

Table 5.1
Discharges, Total Days of Care, Total Charges, and Program Payments for Medicare
Beneficiaries Discharged from Short-Stay Hospitals, by Type of Entitlement:
Calendar Years 1972-2008

| Type of Entitlement and Year | Discharges | | Total Days of Care | | |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|
| | Number in Thousands | Rate per 1,000 HI Enrollees | Number in Thousands | Rate per 1,000 HI Enrollees | Per Discharge |
| All Beneficiaries | | | | | |
| 1972 | 6,380 | 302 | 77,198 | 3,656 | 12.1 |
| 1973 | 6,984 | 300 | 81,529 | 3,499 | 11.7 |
| 1974 | 7,629 | 319 | 87,523 | 3,658 | 11.5 |
| 1975 | 8,001 | 325 | 89,275 | 3,623 | 11.2 |
| 1976 | 8,465 | 334 | 93,480 | 3,693 | 11.0 |
| 1977 | 8,808 | 338 | 96,825 | 3,711 | 11.0 |
| 1978 | 9,216 | 344 | 99,372 | 3,712 | 10.8 |
| 1979 | 9,642 | 351 | 102,469 | 3,750 | 10.7 |
| 1980 | 10,279 | 366 | 109,175 | 3,890 | 10.6 |
| 1981 | 10,660 | 368 | 110,806 | 3,827 | 10.4 |
| 1982 | 11,109 | 382 | 113,047 | 3,889 | 10.2 |
| 1983 | 11,436 | 387 | 112,011 | 3,786 | 9.8 |
| 1984 | 10,896 | 363 | 96,485 | 3,217 | 8.9 |
| 1985 | 10,027 | 328 | 86,339 | 2,822 | 8.6 |
| 1986 | 10,044 | 322 | 86,910 | 2,784 | 8.7 |
| 1987 | 10,110 | 317 | 89,651 | 2,815 | 8.9 |
| 1988 | 10,256 | 316 | 90,873 | 2,804 | 8.9 |
| 1989 ³ | 10,148 | 307 | 89,902 | 2,721 | 8.9 |
| 1990 | 10,522 | 312 | 92,735 | 2,749 | 8.8 |
| 1991 ⁴ | 10,737 | 312 | 92,935 | 2,699 | 8.7 |
| 1992 ⁴ | 10,958 | 312 | 91,990 | 2,616 | 8.4 |
| 1993 ⁴ | 10,979 | 306 | 87,883 | 2,446 | 8.0 |
| 1994 ⁴ | 11,282 | 335 | 84,742 | 2,516 | 7.5 |
| 1995 ⁴ | 11,435 | 340 | 80,056 | 2,378 | 7.0 |
| 1996 ⁴ | 11,474 | 345 | 75,660 | 2,272 | 6.6 |
| 1997 ⁴ | 11,527 | 353 | 73,029 | 2,239 | 6.3 |
| 1998 ⁴ | 11,355 | 355 | 70,055 | 2,192 | 6.2 |
| 1999 ⁴ | 11,605 | 365 | 70,508 | 2,219 | 6.1 |
| 2000 ⁴ | 11,720 | 363 | 70,330 | 2,175 | 6.0 |
| 2001 ⁴ | 12,231 | 366 | 72,607 | 2,171 | 5.9 |
| 2002 ⁴ | 12,607 | 365 | 74,566 | 2,158 | 5.9 |
| 2003 ⁴ | 12,858 | 363 | 75,230 | 2,126 | 5.9 |
| 2004 ⁴ | 12,918 | 359 | 74,606 | 2,072 | 5.8 |
| 2005 ⁴ | 12,904 | 355 | 73,996 | 2,037 | 5.7 |
| 2006 ⁴ | 12,384 | 349 | 70,301 | 1,981 | 5.7 |
| 2007 ⁴ | 12,036 | 343 | 68,048 | 1,936 | 5.7 |
| 2008 ⁴ | 11,821 | 338 | 66,591 | 1,904 | 5.6 |
| Average Annual Rate of Change | | | | | |
| 1972-1983 ⁶ | 5.4 | 2.3 | 3.4 | 0.3 | -1.9 |
| 1983-2008 ⁶ | 0.1 | -0.5 | -2.1 | -2.7 | -2.2 |
| 1972-2008 | 1.7 | 0.3 | -0.4 | -1.8 | -2.1 |

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| Total Charges | | Program Payments | | | | | |
|-------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|------------|--------------------------------|---|
| Amount in Millions | Per Discharge | Amount in Millions | Per Discharge ¹ | Per HI Enrollee | Per Day | Percent of Total Charges | Percent of Total Medicare Payments ² |
| \$7,401 | \$1,160 | \$5,576 | \$874 | \$264 | \$72 | 75.3 | 69.5 |
| 8,494 | 1,216 | 6,446 | 923 | 277 | 79 | 75.9 | 69.7 |
| 10,471 | 1,373 | 7,837 | 1,027 | 328 | 90 | 74.8 | 69.7 |
| 13,073 | 1,634 | 9,748 | 1,218 | 396 | 109 | 74.6 | 67.0 |
| 15,951 | 1,882 | 11,803 | 1,394 | 466 | 126 | 74.1 | 67.0 |
| 19,157 | 2,170 | 13,944 | 1,583 | 534 | 144 | 73.0 | 68.1 |
| 22,408 | 2,431 | 16,008 | 1,737 | 598 | 161 | 71.4 | 68.0 |
| 26,120 | 2,709 | 18,463 | 1,915 | 672 | 180 | 70.7 | 66.7 |
| 31,992 | 3,112 | 22,099 | 2,150 | 787 | 202 | 69.1 | 66.4 |
| 38,164 | 3,580 | 25,936 | 2,433 | 907 | 234 | 68.0 | 65.0 |
| 46,369 | 4,174 | 30,601 | 2,755 | 1,053 | 271 | 66.0 | 63.6 |
| 54,127 | 4,733 | 34,338 | 3,003 | 1,161 | 307 | 63.4 | 64.3 |
| 52,901 | 4,855 | 38,500 | 3,533 | 1,284 | 399 | 72.8 | 65.1 |
| 53,397 | 5,332 | 40,200 | 4,009 | 1,314 | 466 | 75.2 | 62.9 |
| 59,376 | 5,911 | 41,781 | 4,160 | 1,338 | 481 | 70.4 | 60.7 |
| 68,490 | 6,775 | 44,068 | 4,359 | 1,383 | 492 | 64.3 | 58.1 |
| 78,536 | 7,657 | 46,879 | 4,571 | 1,446 | 516 | 59.7 | 57.6 |
| 88,038 | 8,676 | 49,091 | 4,838 | 1,486 | 546 | 55.8 | 52.3 |
| 102,544 | 9,746 | 53,708 | 5,281 | 1,593 | 579 | 52.4 | 53.0 |
| 117,616 | 10,954 | 58,750 | 5,610 | 1,706 | 632 | 50.0 | 53.0 |
| 131,451 | 11,996 | 64,810 | 6,057 | 1,843 | 705 | 49.3 | 53.7 |
| 139,375 | 12,695 | 67,260 | 6,257 | 1,872 | 765 | 48.3 | 52.0 |
| 146,074 | 12,948 | 70,624 | 6,377 | 2,097 | 833 | 48.3 | 48.2 |
| 149,502 | 13,074 | 74,836 | 6,656 | 2,223 | 935 | 50.1 | 47.1 |
| 152,854 | 13,322 | 78,546 | 6,953 | 2,359 | 1,038 | 51.4 | 47.0 |
| 159,285 | 13,818 | 80,725 | 7,118 | 2,475 | 1,105 | 50.7 | 46.0 |
| 163,541 | 14,402 | 78,364 | 7,021 | 2,452 | 1,119 | 47.9 | 46.6 |
| 178,399 | 15,373 | 79,013 | 6,920 | 2,486 | 1,121 | 44.3 | 47.4 |
| 196,017 | 16,725 | 81,231 | 6,971 | 2,513 | 1,155 | 41.4 | 46.6 |
| 227,145 | 18,572 | 88,323 | 7,262 | 2,641 | 1,216 | 38.9 | 44.7 |
| 271,750 | 21,555 | 94,194 | 7,507 | 2,726 | 1,263 | 34.7 | 43.7 |
| 310,889 | 24,180 | 98,432 | 7,691 | 2,781 | 1,308 | 31.7 | 42.3 |
| 341,749 | 26,455 | 102,648 | 7,985 | 2,850 | 1,376 | 30.0 | 40.2 |
| 369,775 | 28,656 | 107,615 | 8,383 | 2,963 | 1,454 | 29.1 | 39.3 |
| 382,766 | 30,908 | 106,758 | 8,669 | 3,008 | 1,519 | 27.9 | 38.0 |
| 397,852 | 33,054 | 106,784 | 8,926 | 3,039 | 1,569 | 26.8 | 37.0 |
| 420,206 | 35,548 | 110,232 | 9,390 | 3,151 | 1,655 | 26.2 | 36.6 |
| Average Annual Rate of Change | | | | | | | |
| 19.8 | 13.6 | 18.0 | 11.9 | 14.4 | 14.0 | --- | --- |
| 8.5 | 8.4 | 4.8 | 4.7 | 4.1 | 7.0 | --- | --- |
| 11.9 | 10.0 | 8.6 | 6.8 | 7.1 | 9.1 | --- | --- |

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Discharges, Total Days of Care, Total Charges, and Program Payments for Medicare
Beneficiaries Discharged from Short-Stay Hospitals, by Type of Entitlement:
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| Type of Entitlement and Year | Discharges | | Total Days of Care | | |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|
| | Number in Thousands | Rate per 1,000 HI Enrollees | Number in Thousands | Rate per 1,000 HI Enrollees | Per Discharge |
| Aged Beneficiaries | | | | | |
| 1972 | 6,380 | 302 | 77,198 | 3,656 | 12.1 |
| 1973 | 6,751 | 313 | 78,987 | 3,662 | 11.7 |
| 1974 | 7,033 | 320 | 80,880 | 3,677 | 11.5 |
| 1975 | 7,285 | 324 | 81,592 | 3,631 | 11.2 |
| 1976 | 7,607 | 332 | 84,438 | 3,684 | 11.1 |
| 1977 | 7,850 | 334 | 86,967 | 3,705 | 11.1 |
| 1978 | 8,133 | 339 | 88,557 | 3,692 | 10.9 |
| 1979 | 8,478 | 345 | 91,239 | 3,717 | 10.8 |
| 1980 | 9,051 | 361 | 96,772 | 3,855 | 10.7 |
| 1981 | 9,400 | 367 | 98,223 | 3,838 | 10.4 |
| 1982 | 9,817 | 376 | 100,431 | 3,846 | 10.2 |
| 1983 | 10,152 | 381 | 99,740 | 3,740 | 9.8 |
| 1984 | 9,705 | 358 | 86,062 | 3,174 | 8.9 |
| 1985 | 8,918 | 322 | 76,926 | 2,779 | 8.6 |
| 1986 | 8,917 | 316 | 77,240 | 2,733 | 8.7 |
| 1987 | 9,000 | 312 | 79,804 | 2,769 | 8.9 |
| 1988 | 9,146 | 312 | 80,938 | 2,761 | 8.8 |
| 1989 ³ | 9,026 | 302 | 79,784 | 2,671 | 8.8 |
| 1990 | 9,351 | 307 | 82,179 | 2,696 | 8.8 |
| 1991 ⁴ | 9,510 | 306 | 81,994 | 2,641 | 8.6 |
| 1992 ⁴ | 9,663 | 306 | 80,818 | 2,559 | 8.4 |
| 1993 ⁴ | 9,628 | 300 | 76,719 | 2,393 | 8.0 |
| 1994 ⁴ | 9,802 | 331 | 73,278 | 2,471 | 7.5 |
| 1995 ⁴ | 9,879 | 336 | 68,842 | 2,340 | 7.0 |
| 1996 ⁴ | 9,853 | 341 | 64,610 | 2,237 | 6.6 |
| 1997 ⁴ | 9,873 | 351 | 62,184 | 2,212 | 6.3 |
| 1998 ⁴ | 9,683 | 354 | 59,286 | 2,169 | 6.1 |
| 1999 ⁴ | 9,873 | 365 | 59,577 | 2,204 | 6.0 |
| 2000 ⁴ | 9,913 | 361 | 59,002 | 2,152 | 6.0 |
| 2001 ⁴ | 10,289 | 364 | 60,470 | 2,139 | 5.9 |
| 2002 ⁴ | 10,510 | 361 | 61,515 | 2,113 | 5.9 |
| 2003 ⁴ | 10,648 | 359 | 61,553 | 2,075 | 5.8 |
| 2004 ⁴ | 10,595 | 353 | 60,436 | 2,016 | 5.7 |
| 2005 ⁴ | 10,501 | 350 | 59,473 | 1,980 | 5.7 |
| 2006 ⁴ | 10,042 | 343 | 56,222 | 1,921 | 5.6 |
| 2007 ⁴ | 9,695 | 336 | 54,034 | 1,875 | 5.6 |
| 2008 ⁴ | 9,481 | 331 | 52,694 | 1,841 | 5.6 |
| Average Annual Rate of Change | | | | | |
| 1972-1983 ⁶ | 4.3 | 2.1 | 2.4 | 0.2 | -1.9 |
| 1983-2008 ⁶ | -0.3 | -0.6 | -2.5 | -2.8 | -2.2 |
| 1972-2008 | 1.1 | 0.3 | -1.1 | -1.9 | -2.1 |

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| Total Charges | | Program Payments | | | | | |
|-------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|------------|--------------------------------|---|
| Amount in Millions | Per Discharge | Amount in Millions | Per Discharge ¹ | Per HI Enrollee | Per Day | Percent of Total Charges | Percent of Total Medicare Payments ² |
| \$7,401 | \$1,160 | \$5,576 | \$874 | \$264 | \$72 | 75.3 | 69.5 |
| 8,227 | 1,219 | 6,245 | 925 | 290 | 79 | 75.9 | 69.1 |
| 9,614 | 1,367 | 7,209 | 1,025 | 328 | 89 | 75.0 | 70.3 |
| 11,853 | 1,627 | 8,859 | 1,216 | 394 | 109 | 74.7 | 67.9 |
| 14,263 | 1,875 | 10,589 | 1,392 | 462 | 125 | 74.2 | 67.7 |
| 17,072 | 2,175 | 12,455 | 1,587 | 531 | 143 | 73.0 | 69.1 |
| 19,772 | 2,431 | 14,182 | 1,744 | 591 | 160 | 71.7 | 68.9 |
| 22,938 | 2,706 | 16,251 | 1,917 | 662 | 178 | 70.8 | 67.7 |
| 28,114 | 3,106 | 19,460 | 2,150 | 775 | 201 | 69.2 | 66.6 |
| 33,564 | 3,571 | 22,814 | 2,427 | 891 | 232 | 68.0 | 62.3 |
| 40,875 | 4,164 | 27,008 | 2,751 | 1,034 | 269 | 66.1 | 64.6 |
| 47,851 | 4,713 | 30,398 | 2,994 | 1,140 | 305 | 63.5 | 65.1 |
| 46,964 | 4,839 | 34,188 | 3,523 | 1,261 | 397 | 72.8 | 65.6 |
| 47,371 | 5,312 | 35,738 | 4,007 | 1,291 | 465 | 75.4 | 63.3 |
| 52,623 | 5,901 | 37,030 | 4,153 | 1,310 | 479 | 70.4 | 60.9 |
| 60,900 | 6,766 | 39,350 | 4,372 | 1,365 | 493 | 64.6 | 58.6 |
| 69,920 | 7,645 | 41,918 | 4,583 | 1,430 | 518 | 60.0 | 58.1 |
| 78,204 | 8,665 | 43,747 | 4,847 | 1,465 | 548 | 55.9 | 52.9 |
| 90,948 | 9,726 | 47,842 | 5,270 | 1,570 | 582 | 52.6 | 53.4 |
| 103,871 | 10,922 | 52,278 | 5,601 | 1,684 | 638 | 50.3 | 53.3 |
| 115,789 | 11,982 | 57,494 | 6,058 | 1,821 | 704 | 49.7 | 54.1 |
| 122,083 | 12,681 | 59,281 | 6,253 | 1,849 | 764 | 48.6 | 52.2 |
| 126,880 | 12,944 | 61,691 | 6,375 | 2,081 | 831 | 48.6 | 48.3 |
| 129,319 | 13,091 | 64,987 | 6,656 | 2,209 | 928 | 50.3 | 47.1 |
| 131,673 | 13,364 | 67,860 | 6,961 | 2,349 | 1,050 | 51.5 | 47.0 |
| 136,777 | 13,854 | 69,547 | 7,124 | 2,473 | 1,118 | 50.8 | 46.4 |
| 139,738 | 14,432 | 67,204 | 7,022 | 2,458 | 1,134 | 48.1 | 46.5 |
| 152,293 | 15,426 | 67,588 | 6,918 | 2,500 | 1,134 | 44.4 | 47.5 |
| 165,964 | 16,742 | 69,088 | 6,995 | 2,519 | 1,171 | 41.6 | 46.5 |
| 191,263 | 18,590 | 74,742 | 7,291 | 2,643 | 1,236 | 39.1 | 44.5 |
| 226,904 | 21,590 | 79,120 | 7,550 | 2,718 | 1,286 | 34.9 | 43.4 |
| 257,787 | 24,211 | 82,195 | 7,742 | 2,771 | 1,335 | 31.9 | 42.0 |
| 281,096 | 26,531 | 85,034 | 8,051 | 2,837 | 1,407 | 30.3 | 39.9 |
| 301,815 | 28,740 | 88,525 | 8,457 | 2,948 | 1,488 | 29.3 | 38.9 |
| 311,381 | 31,007 | 87,430 | 8,737 | 2,988 | 1,555 | 28.1 | 37.6 |
| 321,584 | 33,170 | 86,828 | 8,990 | 3,012 | 1,607 | 27.0 | 36.5 |
| 338,224 | 35,674 | 89,000 | 9,433 | 3,109 | 1,689 | 26.3 | 36.0 |
| Average Annual Rate of Change | | | | | | | |
| 18.5 | 13.6 | 16.7 | 11.8 | 14.2 | 14.0 | --- | --- |
| 8.1 | 8.4 | 4.4 | 4.7 | 4.1 | 7.1 | --- | --- |
| 11.2 | 10.0 | 8.0 | 6.8 | 7.1 | 9.2 | --- | --- |

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| Type of Entitlement and Year | Discharges | | Total Days of Care | | |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|
| | Number in Thousands | Rate per 1,000 HI Enrollees | Number in Thousands | Rate per 1,000 HI Enrollees | Per Discharge |
| Disabled Beneficiaries | | | | | |
| 1974 ⁵ | 596 | 309 | 6,643 | 3,446 | 11.1 |
| 1975 | 716 | 330 | 7,683 | 3,544 | 10.7 |
| 1976 | 858 | 359 | 9,042 | 3,780 | 10.5 |
| 1977 | 958 | 366 | 9,858 | 3,764 | 10.3 |
| 1978 | 1,083 | 388 | 10,815 | 3,872 | 10.0 |
| 1979 | 1,164 | 400 | 11,230 | 3,858 | 10.0 |
| 1980 | 1,228 | 414 | 12,403 | 4,186 | 10.1 |
| 1981 | 1,260 | 420 | 12,583 | 4,196 | 9.9 |
| 1982 | 1,292 | 437 | 12,616 | 4,271 | 9.8 |
| 1983 | 1,284 | 440 | 12,272 | 4,206 | 9.6 |
| 1984 | 1,191 | 413 | 10,423 | 3,614 | 8.8 |
| 1985 | 1,109 | 381 | 9,413 | 3,238 | 8.5 |
| 1986 | 1,127 | 381 | 9,670 | 3,269 | 8.6 |
| 1987 | 1,109 | 366 | 9,847 | 3,249 | 8.9 |
| 1988 | 1,111 | 358 | 9,936 | 3,203 | 8.9 |
| 1989 ³ | 1,122 | 354 | 10,118 | 3,191 | 9.0 |
| 1990 | 1,171 | 360 | 10,556 | 3,245 | 9.0 |
| 1991 ⁴ | 1,227 | 362 | 10,941 | 3,230 | 8.9 |
| 1992 ⁴ | 1,294 | 362 | 11,173 | 3,122 | 8.6 |
| 1993 ⁴ | 1,352 | 350 | 11,165 | 2,891 | 8.3 |
| 1994 ⁴ | 1,480 | 367 | 11,465 | 2,846 | 7.7 |
| 1995 ⁴ | 1,556 | 367 | 11,214 | 2,646 | 7.2 |
| 1996 ⁴ | 1,621 | 367 | 11,051 | 2,505 | 6.8 |
| 1997 ⁴ | 1,654 | 368 | 10,845 | 2,411 | 6.6 |
| 1998 ⁴ | 1,673 | 362 | 10,769 | 2,333 | 6.4 |
| 1999 ⁴ | 1,732 | 365 | 10,931 | 2,306 | 6.3 |
| 2000 ⁴ | 1,807 | 368 | 11,328 | 2,309 | 6.3 |
| 2001 ⁴ | 1,942 | 376 | 12,137 | 2,347 | 6.2 |
| 2002 ⁴ | 2,098 | 385 | 13,051 | 2,395 | 6.2 |
| 2003 ⁴ | 2,210 | 386 | 13,677 | 2,387 | 6.2 |
| 2004 ⁴ | 2,323 | 385 | 14,171 | 2,348 | 6.1 |
| 2005 ⁴ | 2,402 | 382 | 14,523 | 2,311 | 6.0 |
| 2006 ⁴ | 2,342 | 376 | 14,080 | 2,262 | 6.0 |
| 2007 ⁴ | 2,341 | 371 | 14,014 | 2,218 | 6.0 |
| 2008 ⁴ | 2,340 | 368 | 13,896 | 2,186 | 5.9 |
| Average Annual Rate of Change | | | | | |
| 1974-1983 ⁶ | 8.9 | 4.0 | 7.1 | 2.2 | -1.6 |
| 1983-2008 ⁶ | 2.4 | -0.7 | 0.5 | -2.6 | -1.9 |
| 1974-2008 | 4.1 | 0.5 | 2.2 | -1.3 | -1.8 |

¹Beginning in 1990, the average program payment per discharge does not reflect discharges with covered services, but for whom no program payments were reported.

²Based on total Medicare program payments.

³Represents the only year that the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988 was in effect.

⁴This table was revised from earlier editions for years 1991-1998 to exclude discharges from short-stay hospitals that were paid for by Medicare managed care plans, thus yielding fee-for-service utilization only for those years. Data for years prior to 1991 were not revised. However, these managed care enrollees were included in calculating all user rates per enrollee until 1994. Beginning with 1994, Medicare managed care enrollees are excluded from all calculations.

⁵Effective July 1, 1973, Medicare coverage was extended to disabled beneficiaries under the Social Security and Railroad Retirement Programs. Coverage was also extended to persons under 65 years of age who require dialysis or a kidney transplant for end stage renal disease. Public Law 95-292 removed the under age 65 restriction for persons with end stage renal disease, effective October 1978.

⁶Average annual rates of change are provided for periods before and after 1983 to show the impact of the prospective payment system's implementation (beginning October 1, 1983) on short-stay hospital utilization.

NOTES: Medicare program payments represent fee-for-service only and exclude amounts paid for managed care services.

HI is hospital insurance.

SOURCE: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, Office of Information Services: Data from the Medicare Data Extract System; data development by the Office of Research, Development, and Information.

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| Total Charges | | Program Payments | | | | | |
|-------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|------------|--------------------------------|---|
| Amount in Millions | Per Discharge | Amount in Millions | Per Discharge ¹ | Per HI Enrollee | Per Day | Percent of Total Charges | Percent of Total Medicare Payments ² |
| \$857 | \$1,438 | \$628 | \$1,054 | \$326 | \$95 | 73.3 | 64.0 |
| 1,220 | 1,704 | 889 | 1,242 | 410 | 116 | 72.9 | 59.6 |
| 1,688 | 1,967 | 1,214 | 1,415 | 508 | 134 | 71.9 | 61.2 |
| 2,085 | 2,176 | 1,489 | 1,554 | 569 | 151 | 71.4 | 60.5 |
| 2,636 | 2,434 | 1,826 | 1,686 | 654 | 169 | 69.3 | 61.6 |
| 3,182 | 2,734 | 2,212 | 1,900 | 760 | 197 | 69.5 | 59.9 |
| 3,878 | 3,158 | 2,639 | 2,149 | 891 | 213 | 68.1 | 58.6 |
| 4,600 | 3,651 | 3,122 | 2,478 | 1,041 | 248 | 67.9 | 58.9 |
| 5,494 | 4,252 | 3,593 | 2,781 | 1,216 | 285 | 65.4 | 56.6 |
| 6,276 | 4,887 | 3,940 | 3,068 | 1,350 | 321 | 62.8 | 58.7 |
| 5,937 | 4,987 | 4,312 | 3,621 | 1,495 | 414 | 72.6 | 61.5 |
| 6,026 | 5,435 | 4,462 | 4,023 | 1,535 | 474 | 73.9 | 59.9 |
| 6,752 | 5,991 | 4,751 | 4,216 | 1,606 | 491 | 70.4 | 59.0 |
| 7,590 | 6,843 | 4,718 | 4,254 | 1,557 | 479 | 62.2 | 54.1 |
| 8,617 | 7,759 | 4,961 | 4,468 | 1,600 | 499 | 57.6 | 53.8 |
| 9,834 | 8,764 | 5,344 | 4,763 | 1,685 | 528 | 54.3 | 48.2 |
| 11,596 | 9,904 | 5,866 | 5,371 | 1,809 | 556 | 50.6 | 49.7 |
| 13,746 | 11,206 | 6,473 | 5,680 | 1,912 | 592 | 47.1 | 50.5 |
| 15,661 | 12,101 | 7,316 | 6,051 | 2,086 | 665 | 46.7 | 50.6 |
| 17,292 | 12,794 | 7,978 | 6,294 | 2,107 | 726 | 46.1 | 50.2 |
| 19,193 | 12,971 | 8,933 | 6,390 | 2,218 | 776 | 46.5 | 47.4 |
| 20,182 | 12,968 | 9,849 | 6,655 | 2,324 | 878 | 48.8 | 46.8 |
| 21,181 | 13,067 | 10,686 | 6,901 | 2,422 | 967 | 50.5 | 47.3 |
| 22,508 | 13,609 | 11,178 | 7,084 | 2,485 | 1,031 | 49.7 | 47.0 |
| 23,803 | 14,231 | 11,160 | 7,012 | 2,418 | 1,036 | 46.9 | 47.0 |
| 26,106 | 15,074 | 11,425 | 6,933 | 2,410 | 1,045 | 43.8 | 47.1 |
| 30,053 | 16,629 | 12,143 | 6,835 | 2,475 | 1,072 | 40.4 | 47.1 |
| 35,882 | 18,475 | 13,581 | 7,106 | 2,626 | 1,119 | 37.8 | 45.8 |
| 44,846 | 21,380 | 15,074 | 7,287 | 2,767 | 1,155 | 33.6 | 45.5 |
| 53,102 | 24,028 | 16,237 | 7,442 | 2,834 | 1,187 | 30.6 | 43.8 |
| 60,653 | 26,107 | 17,614 | 7,681 | 2,918 | 1,243 | 29.0 | 41.9 |
| 67,959 | 28,288 | 19,090 | 8,054 | 3,037 | 1,314 | 28.1 | 41.0 |
| 71,385 | 30,484 | 19,328 | 8,374 | 3,105 | 1,373 | 27.1 | 40.1 |
| 76,267 | 32,577 | 19,956 | 8,657 | 3,159 | 1,424 | 26.2 | 39.4 |
| 81,981 | 35,037 | 21,232 | 9,218 | 3,339 | 1,528 | 25.9 | 39.3 |
| Average Annual Rate of Change | | | | | | | |
| 24.8 | 14.6 | 22.6 | 12.6 | 17.1 | 14.6 | --- | --- |
| 10.8 | 8.2 | 7.0 | 4.5 | 3.7 | 6.4 | --- | --- |
| 14.4 | 9.8 | 10.9 | 6.6 | 7.1 | 8.5 | --- | --- |