CSME	CARICOM Single Market & Economy
Cont'd	Continued
DIP	Deceased Insured Person
DK/NS	Don't Know/Not Stated
EI	Employment Injury
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GOB	Government of Belize
ILO	International Labour Organization
ISIC	International Standard Industrial Classification of all Economic Activities
MOH	Ministry of Health
N/A	Not Available or Not Applicable
NC	Natural Causes
NCP	Non-Contributory Pension
NCPs	Non-Contributory Pensioners
NHI	National Health Insurance
PCP	Primary Care Provider
p	Provisional
r	Revised
Rev.	Revision
SE	Self-Employed
SIB	Statistical Institute of Belize
SSB	Social Security Board
UNWTO	United Nations World Tourism Organization

## Notes:

- Exchange rate: US\$1.00 equals BZ\$2.00.
- \$ refers to the Belize dollar unless otherwise stated
- 2021 figures are provisional and 2020 figures have been revised
- Totals in the tables are not always equal to the sum of its components due to rounding off.

# GLOSSARY OF TERMS

<b>TERM</b>	<b>DEFINITION</b>
<b>Active Business</b>	A business that has made at least one weekly contribution during the year.
<b>Active Employer</b>	An employer who has made at least one weekly contribution during the year.
<b>Active Self-Employed</b>	A self-employed person who has made at least one weekly contribution during the year.
<b>Active Insured Person</b>	A person who has made at least one weekly contribution during the year.
<b>Appeal</b>	A request from an insured person to have his/her case be heard by an appeal tribunal since he/she is aggrieved by or dissatisfied with a decision made by the SSB regarding a benefit claimed.
<b>Appeal Tribunal</b>	A body that hears appeals arising from the decision of the Social Security Board to disallow a claim for a benefit. The Appeal Tribunal comprises an Attorney as Chairman, a representative of employers and a representative of employees. A Tribunal is any person or institution with the authority to judge, adjudicate on, or determine claims or disputes.
<b>Beneficiary</b>	A person entitled to a benefit or a person who is in receipt of a benefit.
<b>Benefit</b>	An advantage, privilege, right, or financial reimbursement (such as that made under an insurance policy, medical plan, or pension plan). For Social Security purposes, a benefit is payable in respect of Sickness, Maternity, Injury, Disablement, Invalidity, Retirement, Death, Funeral Grant, or Survivors' Benefits where an insured person has met all the requirements.
<b>Benefit Regulations</b>	The Social Security (Benefit) Regulations, 1980. These are the rules that govern the entitlement to benefit and the sums payable to a beneficiary. A regulation is a principle, rule or law designed to control or govern conduct. In this document, regulations are made by the Minister of Finance under the Social Security Act, Chapter 44 of the Laws of Belize.
<b>Board</b>	A group of people (Board of Directors) chosen to govern the affairs of the Social Security Board that was established under section 28 of the Social Security Act.
<b>Contribution</b>	The money that employers and persons in insurable employment pay into the Social Security Fund. A contribution is payable under the Social Security Act.
<b>Death Benefit</b>	Periodical payments in respect of an injured person who dies as a result of work-related injury or disease. This benefit is paid to the survivors of the deceased insured person (i.e. widow, widower, children or parents).
<b>Disablement Benefit</b>	Periodical payments or a lump sum grant to an insured person who as a result of employment injury or disease sustains loss of physical or mental faculty amounting to not less than 1% degree of disability.
<b>Earnings</b>	Amount of money a person in insurable employment makes or the total compensation that an employee receives in exchange for the service they perform for their employer including overtime payments, acting allowances and responsibility allowances.
<b>Employed Person</b>	A person employed in insurable employment as defined by Section 3 (Social Security Act).
<b>Employment Injury (EI)</b>	An Injury arising out of and in the course of insurable employment.

<b>TERM</b>	<b>DEFINITION</b>
<b>El Benefit Branch</b>	The benefit branch from which benefits are paid to an insured person who suffers injury from an accident arising out of and in the course of employment. Benefits that are payable from the El Benefit Branch are: Injury, Disablement Grant, Disablement Pension, Death Benefit, Medical Care, Constant Attendance Allowance and Funeral Grant due to El.
<b>Foreign National</b>	Someone who is not a citizen of Belize, not a permanent resident of Belize, nor is a holder of a qualifying certificate.
<b>Fund</b>	The Social Security Fund established under Section 46 of the Social Security Act: contributions are paid into the fund; benefits and administrative costs are paid out of the fund. The excess is invested.
<b>Funeral Grant</b>	A benefit payment made to the person bearing funeral expenses in respect of an insured person who dies as a result of natural causes or work-related injury or disease and also on the death of a spouse or dependent child.
<b>Industry</b>	An organized economic activity or a branch of a commercial enterprise concerned with the output of a specified product or service. The categories of industries utilized by the SSB are aggregated by the International Standard Industrial Classification of all Economic Activities Revision 4 (ISIC Rev. 4).
<b>Inflation</b>	An increase in the overall price level of goods and services in a country.
<b>Inflation Rate</b>	The percentage change in the price level of goods and services in an economy over a period of time.
<b>Insurable Employment</b>	Any employment specified in Part 1 of the First Schedule of the Social Security Act. Insurable employment means working in a job for not less than 8 hours a week for another person.
<b>Insured Person</b>	A person who is registered with Social Security and has/had insurable employment.
<b>Invalidity Benefit</b>	Periodical payments or a lump sum payment to an insured person who is rendered permanently incapable of work otherwise than as a result of employment injury.
<b>Investment</b>	The laying out of money or capital with the expectation of a profit. That is, the use of capital to create more money, either through income producing vehicles or through more risk-oriented ventures designed to result in capital gains.
<b>Investment Income</b>	The income received in a particular year from investment loans, securities and other investments.
<b>Labour Force</b>	All persons aged 14 years and older who were engaged in any form of economic activity for at least one hour during the reference week, or who were willing and able to be engaged in producing goods and services.
<b>Long Term Benefit Branch</b>	The benefit branch or category where benefits are payable for: Retirement Pension, Retirement Grant, Invalidation Pension, Invalidation Grant, Survivors' Pension, Survivors' Grant, and Funeral Grant due to natural causes.
<b>Maternity Allowance</b>	Periodical payments made to an insured woman in the event of her pregnancy or confinement.
<b>Maternity Grant</b>	A lump sum payment paid to an insured woman or to an insured man on the occasion of his wife's confinement if his wife is not entitled to this grant.

<b>TERM</b>	<b>DEFINITION</b>
<b>Medical Board</b>	A panel that consists of two or more Medical Practitioners appointed by the SSB of whom one may be appointed as the Chairman. Medical Board members are appointed to render advice on disablement questions, for the purpose of establishing invalidity, and for advice on any other medical issue.
<b>Medical Certificate</b>	A certificate issued by a registered medical practitioner in Belize.
<b>Medical Practitioner/ Medical Referee</b>	A person registered under the Medical Practitioners Registration Act and includes any Government Medical Officer in Belize. Medical Practitioners/Referees render advice on disablement questions, for the purpose of establishing invalidity, and for advice on any other medical issue.
<b>Migrant Worker</b>	Someone who is gainfully occupied in employment in Belize who was not born in the country of Belize.
<b>Nominal Rate</b>	Return on investments that is unadjusted for inflation.
<b>Non-Contributory Pension</b>	A pension that is awarded to non-insured persons as a social assistance program by the Government of Belize to help alleviate poverty for women 65 years or older and men 67 years and older.
<b>Primary Care Provider</b>	An individual or an institution that provides preventive and curative health care services in a systematic way to individuals, families, or communities.
<b>Prescribed</b>	Requirements designated by Social Security regulation for providing services and benefits.
<b>Qualifying Certificate</b>	A Certificate of Recognition of Caribbean Community Skills issued in accordance with the Caribbean Community (Free Movement of Skilled Persons) Act.
<b>Real Rate</b>	Return on investments that is adjusted for inflation.
<b>Retirement Benefit</b>	Periodical payments or a lump sum payment to an eligible insured person who: a) has attained the age of sixty and is retired from insurable employment or b) who is at least sixty-five years (whether employed or unemployed) and c) has met the contribution requirements.
<b>Self-Employed Person</b>	A person gainfully occupied in Belize who is not a person employed under an employer and who is between the ages of 18 and 60 years.
<b>Short Term Benefit Branch</b>	The benefit branch or category includes Sickness Benefit, Maternity Allowance and Maternity Grant.
<b>Sickness Benefit</b>	Periodical payments or a lump sum payment to an insured person who is temporarily incapable of work otherwise than as a result of employment injury.
<b>Survivors' Benefit</b>	Periodical payments or a lump sum payment on behalf of an insured person who dies, otherwise than as a consequence of an employment injury. This is the money paid to the eligible dependents of a deceased insured person (i.e. spouses, dependent children or parents dependent on the insured person).
<b>Total Contributions</b>	Government of Belize contributions to the NHI Fund as well as those collected from employers, employees, voluntary and self-employed persons.
<b>Voluntary Insured Person</b>	An insured person who is not liable to pay contributions but chooses to make contribution payments under the Social Security Act. If an insured person stops working or becomes self-employed, that person can continue to pay contributions as a Voluntary Insured Person.

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2017 - 2021  
(BZ\$)

Key Indicators	2017	2018	2019	2020 <sup>r</sup>	2021 <sup>p</sup>	2020 - 2021 Change	
						Quantity	Percentage
<b>Registration</b>							
Population of Belize	387,878	398,050	408,487	419,199	430,191	10,992	2.6
Population with a Valid SSB Card	306,079	306,891	311,452	305,384	286,812	(18,572)	(6.1)
Percentage of SSB Card Holders in the Population	78.9%	77.1%	76.2%	72.8%	66.7%	(6.2%)	(8.5)
Newly Registered Population	10,119	9,902	9,601	5,734	6,040	306	5.3
Newly Registered Employers	1,424	1,562	1,737	990	1,235	245	24.7
Newly Registered Businesses	1,791	1,967	2,121	1,217	1,515	298	24.5
Newly Registered Self Employed	451	515	598	335	389	54	16.1
Newly Registered Migrant Workers	2,398	1,971	2,346	712	1,033	321	45.1
<b>Contributions</b>							
Employers and Employees Contributions to the SSB Fund	\$82,610,532	\$87,043,419	\$100,180,514	\$110,428,236	\$117,475,293	\$7,047,057	6.4
Active Insured Persons	105,846	109,071	111,344	105,100	107,164	2,064	2.0
New Active Insured Persons	26,217	27,402	27,184	19,734	29,884	10,150	51.4
Percentage of Employed Persons Actively Insured	70.5%	69.9%	67.5%	72.3%	66.4%	(5.9%)	(8.1)
Active Employers	11,552	11,750	12,033	11,159	10,477	(682)	(6.1)
Active Businesses	12,479	12,697	13,032	12,100	11,346	(754)	(6.2)
Active Self Employed	1,460	1,564	1,742	1,624	1,453	(171)	(10.5)
Active Migrant Workers	17,944	17,939	17,726	16,177	14,794	(1,383)	(8.5)
<b>Benefits</b>							
Benefit Payment Less Benefit Payments for NHI	\$70,502,031	\$74,144,554	\$81,099,499	\$85,121,041	\$97,502,205	\$12,381,164	14.5
Total Claims Processed	78,042	69,914	70,611	50,874	60,169	9,295	18.3
Total New Allowed Claims	48,486	42,649	43,772	31,987	37,464	5,477	17.1
Benefit Recipients	47,680	44,374	45,602	39,345	43,526	4,181	10.6
Retired Contributory Pensioners	6,312	6,957	7,685	8,290	8,982	692	8.3
Contributory Pensioners	10,509	11,279	12,080	12,659	13,741	1,082	8.5
Employment Injury Cases Allowed	1,789	1,745	1,492	977	1,048	71	7.3

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**Table 0.1**  
**Key Indicators for Selected Years Continued,**  
**2017 - 2021**  
**(BZ\$)**

<i>Key Indicators</i>	<i>2017</i>	<i>2018</i>	<i>2019</i>	<i>2020r</i>	<i>2021p</i>	<i>2020 - 2021 Change</i> <i>Quantity Percentage</i>	
Non-Contributory Pensioners	2,018	1,863	1,575	1,412	1,228	(184)	(13.0)
Payments in Non-Contributory Pensions	\$2,297,370	\$2,009,387	\$1,753,861	\$1,524,508	\$1,380,388	(\$144,120)	(9.5)
Appeals	44	48	80	40	61	21	52.5
<b>National Health Insurance</b>							
GOB Contributions to the NHI Fund	\$17,000,004	\$17,600,004	\$17,950,001	\$16,265,215	\$17,740,000	\$1,474,785	9.1
Benefit Payments for NHI	\$15,822,665	\$16,305,209	\$16,706,465	\$14,373,944	\$13,181,172	(\$1,192,772)	(8.3)
NHI Operating Expenses	\$931,218	\$957,733	\$1,012,564	\$884,797	\$1,035,756	\$150,959	17.1
NHI Administrative Expenditure	\$885,962	\$908,962	\$953,645	\$824,365	\$969,510	\$145,145	17.6
NHI Expenditure (Operating Expenses and Benefit Payments)	\$16,753,883	\$17,262,942	\$17,719,029	\$15,258,741	\$14,216,928	(\$1,041,813)	(6.8)
Total NHI Membership	113,200	128,711	128,870	128,635	129,784	1,149	0.9
NHI Membership in Southside Belize City	47,995	53,210	53,153	53,050	52,804	(246)	(0.5)
NHI Membership in the Southern Region	50,892	55,655	55,865	55,747	55,714	(33)	(0.1)
NHI Membership in the Northern Region	14,313	19,846	19,852	19,838	21,266	1,428	7.2
<b>Investments</b>							
Total Investments as at December 31	\$439,485,510	\$451,805,581	\$459,697,338	\$443,019,027	\$441,410,275	(\$1,608,752)	(0.4)
Net Investment Income	\$23,888,585	\$20,453,617	\$16,239,605	\$28,329,569	\$26,801,136	(\$1,528,433)	(5.4)
Nominal Rate of Return on Investments (%)	5.7	4.7	3.6	6.5	6.3	(0.2)	(3.1)
Real Rate of Return on Investments (%)	4.5	4.4	3.4	6.4	3.0	(3.4)	(53.1)
<b>Financial Data Including GOB Contributions to the NHI Fund and NHI Expenditures</b>							
Total Income	\$124,583,957	\$126,359,863	\$136,392,801	\$156,534,008	\$163,882,774	\$7,348,766	4.7
Total Contributions	\$99,610,536	\$104,643,423	\$118,130,515	\$126,693,451	\$135,215,293	\$8,521,842	6.7
Total Benefit Expenditures	\$86,324,696	\$90,449,763	\$97,805,964	\$99,494,985	\$110,683,377	\$11,188,392	11.2
Total Operating Expenses	\$23,722,654	\$23,373,369	\$25,012,531	\$22,511,638	\$23,388,511	\$876,873	3.9
Administration Expenses	\$22,441,977	\$22,028,413	\$22,623,088	\$20,389,904	\$20,821,554	\$431,650	2.1
Total Expenditure	\$110,047,350	\$113,823,132	\$122,818,495	\$122,006,623	\$134,071,888	\$12,065,265	9.9
Excess of Income Over Expenditure	\$14,536,607	\$12,536,731	\$13,574,306	\$34,527,385	\$29,810,886	(\$4,716,499)	(13.7)

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**Table 0.1**  
**Key Indicators for Selected Years Continued,**  
**2017 - 2021**  
**(BZ\$)**

<i>Key Indicators</i>	<i>2017</i>	<i>2018</i>	<i>2019</i>	<i>2020r</i>	<i>2021p</i>	<i>2020 - 2021 Change</i>	<i>Quantity Percentage</i>
<b>Financial Data Excluding GOB Contributions to the NHI Fund and NHI Expenditures</b>							
Total Income	\$107,583,953	\$108,759,859	\$118,442,800	\$140,268,793	\$146,142,774	\$5,873,981	4.2
Total Operating Expenses	\$22,791,436	\$22,415,636	\$23,999,967	\$21,626,841	\$22,352,755	\$725,914	3.4
Administration Expenses	\$21,556,015	\$21,119,451	\$21,669,443	\$19,565,539	\$19,852,044	\$286,505	1.5
Total Expenditure	\$93,293,467	\$96,560,190	\$105,099,466	\$106,747,882	\$119,854,960	\$13,107,078	12.3
Excess of Income Over Expenditure	\$14,290,486	\$12,199,669	\$13,343,334	\$33,520,911	\$26,287,814	(\$7,233,097)	(21.6)
Total Expenditure to Total Income (Efficiency Ratio)	0.87	0.89	0.89	0.76	0.82	0.1	7.8
Total Expenditure to Contribution Income	1.13	1.11	1.05	0.97	1.02	0.1	5.5
Benefit Payment as a % of Contribution Income	85.3%	85.2%	81.0%	77.1%	83.0%	5.9%	7.7
Operating Expenses to Contribution Income Ratio	0.28	0.26	0.24	0.20	0.19	(0.0)	(2.8)
Operating Expenses to Total Income Ratio	0.21	0.21	0.20	0.15	0.15	(0.0)	(0.8)
Administration Expenses to Contribution Income	0.26	0.24	0.22	0.18	0.17	(0.0)	(4.6)
Administration Expenses to Total Income	0.20	0.19	0.18	0.14	0.14	(0.0)	(2.6)
<b>Other</b>							
GDP at Current Market Prices*	\$3,689,813,385	\$3,774,930,437	\$3,890,500,471	\$3,171,263,341	\$3,579,846,528	\$408,583,187	12.9
Total Assets	\$526,751,943	\$542,642,652	\$553,845,180	\$587,089,625	\$619,178,787	\$32,089,162	5.5
Reserves at End of Year	\$512,947,651	\$525,001,058	\$542,264,620	\$575,331,410	\$604,949,134	\$29,617,724	5.1
Reserves as a % of GDP	13.9%	13.9%	13.9%	18.1%	16.9%	(1.2%)	(6.9)
Reserves to Expenditure Ratio	5.50	5.44	5.16	5.39	5.05	(0.3)	(6.4)
Investment as a % of Reserves	85.7%	86.1%	84.8%	77.0%	73.0%	(4.0%)	(5.2)
Dependency Ratio (Number of Contributors per Pensioner)	10.07	9.67	9.22	8.30	7.80	(0.5)	(6.1)
Demographic Ratio (Contributory Pensioners per Active Insured Person)	0.10	0.10	0.11	0.12	0.13	0.0	6.5

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: Difference in totals in the Quantity Change section may not be exact due to rounding.

\*The 2017 - 2020 GDP at Current Market prices figures were obtained and revised from the Statistical Institute of Belize Website <https://sib.org.bz/statistics/gross-domestic-product/> and the 2021 figure is an unofficial estimate obtained from the World Bank website <https://data.worldbank.org/indicator/NY.GDP.MKTP.CD?locations=BZ.-BZ>.

# REGISTRATION

This section presents statistics on registration of all eligible persons in Belize. Indicators include the registration of the general population, businesses, employers and the self-employed. The principal source of the data is the Social Security Board's (SSB) Registration databases. Secondary sources of the data include the Statistical Institute of Belize (SIB) and the Ministry of Health (MOH).

**Registration** – The Social Security Act, Chapter 44 of the Laws of Belize Revised Edition 2000 - 2003, provides for the mandatory registration of all nationals, registered aliens, holders of work permits and their dependents, regardless of their age. Each person who registers with the SSB is allotted a Social Security number. Minors (i.e. Dependent children of Belizeans, Permanent Residents of Belize, and CARICOM Single Market & Economy (CSME) certificate and stamp holders with indefinite period of stay) under the age of 14 years will have cards issued with the expiration date as the day before their 14th birthday and marked "NOT VALID FOR EMPLOYMENT". In addition, effective 2019, for persons 14 years and older who are Belizeans, Permanent Residents of Belize, and CSME certificate and stamp holders with indefinite period of stay, there is no expiration on Social Security Registration Cards issued and these cards will be valid for employment. Furthermore, also effective 2019, Foreign Nationals who are 14 years and older are issued Social Security Registration Cards that are valid for employment with the same expiration dates as their valid work permits. Registration cards of the Dependents of Foreign Nationals, including holders of student permits, will be marked "NOT VALID FOR EMPLOYMENT" since these foreign nationals are not allowed to work in Belize.

**Employer and Business** – The term employer is used to indicate that such entity or person is registered and has an account with the SSB for payment of contributions on behalf of employees. An employer may have more than one business. Each business is given a unique business number, which is a sub-account of the existing employer. Therefore, employers can only have one employer number but more than one business number.

**Population** – The figures used for the Belize population are derived from the census (conducted every 10 years) and mid-year estimates which are sourced from SIB. Data on live births are provided by MOH. These figures are used to compute the number of children registered within the year of birth.

**Table 1.1**  
**Newly Registered Persons by Region of Birth and Registered Month,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Selected Characteristics	Registered Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Total</b>	<b>10,119</b>	<b>9,902</b>	<b>9,601</b>	<b>5,734</b>	<b>6,040</b>
<b>Region of Birth</b>					
Africa	22	23	44	21	24
Asia	320	194	165	81	60
Caribbean	76	73	64	45	35
Central America	9,127	9,217	8,817	5,300	5,532
Europe	90	41	77	33	33
Middle East	16	11	21	7	8
North America	434	320	370	215	332
Oceania	4	2	1	1	3
South America	30	21	42	31	13
<b>Registered Month</b>					
January	851	847	772	922	352
February	823	752	835	871	529
March	984	903	939	535	527
April	779	917	891	0	586
May	992	910	957	437	579
June	1,015	916	847	653	694
July	930	765	1,012	799	593
August	1,024	1,045	898	410	593
September	771	678	686	227	489
October	670	834	783	350	342
November	673	707	396	260	354
December	607	628	585	270	402

Source: Social Security Board and Statistical Institute of Belize

Note: Region is classified based on the methodology used by United Nations Statistics website for countries' regional and sub-regional standard codes for statistical use.



**Table 1.2**  
**Newly Registered Persons by Region and Country of Birth,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Region and Country of Birth	Registered Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>10,119</b>	<b>9,902</b>	<b>9,601</b>	<b>5,734</b>	<b>6,040</b>
<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>9,667</b>	<b>9,631</b>	<b>9,293</b>	<b>5,591</b>	<b>5,912</b>
<b>Central America</b>	<b>8,926</b>	<b>9,058</b>	<b>8,629</b>	<b>5,193</b>	<b>5,470</b>
Belize	7,721	7,931	7,255	4,420	4,922
Guatemala	753	666	771	435	201
Honduras	222	219	289	165	118
El Salvador	200	189	244	122	194
Nicaragua	25	49	61	41	30
Costa Rica	2	1	6	10	4
Panama	3	3	3	0	1
<b>North America</b>	<b>635</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>558</b>	<b>322</b>	<b>394</b>
United States of America	386	274	335	192	277
Mexico	201	159	188	107	62
Canada	48	46	35	23	55
<b>Caribbean</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>35</b>
Cuba	23	20	23	13	6
Jamaica	16	14	11	8	12
Trinidad and Tobago	6	11	11	4	2
Haiti	14	6	7	13	6
Guyana	5	9	5	3	2
Dominican Republic	6	2	2	1	2
Other	6	11	5	3	5
<b>South America</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>13</b>
Venezuela	13	9	13	13	6
Colombia	4	5	10	7	4
Brazil	7	2	7	2	0
Bolivia	2	2	3	6	1
Argentina	1	1	2	1	2
Chile	0	0	2	0	0
Uruguay	0	0	2	0	0
Other	3	2	3	2	0

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: Region is classified based on the methodology used by United Nations Statistics website for countries' regional and sub- regional standard codes for statistical use.

Other Category includes countries where there were less than 2 newly registered persons in 2019.

**Table 1.2 Cont'd**  
**Newly Registered Persons by Region and Country of Birth,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Region and Country of Birth	Registered Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>10,119</b>	<b>9,902</b>	<b>9,601</b>	<b>5,734</b>	<b>6,040</b>
<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>452</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>128</b>
<b>Asia</b>	<b>320</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>60</b>
China	207	112	71	19	30
India	53	36	54	21	14
Bangladesh	13	23	19	20	1
Taiwan	20	9	9	7	3
Pakistan	2	1	4	2	1
Philippines	17	9	3	11	6
Other	8	4	5	1	5
<b>Europe</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>33</b>
United Kingdom	19	14	33	12	21
France	6	3	10	1	4
Germany (East)	9	6	8	0	0
Germany	0	0	0	6	3
Italy (Including Sicily)	6	4	5	0	1
Turkey	5	5	5	1	1
Netherlands	5	1	2	0	0
Poland	1	0	2	2	0
Russia (Formerly U.S.S.R.)	1	1	2	1	0
Ukraine	1	0	2	2	2
Other	37	7	8	8	1
<b>Africa</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>24</b>
South Africa, Union of	10	11	15	11	10
Nigeria	2	4	12	4	3
Ethiopia	0	0	0	1	3
Zimbabwe	4	1	5	1	0
Congo (Democratic Republic of the Congo)	0	0	2	0	1
Egypt	0	0	2	0	0
Ghana	0	2	2	2	4
Other	6	5	6	2	3
<b>Middle East</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>
Lebanon	10	6	15	6	5
Jordan	0	1	5	1	0
Other	6	4	1	0	3
<b>Oceania</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>
New Zealand	1	2	1	1	1
Other	3	0	0	0	2

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: Region is classified based on the methodology used by United Nations Statistics website for countries' regional and sub-regional standard codes for statistical use.

Other Category includes countries where there were less than 2 newly registered persons in 2019.

**Table 1.3**  
**Newly Registered Persons by Age Group and Sex,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Age Group	Registered Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Total</b>	<b>10,119</b>	<b>9,902</b>	<b>9,601</b>	<b>5,734</b>	<b>6,040</b>
0 - 4	4,704	4,824	4,631	2,663	3,298
5 - 9	1,089	1,167	868	695	491
10 - 14	938	931	767	490	490
15 - 19	791	777	752	423	443
20 - 24	650	559	599	386	248
25 - 29	438	345	444	243	182
30 - 34	305	252	321	173	136
35 - 39	252	214	299	158	141
40 - 44	220	195	227	128	114
45 - 49	184	155	175	99	122
50 - 54	159	135	141	76	94
55 - 59	135	123	128	61	95
60+	254	225	249	139	186
<b>Male</b>	<b>5,466</b>	<b>5,202</b>	<b>5,162</b>	<b>3,017</b>	<b>3,056</b>
0 - 4	2,432	2,419	2,403	1,340	1,689
5 - 9	543	598	443	356	241
10 - 14	488	461	403	238	245
15 - 19	471	443	454	235	248
20 - 24	427	363	399	245	117
25 - 29	276	197	263	140	71
30 - 34	182	142	168	102	63
35 - 39	137	124	149	85	68
40 - 44	120	109	127	65	66
45 - 49	117	83	80	55	67
50 - 54	76	86	78	39	40
55 - 59	74	65	74	33	41
60+	123	112	121	84	100
<b>Female</b>	<b>4,653</b>	<b>4,700</b>	<b>4,439</b>	<b>2,717</b>	<b>2,984</b>
0 - 4	2,272	2,405	2,228	1,323	1,609
5 - 9	546	569	425	339	250
10 - 14	450	470	364	252	245
15 - 19	320	334	298	188	195
20 - 24	223	196	200	141	131
25 - 29	162	148	181	103	111
30 - 34	123	110	153	71	73
35 - 39	115	90	150	73	73
40 - 44	100	86	100	63	48
45 - 49	67	72	95	44	55
50 - 54	83	49	63	37	54
55 - 59	61	58	54	28	54
60+	131	113	128	55	86

Source: Social Security Board

**Table 1.4**  
**Newly Registered Belizeans by Birth (Place of Birth - Belize), Age Group and Sex,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Age Group	Registered Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,721</b>	<b>7,931</b>	<b>7,255</b>	<b>4,420</b>	<b>4,922</b>
0 - 4	4,538	4,673	4,499	2,594	3,227
5 - 9	1,005	1,092	784	641	436
10 - 14	809	828	647	441	429
15 - 19	580	556	519	331	339
20 - 24	207	197	171	132	111
25 - 29	78	77	95	52	46
30 - 34	56	58	78	34	33
35 - 39	51	67	83	29	36
40 - 44	68	64	76	34	35
45 - 49	51	53	53	20	51
50 - 54	61	69	62	24	44
55 - 59	67	62	52	21	46
60+	150	135	136	67	89
<b>Male</b>	<b>3,959</b>	<b>3,988</b>	<b>3,725</b>	<b>2,239</b>	<b>2,477</b>
0 - 4	2,347	2,341	2,332	1,307	1,648
5 - 9	497	565	395	327	216
10 - 14	426	403	339	215	218
15 - 19	324	293	293	187	185
20 - 24	115	119	88	71	45
25 - 29	40	30	46	27	25
30 - 34	27	30	40	21	11
35 - 39	19	31	36	10	15
40 - 44	28	28	33	10	18
45 - 49	29	23	17	9	26
50 - 54	19	40	26	7	11
55 - 59	31	27	29	10	15
60+	57	58	51	38	44
<b>Female</b>	<b>3,762</b>	<b>3,943</b>	<b>3,530</b>	<b>2,181</b>	<b>2,445</b>
0 - 4	2,191	2,332	2,167	1,287	1,579
5 - 9	508	527	389	314	220
10 - 14	383	425	308	226	211
15 - 19	256	263	226	144	154
20 - 24	92	78	83	61	66
25 - 29	38	47	49	25	21
30 - 34	29	28	38	13	22
35 - 39	32	36	47	19	21
40 - 44	40	36	43	24	17
45 - 49	22	30	36	11	25
50 - 54	42	29	36	17	33
55 - 59	36	35	23	11	31
60+	93	77	85	29	45

Source: Social Security Board

**Table 1.5**  
**Newly Registered Non-Belizeans by Birth (Place of Birth - Not Belize), Age Group and Sex,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Age Group	Registered Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,398</b>	<b>1,971</b>	<b>2,346</b>	<b>1,314</b>	<b>1,118</b>
0 - 4	166	151	132	69	71
5 - 9	84	75	84	54	55
10 - 14	129	103	120	49	61
15 - 19	211	221	233	92	104
20 - 24	443	362	428	254	137
25 - 29	360	268	349	191	136
30 - 34	249	194	243	139	103
35 - 39	201	147	216	129	105
40 - 44	152	131	151	94	79
45 - 49	133	102	122	79	71
50 - 54	98	66	79	52	50
55 - 59	68	61	76	40	49
60+	104	90	113	72	97
<b>Male</b>	<b>1,507</b>	<b>1,214</b>	<b>1,437</b>	<b>778</b>	<b>579</b>
0 - 4	85	78	71	33	41
5 - 9	46	33	48	29	25
10 - 14	62	58	64	23	27
15 - 19	147	150	161	48	63
20 - 24	312	244	311	174	72
25 - 29	236	167	217	113	46
30 - 34	155	112	128	81	52
35 - 39	118	93	113	75	53
40 - 44	92	81	94	55	48
45 - 49	88	60	63	46	41
50 - 54	57	46	52	32	29
55 - 59	43	38	45	23	26
60+	66	54	70	46	56
<b>Female</b>	<b>891</b>	<b>757</b>	<b>909</b>	<b>536</b>	<b>539</b>
0 - 4	81	73	61	36	30
5 - 9	38	42	36	25	30
10 - 14	67	45	56	26	34
15 - 19	64	71	72	44	41
20 - 24	131	118	117	80	65
25 - 29	124	101	132	78	90
30 - 34	94	82	115	58	51
35 - 39	83	54	103	54	52
40 - 44	60	50	57	39	31
45 - 49	45	42	59	33	30
50 - 54	41	20	27	20	21
55 - 59	25	23	31	17	23
60+	38	36	43	26	41

Source: Social Security Board

**Table 1.6**  
**Percentage of Newly Registered Persons in the Population by District,**  
**2017 - 2021**

District	Registered Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Newly Registered</b>	<b>10,119</b>	<b>9,902</b>	<b>9,601</b>	<b>5,734</b>	<b>6,040</b>
Corozal	1,012	974	804	410	405
Orange Walk	1,584	1,593	1,525	858	580
Belize	2,903	2,622	2,723	1,544	1,595
Cayo	2,852	2,793	2,613	1,601	1,878
Stann Creek	1,390	1,322	1,527	994	1,130
Toledo	378	598	409	327	452
<b>Population</b>	<b>387,878</b>	<b>398,050</b>	<b>408,487</b>	<b>419,199</b>	<b>430,191</b>
Corozal	47,437	48,429	49,446	50,490	51,561
Orange Walk	50,968	51,749	52,550	53,373	54,216
Belize	117,196	120,602	124,096	127,683	131,363
Cayo	93,352	96,197	99,118	102,113	105,190
Stann Creek	42,230	43,459	44,720	46,015	47,343
Toledo	36,695	37,614	38,557	39,525	40,518
<b>Percentage of Newly Registered</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.4</b>
Corozal	2.1	2.0	1.6	0.8	0.8
Orange Walk	3.1	3.1	2.9	1.6	1.1
Belize	2.5	2.2	2.2	1.2	1.2
Cayo	3.1	2.9	2.6	1.6	1.8
Stann Creek	3.3	3.0	3.4	2.2	2.4
Toledo	1.0	1.6	1.1	0.8	1.1

Source: Social Security Board and Statistical Institute of Belize

Note: Population Data are from mid year estimates based on intercensal growth rates and the Labour Force Surveys.

**Table 1.7**  
**Social Security Registration Coverage of Live Births,**  
**2017 - 2021**

	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Live Births</b>	7,237	7,730	7,263	6,989	6,587
<b>Children Registered in Birth Year</b>	1,012	953	1,099	536	591
<b>Percentage of Live Births Registered</b>	14.0%	12.3%	15.1%	7.7%	9.0%

Source: Ministry of Health and Social Security Board

**Table 1.8**  
**Newly Registered Children Under One Year of Age**  
**Who Registered within a Year After Birth by Registered Year, Birth Year and Sex,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Birth Year	Registered Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,971</b>	<b>1,952</b>	<b>2,186</b>	<b>1,182</b>	<b>1,691</b>
2016	959	0	0	0	0
2017	1,012	999	0	0	0
2018	0	953	1,087	0	0
2019	0	0	1,099	646	0
2020	0	0	0	536	1,100
2021				0	591
<b>Male</b>	<b>1,019</b>	<b>977</b>	<b>1,163</b>	<b>597</b>	<b>836</b>
2016	490	0	0	0	0
2017	529	501	0	0	0
2018	0	476	560	0	0
2019	0	0	603	339	0
2020	0	0	0	258	548
2021				0	288
<b>Female</b>	<b>952</b>	<b>975</b>	<b>973</b>	<b>585</b>	<b>855</b>
2016	469	0	0	0	0
2017	483	498	0	0	0
2018	0	477	511	0	0
2019	0	0	462	307	0
2020	0	0	0	278	552
2021				0	303

Source: Social Security Board and Statistical Institute of Belize

**Table 1.9**  
**Newly Registered Children Under One Year of Age**  
**Who Registered within a Year After Birth by Branch Registered,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Branch Registered	Registered Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,971</b>	<b>1,952</b>	<b>2,186</b>	<b>1,182</b>	<b>1,691</b>
Corozal	169	181	178	72	96
Orange Walk	183	177	184	69	104
Belize	1,016	930	1,056	653	706
Santa Elena	109	124	155	59	83
Dangriga	94	106	115	76	131
Punta Gorda	84	112	97	46	145
Belmopan	153	192	206	102	204
Independence	106	68	114	56	179
San Pedro	57	62	81	49	43

Source: Social Security Board

**Table 1.10**  
**Percentage of Valid Card Holders in the Population by District,**  
**2017 - 2021**

District	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Persons with Valid Cards</b>	<b>306,079</b>	<b>306,891</b>	<b>311,452</b>	<b>305,384</b>	<b>286,812</b>
Corozal	33,703	33,814	35,058	33,669	31,030
Orange Walk	44,160	44,501	43,264	42,109	38,183
Belize	100,129	99,456	100,543	97,556	92,381
Cayo	67,713	68,136	72,732	72,267	69,384
Stann Creek	37,681	37,757	38,950	39,104	36,368
Toledo	22,693	23,227	20,905	20,679	19,466
<b>Population</b>	<b>387,878</b>	<b>398,050</b>	<b>408,487</b>	<b>419,199</b>	<b>430,191</b>
Corozal	47,437	48,429	49,446	50,490	51,561
Orange Walk	50,968	51,749	52,550	53,373	54,216
Belize	117,196	120,602	124,096	127,683	131,363
Cayo	93,352	96,197	99,118	102,113	105,190
Stann Creek	42,230	43,459	44,720	46,015	47,343
Toledo	36,695	37,614	38,557	39,525	40,518
<b>Percentage of Valid Card Holders in the Population</b>	<b>78.9</b>	<b>77.1</b>	<b>76.2</b>	<b>72.8</b>	<b>66.7</b>
Corozal	71.0	69.8	70.9	66.7	60.2
Orange Walk	86.6	86.0	82.3	78.9	70.4
Belize	85.4	82.5	81.0	76.4	70.3
Cayo	72.5	70.8	73.4	70.8	66.0
Stann Creek	89.2	86.9	87.1	85.0	76.8
Toledo	61.8	61.8	54.2	52.3	48.0

Source: Social Security Board and Statistical Institute of Belize

Note: Population data are from mid year estimates based on intercensal growth rates and the Labour Force Surveys.



**Table 1.11**  
**Valid Cards by Card Type,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Card Type	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Total</b>	<b>306,079</b>	<b>306,891</b>	<b>311,452</b>	<b>305,384</b>	<b>286,812</b>
Minor (< 14 yrs)	65,961	70,720	63,798	72,380	55,133
Adult (14 - 64 yrs)	219,575	216,959	226,380	212,374	207,684
Senior (65+ yrs)	20,543	19,212	21,274	20,630	23,995

Source: Social Security Board

**Table 1.12**  
**Newly Registered Employers by District,**  
**2017 - 2021**

District	Registered Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,424</b>	<b>1,562</b>	<b>1,737</b>	<b>990</b>	<b>1,235</b>
Corozal	166	174	168	154	177
Orange Walk	173	216	222	119	180
Belize	532	557	623	276	362
Cayo	323	348	354	253	282
Stann Creek	199	222	263	149	192
Toledo	31	45	107	39	42

Source: Social Security Board

Note: Data revised due to cleaning of duplicated cases and registering of businesses for the Online Portal.

**Table 1.13**  
**Newly Registered Businesses by District,**  
**2017 - 2021**

District	Registered Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,791</b>	<b>1,967</b>	<b>2,121</b>	<b>1,217</b>	<b>1,515</b>
Corozal	200	204	200	166	225
Orange Walk	187	270	271	160	214
Belize	721	713	764	345	416
Cayo	368	429	451	303	369
Stann Creek	250	258	314	167	222
Toledo	65	93	121	76	69

Source: Social Security Board

**Table 1.14  
Newly Registered Businesses by Economic Activity,  
2017 - 2021**

Industry (Economic Activity)	Registered Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,791</b>	<b>1,967</b>	<b>2,121</b>	<b>1,217</b>	<b>1,515</b>
Accommodation and Food Service Activities	341	372	402	185	266
Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles	305	287	268	156	240
Activities of Households as Employers; Undifferentiated Goods & Service Producing Activities of Households for Own Use	297	352	381	211	227
Construction	204	228	269	160	221
Agriculture	97	137	112	111	108
Administrative and Support Service Activities	207	113	134	56	86
Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	50	61	64	45	68
Other Service Activities	45	102	146	81	68
Manufacturing	91	100	130	57	65
Transportation and Storage	40	66	62	27	38
Human Health and Social Work Activities	22	30	22	44	36
Financial and Insurance Activities	8	9	15	6	21
Real Estate Activities	24	18	17	15	18
Information and Communication	9	20	14	6	17
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	14	22	27	7	11
Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Condition Supply	0	10	6	5	7
Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security	8	5	8	17	6
Water Supply; Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities	10	5	10	4	5
Education	5	9	12	9	4
Fishing and Aquaculture	9	13	11	4	2
Forestry and Logging	3	5	4	6	0
Mining and Quarrying	1	3	6	1	0
Activities of Extra-Territorial Organizations and Bodies	0	0	1	4	0
Do Not Know or Not Stated	1	0	0	0	1

Source: Social Security Board

**Table 1.15**  
**Newly Registered Businesses by Economic Activity and District,**  
**2021**

Industry (Economic Activity)	Business District						
	Total	Corozal	Orange Walk	Belize	Cayo	Stann Creek	Toledo
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,515</b>	<b>225</b>	<b>214</b>	<b>416</b>	<b>369</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>69</b>
Accommodation and Food Service Activities	266	28	24	94	57	52	11
Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles	240	35	37	59	53	35	21
Activities of Households as Employers; Undifferentiated Goods & Service Producing Activities of Households for Own Use	227	32	26	68	58	33	10
Construction	221	34	53	34	52	42	6
Agriculture	108	49	26	2	17	8	6
Administrative and Support Service Activities	86	8	7	22	27	19	3
Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	68	2	6	33	17	9	1
Other Service Activities	68	10	4	30	15	6	3
Manufacturing	65	11	16	10	16	7	5
Transportation and Storage	38	5	8	11	11	2	1
Human Health and Social Work Activities	36	5	1	11	16	1	2
Financial and Insurance Activities	21	0	0	19	2	0	0
Real Estate Activities	18	1	0	8	6	3	0
Information and Communication	17	1	2	6	8	0	0
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	11	0	0	6	3	2	0
Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Condition Supply	7	2	2	1	2	0	0
Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security	6	0	0	1	5	0	0
Water Supply; Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities	5	2	1	0	1	1	0
Education	4	0	1	0	3	0	0
Fishing and Aquaculture	2	0	0	1	0	1	0
Forestry and Logging	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mining and Quarrying	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Activities of Extra-Territorial Organizations and Bodies	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Do Not Know or Not Stated	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

Source: Social Security Board

# CONTRIBUTIONS

This section presents data on Contributions made to the SSB and characteristics of the actively Insured Persons (IP's), as well as the active businesses, employers and the self-employed. The principal source of the contribution data is the SSB's database, captured through the Contributions Management System (CMS).

**Schedule of Contributions Based on Weekly Insurable Earnings  
July 1, 2003 - June 30, 2019**

Weekly Earnings Group	Average Insurable Earnings (BZ\$)	Employees' Contributions (BZ\$)	Employers' Contributions (BZ\$)	Total Weekly Contributions (BZ\$)
Under \$70.00	55.00	0.83	3.57	4.40
\$70.00 to \$109.99	90.00	1.35	5.85	7.20
\$110.00 to \$139.99	130.00	1.95	8.45	10.40
\$140.00 to \$179.99	160.00	3.15	9.65	12.80
\$180.00 to \$219.99	200.00	4.75	11.25	16.00
\$220.00 to \$259.99	240.00	6.35	12.85	19.20
\$260.00 to \$299.99	280.00	7.95	14.45	22.40
\$300.00 and Over	320.00	9.55	16.05	25.60
**	0.00	0.00	2.60	2.60

Source: Social Security Board

Note: \*\* Applies to persons age 60 - 64 years who have received a retirement benefit and all persons 65 years and older.

**Schedule of Contributions Based on Weekly Insurable Earnings  
July 1, 2019 - January 5, 2020**

Weekly Earnings Group	Average Insurable Earnings (BZ\$)	Employees' Contributions (BZ\$)	Employers' Contributions (BZ\$)	Total Weekly Contributions (BZ\$)
Under \$70.00	55.00	0.88	3.80	4.68
\$70.00 to \$109.99	90.00	1.43	6.22	7.65
\$110.00 to \$139.99	130.00	2.07	8.98	11.05
\$140.00 to \$179.99	160.00	3.35	10.25	13.60
\$180.00 to \$219.99	200.00	5.05	11.95	17.00
\$220.00 to \$259.99	240.00	6.75	13.65	20.40
\$260.00 to \$299.99	280.00	8.45	15.35	23.80
\$300.00 to \$339.99	320.00	10.15	17.05	27.20
\$340.00 to \$379.99	360.00	11.89	18.71	30.60
\$380.00 to \$419.99	400.00	13.73	20.27	34.00
\$420.00 and Over	440.00	15.68	21.72	37.40
**	0.00	0.00	2.60	2.60

Source: Social Security Board

Note: \*\* Applies to persons age 60 - 64 years who have received a retirement benefit and all persons 65 years and older.

**Schedule of Contributions Based on Weekly Insurable Earnings  
January 6, 2020 - April 3, 2022**

Weekly Earnings Group	Average Insurable Earnings (BZ\$)	Employees' Contributions (BZ\$)	Employers' Contributions (BZ\$)	Total Weekly Contributions (BZ\$)
Under \$70.00	55.00	0.93	4.02	4.95
\$70.00 to \$109.99	90.00	1.52	6.58	8.10
\$110.00 to \$139.99	130.00	2.19	9.51	11.70
\$140.00 to \$179.99	160.00	3.54	10.86	14.40
\$180.00 to \$219.99	200.00	5.34	12.66	18.00
\$220.00 to \$259.99	240.00	7.14	14.46	21.60
\$260.00 to \$299.99	280.00	8.94	16.26	25.20
\$300.00 to \$339.99	320.00	10.74	18.06	28.80
\$340.00 to \$379.99	360.00	12.59	19.81	32.40
\$380.00 to \$419.99	400.00	14.54	21.46	36.00
\$420.00 to \$459.99	440.00	16.60	23.00	39.60
\$460.00 and Over	480.00	18.78	24.42	43.20
**	0.00	0.00	2.60	2.60

Source: Social Security Board

Note: \*\* Applies to persons age 60 - 64 years who have received a retirement benefit and all persons 65 years and older.

**Methods of payment** - Employers can pay contributions on behalf of their employees in the following ways:

1. *Direct* – is the most commonly used method and payment can be made by visiting any of the nine SSB Branch Offices located in all towns and five of the most economically active rural areas. At the SSB's Branch Offices, cashiers receive payments and the completed statement of contribution forms with details of the contributions made.
2. *Drop box* – an assigned public box with a slot into which an employer can place contribution payments via cheques only along with the respective completed Statement of Contributions (FIN15A). A drop box is located at the main entrance of each SSB Branch Office countrywide and is accessible after SSB's normal working hours and on weekends. Upon processing of payments made via the drop box, SSB sends a receipt via e-mail or through the postal mail to the employer.
3. *Online* – is the most recently introduced method of paying contributions for customers' convenience. Contribution payments can now be paid with four commercial banks. The information on the statement of contribution form is attached along with the online payment information electronically in a predefined text format. The contribution information can be received in hard copy at the designated banks.
4. *The Government of Belize (GOB)* – makes the payments for its employees by direct deposit and sends the statement of contributions electronically through the GOB payment system.

All contributions collected are accrued into the Social Security Fund and are used to pay benefits and administrative expenditures, and invested to earn income for future expenditures and payment of pensions.

**Table 2.1**  
**Total Contributions and Total Benefit Expenditure,**  
**2017 - 2021**  
**(BZ\$)**

	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total Contributions</b>	\$99,610,536	\$104,643,423	\$118,130,515	\$126,693,451	\$135,215,293
<b>Total Benefit Expenditure</b>	\$86,324,696	\$90,449,763	\$97,805,964	\$99,494,985	\$110,683,377
<b>Total Benefit Expenditure as a % of Total Contributions</b>	86.7%	86.4%	82.8%	78.5%	81.9%
<b>Contributions (Total Contributions Less GOB Contribution to the NHI Fund)</b>	\$82,610,532	\$87,043,419	\$100,180,514	\$110,428,236	\$117,475,293
<b>Benefit Expenditure (Total Benefit Expenditure Less NHI Expenditures)</b>	\$70,502,031	\$74,144,554	\$81,099,499	\$85,121,041	\$97,502,205
<b>Benefit Expenditure as a % of Contributions</b>	85.3%	85.2%	81.0%	77.1%	83.0%

Source: Social Security Board

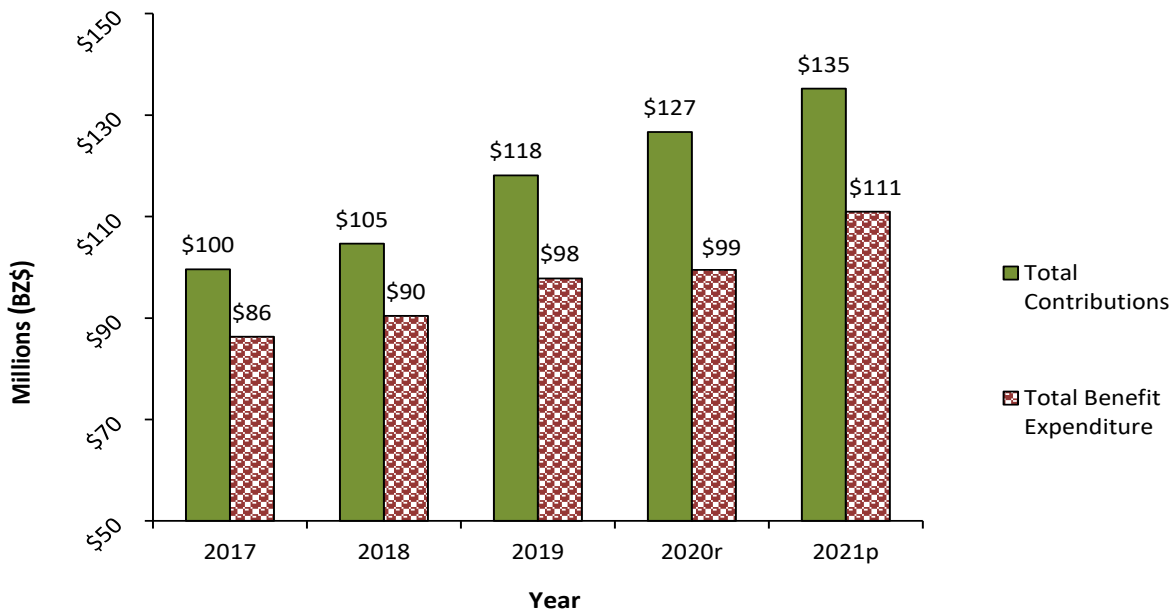
Notes: Total Contributions figures represent GOB contributions to the NHI Fund as well as those collected from employers, employees, voluntary and self employed persons.

Total Benefit Expenditure figures represent payments made to the four SSB Benefit Branches and payments made to NHI Primary Care Providers.

The significant increase in contribution income from 2018 to 2019 is mainly due to the increase in the Contribution Rate from 8.0% to 8.5% and the expansion of the Contribution Ceiling from \$300.00 and Over to \$420.00 and Over for the period July to December 2019.

The significant increase in contribution income from 2019 to 2020 is mainly due to the increase in the Contribution Rate from 8.5% to 9.0% and the expansion of the Contribution Ceiling from \$420.00 to \$460.00 and Over for the period 2020.

**Chart 1**  
**Total Contributions and Total Benefit Expenditure,**  
**2017 - 2021**

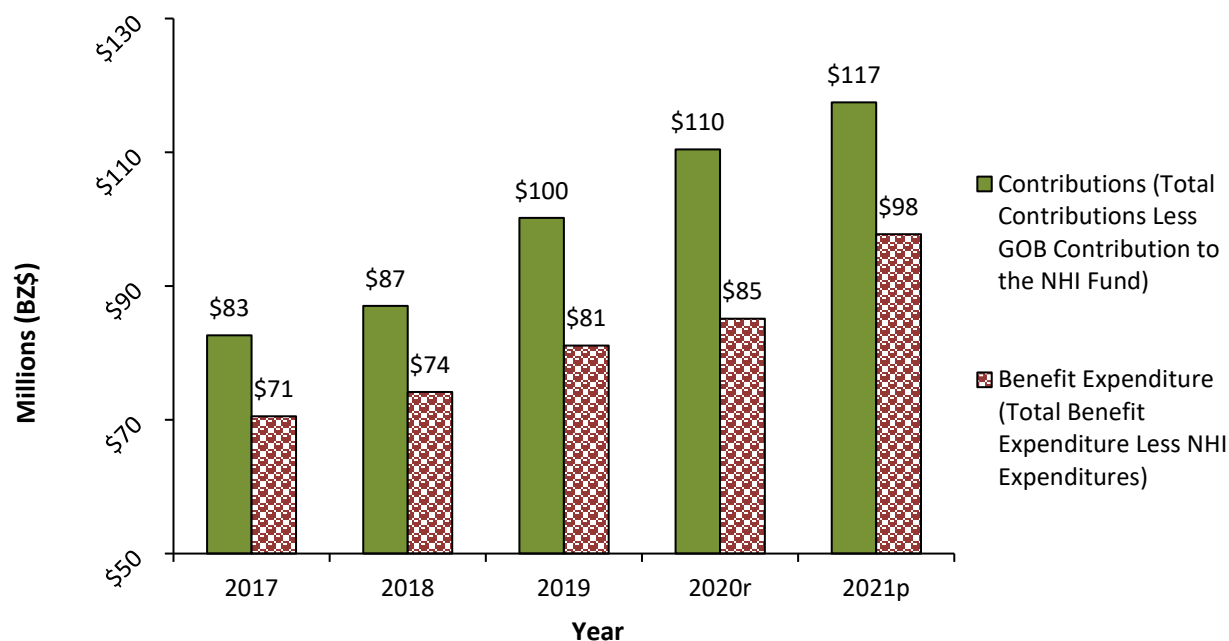


Source: Social Security Board

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**Chart 2**  
**Contributions and Benefit Expenditure,**  
**2017 - 2021**



Source: Social Security Board

**Table 2.2**  
**Contributions Collected and its Percentage Distribution by District,**  
**2017 - 2021**  
**(BZ\$)**

District	Year									
	2017		2018		2019		2020r		2021p	
	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$82,610,532</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>\$87,043,419</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>\$100,180,514</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>\$110,428,236</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>\$117,475,293</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Corozal	\$3,849,929	4.7	\$4,108,749	4.7	\$4,562,182	4.6	\$3,502,659	3.2	\$3,647,097	3.1
Orange Walk	\$5,113,144	6.2	\$5,462,090	6.3	\$6,290,976	6.3	\$6,871,112	6.2	\$7,549,718	6.4
Belize	\$36,709,348	44.4	\$39,256,521	45.1	\$40,802,659	40.7	\$42,852,927	38.8	\$46,957,922	40.0
Cayo	\$25,866,680	31.3	\$26,933,456	30.9	\$35,981,874	35.9	\$44,626,754	40.4	\$45,408,342	38.7
Stann Creek	\$9,688,250	11.7	\$9,843,680	11.3	\$10,924,994	10.9	\$10,983,006	9.9	\$12,237,233	10.4
Toledo	\$1,383,180	1.7	\$1,438,923	1.7	\$1,617,829	1.6	\$1,591,778	1.4	\$1,674,980	1.4

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: Contributions figures reflect those collected from employers, employees, voluntary and self employed persons.

The significant increase in contribution income from 2018 to 2019 is mainly due to the increase in the Contribution Rate from 8.0% to 8.5% and the expansion of the Contribution Ceiling from \$300.00 and Over to \$420.00 and Over for the period July to December 2019.

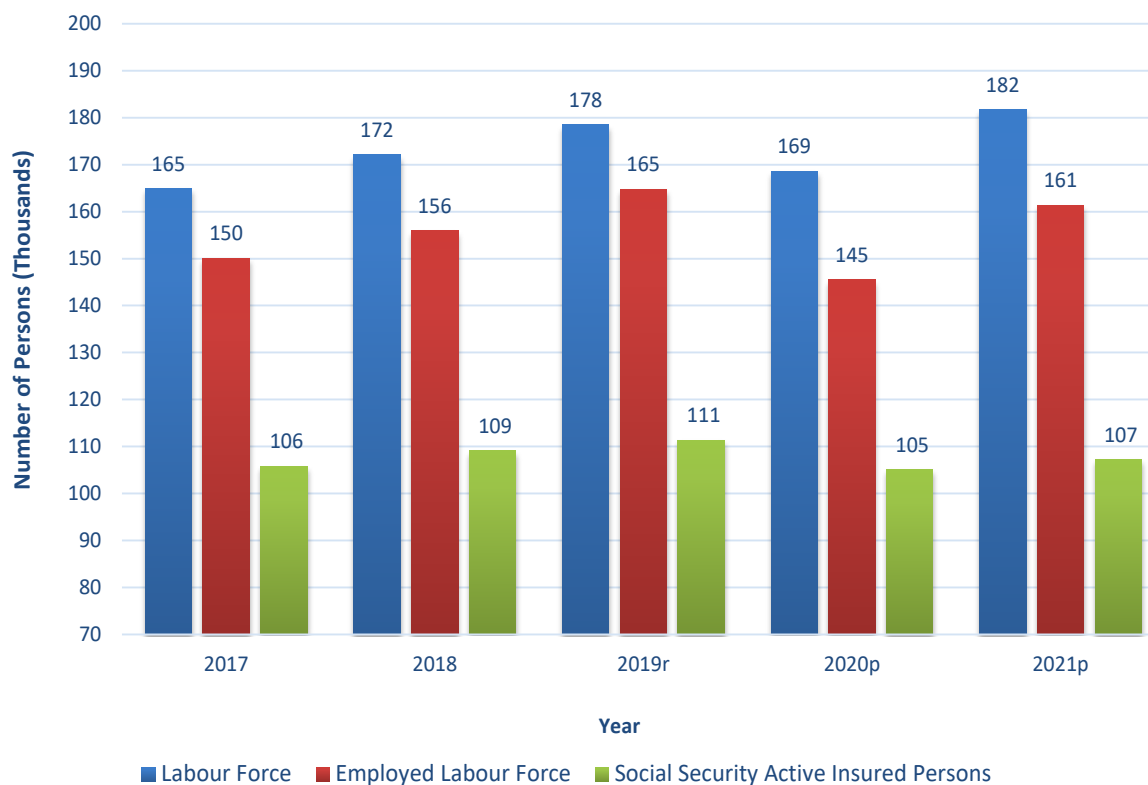
The significant increase in contribution income from 2019 to 2020 is mainly due to the increase in the Contribution Rate from 8.5% to 9.0% and the expansion of the Contribution Ceiling from \$420.00 to \$460.00 and Over for the period 2020.

**Table 2.3**  
**Active Insured Persons and the Labour Force Participation Rates,**  
**2017 - 2021**

	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
Number of Persons in the Labour Force	164,935	172,086	178,499	168,630	181,734
Number of Persons Employed in the Labour Force	150,112	155,950	164,842	145,455	161,416
Number of Active Insured Persons	105,846	109,071	111,344	105,100	107,164
Population	387,878	398,050	408,487	419,199	430,191
% of Active Insured in the Labour Force	64.2%	63.4%	62.4%	62.3%	59.0%
% of Active Insured in the Employed Force	70.5%	69.9%	67.5%	72.3%	66.4%
% of Active Insured in the Population	27.3%	27.4%	27.3%	25.1%	24.9%

Source: Social Security Board and Statistical Institute of Belize

**Chart 3**  
**Labour Force, Employed Labour Force and Active Insured Persons,**  
**2017 - 2021**



Source: Social Security Board and Statistical Institute of Belize

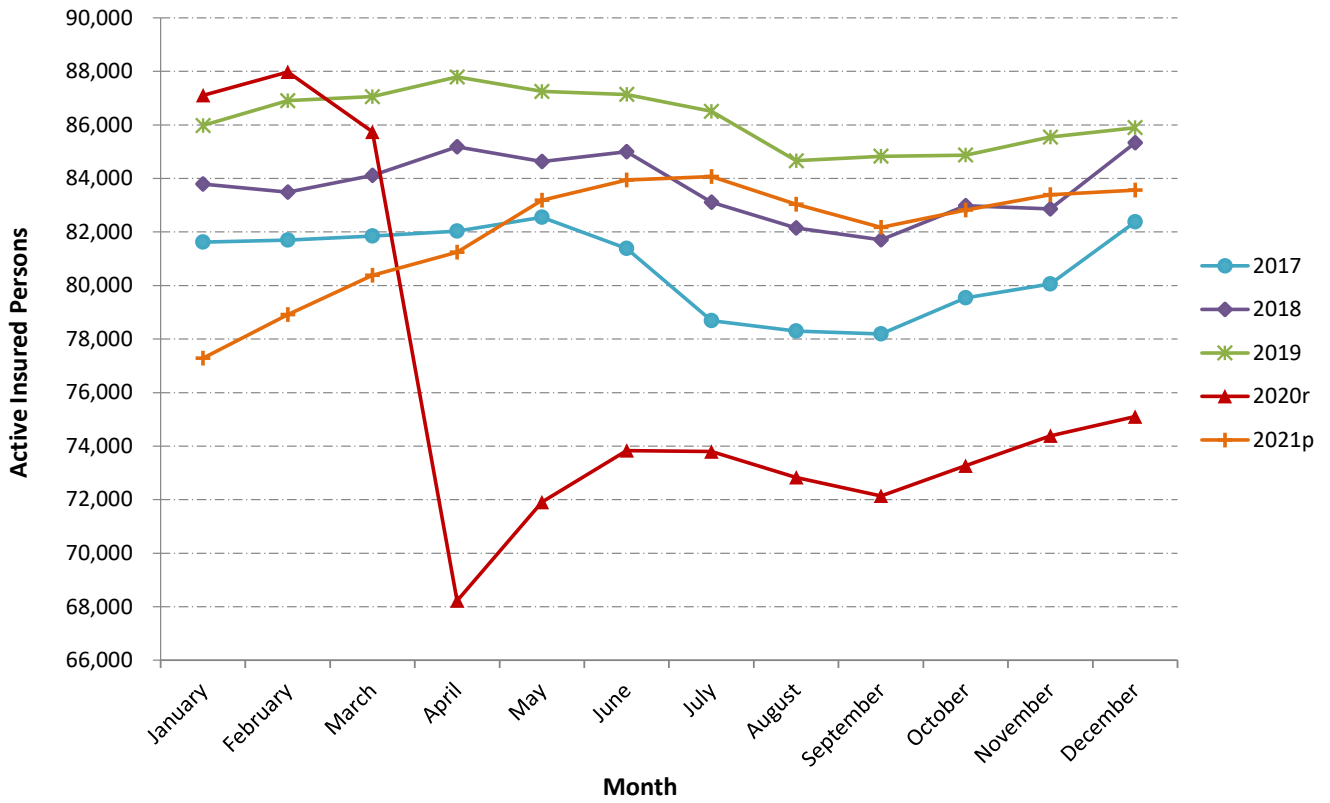


**Table 2.4**  
**Active Insured Persons by District, Sex and Age Group,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Selected Characteristics	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>105,846</b>	<b>109,071</b>	<b>111,344</b>	<b>105,100</b>	<b>107,164</b>
<b>District</b>					
Corozal	8,053	7,939	7,750	6,999	6,669
Orange Walk	9,141	9,564	9,816	9,283	9,512
Belize	44,626	46,339	47,362	44,514	45,636
Cayo	26,216	26,861	27,894	27,031	27,733
Stann Creek	13,380	14,279	14,942	13,736	14,056
Toledo	4,430	4,089	3,580	3,537	3,558
<b>Sex</b>					
Male	64,900	66,264	67,118	63,570	64,436
Female	40,946	42,807	44,226	41,530	42,728
<b>Age Group</b>					
14 - 24	25,260	26,014	26,227	22,299	24,800
25 - 34	33,843	34,673	35,495	34,065	34,175
35 - 44	23,734	24,513	25,022	34,490	24,432
45 - 54	15,257	15,705	16,239	15,997	15,864
55+	7,749	8,166	8,361	8,249	7,893
Do Not Know or Not Stated	3	-	-	-	-

Source: Social Security Board

**Chart 4**  
**Active Insured Persons by Month,**  
**2017 - 2021**



Source: Contributions Database, Social Security Board

**Table 2.5**  
**Active Insured Persons and their Percentage Distribution by Industry,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Industry	Year									
	2017		2018		2019		2020r		2021p	
	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%
<b>Total Active Insured Persons</b>	<b>105,846</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>109,071</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>111,344</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>105,100</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>107,164</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles	16,404	15.5	17,208	15.8	17,649	15.9	15,118	14.4	15,557	14.5
Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security	14,479	13.7	15,224	14.0	14,632	13.1	13,866	13.2	14,389	13.4
Agriculture	13,976	13.2	13,565	12.4	13,231	11.9	13,356	12.7	14,041	13.1
Accommodation and Food Service Activities	15,225	14.4	16,036	14.7	16,577	14.9	12,553	11.9	12,054	11.2
Construction	9,255	8.7	9,695	8.9	10,214	9.2	9,297	8.8	10,186	9.5
Manufacturing	10,286	9.7	9,514	8.7	10,021	9.0	9,270	8.8	9,838	9.2
Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	5,168	4.9	6,151	5.6	5,844	5.2	7,011	6.7	9,770	9.1
Administrative and Support Service Activities	6,211	5.9	7,306	6.7	8,128	7.3	7,292	6.9	8,293	7.7
Education	7,342	6.9	7,297	6.7	7,111	6.4	6,835	6.5	6,312	5.9
Information and Communication	3,723	3.5	3,717	3.4	4,102	3.7	4,096	3.9	4,910	4.6
Financial and Insurance Activities	3,203	3.0	3,323	3.0	3,283	2.9	3,161	3.0	3,329	3.1
Transportation and Storage	3,959	3.7	3,931	3.6	3,858	3.5	3,293	3.1	2,837	2.6
Human Health and Social Work Activities	2,457	2.3	2,470	2.3	2,602	2.3	2,604	2.5	2,799	2.6
Activities of Households as Employers; Undifferentiated Goods & Service Producing Activities of Households for Own Use	2,900	2.7	2,794	2.6	2,881	2.6	2,575	2.5	2,502	2.3
Other Service Activities	2,211	2.1	2,491	2.3	2,559	2.3	2,303	2.2	2,245	2.1
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	1,938	1.8	2,015	1.8	1,988	1.8	1,530	1.5	1,317	1.2
Water Supply; Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities	1,006	1.0	976	0.9	1,001	0.9	952	0.9	941	0.9
Real Estate Activities	1,054	1.0	932	0.9	785	0.7	739	0.7	916	0.9
Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Condition Supply	739	0.7	753	0.7	864	0.8	816	0.8	857	0.8
Fishing and Aquaculture	1,467	1.4	1,353	1.2	1,026	0.9	684	0.7	653	0.6
Activities of Extra-Territorial Organizations and Bodies	433	0.4	438	0.4	446	0.4	431	0.4	430	0.4
Mining and Quarrying	631	0.6	617	0.6	638	0.6	557	0.5	418	0.4
Forestry and Logging	339	0.3	335	0.3	343	0.3	409	0.4	356	0.3
Do Not Know or Not Stated	28	0.0	42	0.0	36	0.0	5	0.0	7	0.0

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: The total number of Active Insured Persons shown is not equal to the sum of the Insured Persons in each industry during the respective years due to persons working in different industries during the year.  
The sum of the percentages of Insured Persons in each industry does not add up to 100% during the respective years due to persons working in different industries during the year.  
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**Table 2.6**  
**Active Insured Persons and their Percentage Distribution by Average Weekly Insurable Earnings,**  
**2017 - 2018**

Weekly Earnings Group	Year			
	2017		2018r	
	Quantity	%	Quantity	%
<b>Total</b>	<b>105,846</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>109,071</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Under \$70.00	4,721	4.5	4,686	4.3
\$70.00 to \$109.99	6,649	6.3	6,434	5.9
\$110.00 to \$139.99	5,827	5.5	5,921	5.4
\$140.00 to \$179.99	13,158	12.4	13,611	12.5
\$180.00 to \$219.99	12,748	12.0	13,177	12.1
\$220.00 to \$259.99	11,122	10.5	11,392	10.4
\$260.00 to \$299.99	6,624	6.3	6,915	6.3
\$300.00 and Over	43,651	41.2	45,531	41.7
**	1,346	1.3	1,404	1.3

Source: Social Security Board

Note: \*\* Applies to persons age 60 - 64 years who have received a retirement benefit and all persons 65 years and older.

**Table 2.7**  
**Active Insured Persons and their Percentage Distribution by Average Weekly Insurable Earnings,**  
**2019 - 2021**

Weekly Earnings Group	Year					
	2019		2020r		2021p	
	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%
<b>Total</b>	<b>111,344</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>105,100</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>107,164</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Under \$70.00	4,219	3.8	3,905	3.7	5,092	4.8
\$70.00 - \$109.99	5,929	5.3	5,363	5.1	6,840	6.4
\$110.00 - \$139.99	5,431	4.9	4,620	4.4	5,821	5.4
\$140.00 - \$179.99	12,384	11.1	11,058	10.5	12,687	11.8
\$180.00 - \$219.99	13,419	12.1	11,434	10.9	12,463	11.6
\$220.00 - \$259.99	12,074	10.8	10,952	10.4	10,915	10.2
\$260.00 - \$299.99	7,513	6.7	7,114	6.8	6,881	6.4
\$300.00 and Over	4,281	3.8	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
\$300.00 - \$339.99	7,077	6.4	8,406	8.0	7,741	7.2
\$340.00 - \$379.99	5,314	4.8	6,078	5.8	5,657	5.3
\$380.00 - \$419.99	4,561	4.1	5,041	4.8	4,364	4.1
\$420.00 and Over	27,701	24.9	4,228	4.0	3,923	3.7
\$460.00 and Over	N/A	N/A	25,524	24.3	23,506	21.9
**	1441	1.3	1,377	1.3	1,274	1.2

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: \*\* Applies to persons age 60 - 64 years who have received a retirement benefit and all persons 65 years and older.

AIPs that are within the 2019 Average Weekly Insurable Earnings \$300 & Over Group are those who are Self-Employed and AIPs who only contributed to the \$300 & Over Group for the period January to June 2019.

**Table 2.8**  
**Number of Active Insured Persons by Industry and Average Weekly Insurable Earnings,**  
**2017**

Industry	Average Weekly Insurable Earnings										Total
	Under \$70.00	\$70.00 to \$109.99	\$110.00 to \$139.99	\$140.00 to \$179.99	\$180.00 to \$219.99	\$220.00 to \$259.99	\$260.00 to \$299.99	\$300.00 and Over	**	Total	
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,721</b>	<b>6,649</b>	<b>5,827</b>	<b>13,158</b>	<b>12,748</b>	<b>11,122</b>	<b>6,624</b>	<b>43,651</b>	<b>1,346</b>	<b>105,846</b>	
Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles	612	1,015	1,107	3,297	3,019	2,220	1,143	3,863	128	16,404	
Accommodation and Food Service Activities	561	1,008	999	2,312	2,046	1,650	1,031	5,538	80	15,225	
Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security	375	246	183	878	986	1,291	1,022	9,325	173	14,479	
Agriculture	2,158	2,230	1,678	2,355	1,736	1,127	589	1,709	394	13,976	
Manufacturing	446	576	629	1,653	1,583	1,093	625	3,576	105	10,286	
Construction	276	533	492	1,117	1,387	1,298	712	3,352	88	9,255	
Education	81	128	147	275	412	402	269	5,562	66	7,342	
Administrative and Support Service Activities	249	553	351	703	834	814	447	2,204	56	6,211	
Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	221	615	234	537	637	705	365	1,813	41	5,168	
Transportation and Storage	147	169	205	396	431	440	289	1,827	55	3,959	
Information and Communication	119	169	385	348	353	343	253	1,725	28	3,723	
Financial and Insurance Activities	30	49	55	98	115	240	144	2,449	23	3,203	
Activities of Households as Employers; Undifferentiated Goods & Service Producing Activities of Households for Own Use	255	443	286	666	487	262	92	385	24	2,900	
Human Health and Social Work Activities	27	65	79	165	260	270	180	1,392	19	2,457	
Other Service Activities	82	158	141	314	294	233	129	812	48	2,211	
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	89	99	70	258	269	272	176	681	24	1,938	
Fishing and Aquaculture	271	217	166	231	165	125	55	226	11	1,467	
Real Estate Activities	30	61	30	102	122	144	81	474	10	1,054	
Water Supply; Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities	65	64	47	129	92	136	58	404	11	1,006	
Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Condition Supply	5	18	12	43	56	54	24	521	6	739	
Mining and Quarrying	32	39	29	59	67	84	23	285	13	631	
Activities of Extra-Territorial Organizations and Bodies	0	4	5	10	18	50	22	324	0	433	
Forestry and Logging	15	14	17	44	70	54	20	94	11	339	
Do Not Know or Not Stated	0	2	0	3	4	6	1	12	0	28	

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: The total number of Active Insured Persons shown is not equal to the sum of the Insured Persons in each industry during the respective years due to persons working in different industries during the year. Classification of Industry as per International Standard Industrial Classification of Economic Activities Revision 4.

\*\* Applies to persons age 60 - 64 years who have received a retirement benefit and all persons 65 years and older.

**Table 2.9**  
**Percentage Distribution of Active Insured Persons by Industry and Average Weekly Insurable Earnings,**  
**2017**

Industry	Average Weekly Insurable Earnings											Total		
	Under \$70.00	\$70.00 to \$109.99	\$110.00 to \$139.99	\$140.00 to \$179.99	\$180.00 to \$219.99	\$220.00 to \$259.99	\$260.00 to \$299.99	\$300.00 and Over	**	Total				
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles	13.0	15.3	19.0	25.1	23.7	20.0	17.3	8.8	9.5	15.5				
Accommodation and Food Service Activities	11.9	15.2	17.1	17.6	16.0	14.8	15.6	12.7	5.9	14.4				
Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security	7.9	3.7	3.1	6.7	7.7	11.6	15.4	21.4	12.9	13.7				
Agriculture	45.7	33.5	28.8	17.9	13.6	10.1	8.9	3.9	29.3	13.2				
Manufacturing	9.4	8.7	10.8	12.6	12.4	9.8	9.4	8.2	7.8	9.7				
Construction	5.8	8.0	8.4	8.5	10.9	11.7	10.7	7.7	6.5	8.7				
Education	1.7	1.9	2.5	2.1	3.2	3.6	4.1	12.7	4.9	6.9				
Administrative and Support Service Activities	5.3	8.3	6.0	5.3	6.5	7.3	6.7	5.0	4.2	5.9				
Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	4.7	9.2	4.0	4.1	5.0	6.3	5.5	4.2	3.0	4.9				
Transportation and Storage	3.1	2.5	3.5	3.0	3.4	4.0	4.4	4.2	4.1	3.7				
Information and Communication	2.5	2.5	6.6	2.6	2.8	3.1	3.8	4.0	2.1	3.5				
Financial and Insurance Activities	0.6	0.7	0.9	0.7	0.9	2.2	2.2	5.6	1.7	3.0				
Activities of Households as Employers; Undifferentiated Goods & Service Producing Activities of Households for Own Use	5.4	6.7	4.9	5.1	3.8	2.4	1.4	0.9	1.8	2.7				
Human Health and Social Work Activities	0.6	1.0	1.4	1.3	2.0	2.4	2.7	3.2	1.4	2.3				
Other Service Activities	1.7	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.1	1.9	1.9	3.6	2.1				
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	1.9	1.5	1.2	2.0	2.1	2.4	2.7	1.6	1.8	1.8				
Fishing and Aquaculture	5.7	3.3	2.8	1.8	1.3	1.1	0.8	0.5	0.8	1.4				
Real Estate Activities	0.6	0.9	0.5	0.8	1.0	1.3	1.2	1.1	0.7	1.0				
Water Supply; Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities	1.4	1.0	0.8	1.0	0.7	1.2	0.9	0.9	0.8	1.0				
Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Condition Supply	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.4	1.2	0.4	0.7				
Mining and Quarrying	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.8	0.3	0.7	1.0	0.6				
Activities of Extra-Territorial Organizations and Bodies	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.7	0.0	0.4				
Forestry and Logging	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.8	0.3				
Do Not Know or Not Stated	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0				

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: The sum of the percentages of Insured Persons in each industry does not add up to 100% during the respective years due to persons working in different industries during the year.

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\*\* Applies to persons age 60 - 64 years who have received a retirement benefit and all persons 65 years and older.

**Table 2.10**  
**Number of Active Insured Persons by Industry and Average Weekly Insurable Earnings,**  
**2018**

Industry	Average Weekly Insurable Earnings										Total
	Under \$70.00	\$70.00 to \$109.99	\$110.00 to \$139.99	\$140.00 to \$179.99	\$180.00 to \$219.99	\$220.00 to \$259.99	\$260.00 to \$299.99	\$300.00 and Over	**	Total	
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,686</b>	<b>6,434</b>	<b>5,921</b>	<b>13,611</b>	<b>13,177</b>	<b>11,392</b>	<b>6,915</b>	<b>45,531</b>	<b>1,404</b>	<b>109,071</b>	
Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles	614	1,114	1,140	3,503	3,084	2,409	1,192	4,000	152	17,208	
Accommodation and Food Service Activities	566	1,037	1,019	2,282	2,205	1,737	1,141	5,970	79	16,036	
Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security	349	175	184	911	1,200	1,231	1,194	9,809	171	15,224	
Agriculture	1,978	2,090	1,686	2,384	1,593	1,135	607	1,689	403	13,565	
Construction	338	497	478	1,090	1,403	1,474	725	3,587	103	9,695	
Manufacturing	473	648	567	1,580	1,424	1,003	513	3,201	105	9,514	
Administrative and Support Service Activities	352	670	503	822	902	949	518	2,523	67	7,306	
Education	80	111	118	272	425	404	268	5,565	54	7,297	
Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	232	450	407	752	904	774	524	2,070	38	6,151	
Transportation and Storage	179	157	200	377	462	477	272	1,746	61	3,931	
Information and Communication	104	213	297	339	317	315	229	1,878	25	3,717	
Financial and Insurance Activities	45	35	62	95	127	247	158	2,531	23	3,323	
Activities of Households as Employers; Undifferentiated Goods & Service Producing Activities of Households for Own Use	211	439	285	639	457	252	90	390	31	2,794	
Other Service Activities	89	162	137	311	353	293	170	932	44	2,491	
Human Health and Social Work Activities	40	62	72	162	271	290	170	1,383	20	2,470	
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	81	125	176	394	247	245	153	565	29	2,015	
Fishing and Aquaculture	322	189	79	223	161	104	38	229	8	1,353	
Water Supply; Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities	58	55	57	126	92	119	42	415	12	976	
Real Estate Activities	29	43	40	88	99	131	73	420	9	932	
Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Condition Supply	11	14	10	68	50	34	37	520	9	753	
Mining and Quarrying	12	31	19	62	60	92	34	294	13	617	
Activities of Extra-Territorial Organizations and Bodies	3	6	0	8	14	41	24	342	0	438	
Forestry and Logging	11	40	11	54	65	51	11	83	9	335	
Do Not Know or Not Stated	1	5	0	4	2	9	3	17	1	42	

Source: Social Security Board

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**Table 2.11**  
**Percentage Distribution of Active Insured Persons by Industry and Average Weekly Insurable Earnings,**  
**2018**

Industry	Average Weekly Insurable Earnings										Total
	Under \$70.00	\$70.00 to \$109.99	\$110.00 to \$139.99	\$140.00 to \$179.99	\$180.00 to \$219.99	\$220.00 to \$259.99	\$260.00 to \$299.99	\$300.00 and Over	**	Total	
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles	13.1	17.3	19.3	25.7	23.4	21.1	17.2	8.8	10.8	15.8	15.8
Accommodation and Food Service Activities	12.1	16.1	17.2	16.8	16.7	15.2	16.5	13.1	5.6	14.7	14.7
Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security	7.4	2.7	3.1	6.7	9.1	10.8	17.3	21.5	12.2	14.0	14.0
Agriculture	42.2	32.5	28.5	17.5	12.1	10.0	8.8	3.7	28.7	12.4	12.4
Construction	7.2	7.7	8.1	8.0	10.6	12.9	10.5	7.9	7.3	8.9	8.9
Manufacturing	10.1	10.1	9.6	11.6	10.8	8.8	7.4	7.0	7.5	8.7	8.7
Administrative and Support Service Activities	7.5	10.4	8.5	6.0	6.8	8.3	7.5	5.5	4.8	6.7	6.7
Education	1.7	1.7	2.0	2.0	3.2	3.5	3.9	12.2	3.8	6.7	6.7
Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	5.0	7.0	6.9	5.5	6.9	6.8	7.6	4.5	2.7	5.6	5.6
Transportation and Storage	3.8	2.4	3.4	2.8	3.5	4.2	3.9	3.8	4.3	3.6	3.6
Information and Communication	2.2	3.3	5.0	2.5	2.4	2.8	3.3	4.1	1.8	3.4	3.4
Financial and Insurance Activities	1.0	0.5	1.0	0.7	1.0	2.2	2.3	5.6	1.6	3.0	3.0
Activities of Households as Employers; Undifferentiated Goods & Service Producing Activities of Households for Own Use	4.5	6.8	4.8	4.7	3.5	2.2	1.3	0.9	2.2	2.6	2.6
Other Service Activities	1.9	2.5	2.3	2.3	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.0	3.1	2.3	2.3
Human Health and Social Work Activities	0.9	1.0	1.2	1.2	2.1	2.5	2.5	3.0	1.4	2.3	2.3
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	1.7	1.9	3.0	2.9	1.9	2.2	2.2	1.2	2.1	1.8	1.8
Fishing and Aquaculture	6.9	2.9	1.3	1.6	1.2	0.9	0.5	0.5	0.6	1.2	1.2
Water Supply; Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities	1.2	0.9	1.0	0.9	0.7	1.0	0.6	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9
Real Estate Activities	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.8	1.1	1.1	0.9	0.6	0.9	0.9
Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Condition Supply	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.5	1.1	0.6	0.7	0.7
Mining and Quarrying	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.8	0.5	0.6	0.9	0.6	0.6
Activities of Extra-Territorial Organizations and Bodies	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.8	0.0	0.4	0.4
Forestry and Logging	0.2	0.6	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.3	0.3
Do Not Know or Not Stated	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: The sum of the percentages of Insured Persons in each industry does not add up to 100% during the respective years due to persons working in different industries during the year.

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**Table 2.12**  
**Number of Active Insured Persons by Industry and Average Weekly Insurable Earnings,**  
**2019**

Industry	Average Weekly Insurable Earnings											Total		
	\$70.00 to \$70.00	\$70.00 to \$109.99	\$110.00 to \$139.99	\$140.00 to \$179.99	\$180.00 to \$219.99	\$220.00 to \$259.99	\$260.00 to \$299.99	\$300.00 to \$339.99	\$340.00 to \$379.99	\$380.00 to \$419.99	\$420.00 and Over			
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,219</b>	<b>5,929</b>	<b>5,431</b>	<b>12,384</b>	<b>13,419</b>	<b>12,074</b>	<b>7,513</b>	<b>4,281</b>	<b>7,077</b>	<b>5,314</b>	<b>4,561</b>	<b>27,701</b>	<b>1,441</b>	<b>111,344</b>
Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles	710	1,070	1,080	3,397	3,184	2,459	1,201	379	1,046	778	480	1,733	132	17,649
Accommodation and Food Service Activities	614	1,014	915	2,371	2,448	1,915	1,171	671	1,256	845	617	2,649	91	16,577
Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security	416	139	106	649	950	1,365	991	329	662	775	894	7,195	161	14,632
Agriculture	1,494	1,915	1,577	2,075	1,806	1,235	756	330	522	279	205	608	429	13,231
Construction	246	415	427	928	1,342	1,430	811	905	1,028	608	446	1,511	117	10,214
Manufacturing	455	644	640	1,442	1,591	1,097	684	252	597	479	357	1,686	97	10,021
Administrative and Support Service Activities	454	646	525	906	1,001	1,029	651	308	664	406	287	1,163	88	8,128
Education	61	94	118	229	409	376	251	145	197	271	515	4,387	58	7,111
Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	335	422	239	479	584	683	504	443	431	360	195	1,127	42	5,844
Information and Communication	150	152	470	357	286	308	242	128	237	147	166	1,437	22	4,102
Transportation and Storage	180	136	137	366	419	434	254	149	400	273	137	905	68	3,858
Financial and Insurance Activities	27	36	58	90	92	177	185	102	287	228	160	1,818	23	3,283
Activities of Households as Employers; Undifferentiated Goods & Service Producing Activities of Households for Own Use	193	410	262	683	499	271	85	77	130	54	52	135	30	2,881
Human Health and Social Work Activities	60	68	55	135	270	345	170	96	149	134	164	932	24	2,602
Other Service Activities	98	145	124	332	390	333	144	112	136	89	107	496	53	2,559
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	69	96	82	258	263	286	162	77	156	87	81	350	21	1,988
Fishing and Aquaculture	129	89	62	197	171	127	60	23	39	26	28	68	7	1,026
Water Supply; Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities	51	48	49	117	92	133	49	23	85	59	50	233	12	1,001
Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Condition Supply	14	30	45	71	81	54	30	14	25	22	18	451	9	864
Real Estate Activities	29	17	22	47	73	117	63	29	77	64	51	186	10	785
Mining and Quarrying	20	29	8	43	59	125	31	18	22	31	40	198	14	638
Activities of Extra-Territorial Organizations and Bodies	2	5	1	6	13	43	32	11	28	39	53	211	2	446
Forestry and Logging	12	32	14	36	59	53	26	27	17	25	10	24	8	343
Do Not Know or Not Stated	0	1	0	0	5	17	1	1	9	0	2	0	0	36

Source: Social Security Board

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\*\* Applies to persons age 60 - 64 years who have received a retirement benefit and all persons 65 years and older.

AIPs that are within the 2019 Average Weekly Insurable Earnings \$300 & Over Group are those who are Self-Employed and AIPs who only contributed to the \$300 & Over Group for the period January to June 2019.

**Table 2.13**  
**Percentage Distribution of Active Insured Persons by Industry and Average Weekly Insurable Earnings,**  
**2019**

Industry	Average Weekly Insurable Earnings													
	Under \$70.00	\$70.00 to \$109.99	\$110.00 to \$139.99	\$140.00 to \$179.99	\$180.00 to \$219.99	\$220.00 to \$259.99	\$260.00 to \$299.99	\$300.00 to \$339.99	\$340.00 to \$379.99	\$380.00 to \$419.99	\$420.00 and Over	**	Total	
<b>Total</b>	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles	16.8	18.0	19.9	27.4	23.7	20.4	16.0	8.9	14.8	10.5	6.3	9.2	15.9	
Accommodation and Food Service Activities	14.6	17.1	16.8	19.1	18.2	15.9	15.6	15.7	17.7	13.5	9.6	6.3	14.9	
Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security	9.9	2.3	2.0	5.2	7.1	11.3	13.2	7.7	9.4	14.6	19.6	11.2	13.1	
Agriculture	35.4	32.3	29.0	16.8	13.5	10.2	10.1	7.7	7.4	5.3	4.5	2.2	29.8	
Construction	5.8	7.0	7.9	7.5	10.0	11.8	10.8	21.1	14.5	11.4	9.8	5.5	8.1	
Manufacturing	10.8	10.9	11.8	11.6	11.9	9.1	9.1	5.9	8.4	9.0	7.8	6.1	6.7	
Administrative and Support Service Activities	10.8	10.9	9.7	7.3	7.5	8.5	8.7	7.2	9.4	7.6	6.3	4.2	6.1	
Education	1.4	1.6	2.2	1.8	3.0	3.1	3.3	3.4	2.8	5.1	11.3	15.8	4.0	
Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	7.9	7.1	4.4	3.9	4.4	5.7	6.7	10.3	6.1	6.8	4.3	4.1	2.9	
Information and Communication	3.6	2.6	8.7	2.9	2.1	2.6	3.2	3.0	3.3	2.8	3.6	5.2	1.5	
Transportation and Storage	4.3	2.3	2.5	3.0	3.1	3.6	3.4	3.5	5.7	5.1	3.0	3.3	4.7	
Financial and Insurance Activities	0.6	0.6	1.1	0.7	0.7	1.5	2.5	2.4	4.1	4.3	3.5	6.6	1.6	
Activities of Households as Employers; Undifferentiated Goods & Service Producing Activities of Households for Own Use	4.6	6.9	4.8	5.5	3.7	2.2	1.1	1.8	1.8	1.0	1.1	0.5	2.1	
Human Health and Social Work Activities	1.4	1.1	1.0	1.1	2.0	2.9	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.5	3.6	3.4	1.7	
Other Service Activities	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.7	2.9	2.8	1.9	2.6	1.9	1.7	2.3	1.8	3.7	
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	1.6	1.6	1.5	2.1	2.0	2.4	2.2	1.8	2.2	1.6	1.8	1.3	1.5	
Fishing and Aquaculture	3.1	1.5	1.1	1.6	1.3	1.1	0.8	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.2	0.5	
Water Supply; Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities	1.2	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.7	1.1	0.7	0.5	1.2	1.1	1.1	0.8	0.9	
Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Condition Supply	0.3	0.5	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	1.6	0.6	
Real Estate Activities	0.7	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	1.0	0.8	0.7	1.1	1.2	1.1	0.7	0.7	
Mining and Quarrying	0.5	0.5	0.1	0.3	0.4	1.0	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.6	0.9	0.7	1.0	
Activities of Extra-Territorial Organizations and Bodies	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.7	1.2	0.8	0.1	
Forestry and Logging	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.6	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.6	
Do Not Know or Not Stated	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	

Source: Social Security Board

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\*\* Applies to persons age 60 - 64 years who have received a retirement benefit and all persons 65 years and older.

AIPs that are within the 2019 Average Weekly Insurable Earnings \$300 & Over Group are those who are Self-Employed and AIPs who only contributed to the \$300 & Over Group for the period January to June 2019.

**Table 2.14**  
**Number of Active Insured Persons by Industry and Average Weekly Insurable Earnings,**  
**2020r**

Industry	Average Weekly Insurable Earnings																Total
	\$70.00 Under \$70.00	\$110.00 to \$139.99	\$140.00 to \$179.99	\$180.00 to \$219.99	\$220.00 to \$259.99	\$260.00 to \$299.99	\$300.00 to \$339.99	\$340.00 to \$379.99	\$380.00 to \$419.99	\$420.00 to \$459.99	\$460.00 and Over	***					
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,905</b>	<b>5,363</b>	<b>4,620</b>	<b>11,058</b>	<b>11,434</b>	<b>10,952</b>	<b>7,114</b>	<b>8,407</b>	<b>6,078</b>	<b>5,041</b>	<b>4,228</b>	<b>25,523</b>	<b>1,377</b>	<b>105,100</b>			
Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles	506	761	778	2,560	2,608	2,239	1,145	1,253	759	555	430	1,385	139	15,118			
Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security	295	118	93	360	914	1,084	828	663	813	936	798	6,809	155	13,866			
Agriculture	2,045	1,951	1,544	2,234	1,569	1,109	683	624	330	212	150	518	387	13,356			
Accommodation and Food Service Activities	398	607	615	1,453	1,651	1,420	922	1,112	720	554	530	2,475	96	12,553			
Construction	301	448	447	903	1,169	1,235	698	1,143	697	439	495	1,225	97	9,297			
Manufacturing	396	530	543	1,285	1,380	1,081	636	680	485	383	317	1,450	104	9,270			
Administrative and Support Service Activities	256	404	336	936	687	870	607	945	508	369	266	1,035	73	7,292			
Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	241	968	277	1,437	583	567	471	552	419	250	175	1,033	38	7,011			
Education	134	82	97	199	266	332	225	237	274	521	351	4,064	53	6,835			
Information and Communication	102	337	585	208	194	264	276	307	396	206	142	1,062	17	4,096			
Transportation and Storage	122	101	109	309	297	345	238	396	230	168	149	768	61	3,293			
Financial and Insurance Activities	28	31	53	69	86	156	148	322	218	143	178	1,706	23	3,161			
Human Health and Social Work Activities	48	83	54	158	220	308	197	214	133	172	123	870	24	2,604			
Activities of Households as Employers; Undifferentiated Goods & Service Producing Activities of Households for Own Use	178	327	210	593	468	249	90	171	70	47	42	101	29	2,575			
Other Service Activities	108	122	125	265	329	252	109	199	118	109	68	450	49	2,303			
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	27	47	51	145	168	242	204	134	81	65	61	288	17	1,530			
Water Supply; Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities	48	64	34	103	63	108	42	82	88	59	45	200	16	952			
Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Condition Supply	24	14	19	36	77	44	26	35	29	28	24	451	9	816			
Real Estate Activities	22	23	17	48	57	88	48	95	69	52	54	157	9	739			
Fishing and Aquaculture	73	56	49	105	93	75	57	43	33	25	22	46	7	684			
Mining and Quarrying	14	19	10	47	44	67	28	30	43	36	24	181	14	557			
Activities of Extra-Territorial Organizations and Bodies	2	2	3	9	16	25	39	20	32	34	24	225	0	431			
Forestry and Logging	2	25	15	70	72	44	30	53	32	11	12	28	15	409			
Do Not Know or Not Stated	0	1	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5			

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: The total number of Active Insured Persons shown is not equal to the sum of the Insured Persons in each industry during the respective years due to persons working in different industries during the year. Classification of Industry as per International Standard Industrial Classification of Economic Activities Revision 4.

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**Table 2.15**  
**Percentage Distribution of Active Insured Persons by Industry and Average Weekly Insurable Earnings,**  
**2020r**

Industry	Average Weekly Insurable Earnings										Total				
	Under \$70.00	\$70.00 to \$109.99	\$110.00 to \$139.99	\$140.00 to \$179.99	\$180.00 to \$219.99	\$220.00 to \$259.99	\$260.00 to \$299.99	\$300.00 to \$339.99	\$340.00 to \$379.99	\$380.00 to \$420.00		\$420.00 to \$460.00	Over \$460.00		
<b>Total</b>	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles	13.0	14.2	16.8	23.2	22.8	20.4	16.1	14.9	12.5	11.0	10.2	5.4	10.1	14.4	
Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security	7.6	2.2	2.0	3.3	8.0	9.9	11.6	7.9	13.4	18.6	18.9	26.7	11.3	13.2	
Agriculture	52.4	36.4	33.4	20.2	13.7	10.1	9.6	7.4	5.4	4.2	3.5	2.0	28.1	12.7	
Accommodation and Food Service Activities	10.2	11.3	13.3	13.1	14.4	13.0	13.0	13.2	11.8	11.0	12.5	9.7	7.0	11.9	
Construction	7.7	8.4	9.7	8.2	10.2	11.3	9.8	13.6	11.5	8.7	11.7	4.8	7.0	8.8	
Manufacturing	10.1	9.9	11.8	11.6	12.1	9.9	8.9	8.1	8.0	7.6	7.5	5.7	7.6	8.8	
Administrative and Support Service Activities	6.6	7.5	7.3	8.5	6.0	7.9	8.5	11.2	8.4	7.3	6.3	4.1	5.3	6.9	
Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	6.2	18.0	6.0	13.0	5.1	5.2	6.6	6.6	6.9	5.0	4.1	4.0	2.8	6.7	
Education	3.4	1.5	2.1	1.8	2.3	3.0	3.2	2.8	4.5	10.3	8.3	15.9	3.8	6.5	
Information and Communication	2.6	6.3	12.7	1.9	1.7	2.4	3.9	3.7	6.5	4.1	3.4	4.2	1.2	3.9	
Transportation and Storage	3.1	1.9	2.4	2.8	2.6	3.2	3.3	4.7	3.8	3.3	3.5	3.0	4.4	3.1	
Financial and Insurance Activities	0.7	0.6	1.1	0.6	0.8	1.4	2.1	3.8	3.6	2.8	4.2	6.7	1.7	3.0	
Human Health and Social Work Activities	1.2	1.5	1.2	1.4	1.9	2.8	2.8	2.5	2.2	3.4	2.9	3.4	1.7	2.5	
Activities of Households as Employers; Undifferentiated Goods & Service Producing Activities of Households for Own Use	4.6	6.1	4.5	5.4	4.1	2.3	1.3	2.0	1.2	0.9	1.0	0.4	2.1	2.5	
Other Service Activities	2.8	2.3	2.7	2.4	2.9	2.3	1.5	2.4	1.9	2.2	1.6	1.8	3.6	2.2	
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	0.7	0.9	1.1	1.3	1.5	2.2	2.9	1.6	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.1	1.2	1.5	
Water Supply; Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities	1.2	1.2	0.7	0.9	0.6	1.0	0.6	1.0	1.4	1.2	1.1	0.8	1.2	0.9	
Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Condition Supply	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.6	1.8	0.7	0.8	
Real Estate Activities	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.8	0.7	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.3	0.6	0.7	0.7	
Fishing and Aquaculture	1.9	1.0	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.5	0.7	
Mining and Quarrying	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.7	1.0	0.5	
Activities of Extra-Territorial Organizations and Bodies	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.9	0.0	0.4	
Forestry and Logging	0.1	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.1	1.1	0.4	
Do Not Know or Not Stated	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	

Source: Social Security Board

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\*\* Applies to persons age 60 - 64 years who have received a retirement benefit and all persons 65 years and older.

**Table 2.16**  
**Number of Active Insured Persons by Industry and Average Weekly Insurable Earnings,**  
**2021p**

Industry	Average Weekly Insurable Earnings																Total
	\$70.00 to \$70.00	\$110.00 to \$109.99	\$140.00 to \$139.99	\$179.99 to \$179.99	\$219.99 to \$219.99	\$259.99 to \$259.99	\$299.99 to \$299.99	\$339.99 to \$339.99	\$379.99 to \$379.99	\$419.99 to \$419.99	\$459.99 to \$459.99	\$499.99 to \$499.99	\$539.99 to \$539.99	\$579.99 to \$579.99	\$619.99 to \$619.99	\$659.99 to \$659.99	
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,092</b>	<b>6,840</b>	<b>5,821</b>	<b>12,687</b>	<b>12,463</b>	<b>10,915</b>	<b>6,881</b>	<b>7,741</b>	<b>5,657</b>	<b>4,364</b>	<b>3,923</b>	<b>\$420.00 to \$420.00</b>	<b>\$460.00 to \$460.00</b>	<b>23,506</b>	<b>1,274</b>	<b>107,164</b>	
Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles	574	926	967	2,859	2,754	2,300	1,138	1,095	667	441	422	1,281	133	15,557			
Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security	315	137	176	401	1,202	1,286	967	621	889	896	950	120	14,389				
Agriculture	2,284	2,165	1,647	2,295	1,738	1,196	596	568	345	189	129	499	390	14,041			
Accommodation and Food Service Activities	661	1,028	826	1,736	1,758	1,321	856	931	686	431	413	1,324	83	12,054			
Construction	375	527	472	1,057	1,366	1,591	829	1,380	706	431	380	975	97	10,186			
Manufacturing	516	661	690	1,477	1,543	1,077	601	663	462	350	273	1,436	89	9,838			
Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	509	1,453	588	1,991	888	790	705	810	476	321	200	1,006	33	9,770			
Administrative and Support Service Activities	414	694	598	1,161	1,091	912	574	641	606	290	254	999	59	8,293			
Education	36	61	88	134	233	261	193	207	287	355	322	4,095	40	6,312			
Information and Communication	82	218	549	825	283	284	249	260	185	231	223	1,505	16	4,910			
Financial and Insurance Activities	19	35	68	142	120	166	159	371	239	183	166	1,634	27	3,329			
Transportation and Storage	164	115	180	290	287	264	247	288	158	115	90	588	51	2,837			
Human Health and Social Work Activities	47	84	68	138	250	324	169	235	150	170	109	1,035	20	2,799			
Activities of Households as Employers; Undifferentiated Goods & Service Producing Activities of Households for Own Use	175	324	185	537	471	258	95	172	72	43	38	103	29	2,502			
Other Service Activities	145	130	98	236	288	278	142	150	126	106	68	434	44	2,245			
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	62	87	61	159	125	154	146	99	64	57	33	245	25	1,317			
Water Supply; Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities	60	47	54	104	82	119	41	82	50	50	45	190	17	941			
Real Estate Activities	29	40	31	68	95	116	69	94	78	53	55	179	9	916			
Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Condition Supply	19	31	31	48	73	43	16	38	34	22	15	475	12	857			
Fishing and Aquaculture	121	58	39	92	72	74	38	32	26	18	18	60	5	653			
Activities of Extra-Territorial Organizations and Bodies	1	1	0	4	11	30	22	20	34	44	34	229	0	430			
Mining and Quarrying	6	28	16	28	31	45	34	25	27	12	22	131	13	418			
Forestry and Logging	8	14	18	95	62	47	24	29	9	5	5	26	14	356			
Do Not Know or Not Stated	0	1	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7			

Source: Social Security Board

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**Table 2.17**  
**Percentage Distribution of Active Insured Persons by Industry and Average Weekly Insurable Earnings,**  
**2021p**

Industry	Average Weekly Insurable Earnings											Total		
	Under \$70.00	\$70.00 to \$109.99	\$110.00 to \$139.99	\$140.00 to \$179.99	\$180.00 to \$219.99	\$220.00 to \$259.99	\$260.00 to \$299.99	\$300.00 to \$339.99	\$340.00 to \$379.99	\$380.00 to \$420.00	\$420.00 to \$460.00		Over \$460.00	
<b>Total</b>	<b>11.3</b>	<b>13.5</b>	<b>16.6</b>	<b>22.5</b>	<b>22.1</b>	<b>21.1</b>	<b>16.5</b>	<b>14.1</b>	<b>11.8</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>10.8</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>10.4</b>	<b>14.5</b>
Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles	6.2	2.0	3.0	3.2	9.6	11.8	14.1	8.0	15.7	20.5	24.2	27.4	9.4	13.4
Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security	44.9	31.7	28.3	18.1	13.9	11.0	8.7	7.3	6.1	4.3	3.3	2.1	30.6	13.1
Agriculture	13.0	15.0	14.2	13.7	14.1	12.1	12.4	12.0	12.1	9.9	10.5	5.6	6.5	11.2
Accommodation and Food Service Activities	7.4	7.7	8.1	8.3	11.0	14.6	12.0	17.8	12.5	9.9	9.7	4.1	7.6	9.5
Construction	10.1	9.7	11.9	11.6	12.4	9.9	8.7	8.6	8.2	8.0	7.0	6.1	7.0	9.2
Manufacturing	10.0	21.2	10.1	15.7	7.1	7.2	10.2	10.5	8.4	7.4	5.1	4.3	2.6	9.1
Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	8.1	10.1	10.3	9.2	8.8	8.4	8.3	8.3	10.7	6.6	6.5	4.2	4.6	7.7
Administrative and Support Service Activities	0.7	0.9	1.5	1.1	1.9	2.4	2.8	2.7	5.1	8.1	8.2	17.4	3.1	5.9
Education	1.6	3.2	9.4	6.5	2.3	2.6	3.6	3.4	3.3	5.3	5.7	6.4	1.3	4.6
Information and Communication	0.4	0.5	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.5	2.3	4.8	4.2	4.2	4.2	7.0	2.1	3.1
Financial and Insurance Activities	3.2	1.7	3.1	2.3	2.3	2.4	3.6	3.7	2.8	2.6	2.3	2.5	4.0	2.6
Transportation and Storage	0.9	1.2	1.2	1.1	2.0	3.0	2.5	3.0	2.7	3.9	2.8	4.4	1.6	2.6
Human Health and Social Work Activities	3.4	4.7	3.2	4.2	3.8	2.4	1.4	2.2	1.3	1.0	1.0	0.4	2.3	2.3
Activities of Households as Employers; Undifferentiated Goods & Service Producing Activities of Households for Own Use	2.8	1.9	1.7	1.9	2.3	2.5	2.1	1.9	2.2	2.4	1.7	1.8	3.5	2.1
Other Service Activities	1.2	1.3	1.0	1.3	1.0	1.4	2.1	1.3	1.1	1.3	0.8	1.0	2.0	1.2
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	1.2	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.7	1.1	0.6	1.1	0.9	1.1	1.1	0.8	1.3	0.9
Water Supply; Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.8	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.4	1.2	1.4	0.8	0.7	0.9
Real Estate Activities	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.4	2.0	0.9	0.8
Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Condition Supply	2.4	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.6
Fishing and Aquaculture	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.6	1.0	0.9	1.0	0.0	0.4
Activities of Extra-Territorial Organizations and Bodies	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.6	1.0	0.4
Mining and Quarrying	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.1	0.3
Forestry and Logging	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Do Not Know or Not Stated	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Source: Social Security Board

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**Table 2.18**  
**Active Insured Persons within the Tourism Industry by Year and District,**  
**2017 - 2021p**

Tourism Industry	District						Total
	Belize	Cayo	Corozal	Orange Walk	Stann Creek	Toledo	
<b>2021p</b>	<b>8,042</b>	<b>2,631</b>	<b>768</b>	<b>445</b>	<b>3,452</b>	<b>371</b>	<b>15,709</b>
Accommodation for Visitors	3,528	1,240	122	142	2,703	203	7,938
Food and Beverage Serving Activities	2,723	966	341	295	547	102	4,974
Road Passenger Transport	7	17	13	3	18	3	61
Water Passenger Transport	158	0	6	0	17	0	181
Air Passenger Transport	505	2	0	0	0	0	507
Transport Equipment Rental	268	5	1	1	22	0	297
Travel Agencies and Other Reservation Services Activities	1,058	161	20	7	366	80	1,692
Cultural Activities	131	273	63	0	36	1	504
Sports and Recreational Activities	164	87	219	6	49	1	526
<b>2020r</b>	<b>9,225</b>	<b>2,871</b>	<b>818</b>	<b>504</b>	<b>3,405</b>	<b>413</b>	<b>17,236</b>
Accommodation for Visitors	3,414	1,339	147	130	2,589	266	7,885
Food and Beverage Serving Activities	3,045	886	335	340	518	142	5,266
Road Passenger Transport	21	17	20	3	26	5	92
Water Passenger Transport	249	0	6	0	22	3	280
Air Passenger Transport	663	3	0	0	0	0	666
Transport Equipment Rental	287	10	1	1	14	0	313
Travel Agencies and Other Reservation Services Activities	1,384	262	31	30	289	49	2,045
Cultural Activities	158	307	59	0	50	1	575
Sports and Recreational Activities	283	97	234	10	42	1	667
<b>2019</b>	<b>11,419</b>	<b>3,677</b>	<b>991</b>	<b>614</b>	<b>4,097</b>	<b>490</b>	<b>21,288</b>
Accommodation for Visitors	4,585	1,690	200	152	3,058	290	9,975
Food and Beverage Serving Activities	4,294	1,213	415	424	804	157	7,307
Road Passenger Transport	37	15	23	8	37	4	124
Water Passenger Transport	324	0	6	0	19	5	354
Air Passenger Transport	774	3	0	0	0	0	777
Transport Equipment Rental	366	14	1	1	22	0	404
Travel Agencies and Other Reservation Services Activities	1,574	353	39	32	405	55	2,458
Cultural Activities	179	465	53	0	50	13	760
Sports and Recreational Activities	388	133	303	16	74	1	915
<b>2018</b>	<b>11,122</b>	<b>3,669</b>	<b>1,033</b>	<b>700</b>	<b>4,203</b>	<b>666</b>	<b>21,393</b>
Accommodation for Visitors	4,490	1,726	196	170	3,058	306	9,946
Food and Beverage Serving Activities	4,052	1,173	405	359	768	144	6,901
Road Passenger Transport	111	188	108	133	72	151	763
Water Passenger Transport	324	0	5	0	18	3	350
Air Passenger Transport	748	2	0	0	0	4	754
Transport Equipment Rental	353	12	1	1	22	0	389
Travel Agencies and Other Reservation Services Activities	1,460	115	24	44	522	56	2,221
Cultural Activities	151	492	51	0	46	17	757
Sports and Recreational Activities	432	133	311	18	46	2	942
<b>2017</b>	<b>10,761</b>	<b>3,329</b>	<b>1,051</b>	<b>706</b>	<b>4,073</b>	<b>612</b>	<b>20,532</b>
Accommodation for Visitors	4,609	1,580	189	178	2,998	305	9,859
Food and Beverage Serving Activities	3,648	1,050	401	344	697	130	6,270
Road Passenger Transport	103	154	109	145	75	151	737
Water Passenger Transport	329	0	5	0	20	3	357
Air Passenger Transport	748	2	0	0	0	1	751
Transport Equipment Rental	344	8	4	1	26	0	383
Travel Agencies and Other Reservation Services Activities	1,377	111	24	38	502	33	2,085
Cultural Activities	154	451	57	0	43	7	712
Sports and Recreational Activities	424	119	327	15	50	1	936

Source: Social Security Board

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**Table 2.19**  
**Active Male Insured Persons within the Tourism Industry by Year and District,**  
**2017 - 2021p**

Tourism Industry	District						Total
	Belize	Cayo	Corozal	Orange Walk	Stann Creek	Toledo	
<b>2021p</b>	<b>4,644</b>	<b>1,445</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>2,083</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>8,866</b>
Accommodation for Visitors	2,071	828	59	66	1,782	115	4,921
Food and Beverage Serving Activities	1,282	305	117	61	162	25	1,952
Road Passenger Transport	6	16	13	2	17	3	57
Water Passenger Transport	115	0	5	0	15	0	135
Air Passenger Transport	366	2	0	0	0	0	368
Transport Equipment Rental	203	5	0	0	18	0	226
Travel Agencies and Other Reservation Services Activities	747	122	9	4	233	77	1,192
Cultural Activities	66	184	47	0	24	1	322
Sports and Recreational Activities	75	48	109	0	28	1	261
<b>2020r</b>	<b>5,211</b>	<b>1,596</b>	<b>363</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>2,023</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>9,567</b>
Accommodation for Visitors	1,902	832	74	66	1,673	167	4,714
Food and Beverage Serving Activities	1,400	291	108	75	154	39	2,067
Road Passenger Transport	18	16	18	2	24	5	83
Water Passenger Transport	196	0	5	0	17	3	221
Air Passenger Transport	487	3	0	0	0	0	490
Transport Equipment Rental	208	8	0	0	10	0	226
Travel Agencies and Other Reservation Services Activities	957	216	18	13	182	46	1,432
Cultural Activities	82	212	41	0	33	1	369
Sports and Recreational Activities	117	52	109	2	25	1	306
<b>2019</b>	<b>6,322</b>	<b>1,980</b>	<b>434</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>2,357</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>11,524</b>
Accommodation for Visitors	2,547	1,000	115	78	1,901	180	5,821
Food and Beverage Serving Activities	1,961	399	115	79	250	34	2,838
Road Passenger Transport	30	14	21	7	34	3	109
Water Passenger Transport	255	0	5	0	16	5	281
Air Passenger Transport	569	3	0	0	0	0	572
Transport Equipment Rental	272	12	0	0	20	0	304
Travel Agencies and Other Reservation Services Activities	1,069	273	24	14	290	42	1,712
Cultural Activities	99	340	38	0	31	12	520
Sports and Recreational Activities	162	64	142	4	46	1	419
<b>2018</b>	<b>6,201</b>	<b>1,987</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>299</b>	<b>2,528</b>	<b>437</b>	<b>11,922</b>
Accommodation for Visitors	2,498	1,057	107	86	1,951	203	5,902
Food and Beverage Serving Activities	1,874	357	106	71	257	33	2,698
Road Passenger Transport	92	171	100	126	68	145	702
Water Passenger Transport	262	0	4	0	15	3	284
Air Passenger Transport	560	2	0	0	0	0	562
Transport Equipment Rental	274	9	0	0	19	0	302
Travel Agencies and Other Reservation Services Activities	987	68	14	25	374	45	1,513
Cultural Activities	78	372	33	0	27	16	526
Sports and Recreational Activities	172	59	145	3	29	1	409
<b>2017</b>	<b>6,009</b>	<b>1,818</b>	<b>482</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>2,524</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>11,530</b>
Accommodation for Visitors	2,636	987	99	96	1,964	197	5,979
Food and Beverage Serving Activities	1,585	320	99	59	223	26	2,312
Road Passenger Transport	81	138	99	138	72	147	675
Water Passenger Transport	263	0	4	0	16	3	286
Air Passenger Transport	565	2	0	0	0	0	567
Transport Equipment Rental	259	7	3	0	24	0	293
Travel Agencies and Other Reservation Services Activities	913	72	17	19	381	24	1,426
Cultural Activities	83	338	37	0	26	6	490
Sports and Recreational Activities	168	47	164	3	31	1	414

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**Table 2.20**  
**Active Female Insured Persons within the Tourism Industry by Year and District,**  
**2017 - 2021p**

Tourism Industry	District						Total
	Belize	Cayo	Corozal	Orange Walk	Stann Creek	Toledo	
<b>2021p</b>	<b>3,398</b>	<b>1,186</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>313</b>	<b>1,369</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>6,843</b>
Accommodation for Visitors	1,457	412	63	76	921	88	3,017
Food and Beverage Serving Activities	1,441	661	224	234	385	77	3,022
Road Passenger Transport	1	1	0	1	1	0	4
Water Passenger Transport	43	0	1	0	2	0	46
Air Passenger Transport	139	0	0	0	0	0	139
Transport Equipment Rental	65	0	1	1	4	0	71
Travel Agencies and Other Reservation Services Activities	311	39	11	3	133	3	500
Cultural Activities	65	89	16	0	12	0	182
Sports and Recreational Activities	89	39	110	6	21	0	265
<b>2020r</b>	<b>4,014</b>	<b>1,275</b>	<b>455</b>	<b>348</b>	<b>1,382</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>7,669</b>
Accommodation for Visitors	1,512	507	73	64	916	99	3,171
Food and Beverage Serving Activities	1,645	595	227	265	364	103	3,199
Road Passenger Transport	3	1	2	1	2	0	9
Water Passenger Transport	53	0	1	0	5	0	59
Air Passenger Transport	176	0	0	0	0	0	176
Transport Equipment Rental	79	2	1	1	4	0	87
Travel Agencies and Other Reservation Services Activities	427	46	13	17	107	3	613
Cultural Activities	76	95	18	0	17	0	206
Sports and Recreational Activities	166	45	125	8	17	0	361
<b>2019</b>	<b>5,097</b>	<b>1,697</b>	<b>557</b>	<b>436</b>	<b>1,740</b>	<b>237</b>	<b>9,764</b>
Accommodation for Visitors	2,038	690	85	74	1,157	110	4,154
Food and Beverage Serving Activities	2,333	814	300	345	554	123	4,469
Road Passenger Transport	7	1	2	1	3	1	15
Water Passenger Transport	69	0	1	0	3	0	73
Air Passenger Transport	205	0	0	0	0	0	205
Transport Equipment Rental	94	2	1	1	2	0	100
Travel Agencies and Other Reservation Services Activities	505	80	15	18	115	13	746
Cultural Activities	80	125	15	0	19	1	240
Sports and Recreational Activities	226	69	161	12	28	0	496
<b>2018</b>	<b>4,921</b>	<b>1,682</b>	<b>563</b>	<b>401</b>	<b>1,675</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>9,471</b>
Accommodation for Visitors	1,992	669	89	84	1,107	103	4,044
Food and Beverage Serving Activities	2,178	816	299	288	511	111	4,203
Road Passenger Transport	19	17	8	7	4	6	61
Water Passenger Transport	62	0	1	0	3	0	66
Air Passenger Transport	188	0	0	0	0	4	192
Transport Equipment Rental	79	3	1	1	3	0	87
Travel Agencies and Other Reservation Services Activities	473	47	10	19	148	11	708
Cultural Activities	73	120	18	0	19	1	231
Sports and Recreational Activities	260	74	166	15	17	1	533
<b>2017</b>	<b>4,752</b>	<b>1,511</b>	<b>569</b>	<b>399</b>	<b>1,549</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>9,002</b>
Accommodation for Visitors	1,973	593	90	82	1,034	108	3,880
Food and Beverage Serving Activities	2,063	730	302	285	474	104	3,958
Road Passenger Transport	22	16	10	7	3	4	62
Water Passenger Transport	66	0	1	0	4	0	71
Air Passenger Transport	183	0	0	0	0	1	184
Transport Equipment Rental	85	1	1	1	2	0	90
Travel Agencies and Other Reservation Services Activities	464	39	7	19	121	9	659
Cultural Activities	71	113	20	0	17	1	222
Sports and Recreational Activities	256	72	163	12	19	0	522

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**Table 2.21A**  
**Active Insured Persons within the Tourism Industry by Employment Area, Nationality and Sex,**  
**2017 - 2018**

Employment Area	2017			2018		
	Total	Nationality		Total	Nationality	
		Belizean	Non-Belizean		Belizean	Non-Belizean
<b>Total</b>	<b>20,532</b>	<b>19,069</b>	<b>1,463</b>	<b>21,393</b>	<b>19,927</b>	<b>1,466</b>
Corozal	1,116	1,071	45	1,101	1,064	37
Orange Walk	721	686	35	725	687	38
Belize	5,504	5,176	328	5,475	5,164	311
Caye Caulker	887	815	72	968	901	67
Ambergris Caye	5,255	4,851	404	5,578	5,168	410
Cayo	3,473	3,261	212	3,839	3,613	226
Stann Creek	2,236	2,081	155	2,441	2,272	169
Placencia	2,113	1,880	233	2,061	1,828	233
Toledo	554	525	29	595	574	21
Other Island	231	213	18	240	222	18
<b>Female</b>	<b>9,002</b>	<b>8,384</b>	<b>618</b>	<b>9,471</b>	<b>8,843</b>	<b>628</b>
Corozal	594	576	18	592	578	14
Orange Walk	406	390	16	414	394	20
Belize	2,680	2,557	123	2,625	2,522	103
Caye Caulker	506	466	40	520	481	39
Ambergris Caye	1,979	1,796	183	2,162	1,961	201
Cayo	1,564	1,463	101	1,746	1,643	103
Stann Creek	896	822	74	1,034	954	80
Placencia	757	677	80	762	677	85
Toledo	193	181	12	202	194	8
Other Island	73	69	4	68	62	6
<b>Male</b>	<b>11,530</b>	<b>10,685</b>	<b>845</b>	<b>11,922</b>	<b>11,084</b>	<b>838</b>
Corozal	522	495	27	509	486	23
Orange Walk	315	296	19	311	293	18
Belize	2,824	2,619	205	2,850	2,642	208
Caye Caulker	381	349	32	448	420	28
Ambergris Caye	3,276	3,055	221	3,416	3,207	209
Cayo	1,909	1,798	111	2,093	1,970	123
Stann Creek	1,340	1,259	81	1,407	1,318	89
Placencia	1,356	1,203	153	1,299	1,151	148
Toledo	361	344	17	393	380	13
Other Island	158	144	14	172	160	12

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**Table 2.21B**  
**Active Insured Persons within the Tourism Industry by Employment Area, Nationality and Sex,**  
**2019 - 2021**

Employment Area	2019			2020r			2021p		
	Nationality			Nationality			Nationality		
	Total	Belizean	Non-Belizean	Total	Belizean	Non-Belizean	Total	Belizean	Non-Belizean
<b>Total</b>	<b>21,288</b>	<b>19,898</b>	<b>1,390</b>	<b>17,236</b>	<b>14,545</b>	<b>2,691</b>	<b>15,709</b>	<b>13,381</b>	<b>2,328</b>
Corozal	1,040	1,004	36	818	724	94	767	686	81
Orange Walk	633	596	37	504	420	84	445	380	65
Belize	5,609	5,289	320	4,546	3,899	647	3,761	3,235	526
Caye Caulker	1,088	1,027	61	709	618	91	452	392	60
Ambergris Caye	5,681	5,275	406	3,871	3,220	651	3,710	3,122	588
Cayo	3,886	3,643	243	2,871	2,308	563	2,631	2,128	503
Stann Creek	2,235	2,107	128	1,715	1,530	185	1,701	1,527	174
Placencia	2,166	1,967	199	1,630	1,316	314	1,656	1,384	272
Toledo	473	460	13	366	343	23	326	306	20
Other Island	263	246	17	206	167	39	260	221	39
<b>Female</b>	<b>9,764</b>	<b>9,145</b>	<b>619</b>	<b>7,669</b>	<b>6,458</b>	<b>1,211</b>	<b>6,843</b>	<b>5,803</b>	<b>1,040</b>
Corozal	580	567	13	455	404	51	413	368	45
Orange Walk	451	430	21	348	293	55	313	271	42
Belize	2,739	2,621	118	2,121	1,849	272	1,702	1,485	217
Caye Caulker	541	511	30	364	310	54	258	219	39
Ambergris Caye	2,247	2,042	205	1,510	1,201	309	1,418	1,138	280
Cayo	1,781	1,669	112	1,275	1,012	263	1,186	960	226
Stann Creek	1,042	970	72	746	657	89	723	633	90
Placencia	832	760	72	632	531	101	636	552	84
Toledo	211	206	5	161	154	7	128	120	8
Other Island	74	70	4	57	47	10	66	57	9
<b>Male</b>	<b>11,524</b>	<b>10,753</b>	<b>771</b>	<b>9,567</b>	<b>8,087</b>	<b>1,480</b>	<b>8,866</b>	<b>7,578</b>	<b>1,288</b>
Corozal	460	437	23	363	320	43	354	318	36
Orange Walk	182	166	16	156	127	29	132	109	23
Belize	2,870	2,668	202	2,425	2,050	375	2,059	1,750	309
Caye Caulker	547	516	31	345	308	37	194	173	21
Ambergris Caye	3,434	3,233	201	2,361	2,019	342	2,292	1,984	308
Cayo	2,105	1,974	131	1,596	1,296	300	1,445	1,168	277
Stann Creek	1,193	1,137	56	969	873	96	978	894	84
Placencia	1,334	1,207	127	998	785	213	1,020	832	188
Toledo	262	254	8	205	189	16	198	186	12
Other Island	189	176	13	149	120	29	194	164	30

Source: Social Security Board

Tourism Category is based on United Nations World Tourism Organization classification.

Notes: The total number of Active Insured Persons shown is not equal to the sum of the Insured Persons in each industry during the respective years due to persons working in different industries during the year.

**Table 2.22**  
**Number of Active Businesses within the Tourism Industry by Year and Business Area,**  
**2017 - 2021p**

Tourism Industry	Business Area										
	Total	Corozal	Orange Walk	Belize	Caye Caulker	Ambergris Caye	Cayo	Stann Creek	Placencia	Toledo	Other Island
<b>2021p</b>	<b>1,694</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>346</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>13</b>
Accommodation for Visitors	543	26	17	68	37	150	85	63	74	15	8
Food and Beverage Serving Activities	878	88	79	200	35	122	196	99	28	30	1
Road Passenger Transport	47	11	3	3	0	2	15	8	2	2	1
Water Passenger Transport	7	1	0	3	0	2	0	0	1	0	0
Air Passenger Transport	9	0	0	7	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Transport Equipment Rental	40	1	1	13	1	18	2	2	2	0	0
Travel Agencies and Other Reservation Services Activities	103	2	2	33	4	24	16	9	8	3	2
Cultural Activities	39	2	0	12	1	5	14	2	1	1	1
Sports and Recreational Activities	28	2	2	7	0	9	3	2	3	0	0
<b>2020r</b>	<b>2,066</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>432</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>429</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>10</b>
Accommodation for Visitors	590	24	16	73	53	155	95	67	81	19	7
Food and Beverage Serving Activities	1,083	95	98	251	55	173	214	113	38	46	0
Road Passenger Transport	57	12	3	10	0	3	14	7	3	4	1
Water Passenger Transport	11	1	0	3	0	3	0	0	2	2	0
Air Passenger Transport	8	0	0	6	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Transport Equipment Rental	49	1	1	15	1	25	3	1	2	0	0
Travel Agencies and Other Reservation Services Activities	176	3	5	51	12	48	28	16	9	2	2
Cultural Activities	52	2	0	13	1	9	18	6	2	1	0
Sports and Recreational Activities	40	1	5	10	1	12	3	5	3	0	0
<b>2019</b>	<b>2,294</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>471</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>487</b>	<b>421</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>11</b>
Accommodation for Visitors	597	23	16	75	60	150	99	69	79	18	8
Food and Beverage Serving Activities	1,249	111	99	284	62	222	244	138	45	44	0
Road Passenger Transport	69	14	8	13	0	4	14	9	3	3	1
Water Passenger Transport	12	1	0	3	1	3	0	0	2	2	0
Air Passenger Transport	9	0	0	7	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Transport Equipment Rental	55	1	1	14	2	31	3	1	2	0	0
Travel Agencies and Other Reservation Services Activities	200	3	6	51	13	54	34	19	13	5	2
Cultural Activities	57	2	0	13	0	9	22	6	2	3	0
Sports and Recreational Activities	46	1	7	11	1	13	4	5	4	0	0
<b>2018</b>	<b>2,236</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>446</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>444</b>	<b>412</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>9</b>
Accommodation for Visitors	566	24	16	67	56	132	100	66	78	20	7
Food and Beverage Serving Activities	1,168	114	90	258	58	204	225	132	41	45	1
Road Passenger Transport	166	24	24	31	1	4	32	31	5	14	0
Water Passenger Transport	12	1	0	3	1	5	0	0	1	1	0
Air Passenger Transport	10	0	0	7	0	1	1	0	0	1	0
Transport Equipment Rental	56	1	1	14	1	32	3	2	2	0	0
Travel Agencies and Other Reservation Services Activities	165	1	6	43	10	49	26	16	10	3	1
Cultural Activities	53	2	0	12	2	6	21	4	2	4	0
Sports and Recreational Activities	40	1	7	11	1	11	4	3	2	0	0
<b>2017</b>	<b>2,091</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>418</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>375</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>9</b>
Accommodation for Visitors	547	21	15	66	52	127	96	67	74	22	7
Food and Beverage Serving Activities	1,073	105	85	231	59	192	205	119	37	39	1
Road Passenger Transport	160	24	24	28	1	3	31	29	4	16	0
Water Passenger Transport	12	1	0	4	1	3	0	1	1	1	0
Air Passenger Transport	10	0	0	7	0	1	1	0	0	1	0
Transport Equipment Rental	48	1	1	13	2	25	2	2	2	0	0
Travel Agencies and Other Reservation Services Activities	155	1	6	46	10	46	18	19	7	1	1
Cultural Activities	46	2	0	12	2	6	17	3	2	2	0
Sports and Recreational Activities	40	1	6	11	1	11	5	2	3	0	0

Source: Social Security Board

Tourism Category is based on United Nations World Tourism Organization classification

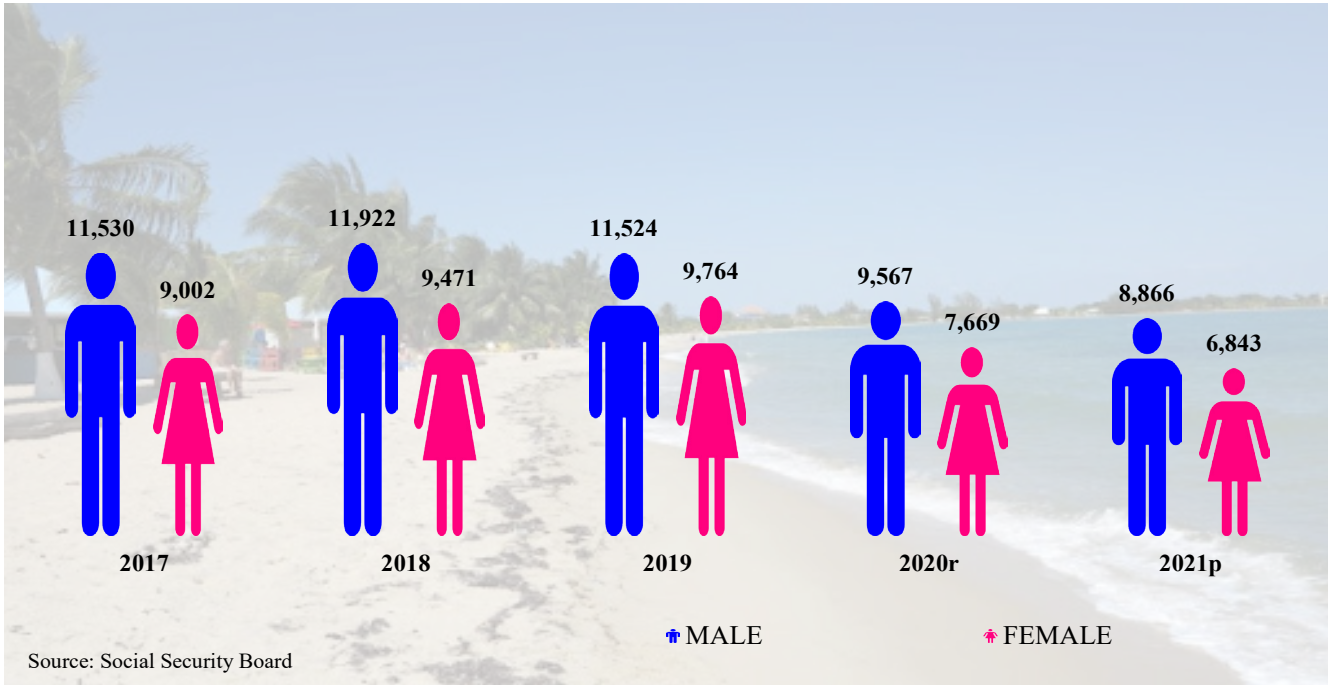
**Table 2.23**  
**Percentage of Tourism Active Insured Persons to Total Active Insured Persons by District and Year,**  
**2017 - 2021**

District	Registered Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Tourism AIPs as a Percentage of Total AIPs</b>	<b>19.4</b>	<b>19.6</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>16.4</b>	<b>14.7</b>
Corozal	13.1	13.0	12.8	11.7	11.5
Orange Walk	7.7	7.3	6.3	5.4	4.7
Belize	24.1	24.0	24.1	20.7	17.6
Cayo	12.7	13.7	13.2	10.6	9.5
Stann Creek	30.4	29.4	27.4	24.8	24.6
Toledo	13.8	16.3	13.7	11.7	10.4
<b>Total Active Insured Persons (AIPs)</b>	<b>105,846</b>	<b>109,071</b>	<b>111,344</b>	<b>105,100</b>	<b>107,164</b>
Corozal	8,053	7,939	7,750	6,999	6,669
Orange Walk	9,141	9,564	9,816	9,283	9,512
Belize	44,626	46,339	47,362	44,514	45,636
Cayo	26,216	26,861	27,894	27,031	27,733
Stann Creek	13,380	14,279	14,942	13,736	14,056
Toledo	4,430	4,089	3,580	3,537	3,558
<b>Tourism Active Insured Persons (AIPs)</b>	<b>20,532</b>	<b>21,393</b>	<b>21,288</b>	<b>17,236</b>	<b>15,709</b>
Corozal	1,051	1,033	991	818	768
Orange Walk	706	700	614	504	445
Belize	10,761	11,122	11,419	9,225	8,042
Cayo	3,329	3,669	3,677	2,871	2,631
Stann Creek	4,073	4,203	4,097	3,405	3,452
Toledo	612	666	490	413	371

Source: Social Security Board and Statistical Institute of Belize

Tourism Category is based on United Nations World Tourism Organization classification

**Chart 5**  
**Active Insured Persons in the Tourism Industry,**  
**2017 - 2021**



**Table 2.24**  
**Active Employers by District,**  
**2017 - 2021**

District	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,552</b>	<b>11,750</b>	<b>12,033</b>	<b>11,159</b>	<b>10,477</b>
Corozal	2,680	2,592	2,608	2,385	2,466
Orange Walk	1,465	1,517	1,487	1,373	1,274
Belize	3,542	3,678	3,845	3,494	3,089
Cayo	2,228	2,284	2,331	2,239	2,114
Stann Creek	1,167	1,205	1,260	1,197	1,124
Toledo	470	474	502	471	410

Source: Social Security Board

**Table 2.25**  
**Active Businesses by Industry,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Industry	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,479</b>	<b>12,697</b>	<b>13,032</b>	<b>12,100</b>	<b>11,346</b>
Agriculture	2,633	2,502	2,383	2,152	2,253
Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles	1,923	1,974	1,990	1,899	1,820
Activities of Households as Employers; Undifferentiated Goods & Service Producing Activities of Households for Own Use	1,738	1,774	1,785	1,631	1,443
Accommodation and Food Service Activities	1,578	1,684	1,798	1,612	1,362
Construction	894	891	984	847	873
Manufacturing	666	687	744	701	627
Administrative and Support Service Activities	544	558	604	563	468
Other Service Activities	393	446	512	513	451
Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	355	353	377	363	363
Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security	318	332	335	333	334
Transportation and Storage	355	367	374	345	288
Human Health and Social Work Activities	201	209	220	234	235
Education	208	212	217	214	170
Financial and Insurance Activities	119	124	123	121	132
Information and Communication	121	127	122	113	115
Real Estate Activities	100	108	111	116	112
Water Supply; Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities	79	75	83	81	79
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	102	105	113	101	76
Fishing and Aquaculture	40	42	39	41	36
Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Condition Supply	18	28	29	33	36
Mining and Quarrying	28	28	27	25	24
Forestry and Logging	40	45	37	34	23
Activities of Extra-Territorial Organizations and Bodies	19	19	21	25	23
Do Not Know or Not Stated	7	7	4	3	3

Source: Social Security Board

Note: Classification of Industry as per International Standard Industrial Classification of Economic Activities Revision 4.

**Table 2.26**  
**Active Businesses and its Percentage Distribution by District,**  
**2017 - 2021**

District	Year									
	2017		2018		2019		2020r		2021p	
	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,479</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>12,697</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>13,032</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>12,100</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>11,346</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Corozal	2,784	22.3	2,673	21.1	2,700	20.7	2,468	20.4	2,556	22.5
Orange Walk	1,582	12.7	1,635	12.9	1,596	12.2	1,477	12.2	1,359	12.0
Belize	3,767	30.2	3,900	30.7	4,111	31.5	3,730	30.8	3,300	29.1
Cayo	2,560	20.5	2,646	20.8	2,704	20.7	2,603	21.5	2,466	21.7
Stann Creek	1,262	10.1	1,322	10.4	1,359	10.4	1,295	10.7	1,213	10.7
Toledo	524	4.2	521	4.1	562	4.3	527	4.4	452	4.0

Source: Social Security Board

**Table 2.27**  
**Active Businesses by Number of Employees and Business Type,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Business Type	Number of Employees	Year									
		2017		2018		2019		2020r		2021p	
		Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%
<b>Total</b>		<b>12,479</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>12,697</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>13,032</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>12,100</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>11,346</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Micro	1 to 5	8,074	64.7	8,402	66.2	8,660	66.5	8,251	68.2	7,380	65.0
Small	6 to 20	3,279	26.3	3,154	24.8	3,202	24.6	2,842	23.5	2,942	25.9
Medium	21 to 99	910	7.3	908	7.2	950	7.3	814	6.7	820	7.2
Large	100 +	216	1.7	233	1.8	220	1.7	193	1.6	204	1.8

Source: Social Security Board



# **BENEFITS**

**T**his section presents information on social security benefits, Non-Contributory Pension (NCP), and appeals. The primary source of benefits data is the Social Security Board's (SSB) databases. Data on the Mid-Year Population Estimates are obtained from the SIB.

**Social Security Coverage** – includes employed persons aged 14 to 64 years, including public officers and self-employed persons. Persons aged 65 or older who engage in insurable employment are only covered for work injury benefits as of May 7, 1988 and a reduced contribution of BZ\$2.60 weekly is paid only by the Employer. Not covered are persons engaged in casual labour, persons employed for less than eight (8) hours in a contribution week, and military personnel. Coverage was later expanded to include the Self-Employed and Non-Contributory Pensioners.

Unemployed persons who have met the requirements for voluntary coverage are only covered for Retirement, Survivors' Benefits and Funeral Grant due to natural causes.

**Appeals** – Legal Services, SSB, oversees the logistical arrangement for all appeals to be heard and further manages the process for appellants to be duly informed of decisions of the tribunal hearing.

**Table 3.1**  
**Benefits Expenditure by Branch/Benefit,**  
**2017 - 2021**  
**(BZ\$)**

Branch/Benefit	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$86,324,696</b>	<b>\$90,449,763</b>	<b>\$97,805,964</b>	<b>\$99,494,985</b>	<b>\$110,683,377</b>
<b>Short Term</b>	<b>\$15,232,967</b>	<b>\$14,356,574</b>	<b>\$15,566,629</b>	<b>\$15,341,878</b>	<b>\$17,481,071</b>
Sickness	\$10,656,948	\$9,348,033	\$10,536,256	\$10,512,595	\$13,029,055
Maternity Allowance	\$3,604,593	\$4,013,176	\$4,081,173	\$4,048,683	\$3,738,063
Maternity Grant	\$971,426	\$995,366	\$949,200	\$780,600	\$713,953
<b>Long Term</b>	<b>\$49,859,411</b>	<b>\$54,032,583</b>	<b>\$59,987,913</b>	<b>\$64,434,212</b>	<b>\$72,788,522</b>
Retirement	\$35,453,108	\$39,405,171	\$44,996,664	\$49,385,407	\$56,011,357
Survivors	\$7,159,864	\$7,627,724	\$7,900,148	\$8,095,536	\$9,147,976
Invalidity	\$3,588,154	\$3,630,584	\$4,003,589	\$4,058,098	\$4,374,432
Funeral Grant (NC)	\$1,360,915	\$1,359,717	\$1,333,651	\$1,370,663	\$1,940,597
Non-Contributory Pensions	\$2,297,370	\$2,009,387	\$1,753,861	\$1,524,508	\$1,314,160
<b>Employment Injury</b>	<b>\$3,308,764</b>	<b>\$3,662,783</b>	<b>\$3,368,219</b>	<b>\$3,092,753</b>	<b>\$4,943,086</b>
Injury Benefit	\$2,468,525	\$2,348,050	\$2,436,394	\$2,109,998	\$1,949,871
Disablement Grant	\$518,250	\$483,701	\$414,107	\$331,048	\$409,512
Funeral Grant (EI)	\$1,500	\$9,000	\$9,000	\$3,000	\$0
APV Disablement and Death	\$320,489	\$822,032	\$508,718	\$648,707	\$2,583,703
<b>Disablement and Death Pension</b>	<b>\$2,100,889</b>	<b>\$2,092,614</b>	<b>\$2,176,738</b>	<b>\$2,252,198</b>	<b>\$2,289,526</b>
<b>National Health Insurance</b>	<b>\$15,822,665</b>	<b>\$16,305,209</b>	<b>\$16,706,465</b>	<b>\$14,373,944</b>	<b>\$13,181,172</b>

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: National Health Insurance Expenditure refers to all payments made to Primary Care Providers.

NC - Natural Causes

EI - Employment Injury

APV - Actuarial Present Value

**Table 3.2**  
**New Claims Allowed by Branch/Benefit,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Branch/Benefit	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>48,486</b>	<b>42,649</b>	<b>43,772</b>	<b>31,987</b>	<b>37,464</b>
<b>Short Term</b>	<b>43,854</b>	<b>38,002</b>	<b>39,146</b>	<b>27,853</b>	<b>32,498</b>
Sickness	39,301	33,204	34,550	24,037	29,029
Maternity Allowance	1,352	1,466	1,439	1,233	1,110
Maternity Grant	3,201	3,332	3,157	2,583	2,359
<b>Long Term</b>	<b>2,683</b>	<b>2,759</b>	<b>3,002</b>	<b>2,861</b>	<b>3,665</b>
Retirement	1,181	1,300	1,554	1,411	1,768
Survivors	390	371	379	93	437
Invalidity	108	88	84	333	97
Funeral Grant (NC)	1,004	1,000	985	1,024	1,363
<b>Employment Injury</b>	<b>1,949</b>	<b>1,888</b>	<b>1,624</b>	<b>1,273</b>	<b>1,301</b>
Injury	1,789	1,745	1,492	977	1,048
Disablement	147	129	120	290	252
Death Benefit	12	13	6	3	0
Funeral Grant (EI)	1	1	6	3	1

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: Retirement, Survivors', Invalidity, Disablement and Death Benefits include those that have received either a pension or a grant.

NC - Natural Causes

EI - Employment Injury

**Table 3.3**  
**Benefit Recipients by Branch/Benefit,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Branch/Benefit	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>47,680</b>	<b>44,374</b>	<b>45,602</b>	<b>39,345</b>	<b>43,526</b>
<b>Short Term</b>	<b>31,424</b>	<b>27,582</b>	<b>28,551</b>	<b>22,462</b>	<b>25,244</b>
Sickness	26,913	22,813	23,987	18,665	21,788
Maternity Allowance	1,329	1,451	1,422	1,224	1,104
Maternity Grant	3,182	3,318	3,142	2,573	2,352
<b>Long Term</b>	<b>13,674</b>	<b>14,237</b>	<b>14,748</b>	<b>15,135</b>	<b>16,475</b>
Retirement	6,786	7,418	8,282	8,771	9,517
Survivors	3,442	3,426	3,359	3,339	3,754
Invalidity	428	534	552	591	619
Funeral Grant (NC)	1,000	996	980	1,022	1,357
Non-Contributory Pensions	2,018	1,863	1,575	1,412	1,228
<b>Employment Injury</b>	<b>2,582</b>	<b>2,555</b>	<b>2,303</b>	<b>1,748</b>	<b>1,807</b>
Injury	1,725	1,689	1,457	950	1,026
Disablement	598	596	595	567	573
Death Benefit	258	269	245	228	207
Funeral Grant (EI)	1	1	6	3	1

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: Retirement, Survivors', Invalidity, Disablement and Death Benefits include those that have received either a pension or a grant.

NC - Natural Causes

EI - Employment Injury

**Table 3.4**  
**Total Number of Sickness Benefit Days Claimed within each Sickness Benefit Days Group,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Sickness Benefit Days Group	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>352,862</b>	<b>303,950</b>	<b>312,727</b>	<b>270,338</b>	<b>319,552</b>
1	2,218	2,565	2,443	1,428	1,486
2	10,576	12,058	11,966	7,168	6,118
3	18,903	19,608	19,413	10,923	10,650
4 - 7	82,217	53,597	58,674	38,871	45,914
8 - 14	61,624	41,577	46,439	37,963	68,648
15 - 21	25,208	22,197	23,443	28,592	58,152
22 - 28	13,956	12,534	12,309	18,250	19,782
29 - 35	17,649	17,222	17,371	20,513	16,832
36 - 42	10,217	8,860	9,968	11,089	9,169
43 - 49	8,883	8,822	9,969	9,710	8,794
50 - 56	6,506	6,520	6,864	5,792	5,542
57 - 63	9,409	10,640	10,266	7,882	8,358
64 - 70	6,552	6,445	7,466	4,398	3,703
71 - 77	5,472	5,525	5,830	3,753	4,732
78 - 84	5,164	4,852	5,527	2,410	3,073
85 - 91	4,409	5,025	5,294	3,894	3,177
92 - 98	4,353	4,988	6,787	4,806	4,910
99 - 105	2,955	4,593	4,293	2,458	2,855
106 - 112	1,846	3,066	2,191	2,944	2,731
113 - 119	2,775	3,363	2,881	2,188	2,920
120 - 126	2,800	2,591	3,335	2,707	3,812
127 - 133	3,265	2,999	2,992	1,821	1,432
134 - 140	2,620	2,063	2,052	1,792	1,766
141 - 147	1,446	1,140	3,033	2,028	1,577
148 - 156	2,610	3,361	3,053	2,131	1,524
157 - 234	39,229	37,739	28,868	34,827	21,895

Source: Social Security Board

**Table 3.5**  
**Mean Benefit Payment by Sickness Benefit Days Group,**  
**2017 - 2021**  
**(BZ\$)**

Sickness Benefit Days Group	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
1	\$32	\$32	\$35	\$40	\$40
2	\$64	\$65	\$70	\$81	\$81
3	\$95	\$96	\$104	\$120	\$121
4 - 7	\$163	\$162	\$176	\$205	\$203
8 - 14	\$310	\$322	\$344	\$409	\$443
15 - 21	\$534	\$539	\$579	\$673	\$642
22 - 28	\$760	\$785	\$824	\$963	\$964
29 - 35	\$992	\$1,009	\$1,076	\$1,246	\$1,238
36 - 42	\$1,194	\$1,237	\$1,341	\$1,511	\$1,554
43 - 49	\$1,476	\$1,445	\$1,553	\$1,776	\$1,843
50 - 56	\$1,642	\$1,608	\$1,782	\$2,087	\$2,089
57 - 63	\$1,882	\$1,869	\$2,012	\$2,431	\$2,369
64 - 70	\$2,177	\$2,008	\$2,199	\$2,644	\$2,678
71 - 77	\$2,201	\$2,400	\$2,498	\$3,178	\$2,940
78 - 84	\$2,563	\$2,641	\$2,625	\$3,069	\$3,536
85 - 91	\$2,690	\$2,753	\$2,924	\$3,579	\$3,344
92 - 98	\$2,836	\$2,862	\$3,115	\$3,659	\$3,634
99 - 105	\$3,168	\$3,120	\$3,336	\$3,722	\$3,834
106 - 112	\$3,586	\$3,564	\$3,662	\$4,191	\$3,921
113 - 119	\$3,788	\$3,777	\$3,866	\$4,683	\$5,092
120 - 126	\$3,767	\$3,961	\$4,323	\$5,003	\$5,637
127 - 133	\$4,067	\$4,102	\$4,385	\$4,983	\$4,998
134 - 140	\$4,265	\$4,628	\$3,798	\$5,952	\$4,769
141 - 147	\$4,715	\$4,772	\$4,565	\$6,118	\$4,830
148 - 156	\$4,559	\$4,918	\$4,960	\$6,789	\$6,199
157 - 234	\$5,862	\$5,981	\$6,296	\$7,265	\$7,829
<b>Mean Annual Payment (BZ\$)</b>	<b>\$274</b>	<b>\$282</b>	<b>\$300</b>	<b>\$435</b>	<b>\$432</b>

Source: Social Security Board

Note: Mean annual payment refers to the average cost per allowed claim.

**Table 3.6**  
**Sickness Benefit by Selected Characteristics,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Selected Characteristics	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Number of New Claims Allowed</b>	<b>39,301</b>	<b>33,204</b>	<b>34,550</b>	<b>24,141</b>	<b>29,029</b>
<b>Age Group</b>					
14 - 19	625	446	440	240	312
20 - 24	5,681	4,740	5,038	3,322	4,289
25 - 29	8,083	6,815	7,027	5,063	5,960
30 - 34	7,139	6,241	6,472	4,563	5,541
35 - 39	5,665	4,754	5,055	3,588	4,215
40 - 44	4,432	3,697	3,817	2,638	3,068
45 - 49	3,489	2,890	3,010	2,122	2,465
50 - 54	2,464	2,173	2,204	1,566	1,897
55 - 64	1,723	1,448	1,487	1,039	1,282
<b>Average Days Claimed</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>Age Group</b>					
14 - 19	6	5	6	10	10
20 - 24	5	5	5	9	9
25 - 29	5	5	5	9	9
30 - 34	6	6	5	10	10
35 - 39	6	6	6	11	11
40 - 44	6	6	6	13	12
45 - 49	7	7	8	14	14
50 - 54	8	8	8	15	14
55 - 64	8	9	9	18	17
<b>Sex</b>	<b>39,301</b>	<b>33,204</b>	<b>34,550</b>	<b>24,141</b>	<b>29,029</b>
Male	20,583	16,603	17,386	12,064	14,676
Female	18,718	16,601	17,164	12,077	14,353

Source: Social Security Board

Note: Average days claimed refers to the average days per allowed claim.

**Table 3.7**  
**Sickness Benefit Claims Paid by Industry,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Industry	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>39,301</b>	<b>33,204</b>	<b>34,550</b>	<b>24,037</b>	<b>29,029</b>
Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security	10,153	8,802	8,421	6,293	6,609
Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles	4,529	3,478	3,501	2,588	3,238
Administrative and Support Service Activities	1,841	1,748	2,264	1,510	2,300
Manufacturing	3,138	2,355	2,484	1,990	2,230
Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	1,326	1,269	1,500	1,263	2,186
Financial and Insurance Activities	1,794	1,686	1,818	1,606	1,889
Accommodation and Food Service Activities	3,202	2,504	2,710	1,128	1,731
Information and Communication	1,895	1,764	1,999	1,339	1,517
Human Health and Social Work Activities	1,580	1,500	1,454	1,230	1,422
Agriculture	1,669	1,190	1,272	1,010	1,348
Construction	1,328	1,092	1,275	746	1,013
Education	2,318	1,900	1,892	1,050	819
Transportation and Storage	1,144	1,045	984	555	672
Water Supply; Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities	364	308	344	231	335
Activities of Households as Employers; Undifferentiated Goods & Service Producing Activities of Households for Own Use	563	426	439	282	319
Other Service Activities	515	503	577	311	300
Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Condition Supply	323	299	300	211	244
Activities of Extra-Territorial Organizations and Bodies	240	240	288	173	233
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	773	658	603	211	222
Mining and Quarrying	143	124	135	107	143
Real Estate Activities	156	149	133	112	132
Fishing and Aquaculture	237	113	103	54	82
Forestry and Logging	68	51	49	37	42
Do Not Know or Not Stated	2	0	5	0	3

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: Classification of Industry as per International Standard Industrial Classification of Economic Activities Revision 4.

**Table 3.8**  
**Maternity Allowance by Selected Characteristics,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Selected Characteristics	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Claims Allowed</b>	<b>1,352</b>	<b>1,466</b>	<b>1,439</b>	<b>1,233</b>	<b>1,110</b>
<b>Age Group</b>					
14 - 19	37	40	40	29	18
20 - 24	347	354	316	260	235
25 - 29	434	500	479	395	380
30 - 34	354	349	417	346	298
35 - 39	158	177	149	156	144
40 - 44	20	45	36	45	33
45 - 64	2	1	2	2	2
<b>Weeks Claimed</b>					
< 14 Weeks	55	64	71	52	86
14 Weeks	1,297	1,402	1,368	1,181	1,024
<b>Mean Annual Payment (BZ\$)</b>	<b>\$2,771</b>	<b>\$2,790</b>	<b>\$2,840</b>	<b>\$3,315</b>	<b>\$3,350</b>
<b>Age Group</b>					
14 - 19	\$1,878	\$2,280	\$2,280	\$2,148	\$2,231
20 - 24	\$2,551	\$2,559	\$2,629	\$2,761	\$2,688
25 - 29	\$2,819	\$2,833	\$2,906	\$3,387	\$3,355
30 - 34	\$2,923	\$2,960	\$2,910	\$3,479	\$3,708
35 - 39	\$2,973	\$2,881	\$3,016	\$3,818	\$3,755
40 - 44	\$2,933	\$2,955	\$2,814	\$3,678	\$3,578
45 - 64	\$2,274	\$1,008	\$4,084	\$2,169	\$3,739

Source: Social Security Board

Note: Mean annual payment refers to the average cost per allowed claim.



**Table 3.9**  
**Maternity Grants Paid by Age Group and Sex,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Age Group	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,201</b>	<b>3,332</b>	<b>3,157</b>	<b>2,583</b>	<b>2,359</b>
14 - 19	88	89	80	47	30
20 - 24	792	800	741	552	464
25 - 29	1,007	1,037	951	780	745
30 - 34	734	755	762	660	603
35 - 39	376	408	373	330	336
40 - 44	122	159	161	145	110
45 - 49	47	40	52	45	41
50 - 54	25	32	20	17	24
55 - 59	9	8	11	5	6
60+	1	4	6	2	0
<b>Male*</b>	<b>1,820</b>	<b>1,851</b>	<b>1,683</b>	<b>1,316</b>	<b>1,233</b>
14 - 19	51	54	39	21	13
20 - 24	438	447	409	285	237
25 - 29	565	533	472	380	360
30 - 34	370	394	338	302	296
35 - 39	217	226	214	167	180
40 - 44	99	115	124	96	79
45 - 49	45	39	50	41	38
50 - 54	25	31	20	17	24
55 - 59	9	8	11	5	6
60+	1	4	6	2	0
<b>Female</b>	<b>1,381</b>	<b>1,481</b>	<b>1,474</b>	<b>1,267</b>	<b>1,126</b>
14 - 19	37	35	41	26	17
20 - 24	354	353	332	267	227
25 - 29	442	504	479	400	385
30 - 34	364	361	424	358	307
35 - 39	159	182	159	163	156
40 - 44	23	44	37	49	31
45 - 49	2	1	2	4	3
50 - 54	0	1	0	0	0
55 - 59	0	0	0	0	0
60+	0	0	0	0	0

Source: Social Security Board

Note: \*Maternity grants are payable to male insured persons who present proof of paternity. A grant is not paid to fathers in respect of a child for whom an insured mother has claimed.

**Table 3.10**  
**Pensions by Recipients at Year End and Expenditure,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Pension	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total Recipient</b>	<b>12,527</b>	<b>13,142</b>	<b>13,655</b>	<b>14,071</b>	<b>14,969</b>
Contributory Pensioners	<b>10,509</b>	<b>11,279</b>	<b>12,080</b>	<b>12,659</b>	<b>13,741</b>
Retirement	6,312	6,957	7,685	8,290	8,982
Invalidity	480	501	531	571	603
Survivors'	2,987	3,074	3,087	3,060	3,437
Disablement	472	478	532	510	512
Death	258	269	245	228	207
Non-Contributory Pensioners	<b>2,018</b>	<b>1,863</b>	<b>1,575</b>	<b>1,412</b>	<b>1,228</b>
<b>Total Expenditure (BZ\$)</b>	<b>\$47,776,838</b>	<b>\$52,035,039</b>	<b>\$57,464,953</b>	<b>\$62,829,039</b>	<b>\$62,790,286</b>
Contributory Pensioners	<b>\$45,479,468</b>	<b>\$50,025,652</b>	<b>\$55,711,092</b>	<b>\$61,304,531</b>	<b>\$61,409,897</b>
Retirement	\$33,933,080	\$37,767,713	\$42,861,371	\$47,743,122	\$54,051,090
Invalidity	\$3,197,738	\$3,380,457	\$3,602,840	\$3,899,856	\$4,149,433
Survivors'	\$6,247,760	\$6,784,868	\$7,070,143	\$7,409,354	\$894,250
Disablement	\$1,453,451	\$1,446,074	\$1,547,485	\$1,603,175	\$1,710,493
Death	\$647,438	\$646,540	\$629,253	\$649,023	\$604,631
Non-Contributory Pensioners	<b>\$2,297,370</b>	<b>\$2,009,387</b>	<b>\$1,753,861</b>	<b>\$1,524,508</b>	<b>\$1,380,388</b>

Source: Social Security Board

Note: Due to rounding total expenditure may not add up.

**Table 3.11**  
**Retirement Pensions Awarded During the Year by Age, Sex and Mean Annual Payment,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Age	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>696</b>	<b>799</b>	<b>931</b>	<b>931</b>	<b>1,084</b>
60	300	392	428	453	514
61	122	118	168	153	209
62	52	72	58	69	77
63	39	32	51	54	65
64	31	27	32	34	46
65	106	111	132	124	121
66	31	37	45	34	42
67	6	7	7	2	5
68	4	0	3	4	1
69+	5	3	7	4	4
<b>Male</b>	<b>439</b>	<b>512</b>	<b>595</b>	<b>569</b>	<b>639</b>
60	176	220	253	250	264
61	73	86	114	96	126
62	30	50	44	48	52
63	28	19	38	33	37
64	19	21	16	28	38
65	78	82	91	92	85
66	23	26	27	19	34
67	5	6	5	1	3
68	4	0	2	2	0
69+	3	2	5	0	0
<b>Female</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>445</b>
60	124	172	175	203	250
61	49	32	54	57	83
62	22	22	14	21	25
63	11	13	13	21	28
64	12	6	16	6	8
65	28	29	41	32	36
66	8	11	18	15	8
67	1	1	2	1	2
68	0	0	1	2	1
69+	2	1	2	4	4
<b>Mean Annual Payment (BZ\$)</b>					
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$6,516</b>	<b>\$5,247</b>	<b>\$6,319</b>	<b>\$6,787</b>	<b>\$6,824</b>
Male	\$6,445	\$5,222	\$6,463	\$6,879	\$7,001
Female	\$6,639	\$5,297	\$6,046	\$6,642	\$6,567

Source: Social Security Board

Note: Mean annual payment refers to the average annual cost per allowed claim.

**Table 3.12**  
**Retirement Grants Awarded by Age, Sex and Mean Annual Payment,**  
**2017 - 2021**

	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Age</b>					
<b>Total</b>	<b>458</b>	<b>461</b>	<b>609</b>	<b>481</b>	<b>535</b>
60	122	163	231	192	215
61	76	64	89	75	78
62	46	44	45	45	50
63	35	28	33	27	34
64	31	27	28	29	32
65	52	64	78	47	46
66	36	18	28	21	27
67	21	17	22	15	11
68	12	10	13	7	12
69+	27	26	42	23	30
<b>Male</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>294</b>	<b>351</b>	<b>277</b>	<b>315</b>
60	65	86	109	95	118
61	44	38	45	48	41
62	31	29	22	29	26
63	21	19	22	18	21
64	17	19	20	18	18
65	41	54	54	27	34
66	27	14	22	14	20
67	15	11	12	11	7
68	7	5	11	4	8
69+	19	19	34	13	22
<b>Female</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>258</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>220</b>
60	57	77	122	97	97
61	32	26	44	27	37
62	15	15	23	16	24
63	14	9	11	9	13
64	14	8	8	11	14
65	11	10	24	20	12
66	9	4	6	7	7
67	6	6	10	4	4
68	5	5	2	3	4
69+	8	7	8	10	8
<b>Mean Annual Payment (BZ\$)</b>					
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,150</b>	<b>\$3,575</b>	<b>\$3,548</b>	<b>\$3,528</b>	<b>\$3,723</b>
Male	\$3,315	\$3,905	\$3,823	\$3,820	\$3,831
Female	\$2,875	\$2,994	\$3,174	\$3,132	\$3,567

Source: Social Security Board

Note: Mean annual payment refers to the average cost per allowed claim.

**Table 3.13**  
**'Invalidity Pensioners at Year End by Age Group and Sex,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Age Group	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>532</b>	<b>571</b>	<b>603</b>
< 20	0	0	0	0	0
20 - 24	1	1	0	0	1
25 - 29	4	7	3	2	1
30 - 34	10	10	8	9	8
35 - 39	25	26	14	17	23
40 - 44	55	61	30	30	34
45 - 49	99	105	65	75	76
50 - 54	132	142	118	113	104
55 - 59	123	119	149	162	174
60 - 64	31	29	117	119	122
65+	0	0	28	44	60
<b>Male</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>333</b>
< 20	0	0	0	0	0
20 - 24	1	1	0	0	1
25 - 29	4	7	3	2	0
30 - 34	6	7	7	7	7
35 - 39	16	15	8	10	16
40 - 44	35	37	18	19	20
45 - 49	48	54	42	46	45
50 - 54	68	72	61	53	53
55 - 59	65	62	74	87	95
60 - 64	16	16	61	61	65
65+	0	0	16	22	31
<b>Female</b>	<b>221</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>270</b>
< 20	0	0	0	0	0
20 - 24	0	0	0	0	0
25 - 29	0	0	0	0	1
30 - 34	4	3	1	2	1
35 - 39	9	11	6	7	7
40 - 44	20	24	12	11	14
45 - 49	51	51	23	29	31
50 - 54	64	70	57	60	51
55 - 59	58	57	75	75	79
60 - 64	15	13	56	58	57
65+	0	0	12	22	29

Source: Social Security Board

Note: 'Includes all persons declared by a medical board as permanently "incapable to work" as a result from a specific disease or bodily or mental disablement and are receiving a Social Security Invalidity Pension.

**Table 3.14**  
**<sup>1</sup>Spouses Receiving Survivors' Pension at Year End by Sex and Mean Annual Payment,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Selected Characteristics	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020p	2021p
<b>Sex</b>					
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,384</b>	<b>1,472</b>	<b>1,564</b>	<b>1,629</b>	<b>1,760</b>
Male	13	14	13	12	12
Female	1,371	1,458	1,551	1,617	1,748
<b>Mean Annual Payment (BZ\$)</b>	<b>\$3,420</b>	<b>\$3,486</b>	<b>\$3,556</b>	<b>\$3,620</b>	<b>\$3,718</b>

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: Mean annual payment refers to the average annual cost per allowed claim.

<sup>1</sup>Includes all persons classified as spouses in receipt of a Social Security Survivors' Pension.

**Table 3.15**  
**Children Awarded Survivors' Pension During the Year by Age Group,**  
**Sex and Mean Annual Payment,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Age Group	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>206</b>
00 - 04	24	25	35	15	28
05 - 09	43	36	41	35	48
10 - 14	63	64	63	39	63
15 - 16	24	24	23	42	44
17 - 21	23	37	45	9	23
22+	3	8	3	1	0
<b>Male</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>96</b>
00 - 04	12	12	21	9	11
05 - 09	24	20	23	17	25
10 - 14	31	33	37	17	22
15 - 16	7	15	10	16	26
17 - 21	9	21	25	9	12
22+	3	3	0	0	0
<b>Female</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>110</b>
00 - 04	12	13	14	6	17
05 - 09	19	16	18	18	23
10 - 14	32	31	26	22	41
15 - 16	17	9	13	26	18
17 - 21	14	16	20	0	11
22+	0	5	3	1	0
<b>Mean Annual Payment (BZ\$)</b>	<b>\$1,780</b>	<b>\$1,844</b>	<b>\$1,388</b>	<b>\$1,567</b>	<b>\$1,631</b>

Source: Social Security Board

Note: Mean annual payment refers to the average annual cost per allowed claim.

**Table 3.16**  
**'Children Receiving Survivors' Pension at Year End**  
**by Age Group, Sex and Mean Annual Payment,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Age Group	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,541</b>	<b>1,589</b>	<b>1,535</b>	<b>1,470</b>	<b>1,615</b>
00 - 04	86	82	86	63	70
05 - 09	280	275	266	261	255
10 - 14	510	520	528	511	514
15 - 16	262	265	436	432	464
17 - 21	364	386	177	144	256
22+	39	61	42	59	56
<b>Male</b>	<b>786</b>	<b>812</b>	<b>804</b>	<b>766</b>	<b>828</b>
00 - 04	44	39	42	31	33
05 - 09	154	144	137	128	121
10 - 14	259	276	294	281	283
15 - 16	114	126	219	221	230
17 - 21	191	198	87	72	127
22+	24	29	25	33	34
<b>Female</b>	<b>755</b>	<b>777</b>	<b>731</b>	<b>704</b>	<b>787</b>
00 - 04	42	43	44	32	37
05 - 09	126	131	129	133	134
10 - 14	251	244	234	230	231
15 - 16	148	139	217	211	234
17 - 21	173	188	90	72	129
22+	15	32	17	26	22
<b>Mean Annual Payment (BZ\$)</b>	<b>\$1,651</b>	<b>\$1,717</b>	<b>\$1,668</b>	<b>\$1,675</b>	<b>\$1,666</b>

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: Mean annual payment refers to the average annual cost per orphan.

<sup>1</sup>Includes all persons classified as dependent children as per Act in receipt of a Social Security Survivors' Benefit.

**Table 3.17**  
**'Dead Insured Persons by Number of Surviving Orphans and Year,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Number of Orphans	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>206</b>
1	36	21	49	45	62
2	36	54	42	50	80
3	48	45	66	24	30
4	32	47	28	12	24
5	15	9	25	10	10
6	6	8	0	0	0
7+	7	10	0	0	0

Source: Social Security Board

Note: 'Dead Insured Persons who met the requirements to receive a Retirement or Invalidation Pension.

**Table 3.18**  
**'Dead Insured Persons by Number of Surviving Spouses**  
**and Parents, Sex and Year,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Sex	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total Spouses</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>220</b>
Male	0	2	0	0	1
Female	134	151	160	162	219
<b>Total Parents</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>
1	2	2	6	2	5
2	0	0	1	0	0
Male	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>
1	1	2	5	2	1
2	0	0	1	0	0
Female	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>
1	1	0	1	0	4
2	0	0	0	0	0

Source: Social Security Board

Note: 'Dead Insured Persons who met the requirements to receive a Retirement or Invalidation Pension.



**Table 3.19**  
**Survivors' Grants Awarded to Beneficiaries by**  
**Age Group, Sex and Mean Annual Payment,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Age Group	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>312</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>317</b>
<20	188	198	165	159	187
20 - 29	21	34	13	23	14
30 - 39	31	34	33	33	40
40 - 49	38	38	23	29	40
50 - 59	25	28	29	25	24
60+	9	8	8	10	12
<b>Male</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>106</b>
<20	97	109	76	74	96
20 - 29	3	3	0	0	2
30 - 39	5	0	1	0	3
40 - 49	8	0	2	0	3
50 - 59	4	0	1	3	2
60+	1	1	2	0	0
<b>Female</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>227</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>202</b>	<b>211</b>
<20	91	89	89	85	91
20 - 29	18	31	13	23	12
30 - 39	26	34	32	33	37
40 - 49	30	38	21	29	37
50 - 59	21	28	28	22	22
60+	8	7	6	10	12
<b>Mean Annual Payment (BZ\$)</b>	<b>\$5,637</b>	<b>\$6,005</b>	<b>\$6,390</b>	<b>\$7,035</b>	<b>\$8,238</b>

Source: Social Security Board

Note: Mean annual payment refers to the average cost per allowed claim.

**Table 3.20**  
**Disablement Pensions Awarded During the Year by Degree of Disability**  
**in Percent, Sex and Mean Annual Payment,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Degree of Disability (%)	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>24</b>
25.00 - 29.99	1	3	3	4	1
30.00 - 39.99	6	4	13	9	9
40.00 - 49.99	2	4	3	0	3
50.00 - 59.99	1	0	2	4	5
60+	3	3	2	4	6
<b>Male</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>
25.00 - 29.99	1	3	2	3	1
30.00 - 39.99	6	4	13	9	9
40.00 - 49.99	2	4	3	0	3
50.00 - 59.99	1	0	2	4	3
60+	3	3	2	4	5
<b>Female</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>
25.00 - 29.99	0	0	1	1	0
30.00 - 39.99	0	0	0	0	0
40.00 - 49.99	0	0	0	0	0
50.00 - 59.99	0	0	0	0	2
60+	0	0	0	0	1
<b>Mean Annual Payment (BZ\$)</b>	<b>\$3,783</b>	<b>\$3,565</b>	<b>\$3,282</b>	<b>\$4,067</b>	<b>\$4,550</b>

Source: Social Security Board

Note: Mean annual payment refers to the average annual cost per allowed claim.

**Table 3.21**  
**<sup>1</sup>Disablement Pensions at Year End by Selected Characteristics,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Age Group	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>472</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>491</b>	<b>508</b>	<b>512</b>
< 20	0	0	0	0	0
20 - 29	30	24	29	24	21
30 - 39	54	62	64	69	73
40 - 49	107	101	94	97	96
50 - 59	143	138	141	143	142
60+	138	154	163	175	180
<b>Male</b>	<b>443</b>	<b>452</b>	<b>463</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>481</b>
< 20	0	0	0	0	0
20 - 29	30	24	29	24	21
30 - 39	50	58	61	67	71
40 - 49	104	99	90	91	88
50 - 59	132	130	133	136	136
60+	127	141	150	162	165
<b>Female</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>31</b>
< 20	0	0	0	0	0
20 - 29	0	0	0	0	0
30 - 39	4	4	3	2	2
40 - 49	3	2	4	6	8
50 - 59	11	8	8	7	6
60+	11	13	13	13	15
<b>Mean Annual Payment (BZ\$)</b>	<b>\$3,783</b>	<b>\$3,131</b>	<b>\$3,137</b>	<b>\$3,164</b>	<b>\$3,225</b>

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: Mean annual payment refers to the average annual cost per allowed claim.

<sup>1</sup>Includes all persons classified as having a work disability who are in receipt of a Social Security Income.

**Table 3.22**  
**Disablement Grants Awarded by Degree of Disability in Percent,**  
**Sex and Mean Annual Payment,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Degree of Disability (%)	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>61</b>
00.00 - 04.99	43	49	27	13	18
05.00 - 09.99	33	34	31	24	23
10.00 - 14.99	21	6	9	9	4
15.00 - 19.99	3	10	9	8	9
20.00 - 24.99	4	4	4	3	7
<b>Male</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>58</b>
00.00 - 04.99	39	46	21	13	16
05.00 - 09.99	30	29	29	24	23
10.00 - 14.99	21	4	4	9	4
15.00 - 19.99	3	9	9	7	8
20.00 - 24.99	4	4	2	2	7
<b>Female</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>
00.00 - 04.99	4	3	6	0	2
05.00 - 09.99	3	5	2	0	0
10.00 - 14.99	0	2	5	0	0
15.00 - 19.99	0	1	0	1	1
20.00 - 24.99	0	0	2	1	0
<b>Mean Annual Payment (BZ\$)</b>	<b>\$4,048</b>	<b>\$4,035</b>	<b>\$4,646</b>	<b>\$5,953</b>	<b>\$6,167</b>

Source: Social Security Board

Note: Mean annual payment refers to the average cost per allowed claim.

**Table 3.23**  
**Survivors' Benefit Awarded to Children for Death Benefit**  
**During the Year by Sex and Mean Annual Payment,**  
**(Death due to Employment Injury)**  
**2017 - 2021**

Selected Characteristics	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Sex</b>					
<b>Total</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>
Male	13	7	2	0	0
Female	6	5	8	5	0
<b>Mean Annual Payment (BZ\$)</b>	<b>\$2,312</b>	<b>\$1,911</b>	<b>\$2,371</b>	<b>\$3,276</b>	<b>\$0</b>

Source: Social Security Board

Note: Mean annual payment refers to the average annual cost per allowed claim.

**Table 3.24**  
**'Survivors' Benefit at Year End for Children Receiving Death Benefit**  
**by Age Group, Sex and Mean Annual Payment,**  
**(Death due to Employment Injury)**  
**2017 - 2021**

Age Group	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>118</b>
00 - 04	7	8	10	12	8
05 - 09	27	24	22	21	19
10 - 14	66	53	43	35	35
15 - 16	31	42	59	45	35
17 - 21	29	30	14	14	16
22+	14	7	3	5	5
<b>Male</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>57</b>
00 - 04	4	6	5	4	3
05 - 09	19	16	12	9	9
10 - 14	35	27	25	22	20
15 - 16	13	22	29	20	17
17 - 21	11	14	4	4	5
22+	5	2	3	2	3
<b>Female</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>61</b>
00 - 04	3	2	5	8	5
05 - 09	8	8	10	12	10
10 - 14	31	26	18	13	15
15 - 16	18	20	30	25	18
17 - 21	18	16	10	10	11
22+	9	5	0	3	2
<b>Mean Annual Payment (BZ\$)</b>	<b>\$2,100</b>	<b>\$2,122</b>	<b>\$2,139</b>	<b>\$2,167</b>	<b>\$2,181</b>

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: Mean annual payment refers to the average annual cost per allowed claim.

<sup>1</sup>Includes all children in receipt of a Social Security Death Benefit.

**Table 3.25**  
**'Survivors' Benefit at Year End for Spouses Receiving**  
**Death Benefit by Sex and Mean Annual Payment,**  
**(Death due to Employment Injury)**  
**2017 - 2021**

Selected Characteristics	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Sex</b>					
<b>Total</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>85</b>
Male	0	0	0	0	0
Female	86	86	87	90	85
<b>Mean Annual Payment (BZ\$)</b>	<b>\$4,864</b>	<b>\$4,915</b>	<b>\$4,816</b>	<b>\$4,855</b>	<b>\$5,045</b>

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: Mean annual payment refers to the average annual cost per allowed claim.

<sup>1</sup>Includes all persons classified as spouses receiving a Social Security Death Benefit.

**Table 3.26**  
**Employment Injury by Cause and Nature of Injury,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Selected Characteristics	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,789</b>	<b>1,745</b>	<b>1,492</b>	<b>977</b>	<b>1,048</b>
<b>Cause</b>					
Other Accidents including Late Effects	1,238	1,131	958	674	692
Accidental Falls	416	464	384	225	253
Transport Accidents	101	111	97	54	65
Accidents Caused by Fire and Flames	14	14	21	12	8
Accidental Poisoning	4	8	10	2	6
Misadventure during Medical Care	1	2	0	0	5
Other Violence	10	6	18	2	3
Homicide and Injury purposefully inflicted by other persons	1	3	1	0	2
Injury undetermined whether accidentally or purposefully inflicted	0	0	0	1	1
Drugs, Medicaments Causing Adverse Effects	0	0	0	0	1
Missing Codes	4	6	3	7	12
<b>Nature of Injury</b>					
Open Wounds and Injury to Blood Vessels	698	612	457	343	348
Other Injuries, Early Complications of Trauma	375	430	442	252	267
Dislocations, Sprains and Strains	347	339	285	165	207
Fractures	164	155	150	119	130
Burns	40	44	42	26	26
Foreign Bodies entering through orifice	61	60	36	30	23
Intracranial and Internal Injuries, including nerves	13	7	21	6	15
Late Effects of Injuries, poisoning, toxic effects and other external causes	35	52	29	18	11
Poisoning and Toxic Effects	5	7	6	4	10
Concussion	47	33	19	12	7
Complications of Medical and Surgical Care	1	0	1	0	0
Missing Codes	3	6	4	2	4

Source: Social Security Board

**Table 3.27**  
**Employment Injury by Industry,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Industry	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,789</b>	<b>1,745</b>	<b>1,492</b>	<b>977</b>	<b>1,048</b>
Agriculture	445	374	303	214	283
Construction	289	303	253	143	166
Manufacturing	255	246	182	122	145
Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles	149	174	138	122	100
Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security	127	146	145	89	71
Accommodation and Food Service Activities	167	148	138	89	52
Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	32	32	21	25	29
Human Health and Social Work Activities	33	25	18	23	28
Activities of Households as Employers; Undifferentiated Goods & Service Producing Activities of Households for Own Use	23	24	23	13	26
Transportation and Storage	66	48	38	18	25
Administrative and Support Service Activities	36	43	51	26	21
Water Supply; Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities	22	25	25	12	17
Information and Communication	17	20	27	10	14
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	15	5	7	1	11
Forestry and Logging	17	21	19	8	8
Fishing and Aquaculture	23	18	14	3	8
Education	21	32	26	12	7
Mining and Quarrying	11	17	22	12	7
Other Service Activities	13	15	11	8	7
Real Estate Activities	14	7	9	8	7
Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Condition Supply	6	11	9	11	6
Financial and Insurance Activities	4	8	10	6	6
Activities of Extra-Territorial Organizations and Bodies	4	3	3	2	4
Do Not Know or Not Stated	0	0	0	0	0

Source: Social Security Board

Note: Classification of Industry as per International Standard Industrial Classification of Economic Activities Revision 4.

**Table 3.28**  
**Number of Non-Contributory Pensioners by District and Sex,**  
**2017 - 2021**

District	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,018</b>	<b>1,863</b>	<b>1,575</b>	<b>1,412</b>	<b>1,228</b>
Corozal	303	283	234	217	193
Orange Walk	463	439	383	341	298
Belize City	324	278	217	181	151
Cayo	467	440	376	340	296
Stann Creek	198	179	142	128	117
Toledo	263	244	223	205	173
<b>Female</b>	<b>1,347</b>	<b>1,239</b>	<b>1,055</b>	<b>949</b>	<b>833</b>
Corozal	182	171	141	130	117
Orange Walk	292	277	240	215	190
Belize City	241	205	165	137	116
Cayo	318	301	260	236	207
Stann Creek	147	132	109	99	90
Toledo	167	153	140	132	113
<b>Male</b>	<b>671</b>	<b>624</b>	<b>520</b>	<b>463</b>	<b>395</b>
Corozal	121	112	93	87	76
Orange Walk	171	162	143	126	108
Belize City	83	73	52	44	35
Cayo	149	139	116	104	89
Stann Creek	51	47	33	29	27
Toledo	96	91	83	73	60

Source: Social Security Board

Note: Figures above represent the Number of Recipients that received at least one payment in reference year.

**Table 3.29**  
**Total Expenditure, Non-Contributory Pensioners by Branch,**  
**2017 - 2021**  
**(BZ\$)**

Branch	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2,274,300</b>	<b>\$2,062,200</b>	<b>\$1,764,600</b>	<b>\$1,541,200</b>	<b>\$1,300,300</b>
Belize City	\$341,200	\$289,500	\$229,700	\$188,800	\$144,400
Belmopan	\$195,700	\$182,300	\$153,100	\$138,200	\$118,500
Corozal	\$337,900	\$302,700	\$263,600	\$239,200	\$209,900
Dangriga	\$139,500	\$127,700	\$107,600	\$97,500	\$79,400
Independence	\$79,600	\$65,700	\$51,400	\$45,300	\$40,900
Orange Walk	\$533,600	\$496,000	\$431,000	\$377,700	\$322,400
Punta Gorda	\$302,200	\$277,800	\$253,000	\$216,800	\$181,000
San Pedro	\$6,300	\$5,100	\$3,600	\$3,400	\$3,800
Santa Elena	\$338,300	\$315,400	\$271,600	\$234,300	\$200,000

Source: Social Security Board

Note: NCP Expenditure includes total payment made for all approved NCP recipients during January - December in reference year.



**Table 3.30**  
**Number of Non-Contributory Pensioners by Age Group, Year and District,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Age Group & Year	District						Total
	Corozal	Orange Walk	Belize	Cayo	Stann Creek	Toledo	
<b>2021p</b>							
<b>Total</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>298</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>296</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>1,228</b>
65 - 69	3	3	2	1	2	3	14
70 - 74	15	24	7	18	10	19	93
75 - 79	25	57	18	52	21	34	207
80 - 84	74	98	42	76	36	55	381
85 - 89	41	55	42	74	32	43	287
90 - 94	28	44	28	54	13	15	182
95 - 99	7	15	10	18	2	4	56
100 & Over	0	2	2	3	1	0	8
<b>2020r</b>							
<b>Total</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>1,412</b>
65 - 69	4	3	4	3	0	7	21
70 - 74	15	30	12	24	16	20	117
75 - 79	45	75	26	66	28	40	280
80 - 84	79	107	51	92	38	64	431
85 - 89	40	65	49	81	31	46	312
90 - 94	26	46	27	59	11	20	189
95 - 99	8	13	10	13	4	4	52
100 & Over	0	2	2	2	0	4	10
<b>2019</b>							
<b>Total</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>383</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>1,575</b>
65 - 69	8	6	4	6	0	7	31
70 - 74	16	34	15	26	19	23	133
75 - 79	62	105	47	85	31	49	379
80 - 84	75	107	55	102	48	73	460
85 - 89	41	71	58	83	31	47	331
90 - 94	25	46	25	63	10	15	184
95 - 99	5	11	11	10	3	6	46
100 & Over	2	3	2	1	0	3	11
<b>2018</b>							
<b>Total</b>	<b>283</b>	<b>439</b>	<b>278</b>	<b>440</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>1,863</b>
65 - 69	7	14	4	8	4	4	41
70 - 74	22	45	22	38	22	29	178
75 - 79	92	125	60	104	49	58	488
80 - 84	77	123	82	122	64	80	548
85 - 89	55	80	58	98	27	48	366
90 - 94	22	41	37	57	11	17	185
95 - 99	5	10	13	12	2	7	49
100 & Over	3	1	2	1	0	1	8
<b>2017</b>							
<b>Total</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>463</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>467</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>2,018</b>
65 - 69	6	13	7	11	6	9	52
70 - 74	29	54	26	43	24	30	206
75 - 79	99	153	80	125	55	70	582
80 - 84	86	108	93	125	72	81	565
85 - 89	59	85	71	104	30	51	400
90 - 94	19	42	32	43	9	15	160
95 - 99	3	8	13	15	2	6	47
100 & Over	2	0	2	1	0	1	6

Source: Social Security Board

**Table 3.31**  
**Appeals Heard by an Appeal Tribunal by Branch Office, Benefit**  
**and Outcome of Appeal,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Selected Characteristics	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Branch Office</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>61</b>
Corozal	10	10	10	3	11
Orange Walk	2	1	8	2	5
Belize	19	21	33	14	28
San Pedro	3	1	5	2	4
Belmopan	5	3	5	8	5
Santa Elena	1	5	11	5	4
Dangriga	1	0	3	3	1
Independence	2	4	2	1	2
Punta Gorda	1	3	3	2	1
<b>Benefit</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>61</b>
<b>Short Term</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>13</b>
Sickness	6	14	15	9	8
Maternity Allowance	3	6	4	1	5
Maternity Grant	3	0	0	0	0
<b>Long Term</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>32</b>
Retirement	3	3	3	1	3
Survivors	14	5	10	6	17
Invalidity	4	7	18	5	11
Funeral Grant (NC)	0	1	3	2	1
<b>Employment Injury</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>16</b>
Injury	6	7	13	6	6
Disablement	5	5	13	8	10
Death Benefit	0	0	1	2	0
Funeral Grant (EI)	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Outcome of Appeal</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>61</b>
Ruling for SSB	23	31	46	29	38
Ruling for Appellant	16	15	21	11	12
Cases Pending/adjourned	2	1	13	0	9
Abandoned/Withdrawn	3	1	0	0	2

Source: Social Security Board

# INVESTMENTS

This section presents data on investments, investment income, investment per capita, inflation rate, and rates of return on investments. The main source of data is the Social Security Board's Investment Services databases and also audited financials. The only exceptions are the data on inflation rate and on population which were gotten from the SIB.

Investments made by SSB play a major role in sustaining and developing Belize's economy. SSB investments are made across the spectrum of Belize's economic sectors and are based on the type of economic activity carried out by the investment recipient. These economic sectors include: Banking, Agriculture, Education, Housing, Utilities, Tourism, Financial Institutions, and Other. SSB generates revenue from contributions made by the insured persons. Contributions collected are used to meet operating expenses and to pay out benefits expenditure; any surplus is invested as per stipulation and guidelines of the Act.

The monies earned through SSB Investments provide funding to ensure the lifetime payment of benefits for Retirement, Survivors, Invalidity, and Disability Pensions for current and future pensioners. In brief, the monies garnered from the collection of contributions are not enough to ensure the continuity of the fund and lifetime payments to our beneficiaries. SSB must ensure the fund's sustainability; thus, the Board's Investments are instrumental in safeguarding you and your lifetime benefits.

In this section, investment data are presented yearly and cumulatively. Investments are the total investments made in a particular year while the total investment as at December 31 is the increase in the investment by successive yearly additions.

**Table 4.1**  
**Investment Portfolio Allocations by Sector as at December 31,**  
**2017 - 2021**  
**(BZ\$)**

SECTOR	Year									
	2017		2018		2019		2020r		2021p	
	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$439,485,510</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>\$451,805,581</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>\$459,697,338</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>\$443,019,027</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>\$441,410,275</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Utilities	\$243,086,307	55.3	\$251,496,888	55.7	\$248,425,110	54.0	\$238,652,890	53.9	\$238,407,861	54.0
Financial Institutions	\$117,186,239	26.7	\$128,264,876	28.4	\$144,449,988	31.4	\$142,938,477	32.3	\$144,826,299	32.8
Agriculture	\$42,032,312	9.6	\$36,607,300	8.1	\$33,911,726	7.4	\$30,492,152	6.9	\$28,482,188	6.5
Tourism	\$24,433,046	5.6	\$25,729,003	5.7	\$23,476,606	5.1	\$24,374,536	5.5	\$26,990,790	6.1
Housing	\$8,689,485	2.0	\$8,601,194	1.9	\$6,883,145	1.5	\$6,725,915	1.5	\$6,445,483	1.5
Education	\$929,866	0.2	\$750,398	0.2	\$657,974	0.1	\$575,501	0.1	\$802,938	0.2
Other	\$7,646,947	1.7	\$5,544,427	1.2	\$6,182,200	1.3	\$6,090,066	1.4	\$4,102,643	0.9
Less Provision for Loss on Investment	(\$4,518,692)	(1.0)	(\$5,188,505)	(1.2)	(\$4,289,411)	(0.9)	(\$6,830,510)	(1.5)	(\$8,647,927)	(2.0)

Source: Social Security Board

**Table 4.2**  
**Investment Indicators,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Indicators	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
Population Estimate	387,878	398,050	408,487	419,199	430,191
Investment (BZ\$)	\$439,485,510	\$451,805,581	\$459,697,338	\$443,019,027	\$441,410,275
Increase in Investments (BZ\$)	\$14,502,081	\$12,320,071	\$7,891,757	(\$16,678,311)	(\$1,608,752)
Net Investment Income (BZ\$)	\$23,888,585	\$20,453,617	\$16,239,605	\$28,329,569	\$26,801,136
Investment Per Capita (BZ\$)	\$37.39	\$30.95	\$19.32	\$39.79	\$3.74
Investment Income Per Capita (BZ\$)	\$61.59	\$51.38	\$39.76	\$67.58	\$62.30
Inflation Rate	1.1	0.3	0.2	0.1	3.2
Nominal Rate of Return on Investments in Percent	5.7	4.7	3.6	6.5	6.3
Real Rate of Return on Investments in Percent	4.5	4.4	3.4	6.4	3.0

Source: Social Security Board and Statistical Institute of Belize

# SELF-EMPLOYED PERSONS

This section presents statistics on self-employed persons in Belize. Indicators include registration, contribution and benefit payments of the self-employed. The principal source of the data is the Social Security Board's (SSB) Registration, Benefit and Contribution databases.

In SSB's pursuit of its goal to help promote the extension of social security coverage in line with the objectives and strategies of SSB and the International Social Security Association (ISSA), SSB has included a new section to its Statistical Abstract, namely, Social Security data on the number of self-employed.

In February 2003, SSB implemented the self-employment scheme under which self-employed persons may voluntarily contribute to the Social Security Fund. SSB defines a self-employed as someone who is gainfully occupied in employment in Belize, is not an employed person, and is between ages eighteen to sixty years. Self-employed insured persons are responsible for their entire payment of 7% of their declared weekly income ranging from \$55.00 to \$320.00. For a self-employed to qualify for any benefit, no less than 26 contributions need to be paid into the self-employed scheme and all other qualifying conditions for any benefit under the SSB Regulations need to be met.

**Table 5.1**  
**Self-Employed by Selected Characteristics,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Selected Characteristics	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
Number of Persons in Labour Force	164,935	172,086	178,499	168,630	181,734
Number of Self-Employed Persons in the Labour Force	39,160	43,403	47,253	48,147	51,028
Newly Registered	451	515	598	335	389
Number of Active Insured Self-Employed Persons	1,460	1,564	1,742	1,624	1,453
Population	387,878	398,050	408,487	419,199	430,191
Contributions Paid (BZ\$)	\$747,772	\$833,059	\$941,690	\$759,058	\$782,670
Benefits Expenditure (BZ\$)	\$1,490,301	\$1,649,879	\$1,948,087	\$2,146,964	\$2,839,084
Benefits Expenditure as a % of Contribution Income	199.3%	198.1%	206.9%	282.8%	362.7%
% of Self-Employed in the Labour Force	0.9%	0.9%	1.0%	1.0%	0.8%
% of Self-Employed in the Employed Force	3.7%	3.6%	3.7%	3.4%	2.8%
% of Self-Employed in the Population	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	0.3%

Source: Social Security Board

Note: N/A - Not Available

**Table 5.2**  
**Newly Registered Self-Employed by District,**  
**2017 - 2021**

District	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>451</b>	<b>515</b>	<b>598</b>	<b>335</b>	<b>389</b>
Corozal	32	42	50	35	47
Orange Walk	54	54	62	27	46
Belize	174	196	215	103	117
Cayo	93	89	120	79	91
Stann Creek	79	103	113	63	60
Toledo	19	31	38	28	28

Source: Social Security Board

**Table 5.3**  
**Active Insured Self-Employed by Selected Characteristics,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Selected Characteristics	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,460</b>	<b>1,564</b>	<b>1,742</b>	<b>1,624</b>	<b>1,453</b>
<b>District</b>					
Corozal	159	177	195	195	191
Orange Walk	183	185	201	174	159
Belize	431	477	556	500	416
Cayo	305	325	343	329	315
Stann Creek	250	305	311	289	247
Toledo	132	95	136	137	125
<b>Age Group</b>					
18 - 19	2	4	4	3	4
20 - 24	31	29	29	24	23
25 - 29	89	88	100	81	76
30 - 34	151	167	179	157	142
35 - 39	165	180	200	194	174
40 - 44	221	224	229	217	172
45 - 49	208	242	269	235	223
50 - 54	288	286	330	337	273
55 - 59	258	299	336	317	312
60	47	45	66	59	54
<b>Marital Status</b>					
Married	717	770	846	770	680
Single	398	433	521	517	484
Common Law	291	307	318	289	255
Divorced	16	14	16	17	13
Widow	25	24	22	16	8
Legally Separated	13	16	19	15	13

Source: Social Security Board

**Table 5.4**  
**Male Active Insured Self-Employed by Selected Characteristics,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Selected Characteristics	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>651</b>	<b>690</b>	<b>746</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>583</b>
<b>District</b>					
Corozal	77	82	89	83	86
Orange Walk	96	94	92	78	70
Belize	174	190	212	191	143
Cayo	143	152	155	139	129
Stann Creek	108	128	135	118	103
Toledo	53	44	63	60	52
<b>Age Group</b>					
18 - 19	1	1	3	0	1
20 - 24	15	13	11	7	8
25 - 29	36	38	42	30	25
30 - 34	73	70	71	65	52
35 - 39	83	92	92	90	75
40 - 44	95	96	100	92	67
45 - 49	97	110	118	99	86
50 - 54	115	117	138	141	122
55 - 59	114	138	146	124	125
60	22	15	25	21	22
<b>Marital Status</b>					
Married	332	348	382	339	290
Single	159	160	185	173	161
Common Law	150	171	165	146	123
Divorced	3	4	4	3	3
Widow	3	2	2	1	1
Legally Separated	4	5	8	7	5

Source: Social Security Board



**Table 5.5**  
**Female Active Insured Self-Employed by Selected Characteristics,**  
**2017 - 2021**

District	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>809</b>	<b>874</b>	<b>996</b>	<b>955</b>	<b>870</b>
<b>District</b>					
Corozal	82	95	106	112	105
Orange Walk	87	91	109	96	89
Belize	257	287	344	309	273
Cayo	162	173	188	190	186
Stann Creek	142	177	176	171	144
Toledo	79	51	73	77	73
<b>Age Group</b>					
18 - 19	1	3	1	3	3
20 - 24	16	16	18	17	15
25 - 29	53	50	58	51	51
30 - 34	78	97	108	92	90
35 - 39	82	88	108	104	99
40 - 44	126	128	129	125	105
45 - 49	111	132	151	136	137
50 - 54	173	169	192	196	151
55 - 59	144	161	190	193	187
60	25	30	41	38	32
<b>Marital Status</b>					
Married	385	422	464	431	390
Single	239	273	336	344	323
Common Law	141	136	153	143	132
Divorced	13	10	12	14	10
Widow	22	22	20	15	7
Legally Separated	9	11	11	8	8

Source: Social Security Board

**Table 5.6**  
**Self-Employed Contributions Collected and their Percentage Distribution by Average Weekly Insurable Earnings,**  
**2017 - 2021**  
**(BZ\$)**

District	Year									
	2017		2018		2019		2020r		2021p	
	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$747,772</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>\$833,059</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>\$941,690</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>\$759,058</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>\$782,670</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Under \$70.00	\$20,265	2.7	\$20,551	2.5	\$21,121	2.2	\$18,366	2.4	\$19,587	2.5
\$70.00 - \$109.99	\$71,634	9.6	\$71,712	8.6	\$72,991	7.8	\$58,090	7.7	\$58,532	7.5
\$110.00 - \$139.99	\$14,475	1.9	\$18,218	2.2	\$24,351	2.6	\$20,208	2.7	\$18,536	2.4
\$140.00 - \$179.99	\$87,277	11.7	\$93,350	11.2	\$105,937	11.2	\$87,067	11.5	\$84,966	10.9
\$180.00 - \$219.99	\$193,180	25.8	\$213,748	25.7	\$237,656	25.2	\$187,869	24.8	\$201,378	25.7
\$220.00 - \$259.99	\$36,683	4.9	\$50,966	6.1	\$56,397	6.0	\$44,406	5.9	\$48,013	6.1
\$260.00 - \$299.99	\$21,806	2.9	\$21,452	2.6	\$23,062	2.4	\$13,731	1.8	\$12,062	1.5
\$300.00 and Over	\$302,452	40.4	\$343,061	41.2	\$400,175	42.5	\$329,321	43.4	\$339,596	43.4

Source: Social Security Board

**Table 5.7**  
**Number of Benefits Awarded to Self-Employed Insured Persons**  
**During the Year by Branch/Benefit,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Branch/Benefit	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>321</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>285</b>
<b>Short Term</b>	<b>243</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>171</b>
Sickness	213	208	192	132	137
Maternity Allowance	13	12	13	14	18
Maternity Grant	17	13	6	18	16
<b>Long Term</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>103</b>
Retirement	51	60	51	69	89
Survivors	5	7	6	7	7
Invalidity	2	4	3	3	4
Funeral Grant (NC)	4	5	6	5	3
Non-Contributory Pensions	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Employment Injury</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>11</b>
Injury Benefit	15	16	9	5	7
Disablement Grant	1	0	1	2	3
Death	0	0	0	0	1
Funeral Grant (EI)	0	0	0	0	0

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: NC - Natural Causes.

EI - Employment Injury

**Table 5.8**  
**Benefits Expenditure Paid to Self-Employed Insured Persons by Branch/Benefit,**  
**2017 - 2021**  
**(BZ\$)**

Branch/Benefit	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,490,301</b>	<b>\$1,649,879</b>	<b>\$1,948,087</b>	<b>\$2,146,964</b>	<b>\$2,839,084</b>
<b>Short Term</b>	<b>\$109,006</b>	<b>\$101,198</b>	<b>\$99,364</b>	<b>\$103,652</b>	<b>\$120,394</b>
Sickness	\$77,655	\$73,781	\$68,779	\$71,377	\$71,284
Maternity Allowance	\$26,251	\$23,516	\$28,786	\$26,576	\$44,010
Maternity Grant	\$5,100	\$3,900	\$1,800	\$5,700	\$5,100
<b>Long Term</b>	<b>\$1,307,026</b>	<b>\$1,471,932</b>	<b>\$1,779,736</b>	<b>\$1,975,901</b>	<b>\$2,638,176</b>
Retirement	\$1,128,117	\$1,332,965	\$1,592,903	\$1,765,506	\$2,291,342
Survivors	\$117,036	\$84,122	\$116,290	\$119,300	\$242,107
Invalidity	\$57,873	\$47,345	\$62,543	\$83,797	\$100,227
Funeral Grant (NC)	\$4,000	\$7,500	\$8,000	\$7,298	\$4,500
Non-Contributory Pensions	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Employment Injury</b>	<b>\$74,269</b>	<b>\$76,749</b>	<b>\$68,986</b>	<b>\$67,411</b>	<b>\$80,514</b>
Injury Benefit	\$16,546	\$11,464	\$8,255	\$4,448	\$1,859
Disablement Grant	\$42,559	\$43,523	\$41,590	\$47,800	\$57,228
Death	\$15,163	\$21,762	\$19,141	\$15,163	\$21,427
Funeral Grant (EI)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

Source: Social Security Board  
Notes: NC - Natural Causes.  
EI - Employment Injury

**Table 5.9**  
**Ratio of Sickness Benefit Cases Paid to Active Insured Persons by Selected Characteristics,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Contributors	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total Active Insured Persons (AIP)</b>					
No. of Sickness Cases Paid	39,301	33,204	34,550	24,037	29,029
No. of AIP	105,846	109,071	111,344	105,100	107,164
No. of Sickness Cases Paid/No. of AIP	0.37	0.30	0.31	0.23	0.27
<b>Self-Employed (SE)</b>					
No. of Sickness Cases Paid	213	208	192	132	137
No. of SE Contributors	1,460	1,564	1,742	1,624	1,453
No. of Sickness Cases Paid/No. of SE Contributors	0.15	0.13	0.11	0.08	0.09
<b>Other Contributors</b>					
No. of Sickness Cases Paid	39,088	32,996	34,358	23,905	28,892
No. of Other Contributors	104,386	107,507	109,602	103,476	105,711
No. of Sickness Cases Paid/No. of Other Contributors	0.37	0.31	0.31	0.23	0.27

Source: Social Security Board

# MIGRANT WORKERS

This section presents statistics on Migrant Workers in Belize. Indicators include the registration, contribution and benefit payments of migrant workers. The principal source of the data is the Social Security Board's (SSB) Registration, Benefit and Contribution databases.

In response to the high demand for migrant data from key stakeholders like International Organization of Migration (IOM) Belize, Department of Immigration and Nationality Services, Labour Department and Belize Trade and Investment Development Service (Beltraide), SSB has created a section on the number of migrant workers by country of birth, age, sex among other things since 2017. The statistics that are presented in this section were compiled based on the following definition: a migrant worker is someone who is gainfully occupied in employment in Belize who was not born in the country of Belize. Migrant workers who have legal status to reside and work in Belize and are insured persons may contribute to the Fund and receive all Social Security benefits as born Belizeans once they meet the qualifying conditions.

**Table 6.1**  
**Migrant Workers by Selected Characteristics,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Selected Characteristics	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
Total Registered	99,384	101,355	103,701	104,413	105,446
Newly Registered	2,398	1,971	2,346	712	1,033
Number of Persons Employed in the Labour Force	150,112	155,950	164,842	145,455	161,416
Number of Active Migrant Workers	17,944	17,939	17,726	16,177	14,794
Contributions Paid (BZ\$)	\$12,704,749	\$13,160,949	\$14,498,629	\$14,450,407	\$15,335,089
Benefit Expenditure	\$9,023,240	\$9,471,957	\$10,676,717	\$11,431,813	\$12,962,979
Benefits Expenditure as a % of Contribution Income	71.0%	72.0%	73.6%	79.1%	84.5%
Population	387,878	398,050	408,487	419,199	430,191
Number of Persons in Labour Force	164,935	172,086	178,499	168,630	181,734
% of Active Migrant Workers in the Labour Force	10.9%	10.4%	9.9%	9.6%	8.1%
% of Active Migrant Workers in the Population	4.6%	4.5%	4.3%	3.9%	3.4%
% of Active Migrant Workers in the Employed Labour Force	12.0%	11.5%	10.8%	11.1%	9.2%

Source: Social Security Board

**Table 6.2**  
**Number of Migrant Workers by Region and Nationality,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Nationality	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>17,944</b>	<b>17,939</b>	<b>17,726</b>	<b>16,177</b>	<b>14,794</b>
<b>Central America</b>	<b>14,600</b>	<b>14,623</b>	<b>14,543</b>	<b>13,332</b>	<b>12,166</b>
Guatemala	8,059	8,057	7,932	7,226	6,475
Honduras	3,135	3,126	3,164	2,867	2,649
El Salvador	3,025	3,031	3,005	2,802	2,645
Nicaragua	341	374	405	405	361
Costa Rica	24	17	18	17	20
Panama	16	18	19	15	16
<b>North America</b>	<b>1,222</b>	<b>1,171</b>	<b>1,135</b>	<b>1,037</b>	<b>984</b>
Mexico	614	581	542	480	462
United States of America	518	504	511	482	452
Canada	90	86	82	75	70
<b>Asia</b>	<b>1,014</b>	<b>1,054</b>	<b>916</b>	<b>750</b>	<b>676</b>
India	277	295	302	270	241
China	400	415	287	180	145
Taiwan	147	148	136	132	137
Philippines	99	105	97	95	99
Bangladesh	37	47	43	35	21
Japan	10	9	10	7	7
Pakistan	7	6	7	8	9
Thailand	9	7	6	6	4
Other	28	22	28	17	13
<b>Caribbean</b>	<b>475</b>	<b>485</b>	<b>505</b>	<b>489</b>	<b>442</b>
Jamaica	171	177	178	160	149
Cuba	84	85	99	106	101
Guyana	60	59	58	59	46
Haiti	53	56	50	53	50
Trinidad And Tobago	38	39	49	43	35
Dominican Republic	19	20	21	21	15
Dominica	10	12	12	11	9
St. Vincent	11	8	9	8	9
Other	29	29	29	28	28
<b>Africa</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>188</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>161</b>
Nigeria	122	120	110	91	82
Republic of South Africa	33	29	31	28	24
Ghana	12	13	16	16	20
Zimbabwe	9	7	8	10	10
Guinea	3	3	4	4	4
Cameroon	4	3	3	4	4
Other	15	16	16	18	17

Source: Social Security Board

Note: Region is classified based on the methodology used by United Nations Statistics website for countries' regional and sub-regional standard codes for statistical use.

**Table 6.2 Cont'd.**  
**Number of Migrant Workers by Region and Nationality,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Nationality	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Europe</b>	<b>292</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>205</b>
United Kingdom	124	115	122	108	97
Turkey	46	39	40	37	34
Germany	18	20	22	21	16
France	9	15	19	11	10
Netherlands (Holland)	17	6	10	7	9
Italy	10	10	2	10	10
Switzerland	8	7	4	5	4
Russia	5	8	5	4	4
Czech Republic	5	12	4	1	1
Denmark	8	5	5	3	1
Belguim-Luxembourg	3	3	5	4	2
Other	39	29	29	18	17
<b>South America</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>121</b>
Colombia	40	43	47	48	46
Venezuela	26	25	39	32	30
Bolivia	7	7	9	11	10
Brazil	7	7	9	12	11
Ecuador	6	8	8	7	8
Peru	6	4	5	8	6
Other	11	11	14	9	10
<b>Middle East</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>34</b>
Lebanon	26	27	24	22	20
Israel	3	4	5	5	4
Other	4	5	4	10	10
<b>Oceania</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>
Australia	5	5	5	4	4
Fiji	1	0	0	1	1
New Zealand	0	0	1	0	0
<b>Do Not Know or Not Stated</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

Source: Social Security Board

Note: Region is classified based on the methodology used by United Nations Statistics website for countries' regional and sub-regional standard codes for statistical use.

**Table 6.3**  
**Number of Male Migrant Workers by Region and Nationality,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Nationality	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,236</b>	<b>12,182</b>	<b>11,872</b>	<b>10,805</b>	<b>9,790</b>
<b>Central America</b>	<b>10,130</b>	<b>10,106</b>	<b>9,894</b>	<b>9,057</b>	<b>8,210</b>
Guatemala	5,891	5,836	5,630	5,149	4,571
Honduras	1,947	1,960	1,958	1,751	1,620
El Salvador	2,080	2,063	2,038	1,890	1,775
Nicaragua	189	225	244	244	220
Costa Rica	15	12	13	14	15
Panama	8	10	11	9	9
<b>North America</b>	<b>746</b>	<b>701</b>	<b>663</b>	<b>601</b>	<b>556</b>
Mexico	425	396	369	315	296
United States of America	273	261	253	249	226
Canada	48	44	41	37	34
<b>Asia</b>	<b>684</b>	<b>722</b>	<b>641</b>	<b>520</b>	<b>460</b>
India	232	253	264	234	210
China	262	268	189	119	91
Taiwan	80	81	78	70	74
Philippines	51	55	47	47	49
Bangladesh	35	45	41	33	20
Japan	4	3	4	1	1
Pakistan	7	6	7	8	9
Thailand	2	1	1	1	1
Other	11	10	10	7	5
<b>Caribbean</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>221</b>
Jamaica	90	92	92	82	72
Cuba	44	45	56	56	51
Guyana	28	28	27	27	18
Haiti	42	45	39	43	38
Trinidad And Tobago	12	12	17	14	11
Dominican Republic	7	8	10	8	7
Dominica	6	6	6	6	4
St. Vincent	6	4	5	4	6
Other	18	16	15	14	14
<b>Africa</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>103</b>
Nigeria	63	61	56	48	42
Republic of South Africa	23	19	20	16	15
Ghana	11	12	14	14	17
Zimbabwe	7	5	8	9	9
Guinea	2	2	3	3	3
Cameroon	4	3	3	4	4
Other	12	10	11	13	13

Source: Social Security Board

Note: Region is classified based on the methodology used by United Nations Statistics website for countries' regional and sub-regional standard codes for statistical use.



**Table 6.3 Cont'd.**  
**Number of Male Migrant Workers by Region and Nationality,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Nationality	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Europe</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>134</b>
United Kingdom	73	71	81	73	65
Turkey	43	37	37	35	33
Germany	12	14	14	12	8
France	6	9	9	6	6
Netherlands (Holland)	1	1	1	1	1
Italy	11	9	6	7	7
Switzerland	2	2	2	2	2
Russia	2	3	4	3	3
Czech Republic	10	9	2	1	1
Denmark	4	2	1	2	1
Belguim-Luxembourg	3	2	3	2	1
Other	27	18	14	8	6
<b>South America</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>76</b>
Colombia	28	29	30	32	29
Venezuela	20	22	31	22	20
Bolivia	4	4	5	7	7
Brazil	4	4	4	6	7
Ecuador	5	5	4	3	5
Peru	4	2	3	5	3
Other	6	5	6	4	5
<b>Middle East</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>26</b>
Lebanon	26	27	24	22	20
Israel	1	2	3	3	2
Other	4	5	3	6	4
<b>Oceania</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>
Australia	4	3	3	3	3
Fiji	1	0	0	1	1
New Zealand	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Do Not Know or Not Stated</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

Source: Social Security Board

Note: Region is classified based on the methodology used by United Nations Statistics website for countries' regional and sub-regional standard codes for statistical use.

**Table 6.4**  
**Number of Female Migrant Workers by Region and Nationality,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Nationality	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,708</b>	<b>5,757</b>	<b>5,854</b>	<b>5,372</b>	<b>5,004</b>
<b>Central America</b>	<b>4,470</b>	<b>4,517</b>	<b>4,649</b>	<b>4,275</b>	<b>3,956</b>
Guatemala	2,168	2,221	2,302	2,077	1,904
Honduras	1,188	1,166	1,206	1,116	1,029
El Salvador	945	968	967	912	870
Nicaragua	152	149	161	161	141
Costa Rica	9	5	5	3	5
Panama	8	8	8	6	7
<b>North America</b>	<b>476</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>472</b>	<b>436</b>	<b>428</b>
Mexico	189	185	173	165	166
United States of America	245	243	258	233	226
Canada	42	42	41	38	36
<b>Asia</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>275</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>216</b>
India	45	42	38	36	31
China	138	147	105	61	54
Taiwan	67	67	58	62	63
Philippines	48	50	50	48	50
Bangladesh	2	2	2	2	1
Japan	6	6	6	6	6
Pakistan	0	0	0	0	0
Thailand	7	6	5	5	3
Other	17	12	11	10	8
<b>Caribbean</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>221</b>
Jamaica	81	85	86	78	77
Cuba	40	40	43	50	50
Guyana	32	31	31	32	28
Haiti	11	11	11	10	12
Trinidad And Tobago	26	27	32	29	24
Dominican Republic	12	12	11	13	8
Dominica	4	6	6	5	5
St. Vincent	5	4	4	4	3
Other	11	13	14	14	14
<b>Africa</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>58</b>
Nigeria	59	59	54	43	40
Republic of South Africa	10	10	11	12	9
Ghana	1	1	2	2	3
Zimbabwe	2	2	0	1	1
Guinea	1	1	1	1	1
Cameroon	0	0	0	0	0
Other	3	6	5	5	4

Source: Social Security Board

Note: Region is classified based on the methodology used by United Nations Statistics website for countries' regional and sub-regional standard codes for statistical use.

**Table 6.4 Cont'd.**  
**Number of Female Migrant Workers by Region and Nationality,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Nationality	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Europe</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>71</b>
United Kingdom	51	44	41	35	32
Turkey	3	2	3	2	1
Germany	6	6	8	9	8
France	3	6	10	5	4
Netherlands (Holland)	6	5	4	6	8
Italy	0	1	0	3	3
Switzerland	4	5	3	3	2
Russia	4	5	4	1	1
Czech Republic	2	3	3	0	0
Denmark	6	3	3	1	0
Belguim-Luxembourg	1	1	1	2	1
Other	12	11	13	10	11
<b>South America</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>45</b>
Colombia	12	14	17	16	17
Venezuela	6	3	8	10	10
Bolivia	3	3	4	4	3
Brazil	3	3	5	6	4
Ecuador	1	3	4	4	3
Peru	2	2	2	3	3
Other	5	6	8	5	5
<b>Middle East</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>8</b>
Lebanon	0	0	0	0	0
Israel	2	2	2	2	2
Other	0	0	1	4	6
<b>Oceania</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>
Australia	1	2	2	1	1
Fiji	0	0	0	0	0
New Zealand	0	0	1	0	0
<b>Do Not Know or Not Stated</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

Source: Social Security Board

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**Table 6.5**  
**Number of CARICOM Migrant Workers by Sex and Nationality,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Sex	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total CARICOM Migrants</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>361</b>	<b>326</b>
Antigua And Barbuda	4	4	3	2	3
Bahamas	3	3	3	3	2
Barbados	4	4	5	6	6
Dominica	10	12	12	11	9
Grenada	3	4	5	5	5
Guyana	60	59	58	59	46
Haiti	53	56	50	53	50
Jamaica	171	177	178	160	149
Saint Kitts And Nevis	3	2	2	2	2
Saint Lucia	5	5	5	4	4
St. Vincent & The Grenadines	11	8	9	8	9
Suriname	2	2	2	1	1
Trinidad And Tobago	38	39	49	43	35
<b>Associates of CARICOM</b>					
Cayman Islands	<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>Male CARICOM Migrants</b>	<b>202</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>163</b>
Antigua And Barbuda	4	4	3	2	3
Bahamas	1	0	0	0	0
Barbados	3	1	1	3	3
Dominica	6	6	6	6	4
Grenada	2	3	3	3	2
Guyana	28	28	27	27	18
Haiti	42	45	39	43	38
Jamaica	90	92	92	82	72
Saint Kitts And Nevis	1	1	1	1	1
Saint Lucia	2	2	3	2	2
St. Vincent & The Grenadines	6	4	5	4	6
Suriname	1	1	1	0	0
Trinidad And Tobago	12	12	17	14	11
<b>Associates of CARICOM</b>					
Cayman Islands	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Female CARICOM Migrants</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>163</b>
Antigua And Barbuda	0	0	0	0	0
Bahamas	2	3	3	3	2
Barbados	1	3	4	3	3
Dominica	4	6	6	5	5
Grenada	1	1	2	2	3
Guyana	32	31	31	32	28
Haiti	11	11	11	10	12
Jamaica	81	85	86	78	77
Saint Kitts And Nevis	2	1	1	1	1
Saint Lucia	3	3	2	2	2
St. Vincent & The Grenadines	5	4	4	4	3
Suriname	1	1	1	1	1
Trinidad And Tobago	26	27	32	29	24
<b>Associates of CARICOM</b>					
Cayman Islands	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>

Source: Social Security Board

**Table 6.6**  
**Active Insured Migrant Workers by Selected Characteristics,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Selected Characteristics	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>17,944</b>	<b>17,939</b>	<b>17,726</b>	<b>16,177</b>	<b>14,794</b>
<b>District</b>					
Corozal	834	817	797	679	597
Orange Walk	1,207	1,204	1,174	1,082	1,010
Belize	5,901	5,942	5,929	5,320	4,956
Cayo	4,316	4,336	4,269	3,937	3,741
Stann Creek	4,294	4,492	4,806	4,358	3,757
Toledo	1,392	1,148	751	801	733
<b>Age Group</b>					
14 - 24	2,092	2,034	1,955	1,576	1,279
25 - 34	4,901	4,778	4,598	4,085	3,597
35 - 44	4,957	4,945	4,903	4,507	4,211
45 - 54	3,645	3,739	3,805	3,607	3,455
55+	2,349	2,443	2,465	2,402	2,252
<b>Marital Status</b>					
Single	7,619	7,584	7,824	7,327	6,827
Married	6,273	6,273	5,963	5,346	4,788
Common Law	3,754	3,786	3,662	3,275	2,973
Widow	116	117	112	65	61
Divorced	87	88	85	76	67
Legally Separated	95	91	80	88	78

Source: Social Security Board

**Table 6.7**  
**Male Active Insured Migrant Workers by Selected Characteristics,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Selected Characteristics	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,236</b>	<b>12,182</b>	<b>11,872</b>	<b>10,805</b>	<b>9,790</b>
<b>District</b>					
Corozal	585	567	549	453	404
Orange Walk	890	885	869	791	743
Belize	3,516	3,544	3,498	3,092	2,862
Cayo	2,873	2,875	2,770	2,612	2,479
Stann Creek	3,355	3,479	3,666	3,301	2,804
Toledo	1,017	832	520	556	498
<b>Age Group</b>					
14 - 24	1,536	1,462	1,380	1,111	840
25 - 34	3,270	3,189	3,005	2,670	2,314
35 - 44	3,156	3,168	3,095	2,858	2,654
45 - 54	2,468	2,493	2,492	2,319	2,254
55+	1,806	1,870	1,900	1,847	1,728
<b>Marital Status</b>					
Single	5,116	5,023	5,102	4,776	4,356
Married	4,410	4,415	4,147	3,679	3,289
Common Law	2,587	2,624	2,512	2,261	2,062
Widow	42	46	45	37	34
Divorced	26	26	22	18	17
Legally Separated	55	48	44	34	32

Source: Social Security Board

**Table 6.8**  
**Female Active Insured Migrant Workers by Selected Characteristics,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Selected Characteristics	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,708</b>	<b>5,757</b>	<b>5,854</b>	<b>5,372</b>	<b>5,004</b>
<b>District</b>					
Corozal	249	250	248	226	193
Orange Walk	317	319	305	291	267
Belize	2,385	2,398	2,431	2,228	2,094
Cayo	1,443	1,461	1,499	1,325	1,262
Stann Creek	939	1,013	1,140	1,057	953
Toledo	375	316	231	245	235
<b>Age Group</b>					
14 - 24	556	572	575	465	439
25 - 34	1,631	1,589	1,593	1,415	1,283
35 - 44	1,801	1,777	1,808	1,649	1,557
45 - 54	1,177	1,246	1,313	1,288	1,201
55+	543	573	565	555	524
<b>Marital Status</b>					
Single	2,503	2,561	2,722	2,551	2,471
Married	1,863	1,858	1,816	1,667	1,499
Common Law	1,167	1,162	1,150	1,014	911
Widow	74	71	67	28	27
Divorced	61	62	63	58	50
Legally Separated	40	43	36	54	46

Source: Social Security Board

**Table 6.9**  
**Active Insured Migrant Workers and their Percentage Distribution by Industry,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Industry	2017		2018		2019		2020r		2021p	
	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%
<b>Total Active Insured Migrant Workers</b>	<b>17,944</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>17,939</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>17,726</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>16,177</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>14,794</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Agriculture	5,183	28.9	5,047	28.1	5,121	28.9	4,120	25.5	3,606	24.4
Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles	2,761	15.4	2,786	15.5	2,671	15.1	2,134	13.2	1,972	13.3
Accommodation and Food Service Activities	2,578	14.4	2,606	14.5	2,523	14.2	1,864	11.5	1,555	10.5
Construction	1,856	10.3	1,870	10.4	1,855	10.5	1,371	8.5	1,393	9.4
Manufacturing	1,621	9.0	1,533	8.5	1,556	8.8	1,336	8.3	1,266	8.6
Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	862	4.8	994	5.5	925	5.2	686	4.2	693	4.7
Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security	901	5.0	928	5.2	896	5.1	683	4.2	660	4.5
Administrative and Support Service Activities	710	4.0	743	4.1	782	4.4	649	4.0	608	4.1
Activities of Households as Employers; Undifferentiated Goods & Service Producing Activities of Households for Own Use	721	4.0	707	3.9	728	4.1	619	3.8	575	3.9
Human Health and Social Work Activities	450	2.5	443	2.5	477	2.7	448	2.8	454	3.1
Education	599	3.3	597	3.3	588	3.3	500	3.1	427	2.9
Other Service Activities	332	1.9	325	1.8	351	2.0	315	1.9	278	1.9
Transportation and Storage	453	2.5	430	2.4	402	2.3	321	2.0	256	1.7
Financial and Insurance Activities	230	1.3	246	1.4	247	1.4	217	1.3	232	1.6
Information and Communication	232	1.3	228	1.3	252	1.4	198	1.2	208	1.4
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	260	1.4	249	1.4	250	1.4	191	1.2	145	1.0
Real Estate Activities	194	1.1	140	0.8	132	0.7	109	0.7	103	0.7
Fishing and Aquaculture	251	1.4	225	1.3	162	0.9	110	0.7	75	0.5
Water Supply; Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities	94	0.5	78	0.4	81	0.5	69	0.4	64	0.4
Mining and Quarrying	111	0.6	102	0.6	91	0.5	84	0.5	62	0.4
Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Condition Supply	51	0.3	45	0.3	59	0.3	54	0.3	61	0.4
Activities of Extra-Territorial Organizations and Bodies	56	0.3	56	0.3	57	0.3	50	0.3	50	0.3
Forestry and Logging	53	0.3	53	0.3	59	0.3	46	0.3	48	0.3
Do Not Know or Not Stated	6	0.0	14	0.1	13	0.1	3	0.0	3	0.0

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: The total number of Active Insured Persons shown is not equal to the sum of the Insured Persons in each industry during the respective years due to persons working in different industries during the year.

The sum of the percentages of Insured Persons in each industry does not add up to 100% during the respective years due to persons working in different industries during the year. Classification of Industry as per International Standard Industrial Classification of Economic Activities Revision 4.

**Table 6.10**  
**Active Male Insured Migrant Workers and their Percentage Distribution by Industry,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Industry	2017		2018		2019		2020r		2021p	
	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%
<b>Total Active Insured Migrant Workers</b>	<b>12,236</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>12,182</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>11,872</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>10,805</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>9,790</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Agriculture	4,327	35.4	4,218	34.6	4,248	35.8	3,374	31.2	2,907	29.7
Construction	1,769	14.5	1,772	14.5	1,743	14.7	1,279	11.8	1,299	13.3
Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles	1,744	14.3	1,767	14.5	1,666	14.0	1,340	12.4	1,213	12.4
Manufacturing	1,203	9.8	1,122	9.2	1,164	9.8	982	9.1	928	9.5
Accommodation and Food Service Activities	1,267	10.4	1,266	10.4	1,194	10.1	902	8.3	763	7.8
Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	661	5.4	788	6.5	713	6.0	497	4.6	465	4.7
Administrative and Support Service Activities	493	4.0	519	4.3	543	4.6	445	4.1	407	4.2
Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security	489	4.0	479	3.9	463	3.9	352	3.3	342	3.5
Transportation and Storage	353	2.9	338	2.8	315	2.7	248	2.3	199	2.0
Education	265	2.2	268	2.2	254	2.1	213	2.0	190	1.9
Human Health and Social Work Activities	187	1.5	168	1.4	178	1.5	180	1.7	174	1.8
Other Service Activities	184	1.5	164	1.3	183	1.5	165	1.5	150	1.5
Activities of Households as Employers; Undifferentiated Goods & Service Producing Activities of Households for Own Use	180	1.5	166	1.4	171	1.4	132	1.2	133	1.4
Information and Communication	138	1.1	140	1.1	146	1.2	117	1.1	108	1.1
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	159	1.3	158	1.3	151	1.3	105	1.0	85	0.9
Financial and Insurance Activities	85	0.7	85	0.7	89	0.7	78	0.7	83	0.8
Real Estate Activities	146	1.2	94	0.8	91	0.8	75	0.7	72	0.7
Fishing and Aquaculture	174	1.4	168	1.4	127	1.1	86	0.8	58	0.6
Mining and Quarrying	99	0.8	90	0.7	82	0.7	70	0.6	52	0.5
Water Supply; Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities	71	0.6	59	0.5	60	0.5	52	0.5	48	0.5
Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Condition Supply	38	0.3	32	0.3	48	0.4	40	0.4	43	0.4
Forestry and Logging	50	0.4	49	0.4	56	0.5	42	0.4	41	0.4
Activities of Extra-Territorial Organizations and Bodies	33	0.3	32	0.3	35	0.3	30	0.3	29	0.3
Do Not Know or Not Stated	5	0.0	13	0.1	12	0.1	1	0.0	1	0.0

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: The total number of Active Insured Persons shown is not equal to the sum of the Insured Persons in each industry during the respective years due to persons working in different industries during the year. The sum of the percentages of Insured Persons in each industry does not add up to 100% during the respective years due to persons working in different industries during the year.

Classification of Industry as per International Standard Industrial Classification of Economic Activities Revision 4.



**Table 6.11**  
**Active Female Insured Migrant Workers and their Percentage Distribution by Industry,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Industry	2017		2018		2019		2020r		2021p	
	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%
<b>Total Active Insured Migrant Workers</b>	<b>5,708</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>5,757</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>5,854</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>5,372</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>5,004</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Accommodation and Food Service Activities	1,311	23.0	1,340	23.3	1,329	22.7	962	17.9	792	15.8
Wholesale and Retail Trade; Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles	1,017	17.8	1,019	17.7	1,005	17.2	794	14.8	759	15.2
Agriculture	856	15.0	829	14.4	873	14.9	746	13.9	699	14.0
Activities of Households as Employers; Undifferentiated Goods & Service Producing Activities of Households for Own Use	541	9.5	541	9.4	557	9.5	488	9.1	442	8.8
Manufacturing	418	7.3	411	7.1	392	6.7	354	6.6	338	6.8
Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security	412	7.2	449	7.8	433	7.4	331	6.2	318	6.4
Human Health and Social Work Activities	263	4.6	275	4.8	299	5.1	268	5.0	280	5.6
Education	334	5.9	329	5.7	334	5.7	287	5.3	237	4.7
Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	201	3.5	206	3.6	212	3.6	189	3.5	228	4.6
Administrative and Support Service Activities	217	3.8	224	3.9	239	4.1	204	3.8	201	4.0
Financial and Insurance Activities	145	2.5	161	2.8	158	2.7	138	2.6	149	3.0
Other Service Activities	148	2.6	161	2.8	168	2.9	150	2.8	128	2.6
Information and Communication	94	1.6	88	1.5	106	1.8	81	1.5	100	2.0
Construction	87	1.5	98	1.7	112	1.9	92	1.7	94	1.9
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	101	1.8	91	1.6	99	1.7	86	1.6	60	1.2
Transportation and Storage	100	1.8	92	1.6	87	1.5	73	1.4	57	1.1
Real Estate Activities	48	0.8	46	0.8	41	0.7	34	0.6	31	0.6
Activities of Extra-Territorial Organizations and Bodies	23	0.4	24	0.4	22	0.4	20	0.4	21	0.4
Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Condition Supply	13	0.2	13	0.2	11	0.2	14	0.3	18	0.4
Fishing and Aquaculture	77	1.3	57	1.0	35	0.6	24	0.4	17	0.3
Water Supply; Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities	23	0.4	19	0.3	21	0.4	17	0.3	16	0.3
Mining and Quarrying	12	0.2	12	0.2	9	0.2	14	0.3	10	0.2
Forestry and Logging	3	0.1	4	0.1	3	0.1	4	0.1	7	0.1
Do Not Know or Not Stated	1	0.0	1	0.0	1	0.0	2	0.0	2	0.0

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: The total number of Active Insured Persons shown is not equal to the sum of the Insured Persons in each industry during the respective years due to persons working in different industries during the year. The sum of the percentages of Insured Persons in each industry does not add up to 100% during the respective years due to persons working in different industries during the year.

Classification of Industry as per International Standard Industrial Classification of Economic Activities Revision 4.

**Table 6.12**  
**Active Insured Migrant Workers and their Percentage Distribution by Average Weekly Insurable Earnings,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Weekly Earnings Group	Year									
	2017		2018		2019		2020r		2021p	
	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%	Quantity	%
<b>Total Migrants</b>	<b>17,944</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>17,939</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>17,726</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>16,177</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>14,794</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Under \$70.00	872	4.9	837	4.7	645	3.6	609	3.8	634	4.3
\$70.00 - \$109.99	1,333	7.4	1,208	6.7	1,070	6.0	810	5.0	866	5.9
\$110.00 - \$139.99	1,169	6.5	1,124	6.3	1,053	5.9	882	5.5	855	5.8
\$140.00 - \$179.99	2,711	15.1	2,659	14.8	2,240	12.6	2,107	13.0	1,857	12.6
\$180.00 - \$219.99	2,416	13.5	2,425	13.5	2,398	13.5	1,971	12.2	1,946	13.2
\$220.00 - \$259.99	1,885	10.5	1,904	10.6	1,979	11.2	1,859	11.5	1,719	11.6
\$260.00 - \$299.99	1,065	5.9	1,040	5.8	1,194	6.7	1,210	7.5	1,027	6.9
\$300.00 and Over	6,035	33.6	6,267	34.9	871	4.9	1,256	7.8	1,136	7.7
\$300.00 - \$339.99	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1,130	6.4	826	5.1	779	5.3
\$340.00 - \$379.99	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	806	4.5	613	3.8	526	3.6
\$380.00 - \$419.99	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	565	3.2	579	3.6	438	3.0
\$420.00 and Over	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	3,288	18.5	2,984	18.4	2,576	17.4
**	458	2.6	475	2.6	487	2.7	471	2.9	435	2.9

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: \*\* Applies to persons age 60 - 64 years who have received a retirement benefit and all persons 65 years and older.

Active Insured Migrant Workers that are within the 2019 Average Weekly Insurable Earnings \$300 & Over Group are those who are Self-Employed Migrant Workers and Active Insured Migrant Workers who only contributed to the \$300 & Over Group for the period January to June 2019.

**Table 6.13**  
**Number of Benefits Awarded to Migrant Workers by Branch/Benefit,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Branch/Benefit	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,399</b>	<b>4,375</b>	<b>4,178</b>	<b>3,028</b>	<b>3,751</b>
<b>Short Term</b>	<b>4,682</b>	<b>3,664</b>	<b>3,554</b>	<b>2,478</b>	<b>3,029</b>
Sickness	4,103	3,089	3,083	2,104	2,606
Maternity Allowance	158	165	125	110	131
Maternity Grant	421	410	346	264	292
<b>Long Term</b>	<b>312</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>321</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>492</b>
Retirement	102	157	161	171	197
Survivors	30	28	23	27	55
Invalidity	3	3	8	10	9
Funeral Grant (NC)	177	151	129	131	230
Non-Contributory Pensions	0	0	0	0	1
<b>Employment Injury</b>	<b>405</b>	<b>372</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>230</b>
Injury Benefit	399	368	299	200	214
Disablement	5	4	3	9	16
Death	1	0	1	1	0
Funeral Grant (EI)	0	0	0	1	0

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: NC - Natural Causes

EI - Employment Injury

**Table 6.14**  
**Benefits Expenditure Paid to Migrant Workers by Branch/Benefit,**  
**2017 - 2021**  
**(BZ\$)**

Branch/Benefit	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$9,023,240</b>	<b>\$9,471,957</b>	<b>\$10,676,717</b>	<b>\$11,431,813</b>	<b>\$12,962,978</b>
<b>Short Term</b>	<b>\$1,688,374</b>	<b>\$1,465,151</b>	<b>\$1,471,466</b>	<b>\$1,373,709</b>	<b>\$1,673,248</b>
Sickness	\$1,171,883	\$914,567	\$1,048,905	\$987,823	\$1,241,941
Maternity Allowance	\$390,491	\$426,384	\$317,861	\$306,386	\$342,207
Maternity Grant	\$126,000	\$124,200	\$104,700	\$79,500	\$89,100
<b>Long Term</b>	<b>\$6,622,994</b>	<b>\$7,306,537</b>	<b>\$8,381,538</b>	<b>\$9,408,368</b>	<b>\$10,568,182</b>
Retirement	\$4,849,618	\$5,509,615	\$6,363,100	\$7,142,361	\$8,022,787
Survivors	\$776,086	\$909,185	\$1,103,886	\$1,344,254	\$1,488,457
Invalidity	\$260,392	\$268,873	\$220,637	\$340,063	\$358,935
Funeral Grant (NC)	\$209,699	\$205,364	\$285,615	\$179,415	\$318,603
Non-Contributory Pensions	\$527,200	\$413,500	\$408,300	\$402,275	\$379,400
<b>Employment Injury</b>	<b>\$711,871</b>	<b>\$700,270</b>	<b>\$823,712</b>	<b>\$649,736</b>	<b>\$721,548</b>
Injury Benefit	\$276,710	\$262,955	\$265,925	\$179,471	\$205,531
Disablement	\$335,655	\$334,672	\$358,409	\$351,057	\$396,958
Death	\$99,507	\$102,643	\$199,379	\$117,709	\$119,059
Funeral Grant (EI)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,500	\$0

Source: Social Security Board

Notes: NC - Natural Causes

    EI - Employment Injury

**Table 6.15**  
**Ratio of Sickness Benefit Cases Paid to Migrant Workers by Selected Characteristics,**  
**2017 - 2021**

Migrant Workers	Year				
	2017	2018	2019	2020r	2021p
No. of Sickness Cases Paid	4,103	3,089	3,083	2,104	2,606
No. of Active Migrant Workers	17,944	17,939	17,726	16,177	14,794
No. of Sickness Cases Paid/No. of Active Migrant Workers	0.23	0.17	0.17	0.13	0.18

Source: Social Security Board

