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UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 1.01

STANDARD RATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT

Date	Personal benefit (a)			Increase for dependant				
	Higher rate	Middle rate	Lower rate	Adult	Child			
					Only, elder or eldest	Second	Third	Each other
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
5 July 1948	1.30	1.00	0.75	0.80	0.375	.	.	.
30 August 1951	1.30	1.00	0.75	0.80	0.50	0.125	0.125	0.125
24 July 1952	1.625	1.30	1.00	1.075	0.525	0.125	0.125	0.125
19 May 1955	2.00	1.50	1.15	1.25	0.575	0.175	0.175	0.175
6 February 1958	2.50	1.70	1.425	1.50	0.75	0.35	0.35	0.35
6 April 1961	2.875	1.95	1.625	1.75	0.875	0.475	0.475	0.475
7 March 1963	3.375	2.30	1.925	2.075	1.00	0.60	0.60	0.60
28 January 1965	4.00	2.75	2.275	2.50	1.125	0.725	0.725	0.725
26 October 1967 (b)	4.50	3.10	2.50	2.80	1.25	0.85	0.85	0.60
11 April 1968 (b)	4.50	3.10	2.50	2.80	1.40	0.65	0.55	0.55
10 October 1968 (b)	4.50	3.10	2.50	2.80	1.40	0.50	0.40	0.40
6 November 1969	5.00	3.50	2.75	3.10	1.55	0.65	0.55	0.55
23 September 1971	6.00	4.20	3.30	3.70	1.85	0.95	0.85	0.85
5 October 1972	6.75	4.75	3.70	4.15	2.10	1.20	1.10	1.10
4 October 1973	7.35	5.15	4.05	4.55	2.30	1.40	1.30	1.30
25 July 1974	8.60	6.05	4.75	5.30	2.70	1.80	1.70	1.70

Notes: (a) Rates of personal benefit apply as follows:

Man:

- Over age 18 Higher rate
- Under age 18 and entitled to an increase in benefit for a child or adult dependant Higher rate
- Others under age 18 Lower rate

Single woman; divorced woman and widow:

- Over age 18 Higher rate
- Under age 18 and entitled to an increase in benefit for a child or adult dependant Higher rate
- Others under age 18 Lower rate

Married woman:

- Entitled to an increase of benefit in respect of her husband Higher rate
- Not residing with her husband and he is contributing less than the difference between the higher and middle rate of the benefit towards her maintenance. If she is under 18 she must also be entitled to an increase of benefit for a child or adult dependant Higher rate
- Residing with her husband and he is entitled to invalidity or retirement pension or unemployability supplement or allowance (with effect from 5 October 1972) Higher rate
- Others over age 18 Middle rate
- Under age 18 and entitled to an increase in benefit for a child or adult dependant Middle rate
- Others under age 18 Lower rate

(b) Reduction in rates for certain children accompanied increases in family allowance.

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 1.02

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: RATE OF EARNINGS-RELATED SUPPLEMENT (COMMENCED 6 OCTOBER 1966)

1. ANNUAL RECKONABLE EARNINGS IN A TAX-YEAR 1965/66 TO 1971/72 AND CORRESPONDING RATE OF EARNINGS-RELATED SUPPLEMENT APPLICABLE DURING A PERIOD OF INTERRUPTION OF EMPLOYMENT WHICH BEGAN ON OR AFTER FIRST MONDAY IN MAY FOLLOWING END OF TAX-YEAR

Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling
£	£	£	£	£	£
450	0.05	7.90	1,290	5.65	22.18
465	0.15	8.15	1,305	5.75	22.45
480	0.25	8.43	1,320	5.85	22.70
495	0.35	8.68	1,335	5.95	22.95
510	0.45	8.93	1,350	6.05	23.20
525	0.55	9.18	1,365	6.15	23.45
540	0.65	9.43	1,380	6.25	23.73
555	0.75	9.70	1,395	6.35	23.98
570	0.85	9.95	1,410	6.45	24.23
585	0.95	10.20	1,425	6.55	24.48
600	1.05	10.45	1,440	6.65	24.73
615	1.15	10.75	1,455	6.75	25.00
630	1.25	10.98	1,470	6.85	25.25
645	1.35	11.23	1,485	6.95	25.50
660	1.45	11.48	1,500	7.00	25.50
675	1.55	11.73	1,515	7.00	26.00
690	1.65	11.98	1,530	7.00	26.28
705	1.75	12.25	1,545	7.00	26.53
720	1.85	12.50	1,560	7.00	26.78
735	1.95	12.75	1,575	7.00	27.03
750	2.05	13.00	1,590	7.00	27.28
765	2.15	13.25	1,605	7.00	27.55
780	2.25	13.53	1,620	7.00	27.80
795	2.35	13.78	1,635	7.00	28.05
810	2.45	14.03	1,650	7.00	28.30
825	2.55	14.28	1,665	7.00	28.55
840	2.65	14.53	1,680	7.00	28.83
855	2.75	14.80	1,695	7.00	29.08
870	2.85	15.05	1,710	7.00	29.33
885	2.95	15.30	1,725	7.00	29.58
900	3.05	15.55	1,750	7.00	29.83
915	3.15	15.80	1,755	7.00	30.10
930	3.25	16.08	1,770	7.00	30.35
945	3.35	16.33	1,785	7.00	30.60
960	3.45	16.58	1,800	7.00	30.85
975	3.55	16.83	1,815	7.00	31.10
990	3.65	17.08	1,830	7.00	31.38
1,005	3.75	17.35	1,845	7.00	31.63
1,020	3.85	17.60	1,860	7.00	31.88
1,035	3.95	17.85	1,875	7.00	32.13
1,050	4.05	18.10	1,890	7.00	32.38
1,065	4.15	18.35	1,905	7.00	32.65
1,080	4.25	18.63	1,920	7.00	32.90
1,095	4.35	18.88	1,935	7.00	33.15
1,110	4.45	19.13	1,950	7.00	33.40
1,125	4.55	19.38	1,965	7.00	33.65
1,140	4.65	19.63	1,980	7.00	33.93
1,155	4.75	19.90	1,995	7.00	34.18
1,170	4.85	20.15	2,010	7.00	34.43
1,185	4.95	20.40	2,025	7.00	34.68
1,200	5.05	20.65	2,040	7.00	34.93
1,215	5.15	20.90	2,055	7.00	35.20
1,230	5.25	21.18	2,070	7.00	35.45
1,245	5.35	21.43	2,085	7.00	35.70
1,260	5.45	21.68	2,100	7.00	35.70
1,275	5.55	21.93			

Note: For earnings falling between two amounts listed above the lower amount is applicable.

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 1.02(continued)

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: RATE OF EARNINGS-RELATED SUPPLEMENT (COMMENCED 6 OCTOBER 1966)

2. ANNUAL RECKONABLE EARNINGS IN A TAX-YEAR 1972/1973 AND CORRESPONDING RATE OF EARNINGS-RELATED SUPPLEMENT APPLICABLE DURING A PERIOD OF INTERRUPTION OF EMPLOYMENT WHICH BEGAN ON OR AFTER FIRST MONDAY IN JANUARY FOLLOWING END OF TAX-YEAR

Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
501	0.01	8.52	551	0.34	9.37	601	0.67	10.22	651	1.01	11.07
502	0.01	8.53	552	0.35	9.38	602	0.68	10.23	652	1.01	11.08
503	0.02	8.55	553	0.35	9.40	603	0.69	10.25	653	1.02	11.10
504	0.03	8.57	554	0.36	9.42	604	0.69	10.27	654	1.03	11.12
505	0.03	8.59	555	0.37	9.44	605	0.70	10.29	655	1.03	11.14
506	0.04	8.60	556	0.37	9.45	606	0.71	10.30	656	1.04	11.15
507	0.05	8.62	557	0.38	9.47	607	0.71	10.32	657	1.05	11.17
508	0.05	8.64	558	0.39	9.49	608	0.72	10.34	658	1.05	11.19
509	0.06	8.65	559	0.39	9.50	609	0.73	10.35	659	1.06	11.20
510	0.07	8.67	560	0.40	9.52	610	0.73	10.37	660	1.07	11.22
511	0.07	8.69	561	0.41	9.54	611	0.74	10.39	661	1.07	11.24
512	0.08	8.70	562	0.41	9.55	612	0.75	10.40	662	1.08	11.25
513	0.09	8.72	563	0.42	9.57	613	0.75	10.42	663	1.09	11.27
514	0.09	8.74	564	0.43	9.59	614	0.76	10.44	664	1.09	11.29
515	0.10	8.76	565	0.43	9.61	615	0.77	10.46	665	1.10	11.31
516	0.11	8.77	566	0.44	9.62	616	0.77	10.47	666	1.11	11.32
517	0.11	8.79	567	0.45	9.64	617	0.78	10.49	667	1.11	11.34
518	0.12	8.81	568	0.45	9.66	618	0.79	10.51	668	1.12	11.36
519	0.13	8.82	569	0.46	9.67	619	0.79	10.52	669	1.13	11.37
520	0.13	8.84	570	0.47	9.69	620	0.80	10.54	670	1.13	11.39
521	0.14	8.86	571	0.47	9.71	621	0.81	10.56	671	1.14	11.41
522	0.15	8.87	572	0.48	9.72	622	0.81	10.57	672	1.15	11.42
523	0.15	8.89	573	0.49	9.74	623	0.82	10.59	673	1.15	11.44
524	0.16	8.91	574	0.49	9.76	624	0.83	10.61	674	1.16	11.46
525	0.17	8.93	575	0.50	9.78	625	0.83	10.63	675	1.17	11.48
526	0.17	8.94	576	0.51	9.79	626	0.84	10.64	676	1.17	11.49
527	0.18	8.96	577	0.51	9.81	627	0.85	10.66	677	1.18	11.51
528	0.19	8.98	578	0.52	9.83	628	0.85	10.68	678	1.19	11.53
529	0.19	8.99	579	0.53	9.84	629	0.86	10.69	679	1.19	11.54
530	0.20	9.01	580	0.53	9.86	630	0.87	10.71	680	1.20	11.56
531	0.21	9.03	581	0.54	9.88	631	0.87	10.73	681	1.21	11.58
532	0.21	9.04	582	0.55	9.89	632	0.88	10.74	682	1.21	11.59
533	0.22	9.06	583	0.55	9.91	633	0.89	10.76	683	1.22	11.61
534	0.23	9.08	584	0.56	9.93	634	0.89	10.78	684	1.23	11.63
535	0.23	9.10	585	0.57	9.95	635	0.90	10.80	685	1.23	11.65
536	0.24	9.11	586	0.57	9.96	636	0.91	10.81	686	1.24	11.66
537	0.25	9.13	587	0.58	9.98	637	0.91	10.83	687	1.25	11.68
538	0.25	9.15	588	0.59	10.00	638	0.92	10.85	688	1.25	11.70
539	0.26	9.16	589	0.59	10.01	639	0.93	10.86	689	1.26	11.71
540	0.27	9.18	590	0.60	10.03	640	0.93	10.88	690	1.27	11.73
541	0.27	9.20	591	0.61	10.05	641	0.94	10.90	691	1.27	11.75
542	0.28	9.21	592	0.61	10.06	642	0.95	10.91	692	1.28	11.76
543	0.29	9.23	593	0.62	10.08	643	0.95	10.93	693	1.29	11.78
544	0.29	9.25	594	0.63	10.10	644	0.96	10.95	694	1.29	11.80
545	0.30	9.27	595	0.63	10.12	645	0.97	10.97	695	1.30	11.82
546	0.31	9.28	596	0.64	10.13	646	0.97	10.98	696	1.31	11.83
547	0.31	9.30	597	0.65	10.15	647	0.98	11.00	697	1.31	11.85
548	0.32	9.32	598	0.65	10.17	648	0.99	11.02	698	1.32	11.87
549	0.33	9.33	599	0.66	10.18	649	0.99	11.03	699	1.33	11.88
550	0.33	9.35	600	0.67	10.20	650	1.00	11.05	700	1.33	11.90

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 1.02(continued)

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: RATE OF EARNINGS-RELATED SUPPLEMENT (COMMENCED 6 OCTOBER 1966)

2. ANNUAL RECKONABLE EARNINGS IN A TAX-YEAR 1972/1973 AND CORRESPONDING RATE OF EARNINGS-RELATED SUPPLEMENT APPLICABLE DURING A PERIOD OF INTERRUPTION OF EMPLOYMENT WHICH BEGAN ON OR AFTER FIRST MONDAY IN JANUARY FOLLOWING END OF TAX-YEAR

Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
701	1.34	11.92	751	1.67	12.77	801	2.01	13.62	851	2.34	14.47
702	1.35	11.93	752	1.68	12.78	802	2.01	13.63	852	2.35	14.48
703	1.35	11.95	753	1.69	12.80	803	2.02	13.65	853	2.35	14.50
704	1.36	11.97	754	1.69	12.82	804	2.03	13.67	854	2.36	14.52
705	1.37	11.99	755	1.70	12.84	805	2.03	13.69	855	2.37	14.54
706	1.37	12.00	756	1.71	12.85	806	2.04	13.70	856	2.37	14.55
707	1.38	12.02	757	1.71	12.87	807	2.05	13.72	857	2.38	14.57
708	1.39	12.04	758	1.72	12.89	808	2.05	13.74	858	2.39	14.59
709	1.39	12.05	759	1.73	12.90	809	2.06	13.75	859	2.39	14.60
710	1.40	12.07	760	1.73	12.92	810	2.07	13.77	860	2.40	14.62
711	1.41	12.09	761	1.74	12.94	811	2.07	13.79	861	2.41	14.64
712	1.41	12.10	762	1.75	12.95	812	2.08	13.80	862	2.41	14.65
713	1.42	12.12	763	1.75	12.97	813	2.09	13.82	863	2.42	14.67
714	1.43	12.14	764	1.76	12.99	814	2.09	13.84	864	2.43	14.69
715	1.43	12.16	765	1.77	13.01	815	2.10	13.86	865	2.43	14.71
716	1.44	12.17	766	1.77	13.02	816	2.11	13.87	866	2.44	14.72
717	1.45	12.19	767	1.78	13.04	817	2.11	13.89	867	2.45	14.74
718	1.45	12.21	768	1.79	13.06	818	2.12	13.91	868	2.45	14.76
719	1.46	12.22	769	1.79	13.07	819	2.13	13.92	869	2.46	14.77
720	1.47	12.24	770	1.80	13.09	820	2.13	13.94	870	2.47	14.79
721	1.47	12.26	771	1.81	13.11	821	2.14	13.96	871	2.47	14.81
722	1.48	12.27	772	1.81	13.12	822	2.15	13.97	872	2.48	14.82
723	1.49	12.29	773	1.82	13.14	823	2.15	13.99	873	2.49	14.84
724	1.49	12.31	774	1.83	13.16	824	2.16	14.01	874	2.49	14.86
725	1.50	12.33	775	1.83	13.18	825	2.17	14.03	875	2.50	14.88
726	1.51	12.34	776	1.84	13.19	826	2.17	14.04	876	2.51	14.89
727	1.51	12.36	777	1.85	13.21	827	2.18	14.06	877	2.51	14.91
728	1.52	12.38	778	1.85	13.23	828	2.19	14.08	878	2.52	14.93
729	1.53	12.39	779	1.86	13.24	829	2.19	14.09	879	2.53	14.94
730	1.53	12.41	780	1.87	13.26	830	2.20	14.11	880	2.53	14.96
731	1.54	12.43	781	1.87	13.28	831	2.21	14.13	881	2.54	14.98
732	1.55	12.44	782	1.88	13.29	832	2.21	14.14	882	2.55	14.99
733	1.55	12.46	783	1.89	13.31	833	2.22	14.16	883	2.55	15.01
734	1.56	12.48	784	1.89	13.33	834	2.23	14.18	884	2.56	15.03
735	1.57	12.50	785	1.90	13.35	835	2.23	14.20	885	2.57	15.05
736	1.57	12.51	786	1.91	13.36	836	2.24	14.21	886	2.57	15.06
737	1.58	12.53	787	1.91	13.38	837	2.25	14.23	887	2.58	15.08
738	1.59	12.55	788	1.92	13.40	838	2.25	14.25	888	2.59	15.10
739	1.59	12.56	789	1.93	13.41	839	2.26	14.26	889	2.59	15.11
740	1.60	12.58	790	1.93	13.43	840	2.27	14.28	890	2.60	15.13
741	1.61	12.60	791	1.94	13.45	841	2.27	14.30	891	2.61	15.15
742	1.61	12.61	792	1.95	13.46	842	2.28	14.31	892	2.61	15.16
743	1.62	12.63	793	1.95	13.48	843	2.29	14.33	893	2.62	15.18
744	1.63	12.65	794	1.96	13.50	844	2.29	14.35	894	2.63	15.20
745	1.63	12.67	795	1.97	13.52	845	2.30	14.37	895	2.63	15.22
746	1.64	12.68	796	1.97	13.53	846	2.31	14.38	896	2.64	15.23
747	1.65	12.70	797	1.98	13.55	847	2.31	14.40	897	2.65	15.25
748	1.65	12.72	798	1.99	13.57	848	2.32	14.42	898	2.65	15.27
749	1.66	12.73	799	1.99	13.58	849	2.33	14.43	899	2.66	15.28
750	1.67	12.75	800	2.00	13.60	850	2.33	14.45	900	2.67	15.30

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 1.02(continued)

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: RATE OF EARNINGS-RELATED SUPPLEMENT (COMMENCED 6 OCTOBER 1966)

2. ANNUAL RECKONABLE EARNINGS IN A TAX-YEAR 1972/1973 AND CORRESPONDING RATE OF EARNINGS-RELATED SUPPLEMENT APPLICABLE DURING A PERIOD OF INTERRUPTION OF EMPLOYMENT WHICH BEGAN ON OR AFTER FIRST MONDAY IN JANUARY FOLLOWING END OF TAX-YEAR

Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
901	2.67	15.32	951	3.01	16.17	1,001	3.34	17.02	1,051	3.67	17.87
902	2.68	15.33	952	3.01	16.18	1,002	3.35	17.03	1,052	3.68	17.88
903	2.69	15.35	953	3.02	16.20	1,003	3.35	17.05	1,053	3.69	17.90
904	2.69	15.37	954	3.03	16.22	1,004	3.36	17.07	1,054	3.69	17.92
905	2.70	15.39	955	3.03	16.24	1,005	3.37	17.09	1,055	3.70	17.94
906	2.71	15.40	956	3.04	16.25	1,006	3.37	17.10	1,056	3.71	17.95
907	2.71	15.42	957	3.05	16.27	1,007	3.38	17.12	1,057	3.71	17.97
908	2.72	15.44	958	3.05	16.29	1,008	3.39	17.14	1,058	3.72	17.99
909	2.73	15.45	959	3.06	16.30	1,009	3.39	17.15	1,059	3.73	18.00
910	2.73	15.47	960	3.07	16.32	1,010	3.40	17.17	1,060	3.73	18.02
911	2.74	15.49	961	3.07	16.34	1,011	3.41	17.19	1,061	3.74	18.04
912	2.75	15.50	962	3.08	16.35	1,012	3.41	17.20	1,062	3.75	18.05
913	2.75	15.52	963	3.09	16.37	1,013	3.42	17.22	1,063	3.75	18.07
914	2.76	15.54	964	3.09	16.39	1,014	3.43	17.24	1,064	3.76	18.09
915	2.77	15.56	965	3.10	16.41	1,015	3.43	17.26	1,065	3.77	18.11
916	2.77	15.57	966	3.11	16.42	1,016	3.44	17.27	1,066	3.77	18.12
917	2.78	15.59	967	3.11	16.44	1,017	3.45	17.29	1,067	3.78	18.14
918	2.79	15.61	968	3.12	16.46	1,018	3.45	17.31	1,068	3.79	18.16
919	2.79	15.62	969	3.13	16.47	1,019	3.46	17.32	1,069	3.79	18.17
920	2.80	15.64	970	3.13	16.49	1,020	3.47	17.34	1,070	3.80	18.19
921	2.81	15.66	971	3.14	16.51	1,021	3.47	17.36	1,071	3.81	18.21
922	2.81	15.67	972	3.15	16.52	1,022	3.48	17.37	1,072	3.81	18.22
923	2.82	15.69	973	3.15	16.54	1,023	3.49	17.39	1,073	3.82	18.24
924	2.83	15.71	974	3.16	16.56	1,024	3.49	17.41	1,074	3.83	18.26
925	2.83	15.73	975	3.17	16.58	1,025	3.50	17.43	1,075	3.83	18.28
926	2.84	15.74	976	3.17	16.59	1,026	3.51	17.44	1,076	3.84	18.29
927	2.85	15.76	977	3.18	16.61	1,027	3.51	17.46	1,077	3.85	18.31
928	2.85	15.78	978	3.19	16.63	1,028	3.52	17.48	1,078	3.85	18.33
929	2.86	15.79	979	3.19	16.64	1,029	3.53	17.49	1,079	3.86	18.34
930	2.87	15.81	980	3.20	16.66	1,030	3.53	17.51	1,080	3.87	18.36
931	2.87	15.83	981	3.21	16.68	1,031	3.54	17.53	1,081	3.87	18.38
932	2.88	15.84	982	3.21	16.69	1,032	3.55	17.54	1,082	3.88	18.39
933	2.89	15.86	983	3.22	16.71	1,033	3.55	17.56	1,083	3.89	18.41
934	2.89	15.88	984	3.23	16.73	1,034	3.56	17.58	1,084	3.89	18.43
935	2.90	15.90	985	3.23	16.75	1,035	3.57	17.60	1,085	3.90	18.45
936	2.91	15.91	986	3.24	16.76	1,036	3.57	17.61	1,086	3.91	18.46
937	2.91	15.93	987	3.25	16.78	1,037	3.58	17.63	1,087	3.91	18.48
938	2.92	15.95	988	3.25	16.80	1,038	3.59	17.65	1,088	3.92	18.50
939	2.93	15.96	989	3.26	16.81	1,039	3.59	17.66	1,089	3.93	18.51
940	2.93	15.98	990	3.27	16.83	1,040	3.60	17.68	1,090	3.93	18.53
941	2.94	16.00	991	3.27	16.85	1,041	3.61	17.70	1,091	3.94	18.55
942	2.95	16.01	992	3.28	16.86	1,042	3.61	17.71	1,092	3.95	18.56
943	2.95	16.03	993	3.29	16.88	1,043	3.62	17.73	1,093	3.95	18.58
944	2.96	16.05	994	3.29	16.90	1,044	3.63	17.75	1,094	3.96	18.60
945	2.97	16.07	995	3.30	16.92	1,045	3.63	17.77	1,095	3.97	18.62
946	2.97	16.08	996	3.31	16.93	1,046	3.64	17.78	1,096	3.97	18.63
947	2.98	16.10	997	3.31	16.95	1,047	3.65	17.80	1,097	3.98	18.65
948	2.99	16.12	998	3.32	16.97	1,048	3.65	17.82	1,098	3.99	18.67
949	2.99	16.13	999	3.33	16.98	1,049	3.66	17.83	1,099	3.99	18.68
950	3.00	16.15	1,000	3.33	17.00	1,050	3.67	17.85	1,100	4.00	18.70

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 1.02(continued)

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: RATE OF EARNINGS-RELATED SUPPLEMENT (COMMENCED 6 OCTOBER 1966)

2. ANNUAL RECKONABLE EARNINGS IN A TAX-YEAR 1972/1973 AND CORRESPONDING RATE OF EARNINGS-RELATED SUPPLEMENT APPLICABLE DURING A PERIOD OF INTERRUPTION OF EMPLOYMENT WHICH BEGAN ON OR AFTER FIRST MONDAY IN JANUARY FOLLOWING END OF TAX-YEAR

Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1,101	4.01	18.72	1,151	4.34	19.57	1,201	4.67	20.42	1,251	5.01	21.27
1,102	4.01	18.73	1,152	4.35	19.58	1,202	4.68	20.43	1,252	5.01	21.28
1,103	4.02	18.75	1,153	4.35	19.60	1,203	4.69	20.45	1,253	5.02	21.30
1,104	4.03	18.77	1,154	4.36	19.62	1,204	4.69	20.47	1,254	5.03	21.32
1,105	4.03	18.79	1,155	4.37	19.64	1,205	4.70	20.49	1,255	5.03	21.34
1,106	4.04	18.80	1,156	4.37	19.65	1,206	4.71	20.50	1,256	5.04	21.35
1,107	4.05	18.82	1,157	4.38	19.67	1,207	4.71	20.52	1,257	5.05	21.37
1,108	4.05	18.84	1,158	4.39	19.69	1,208	4.72	20.54	1,258	5.05	21.39
1,109	4.06	18.85	1,159	4.39	19.70	1,209	4.73	20.55	1,259	5.06	21.40
1,110	4.07	18.87	1,160	4.40	19.72	1,210	4.73	20.57	1,260	5.07	21.42
1,111	4.07	18.89	1,161	4.41	19.74	1,211	4.74	20.59	1,261	5.07	21.44
1,112	4.08	18.90	1,162	4.41	19.75	1,212	4.75	20.60	1,262	5.08	21.45
1,113	4.09	18.92	1,163	4.42	19.77	1,213	4.75	20.62	1,263	5.09	21.47
1,114	4.09	18.94	1,164	4.43	19.79	1,214	4.76	20.64	1,264	5.09	21.49
1,115	4.10	18.96	1,165	4.43	19.81	1,215	4.77	20.66	1,265	5.10	21.51
1,116	4.11	18.97	1,166	4.44	19.82	1,216	4.77	20.67	1,266	5.11	21.52
1,117	4.11	18.99	1,167	4.45	19.84	1,217	4.78	20.69	1,267	5.11	21.54
1,118	4.12	19.01	1,168	4.45	19.86	1,218	4.79	20.71	1,268	5.12	21.56
1,119	4.13	19.02	1,169	4.46	19.87	1,219	4.79	20.72	1,269	5.13	21.57
1,120	4.13	19.04	1,170	4.47	19.89	1,220	4.80	20.74	1,270	5.13	21.59
1,121	4.14	19.06	1,171	4.47	19.91	1,221	4.81	20.76	1,271	5.14	21.61
1,122	4.15	19.07	1,172	4.48	19.92	1,222	4.81	20.77	1,272	5.15	21.62
1,123	4.15	19.09	1,173	4.49	19.94	1,223	4.82	20.79	1,273	5.15	21.64
1,124	4.16	19.11	1,174	4.49	19.96	1,224	4.83	20.81	1,274	5.16	21.66
1,125	4.17	19.13	1,175	4.50	19.98	1,225	4.83	20.83	1,275	5.17	21.68
1,126	4.17	19.14	1,176	4.51	19.99	1,226	4.84	20.84	1,276	5.17	21.69
1,127	4.18	19.16	1,177	4.51	20.01	1,227	4.85	20.86	1,277	5.18	21.71
1,128	4.19	19.18	1,178	4.52	20.03	1,228	4.85	20.88	1,278	5.19	21.73
1,129	4.19	19.19	1,179	4.53	20.04	1,229	4.86	20.89	1,279	5.19	21.74
1,130	4.20	19.21	1,180	4.53	20.06	1,230	4.87	20.91	1,280	5.20	21.76
1,131	4.21	19.23	1,181	4.54	20.08	1,231	4.87	20.93	1,281	5.21	21.78
1,132	4.21	19.24	1,182	4.55	20.09	1,232	4.88	20.94	1,282	5.21	21.79
1,133	4.22	19.26	1,183	4.55	20.11	1,233	4.89	20.96	1,283	5.22	21.81
1,134	4.23	19.28	1,184	4.56	20.13	1,234	4.89	20.98	1,284	5.23	21.83
1,135	4.23	19.30	1,185	4.57	20.15	1,235	4.90	21.00	1,285	5.23	21.85
1,136	4.24	19.31	1,186	4.57	20.16	1,236	4.91	21.01	1,286	5.24	21.86
1,137	4.25	19.33	1,187	4.58	20.18	1,237	4.91	21.03	1,287	5.25	21.88
1,138	4.25	19.35	1,188	4.59	20.20	1,238	4.92	21.05	1,288	5.25	21.90
1,139	4.26	19.36	1,189	4.59	20.21	1,239	4.93	21.06	1,289	5.26	21.91
1,140	4.27	19.38	1,190	4.60	20.23	1,240	4.93	21.08	1,290	5.27	21.93
1,141	4.27	19.40	1,191	4.61	20.25	1,241	4.94	21.10	1,291	5.27	21.95
1,142	4.28	19.41	1,192	4.61	20.26	1,242	4.95	21.11	1,292	5.28	21.96
1,143	4.29	19.43	1,193	4.62	20.28	1,243	4.95	21.13	1,293	5.29	21.98
1,144	4.29	19.45	1,194	4.63	20.30	1,244	4.96	21.15	1,294	5.29	22.00
1,145	4.30	19.47	1,195	4.63	20.32	1,245	4.97	21.17	1,295	5.30	22.02
1,146	4.31	19.48	1,196	4.64	20.33	1,246	4.97	21.18	1,296	5.31	22.03
1,147	4.31	19.50	1,197	4.65	20.35	1,247	4.98	21.20	1,297	5.31	22.05
1,148	4.32	19.52	1,198	4.65	20.37	1,248	4.99	21.22	1,298	5.32	22.07
1,149	4.33	19.53	1,199	4.66	20.38	1,249	4.99	21.23	1,299	5.33	22.08
1,150	4.33	19.55	1,200	4.67	20.40	1,250	5.00	21.25	1,300	5.33	22.10

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 1.02(continued)

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: RATE OF EARNINGS-RELATED SUPPLEMENT (COMMENCED 6 OCTOBER 1966)

2. ANNUAL RECKONABLE EARNINGS IN A TAX-YEAR 1972/1973 AND CORRESPONDING RATE OF EARNINGS-RELATED SUPPLEMENT APPLICABLE DURING A PERIOD OF INTERRUPTION OF EMPLOYMENT WHICH BEGAN ON OR AFTER FIRST MONDAY IN JANUARY FOLLOWING END OF TAX-YEAR

Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1,301	5.34	22.12	1,351	5.67	22.97	1,401	6.01	23.82	1,451	6.34	24.67
1,302	5.35	22.13	1,352	5.68	22.98	1,402	6.01	23.83	1,452	6.35	24.68
1,303	5.35	22.15	1,353	5.69	23.00	1,403	6.02	23.85	1,453	6.35	24.70
1,304	5.36	22.17	1,354	5.69	23.02	1,404	6.03	23.87	1,454	6.36	24.72
1,305	5.37	22.19	1,355	5.70	23.04	1,405	6.03	23.89	1,455	6.37	24.74
1,306	5.37	22.20	1,356	5.71	23.05	1,406	6.04	23.90	1,456	6.37	24.75
1,307	5.38	22.22	1,357	5.71	23.07	1,407	6.05	23.92	1,457	6.38	24.77
1,308	5.39	22.24	1,358	5.72	23.09	1,408	6.05	23.94	1,458	6.39	24.79
1,309	5.39	22.25	1,359	5.73	23.10	1,409	6.06	23.95	1,459	6.39	24.80
1,310	5.40	22.27	1,360	5.73	23.12	1,410	6.07	23.97	1,460	6.40	24.82
1,311	5.41	22.29	1,361	5.74	23.14	1,411	6.07	23.99	1,461	6.41	24.84
1,312	5.41	22.30	1,362	5.75	23.15	1,412	6.08	24.00	1,462	6.41	24.85
1,313	5.42	22.32	1,363	5.75	23.17	1,413	6.09	24.02	1,463	6.42	24.87
1,314	5.43	22.34	1,364	5.76	23.19	1,414	6.09	24.04	1,464	6.43	24.89
1,315	5.43	22.36	1,365	5.77	23.21	1,415	6.10	24.06	1,465	6.43	24.91
1,316	5.44	22.37	1,366	5.77	23.22	1,416	6.11	24.07	1,466	6.44	24.92
1,317	5.45	22.39	1,367	5.78	23.24	1,417	6.11	24.09	1,467	6.45	24.94
1,318	5.45	22.41	1,368	5.79	23.26	1,418	6.12	24.11	1,468	6.45	24.96
1,319	5.46	22.42	1,369	5.79	23.27	1,419	6.13	24.12	1,469	6.46	24.97
1,320	5.47	22.44	1,370	5.80	23.29	1,420	6.13	24.14	1,470	6.47	24.99
1,321	5.47	22.46	1,371	5.81	23.31	1,421	6.14	24.16	1,471	6.47	25.01
1,322	5.48	22.47	1,372	5.81	23.32	1,422	6.15	24.17	1,472	6.48	25.02
1,323	5.49	22.49	1,373	5.82	23.34	1,423	6.15	24.19	1,473	6.49	25.04
1,324	5.49	22.51	1,374	5.83	23.36	1,424	6.16	24.21	1,474	6.49	25.06
1,325	5.50	22.53	1,375	5.83	23.38	1,425	6.17	24.23	1,475	6.50	25.08
1,326	5.51	22.54	1,376	5.84	23.39	1,426	6.17	24.24	1,476	6.51	25.09
1,327	5.51	22.56	1,377	5.85	23.41	1,427	6.18	24.26	1,477	6.51	25.11
1,328	5.52	22.58	1,378	5.85	23.43	1,428	6.19	24.28	1,478	6.52	25.13
1,329	5.53	22.59	1,379	5.86	23.44	1,429	6.19	24.29	1,479	6.53	25.14
1,330	5.53	22.61	1,380	5.87	23.46	1,430	6.20	24.31	1,480	6.53	25.16
1,331	5.54	22.63	1,381	5.87	23.48	1,431	6.21	24.33	1,481	6.54	25.18
1,332	5.55	22.64	1,382	5.88	23.49	1,432	6.21	24.34	1,482	6.55	25.20
1,333	5.55	22.66	1,383	5.89	23.51	1,433	6.22	24.36	1,483	6.55	25.21
1,334	5.56	22.68	1,384	5.89	23.53	1,434	6.23	24.38	1,484	6.56	25.23
1,335	5.57	22.70	1,385	5.90	23.55	1,435	6.23	24.40	1,485	6.57	25.25
1,336	5.57	22.71	1,386	5.91	23.56	1,436	6.24	24.41	1,486	6.57	25.26
1,337	5.58	22.73	1,387	5.91	23.58	1,437	6.25	24.43	1,487	6.58	25.28
1,338	5.59	22.75	1,388	5.92	23.60	1,438	6.25	24.45	1,488	6.59	25.30
1,339	5.59	22.76	1,389	5.93	23.61	1,439	6.26	24.46	1,489	6.59	25.31
1,340	5.60	22.78	1,390	5.93	23.63	1,440	6.27	24.48	1,490	6.60	25.33
1,341	5.61	22.80	1,391	5.94	23.65	1,441	6.27	24.50	1,491	6.61	25.35
1,342	5.61	22.81	1,392	5.95	23.66	1,442	6.28	24.51	1,492	6.61	25.36
1,343	5.62	22.83	1,393	5.95	23.68	1,443	6.29	24.53	1,493	6.62	25.38
1,344	5.63	22.85	1,394	5.96	23.70	1,444	6.29	24.55	1,494	6.63	25.40
1,345	5.63	22.87	1,395	5.97	23.72	1,445	6.30	24.57	1,495	6.63	25.42
1,346	5.64	22.88	1,396	5.97	23.73	1,446	6.31	24.58	1,496	6.64	25.43
1,347	5.65	22.90	1,397	5.98	23.75	1,447	6.31	24.60	1,497	6.65	25.45
1,348	5.65	22.92	1,398	5.99	23.77	1,448	6.32	24.62	1,498	6.65	25.47
1,349	5.66	22.93	1,399	5.99	23.78	1,449	6.33	24.63	1,499	6.66	25.48
1,350	5.67	22.95	1,400	6.00	23.80	1,450	6.33	24.65	1,500	6.67	25.50

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 1.02(continued)

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: RATE OF EARNINGS-RELATED SUPPLEMENT (COMMENCED 6 OCTOBER 1966)

2. ANNUAL RECKONABLE EARNINGS IN A TAX-YEAR 1972/1973 AND CORRESPONDING RATE OF EARNINGS-RELATED SUPPLEMENT APPLICABLE DURING A PERIOD OF INTERRUPTION OF EMPLOYMENT WHICH BEGAN ON OR AFTER FIRST MONDAY IN JANUARY FOLLOWING END OF TAX-YEAR

Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1,501	6.67	25.52	1,551	6.82	26.37	1,601	6.97	27.22	1,651	7.12	28.07
1,502	6.67	25.53	1,552	6.82	26.38	1,602	6.97	27.23	1,652	7.12	28.08
1,503	6.68	25.55	1,553	6.83	26.40	1,603	6.98	27.25	1,653	7.13	28.10
1,504	6.68	25.57	1,554	6.83	26.42	1,604	6.98	27.27	1,654	7.13	28.12
1,505	6.68	25.59	1,555	6.83	26.44	1,605	6.98	27.29	1,655	7.13	28.14
1,506	6.68	25.60	1,556	6.83	26.45	1,606	6.98	27.30	1,656	7.13	28.15
1,507	6.69	25.62	1,557	6.84	26.47	1,607	6.99	27.32	1,657	7.14	28.17
1,508	6.69	25.64	1,558	6.84	26.49	1,608	6.99	27.34	1,658	7.14	28.19
1,509	6.69	25.65	1,559	6.84	26.50	1,609	6.99	27.35	1,659	7.14	28.20
1,510	6.70	25.67	1,560	6.85	26.52	1,610	7.00	27.37	1,660	7.15	28.22
1,511	6.70	25.69	1,561	6.85	26.54	1,611	7.00	27.39	1,661	7.15	28.24
1,512	6.70	25.70	1,562	6.85	26.55	1,612	7.00	27.40	1,662	7.15	28.25
1,513	6.71	25.72	1,563	6.86	26.57	1,613	7.01	27.42	1,663	7.16	28.27
1,514	6.71	25.74	1,564	6.86	26.59	1,614	7.01	27.44	1,664	7.16	28.29
1,515	6.71	25.76	1,565	6.86	26.61	1,615	7.01	27.46	1,665	7.16	28.31
1,516	6.71	25.77	1,566	6.86	26.62	1,616	7.01	27.47	1,666	7.16	28.32
1,517	6.72	25.79	1,567	6.87	26.64	1,617	7.02	27.49	1,667	7.17	28.34
1,518	6.72	25.81	1,568	6.87	26.66	1,618	7.02	27.51	1,668	7.17	28.36
1,519	6.72	25.82	1,569	6.87	26.67	1,619	7.02	27.52	1,669	7.17	28.37
1,520	6.73	25.84	1,570	6.88	26.69	1,620	7.03	27.54	1,670	7.18	28.39
1,521	6.73	25.86	1,571	6.88	26.71	1,621	7.03	27.56	1,671	7.18	28.41
1,522	6.73	25.87	1,572	6.88	26.72	1,622	7.03	27.57	1,672	7.18	28.42
1,523	6.74	25.89	1,573	6.89	26.74	1,623	7.04	27.59	1,673	7.19	28.44
1,524	6.74	25.91	1,574	6.89	26.76	1,624	7.04	27.61	1,674	7.19	28.46
1,525	6.74	25.93	1,575	6.89	26.78	1,625	7.04	27.63	1,675	7.19	28.48
1,526	6.74	25.94	1,576	6.89	26.79	1,626	7.04	27.64	1,676	7.19	28.49
1,527	6.75	25.96	1,577	6.90	26.81	1,627	7.05	27.66	1,677	7.20	28.51
1,528	6.75	25.98	1,578	6.90	26.83	1,628	7.05	27.68	1,678	7.20	28.53
1,529	6.75	25.99	1,579	6.90	26.84	1,629	7.05	27.69	1,679	7.20	28.54
1,530	6.76	26.01	1,580	6.91	26.86	1,630	7.06	27.71	1,680	7.21	28.56
1,531	6.76	26.03	1,581	6.91	26.88	1,631	7.06	27.73	1,681	7.21	28.58
1,532	6.76	26.04	1,582	6.91	26.89	1,632	7.06	27.74	1,682	7.21	28.59
1,533	6.77	26.06	1,583	6.92	26.91	1,633	7.07	27.76	1,683	7.22	28.61
1,534	6.77	26.08	1,584	6.92	26.93	1,634	7.07	27.78	1,684	7.22	28.63
1,535	6.77	26.10	1,585	6.92	26.95	1,635	7.07	27.80	1,685	7.22	28.65
1,536	6.77	26.11	1,586	6.92	26.96	1,636	7.07	27.81	1,686	7.22	28.66
1,537	6.78	26.13	1,587	6.93	26.98	1,637	7.08	27.83	1,687	7.23	28.68
1,538	6.78	26.15	1,588	6.93	27.00	1,638	7.08	27.85	1,688	7.23	28.70
1,539	6.78	26.16	1,589	6.93	27.01	1,639	7.08	27.86	1,689	7.23	28.71
1,540	6.79	26.18	1,590	6.94	27.03	1,640	7.09	27.88	1,690	7.24	28.73
1,541	6.79	26.20	1,591	6.94	27.05	1,641	7.09	27.90	1,691	7.24	28.75
1,542	6.79	26.21	1,592	6.94	27.06	1,642	7.09	27.91	1,692	7.24	28.76
1,543	6.80	26.23	1,593	6.95	27.08	1,643	7.10	27.93	1,693	7.25	28.78
1,544	6.80	26.25	1,594	6.95	27.10	1,644	7.10	27.95	1,694	7.25	28.80
1,545	6.80	26.27	1,595	6.95	27.12	1,645	7.10	27.97	1,695	7.25	28.82
1,546	6.80	26.28	1,596	6.95	27.13	1,646	7.10	27.98	1,696	7.25	28.83
1,547	6.81	26.30	1,597	6.96	27.15	1,647	7.11	28.00	1,697	7.26	28.85
1,548	6.81	26.32	1,598	6.96	27.17	1,648	7.11	28.02	1,698	7.26	28.87
1,549	6.81	26.33	1,599	6.96	27.18	1,649	7.11	28.03	1,699	7.26	28.88
1,550	6.82	26.35	1,600	6.97	27.20	1,650	7.12	28.05	1,700	7.27	28.90

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 1.02(continued)

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: RATE OF EARNINGS-RELATED SUPPLEMENT (COMMENCED 6 OCTOBER 1966)

2. ANNUAL RECKONABLE EARNINGS IN A TAX-YEAR 1972/1973 AND CORRESPONDING RATE OF EARNINGS-RELATED SUPPLEMENT APPLICABLE DURING A PERIOD OF INTERRUPTION OF EMPLOYMENT WHICH BEGAN ON OR AFTER FIRST MONDAY IN JANUARY FOLLOWING END OF TAX-YEAR

Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1,701	7.27	28.92	1,751	7.42	29.77	1,801	7.57	30.62	1,851	7.72	31.47
1,702	7.27	28.93	1,752	7.42	29.78	1,802	7.57	30.63	1,852	7.72	31.48
1,703	7.28	28.95	1,753	7.43	29.80	1,803	7.58	30.65	1,853	7.73	31.50
1,704	7.28	28.97	1,754	7.43	29.82	1,804	7.58	30.67	1,854	7.73	31.52
1,705	7.28	28.99	1,755	7.43	29.84	1,805	7.58	30.69	1,855	7.73	31.54
1,706	7.28	29.00	1,756	7.43	29.85	1,806	7.58	30.70	1,856	7.73	31.55
1,707	7.29	29.02	1,757	7.44	29.87	1,807	7.59	30.72	1,857	7.74	31.57
1,708	7.29	29.04	1,758	7.44	29.89	1,808	7.59	30.74	1,858	7.74	31.59
1,709	7.29	29.05	1,759	7.44	29.90	1,809	7.59	30.75	1,859	7.74	31.60
1,710	7.30	29.07	1,760	7.45	29.92	1,810	7.60	30.77	1,860	7.75	31.62
1,711	7.30	29.09	1,761	7.45	29.94	1,811	7.60	30.79	1,861	7.75	31.64
1,712	7.30	29.10	1,762	7.45	29.95	1,812	7.60	30.80	1,862	7.75	31.65
1,713	7.31	29.12	1,763	7.46	29.97	1,813	7.61	30.82	1,863	7.76	31.67
1,714	7.31	29.14	1,764	7.46	29.99	1,814	7.61	30.84	1,864	7.76	31.69
1,715	7.31	29.16	1,765	7.46	30.01	1,815	7.61	30.86	1,865	7.76	31.71
1,716	7.31	29.17	1,766	7.46	30.02	1,816	7.61	30.87	1,866	7.76	31.72
1,717	7.32	29.19	1,767	7.47	30.04	1,817	7.62	30.89	1,867	7.77	31.74
1,718	7.32	29.21	1,768	7.47	30.06	1,818	7.62	30.91	1,868	7.77	31.76
1,719	7.32	29.22	1,769	7.47	30.07	1,819	7.62	30.92	1,869	7.77	31.77
1,720	7.33	29.24	1,770	7.48	30.09	1,820	7.63	30.94	1,870	7.78	31.79
1,721	7.33	29.26	1,771	7.48	30.11	1,821	7.63	30.96	1,871	7.78	31.81
1,722	7.33	29.27	1,772	7.48	30.12	1,822	7.63	30.97	1,872	7.78	31.82
1,723	7.34	29.29	1,773	7.49	30.14	1,823	7.64	30.99	1,873	7.79	31.84
1,724	7.34	29.31	1,774	7.49	30.16	1,824	7.64	31.01	1,874	7.79	31.86
1,725	7.34	29.33	1,775	7.49	30.18	1,825	7.64	31.03	1,875	7.79	31.88
1,726	7.34	29.34	1,776	7.49	30.19	1,826	7.64	31.04	1,876	7.79	31.89
1,727	7.35	29.36	1,777	7.50	30.21	1,827	7.65	31.06	1,877	7.80	31.91
1,728	7.35	29.38	1,778	7.50	30.23	1,828	7.65	31.08	1,878	7.80	31.93
1,729	7.35	29.39	1,779	7.50	30.24	1,829	7.65	31.09	1,879	7.80	31.94
1,730	7.36	29.41	1,780	7.51	30.26	1,830	7.66	31.11	1,880	7.81	31.96
1,731	7.36	29.43	1,781	7.51	30.28	1,831	7.66	31.13	1,881	7.81	31.98
1,732	7.36	29.44	1,782	7.51	30.29	1,832	7.66	31.14	1,882	7.81	31.99
1,733	7.37	29.46	1,783	7.52	30.31	1,833	7.67	31.16	1,883	7.82	32.01
1,734	7.37	29.48	1,784	7.52	30.33	1,834	7.67	31.18	1,884	7.82	32.03
1,735	7.37	29.50	1,785	7.52	30.35	1,835	7.67	31.20	1,885	7.82	32.05
1,736	7.37	29.51	1,786	7.52	30.36	1,836	7.67	31.21	1,886	7.82	32.06
1,737	7.38	29.53	1,787	7.53	30.38	1,837	7.68	31.23	1,887	7.83	32.08
1,738	7.38	29.55	1,788	7.53	30.40	1,838	7.68	31.25	1,888	7.83	32.10
1,739	7.38	29.56	1,789	7.53	30.41	1,839	7.68	31.26	1,889	7.83	32.11
1,740	7.39	29.58	1,790	7.54	30.43	1,840	7.69	31.28	1,890	7.84	32.13
1,741	7.39	29.60	1,791	7.54	30.45	1,841	7.69	31.30	1,891	7.84	32.15
1,742	7.39	29.61	1,792	7.54	30.46	1,842	7.69	31.31	1,892	7.84	32.16
1,743	7.40	29.63	1,793	7.55	30.48	1,843	7.70	31.33	1,893	7.85	32.18
1,744	7.40	29.65	1,794	7.55	30.50	1,844	7.70	31.35	1,894	7.85	32.20
1,745	7.40	29.67	1,795	7.55	30.52	1,845	7.70	31.37	1,895	7.85	32.22
1,746	7.40	29.68	1,796	7.55	30.53	1,846	7.70	31.38	1,896	7.85	32.23
1,747	7.41	29.70	1,797	7.56	30.55	1,847	7.71	31.40	1,897	7.86	32.25
1,748	7.41	29.72	1,798	7.56	30.57	1,848	7.71	31.42	1,898	7.86	32.27
1,749	7.41	29.73	1,799	7.56	30.58	1,849	7.71	31.43	1,899	7.86	32.28
1,750	7.42	29.75	1,800	7.57	30.60	1,850	7.72	31.45	1,900	7.87	32.30

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 1.02(continued)

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: RATE OF EARNINGS-RELATED SUPPLEMENT (COMMENCED 6 OCTOBER 1966)

2. ANNUAL RECKONABLE EARNINGS IN A TAX-YEAR 1972/1973 AND CORRESPONDING RATE OF EARNINGS-RELATED SUPPLEMENT APPLICABLE DURING A PERIOD OF INTERRUPTION OF EMPLOYMENT WHICH BEGAN ON OR AFTER FIRST MONDAY IN JANUARY FOLLOWING END OF TAX-YEAR

Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling	Annual reckonable earnings	Weekly rate of supplement	Weekly benefit ceiling
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1,901	7.87	32.32	1,951	8.02	33.17	2,001	8.17	34.02	2,051	8.32	34.87
1,902	7.87	32.33	1,952	8.02	33.18	2,002	8.17	34.03	2,052	8.32	34.88
1,903	7.88	32.35	1,953	8.03	33.20	2,003	8.18	34.05	2,053	8.33	34.90
1,904	7.88	32.37	1,954	8.03	33.22	2,004	8.18	34.07	2,054	8.33	34.92
1,905	7.88	32.39	1,955	8.03	33.24	2,005	8.18	34.09	2,055	8.33	34.94
1,906	7.88	32.40	1,956	8.03	33.25	2,006	8.18	34.10	2,056	8.33	34.95
1,907	7.89	32.42	1,957	8.04	33.27	2,007	8.19	34.12	2,057	8.34	34.97
1,908	7.89	32.44	1,958	8.04	33.29	2,008	8.19	34.14	2,058	8.34	34.99
1,909	7.89	32.45	1,959	8.04	33.30	2,009	8.19	34.15	2,059	8.34	35.00
1,910	7.90	32.47	1,960	8.05	33.32	2,010	8.20	34.17	2,060	8.35	35.02
1,911	7.90	32.49	1,961	8.05	33.34	2,011	8.20	34.19	2,061	8.35	35.04
1,912	7.90	32.50	1,962	8.05	33.35	2,012	8.20	34.20	2,062	8.35	35.05
1,913	7.91	32.52	1,963	8.06	33.37	2,013	8.21	34.22	2,063	8.36	35.07
1,914	7.91	32.54	1,964	8.06	33.39	2,014	8.21	34.24	2,064	8.36	35.09
1,915	7.91	32.56	1,965	8.06	33.41	2,015	8.21	34.26	2,065	8.36	35.11
1,916	7.91	32.57	1,966	8.06	33.42	2,016	8.21	34.27	2,066	8.36	35.12
1,917	7.92	32.59	1,967	8.07	33.44	2,017	8.22	34.29	2,067	8.37	35.14
1,918	7.92	32.61	1,968	8.07	33.46	2,018	8.22	34.31	2,068	8.37	35.16
1,919	7.92	32.62	1,969	8.07	33.47	2,019	8.22	34.32	2,069	8.37	35.17
1,920	7.93	32.64	1,970	8.08	33.49	2,020	8.23	34.34	2,070	8.38	35.19
1,921	7.93	32.66	1,971	8.08	33.51	2,021	8.23	34.36	2,071	8.38	35.21
1,922	7.93	32.67	1,972	8.08	33.52	2,022	8.23	34.37	2,072	8.38	35.22
1,923	7.94	32.69	1,973	8.09	33.54	2,023	8.24	34.39	2,073	8.39	35.24
1,924	7.94	32.71	1,974	8.09	33.56	2,024	8.24	34.41	2,074	8.39	35.26
1,925	7.94	32.73	1,975	8.09	33.58	2,025	8.24	34.43	2,075	8.39	35.28
1,926	7.94	32.74	1,976	8.09	33.59	2,026	8.24	34.44	2,076	8.39	35.29
1,927	7.95	32.76	1,977	8.10	33.61	2,027	8.25	34.46	2,077	8.40	35.31
1,928	7.95	32.78	1,978	8.10	33.63	2,028	8.25	34.48	2,078	8.40	35.33
1,929	7.95	32.79	1,979	8.10	33.64	2,029	8.25	34.49	2,079	8.40	35.34
1,930	7.96	32.81	1,980	8.11	33.66	2,030	8.26	34.51	2,080	8.41	35.36
1,931	7.96	32.83	1,981	8.11	33.68	2,031	8.26	34.53	2,081	8.41	35.38
1,932	7.96	32.84	1,982	8.11	33.69	2,032	8.26	34.54	2,082	8.41	35.39
1,933	7.97	32.86	1,983	8.12	33.71	2,033	8.27	34.56	2,083	8.42	35.41
1,934	7.97	32.88	1,984	8.12	33.73	2,034	8.27	34.58	2,084	8.42	35.43
1,935	7.97	32.90	1,985	8.12	33.75	2,035	8.27	34.60	2,085	8.42	35.45
1,936	7.97	32.91	1,986	8.12	33.76	2,036	8.27	34.61	2,086	8.42	35.46
1,937	7.98	32.93	1,987	8.13	33.78	2,037	8.28	34.63	2,087	8.43	35.48
1,938	7.98	32.95	1,988	8.13	33.80	2,038	8.28	34.65	2,088	8.43	35.50
1,939	7.98	32.96	1,989	8.13	33.81	2,039	8.28	34.66	2,089	8.43	35.51
1,940	7.99	32.98	1,990	8.14	33.83	2,040	8.29	34.68	2,090	8.44	35.53
1,941	7.99	33.00	1,991	8.14	33.85	2,041	8.29	34.70	2,091	8.44	35.55
1,942	7.99	33.01	1,992	8.14	33.86	2,042	8.29	34.71	2,092	8.44	35.56
1,943	8.00	33.03	1,993	8.15	33.88	2,043	8.30	34.73	2,093	8.45	35.58
1,944	8.00	33.05	1,994	8.15	33.90	2,044	8.30	34.75	2,094	8.45	35.60
1,945	8.00	33.07	1,995	8.15	33.92	2,045	8.30	34.77	2,095	8.45	35.62
1,946	8.00	33.08	1,996	8.15	33.93	2,046	8.30	34.78	2,096	8.45	35.63
1,947	8.01	33.10	1,997	8.16	33.95	2,047	8.31	34.80	2,097	8.46	35.65
1,948	8.01	33.12	1,998	8.16	33.97	2,048	8.31	34.82	2,098	8.46	35.67
1,949	8.01	33.13	1,999	8.16	33.98	2,049	8.31	34.83	2,099	8.46	35.68
1,950	8.02	33.15	2,000	8.17	34.00	2,050	8.32	34.85	2,100	8.47	35.70(a)

Note: (a) To obtain the benefit ceiling rate for earnings above £2,100 pa refer to the entry for half the actual reckonable earnings (rounded up to the next even figure if necessary) and multiply the relevant ceiling rate by 2.

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 1.05

CLAIMS TO UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT (a) MADE IN VARIOUS PERIODS (b), ANALYSED BY REGION (c)

Thousands

	1969		1970		1971		1972		1973	
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females
Great Britain	2,604	494	2,622	537	2,903	667	2,690	670	2,233	560
England:										
All regions	2,144	381	2,145	418	2,391	523	2,208	525	1,805	433
North	214	45	207	50	227	58	214	60	199	57
Yorkshire and Humberside	256	43	273	49	305	66	291	63	229	53
East Midlands	132	24	136	28	145	32	134	33	111	26
East Anglia	67	10	68	12	75	15	63	14	53	12
South East	747	114	723	116	777	138	710	142	539	110
South West	154	35	154	36	172	43	162	42	137	35
West Midlands	201	34	202	39	241	49	222	56	185	48
North West	374	75	381	87	448	121	412	115	352	93
Wales	138	33	134	33	145	41	139	40	125	35
Scotland	322	80	343	86	367	103	343	106	303	91

Source: 100 per cent count.

Notes: (a) Including claims made by a person for second and subsequent spells of unemployment in the same year, but excluding claims under the emergency benefit procedure.

(b) 52 (or 53) weeks starting on the first Monday in January.

(c) Standard Regions.

TABLE 1.20

APPEALS AND REFERENCES TO LOCAL TRIBUNALS AND APPEALS TO THE COMMISSIONER

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
To Local Tribunals:										
Total appeals and references	16,871	17,241	17,460	21,087	21,003	19,694	20,649	17,430	20,608	16,868
Total appeals	16,301	16,671	16,991	20,521	20,305	18,845	19,853	16,918	19,970	16,244
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	4,092	3,811	3,947	4,516	4,248	3,752	3,734	2,990	3,511	2,916
Percentage	25	23	23	22	21	20	19	18	18	18
Total references	570	570	469	566	698	849	796	512	638	624
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	277	298	233	269	337	365	367	204	231	234
Percentage	49	52	50	48	48	43	46	40	36	37
To the Commissioner:										
Total appeals	913	922	921	850	1,062	1,033	1,096	965	1,001	848
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	223	253	296	298	342	316	249	276	349	242
Percentage	24	27	32	35	32	31	23	29	35	29

Source: 100 per cent count.

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT : TABLE 1.30

PERSONS RECEIVING UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT ON SELECTED DATES

Thousands

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
February (a):										
All persons	266	198	185	382	350	323	332	386	530	323
Males	207	154	151	318	299	283	291	334	455	268
Females	59	44	33	64	51	40	41	52	75	55
May (a):										
All persons	200	163	153	335	306	281	302	396	457	254
Males	153	127	125	279	264	246	263	343	389	212
Females	47	36	28	57	42	35	39	53	68	42
August (a)(b):										
All persons	157	140	134	297	279	263	286	406	383	215
Males	123	113	112	249	244	230	250	352	323	181
Females	34	28	22	47	35	33	37	53	60	34
November (a):										
All persons	172	166	276	318	294	279	302	459	352	197
Males	132	133	231	268	255	242	260	393	293	166
Females	40	33	45	50	39	38	43	66	59	31

Source: 100 per cent count.

Notes: (a) On the first Monday in the month.

(b) Last Monday in July up to and including 1967.

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 1.32

UNEMPLOYED PERSONS REGISTERED ON THE FIRST MONDAY IN MAY AND NOVEMBER ANALYSED BY BENEFIT ENTITLEMENT

Thousands

	1968		1969		1970		1971		1972		1973	
	May	Nov.	May	Nov.	May	Nov.	May	Nov.	May	Nov.	May	Nov.
Males:												
Under 18 years:												
Total	15	16	15	18	17	21	26	36	33	33	15	10
Flat-rate benefit payable — total ..	4	4	4	5	5	6	9	11	10	8	4	2
Flat-rate benefit only	4	3	3	4	4	4	6	6	6	3	2	1
Flat-rate benefit and supplementary allowance	—	1	1	1	1	1	3	5	5	5	2	1
Supplementary allowance only	2	3	2	3	3	4	5	10	9	12	6	4
No flat-rate benefit or supplementary allowance	8	9	8	10	9	11	13	15	13	13	6	4
18 years and over:												
Total	455	452	440	454	476	481	600	686	703	620	508	419
Flat-rate benefit payable — total ..	260	251	242	237	258	254	334	382	379	285	209	164
Flat-rate benefit only	109	113	105	102	106	112	131	149	143	113	82	66
Flat-rate benefit and earnings-related supplement	86	84	78	78	94	89	119	139	137	101	77	62
Flat-rate benefit, earnings-related supplement and supplementary allowance	8	6	8	7	8	6	13	10	13	8	8	6
Flat-rate benefit and supplementary allowance	57	48	50	50	51	47	71	84	86	63	42	31
Supplementary allowance only	117	112	113	114	122	121	152	186	216	225	201	159
No flat-rate benefit or supplementary allowance	79	88	85	102	96	106	114	118	108	110	98	96
Females:												
Under 18 years:												
Total	8	9	7	10	9	12	15	22	20	22	11	7
Flat-rate benefit payable — total ..	2	2	2	3	3	3	5	7	7	6	3	2
Flat-rate benefit only	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	4	4	3	1	1
Flat-rate benefit and supplementary allowance	—	—	—	1	1	1	2	3	3	3	2	1
Supplementary allowance only	1	2	1	2	2	2	3	6	6	8	4	3
No flat-rate benefit or supplementary allowance	4	5	4	6	5	7	7	10	7	9	4	3
18 years and over:												
Total	81	79	70	77	74	82	95	116	118	114	88	72
Flat-rate benefit payable — total ..	39	37	33	35	36	39	48	59	61	54	39	29
Flat-rate benefit only	29	26	24	24	25	27	31	38	39	33	22	16
Flat-rate benefit and earnings-related supplement	6	6	6	7	7	8	11	15	15	15	13	9
Flat-rate benefit, earnings-related supplement and supplementary allowance	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	—	—
Flat-rate benefit and supplementary allowance	4	4	3	4	3	4	5	6	6	5	4	4
Supplementary allowance only	14	13	13	14	14	15	18	23	24	27	24	20
No flat-rate benefit or supplementary allowance	28	29	24	28	24	28	29	34	32	33	25	23

Source: 5 per cent sample.

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 1.34

UNEMPLOYED PERSONS REGISTERED ON 5 NOVEMBER 1973, ANALYSED BY BENEFIT ENTITLEMENT AND REGION (a)

Thousands

	All persons	Flat-rate benefit payable			Supplementary allowance only	No flat-rate benefit or supplementary allowance
		Total	Flat-rate benefit	Flat-rate benefit and supplementary allowance		
Males:						
Great Britain	429	166	128	38	163	100
England:						
All regions	336	132	102	29	122	83
North	46	18	13	4	20	8
Yorkshire and Humberside	42	16	12	4	17	9
East Midlands	22	7	6	2	9	6
East Anglia	9	4	3	1	3	3
South East	85	37	30	7	21	28
South West	27	11	10	2	7	9
West Midlands	33	12	9	3	13	8
North West	72	27	20	7	32	13
Wales	27	11	8	3	10	6
Scotland	66	24	18	6	31	11
Females:						
Great Britain	80	31	27	4	23	26
England:						
All regions	58	22	18	3	16	20
North	9	4	3	—	3	2
Yorkshire and Humberside	7	2	2	—	2	2
East Midlands	4	1	1	—	1	1
East Anglia	2	1	—	—	—	1
South East	14	5	4	1	3	6
South West	5	2	2	—	1	2
West Midlands	7	2	2	—	2	2
North West	12	5	4	1	3	3
Wales	6	2	2	—	2	2
Scotland	16	7	7	—	4	4

Source: 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) Standard Regions.

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 1.36

UNEMPLOYED PERSONS REGISTERED ON 5 NOVEMBER 1973, ANALYSED BY BENEFIT ENTITLEMENT AND AGE

Thousands

Age	All persons	Flat-rate benefit payable					Supplementary allowance only	No flat-rate benefit or supplementary allowance
		Total	Flat-rate benefit	Flat-rate benefit and earnings-related supplement	Flat-rate benefit, earnings-related supplement and supplementary allowance	Flat-rate benefit and supplementary allowance		
Males:								
All ages	429	166	67	62	6	32	163	100
Under 18	10	2	1	.	.	1	4	4
18 and over—total	419	164	66	62	6	31	159	96
18—24	66	28	12	10	1	6	23	15
25—34	73	32	11	12	2	8	27	14
35—44	58	23	8	8	1	6	26	9
45—54	71	25	9	8	1	6	36	10
55—64	150	55	25	24	1	5	47	48
65 and over .. .	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Females:								
All ages	80	31	17	9	1	4	23	26
Under 18	7	2	1	.	.	1	3	3
18 and over—total	72	29	16	9	1	3	20	23
18—24	29	14	9	4	—	1	6	9
25—34	12	6	3	3	—	—	2	4
35—44	6	2	1	1	—	—	2	2
45—54	14	4	2	1	—	1	6	4
55 and over .. .	12	3	1	1	—	1	4	5

Source: 5 per cent sample.

TABLE 1.40

MALES RECEIVING UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT ON THE FIRST MONDAY IN MAY AND NOVEMBER, ANALYSED BY DEPENDENCY CONDITION AND WHETHER RECEIVING SUPPLEMENTARY ALLOWANCE

	1968		1969		1970		1971		1972		1973	
	May	Nov.	May	Nov.	May	Nov.	May	Nov.	May	Nov.	May	Nov.
Thousands												
All males	264	255	246	242	263	260	343	393	389	293	212	166
with supplementary allowance	64	55	59	58	60	54	87	98	104	76	52	38
without supplementary allowance	200	200	187	184	203	206	256	295	285	217	160	128
No dependants	114	110	105	108	115	120	160	191	181	140	98	75
with supplementary allowance	21	15	16	18	18	17	27	33	37	29	19	13
without supplementary allowance	93	95	89	90	97	104	133	158	144	111	79	62
Adult dependant only	51	54	51	47	52	51	57	62	65	54	45	38
with supplementary allowance	8	8	8	8	8	8	10	10	11	8	6	5
without supplementary allowance	43	46	43	39	44	43	47	52	54	46	39	33
Adult dependant and child(ren)	80	74	71	69	77	68	99	110	110	76	53	42
with supplementary allowance	32	30	30	29	31	27	45	49	50	35	24	19
without supplementary allowance	48	44	41	39	46	42	54	61	60	41	29	23
Child dependant(s) only	19	18	18	18	19	20	27	31	33	23	16	12
with supplementary allowance	3	3	4	3	3	3	5	5	5	4	3	2
without supplementary allowance	15	15	15	15	16	17	22	25	27	19	13	11
Average number of children for males with child dependants	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.4	2.4
with supplementary allowance	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.7
without supplementary allowance	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.2	2.2

Source: 5 per cent sample.

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 1.42

MALES RECEIVING UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT ON 5 NOVEMBER 1973, ANALYSED BY DEPENDENCY CONDITION AND AGE

Age	Units	All males	No dependants	Adult dependant only	Adult dependant and child(ren)	Child dependant(s) only
All ages	Thousands Per cent	166 100.0	75 45.2	38 22.9	42 25.3	12 7.2
Under 18	Thousands Per cent	2 100.0	2 100.0	— —	— —	— —
18 and over—total ..	Thousands Per cent	164 100.0	73 44.5	38 23.2	42 25.6	12 7.3
18—24	Thousands Per cent	28 100.0	21 75.0	1 3.6	6 21.4	— —
25—34	Thousands Per cent	32 100.0	13 40.6	1 3.1	15 46.9	3 9.4
35—44	Thousands Per cent	23 100.0	7 30.4	1 4.3	11 47.8	5 21.7
45—54	Thousands Per cent	25 100.0	11 44.0	4 16.0	7 28.0	3 12.0
55—64	Thousands Per cent	55 100.0	20 36.4	31 56.4	3 5.4	1 1.8
65 and over	Thousands Per cent	1 100.0	— —	— —	— —	— —

Source: 5 per cent sample.

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 1.50

UNEMPLOYED PERSONS RECEIVING EARNINGS-RELATED SUPPLEMENT ON THE FIRST MONDAY IN MAY AND NOVEMBER, ANALYSED BY WEEKLY AMOUNT PAID

Thousands

	1968		1969		1970		1971		1972		1973	
	May	November	May	November	May	November	May	November	May	November	May	November
Males:												
All amounts	94	91	86	85	102	95	132	149	150	109	85	68
Under £1	10	7	8	7	8	7	9	8	8	5	5	4
£1 but less than £2 ..	16	14	13	10	13	11	14	11	10	6	5	5
£2 but less than £3 ..	17	15	14	14	16	13	18	15	14	9	6	5
£3 but less than £4 ..	15	15	14	13	16	14	19	18	18	11	8	5
£4 but less than £5 ..	12	12	12	11	14	12	18	20	18	12	9	6
£5 but less than £6 ..	8	9	8	9	11	10	16	18	18	12	8	7
£6 but less than £7 ..	4	6	5	6	8	8	11	15	16	11	8	6
£7	10	12	12	14	17	21	27	44	48	44	36	29
Females:												
All amounts	6	7	6	7	8	9	12	15	16	15	13	10
Under £1	3	3	3	3	3	3	5	5	5	3	3	2
£1 but less than £2 ..	2	2	1	1	2	3	3	4	5	4	3	2
£2 but less than £3 ..	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	3	3	3	2	2
£3 but less than £4 ..	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	1	1	2	2	1
£4 but less than £5 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	1
£5 but less than £6 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
£6 but less than £7 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
£7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1

Source: 5 per cent sample.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.01

STANDARD RATES OF SICKNESS BENEFIT

Date	Personal benefit (a) (b)			Increase for dependant				
	Higher rate	Middle rate	Lower rate	Adult	Child			
					Only, elder or eldest	Second	Third	Each other
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
5 July 1948	1.30	0.80	0.75	0.80	0.375			
30 August 1951	1.30	0.80	0.75	0.80	0.50	0.125	0.125	0.125
24 July 1952	1.625	1.10	1.00	1.075	0.525	0.125	0.125	0.125
19 May 1955	2.00	1.25	1.15	1.25	0.575	0.175	0.175	0.175
6 February 1958	2.50	1.70	1.425	1.50	0.75	0.35	0.35	0.35
6 April 1961	2.875	1.95	1.625	1.75	0.875	0.475	0.475	0.475
7 March 1963	3.375	2.30	1.925	2.075	1.00	0.60	0.60	0.60
28 January 1965	4.00	2.75	2.275	2.50	1.125	0.725	0.725	0.725
26 October 1967 (c)	4.50	3.10	2.50	2.80	1.25	0.85	0.85	0.85
11 April 1968 (c)	4.50	3.10	2.50	2.80	1.40	0.65	0.55	0.55
10 October 1968 (c)	4.50	3.10	2.50	2.80	1.40	0.50	0.40	0.40
6 November 1969	5.00	3.50	2.75	3.10	1.55	0.65	0.55	0.55
23 September 1971	6.00	4.20	3.30	3.70	1.85	0.95	0.85	0.85
5 October 1972	6.75	4.75	3.70	4.15	2.10	1.20	1.10	1.10
4 October 1973	7.35	5.15	4.05	4.55	2.30	1.40	1.30	1.30
25 July 1974	8.60	6.05	4.75	5.30	2.70	1.80	1.70	1.70

Notes: (a) Rates of personal benefit apply as follows:

Man:

- Over age 18 Higher rate
- Under age 18 and entitled to an increase in benefit for a child or adult dependant Higher rate
- Others under age 18 Lower rate

Single woman, divorced woman and widow:

- Over age 18 Higher rate
- Under age 18 and entitled to an increase in benefit for a child or adult dependant Higher rate
- Others under age 18 Lower rate

Married woman:

- Entitled to an increase of benefit in respect of her husband Higher rate
- Not residing with her husband and he is contributing less than the difference between the higher and middle rate of the benefit towards her maintenance. If she is under 18 she must also be entitled to an increase of benefit for a child or adult dependant Higher rate
- Residing with her husband and he is entitled to invalidity or retirement pension or unemployability supplement or allowance (with effect from 5 October 1972) Higher rate
- Others over age 18 Middle rate
- Under age 18 and entitled to an increase in benefit for a child or adult dependant Middle rate
- Others under age 18 Lower rate

(b) Earnings-related supplement may also be payable on the same basis as for unemployment benefit – see table 1.2.

(c) Reduction in rates for certain children accompanied increase in family allowance.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.05

AVERAGE WEEKLY INTAKE OF NEW CLAIMS (a) FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY (b)

Thousands

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
January to December	173	184	206	193	204	219	204	169	184	193
January	237	244	262	249	372	288	504	235	256	317
February	215	213	360	215	251	294	224	176	227	217
March	195	232	271	186	253	329	206	206	188	210
April	183	179	190	191	177	210	207	163	153	171
May	147	173	163	178	173	174	172	160	154	174
June	145	153	161	171	158	171	149	147	152	169
July	135	145	151	153	149	156	146	141	146	157
August	125	139	143	145	153	151	147	130	139	154
September	151	167	165	176	163	173	166	152	157	175
October	193	191	211	207	208	203	202	181	191	217
November	203	197	220	216	220	201	196	179	198	201
December	158	177	187	234	191	295	166	164	244	166

Source: 100 per cent count.

Notes: (a) A "new claim" means a claim submitted at the beginning of a spell of incapacity for work. If a person has several separate spells of incapacity for work during the year, each spell is counted as a "new claim". The figures include a relatively small number of claims which did not result in the payment of benefit.

(b) Invalidity benefit was introduced from 23 September 1971

TABLE 3.07

NEW CLAIMS (a) FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY (b) ANALYSED BY REGION (c)

Thousands

	1965	1966 (d)	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972 (d)	1973
Great Britain	9,565	10,925	10,048	10,608	11,411	10,632	8,801	9,764	10,022
England:									
All regions	7,805	8,843	8,187	8,578	9,253	8,577	7,156	7,923	8,060
North	723	791	722	770	838	767	647	696	763
Yorkshire and Humberside	981	1,154	1,060	1,112	1,217	1,101	928	1,032	1,093
East Midlands	587	693	621	661	720	675	561	611	649
East Anglia	187	201	192	217	228	230	174	207	217
South East:									
GLC	1,404	1,520	1,411	1,479	1,558	1,387	1,178	1,335	1,252
Remainder	1,141	1,259	1,195	1,308	1,415	1,321	1,114	1,268	1,255
South West	476	552	504	581	588	562	468	515	527
West Midlands	804	909	814	867	959	881	731	798	822
North West	1,501	1,764	1,667	1,583	1,731	1,653	1,353	1,461	1,480
Wales	630	701	654	678	762	712	608	652	687
Scotland	1,130	1,380	1,208	1,352	1,396	1,343	1,037	1,189	1,275

Source: 100 per cent count.

Notes: (a) A "new claim" means a claim submitted at the beginning of a spell of incapacity for work. If a person has several separate spells of incapacity for work during the year, each spell is counted as a "new claim". The figures include a relatively small number of claims which did not result in the payment of benefit.

(b) Invalidity benefit was introduced from 23 September 1971.

(c) Standard Regions.

(d) 53 weeks.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.20

APPEALS AND REFERENCES TO LOCAL TRIBUNALS AND APPEALS TO THE COMMISSIONER

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
To Local Tribunals:										
Total appeals and references	7,542	8,085	7,835	7,006	6,345	6,545	6,738	5,162	5,623	5,138
Total appeals	7,514	8,044	7,752	6,860	6,307	6,481	6,687	5,141	5,603	5,107
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	1,550	1,611	1,457	1,050	953	980	1,019	858	882	735
Percentage	21	20	19	15	15	15	15	17	16	14
Total references	28	41	83	146	38	64	51	21	20	31
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	14	12	27	56	5	11	13	6	5	4
Percentage	50	29	33	38	13	17	25	29	25	13
To the Commissioner:										
Total appeals	394	390	416	372	365	394	410	363	344	265
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	86	107	92	106	92	87	91	89	67	65
Percentage	22	27	22	28	25	22	22	25	19	25

Source: 100 per cent count.

TABLE 3.24

REFERENCES OF CLAIMS FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY TO REGIONAL MEDICAL SERVICES IN 1973

	Males and females		Males		Females	
	Thousands	Per cent	Thousands	Per cent	Thousands	Per cent
All references	611.6	100	482.2	100	129.4	100
Claimant examined:						
All cases	242.6	40	191.4	40	51.1	40
Considered incapable of work	177.1	29	139.9	29	37.2	29
Considered incapable of normal occupation, but not incapable of alternative work	14.9	2	13.1	3	1.7	1
Considered not incapable of work	50.6	8	38.4	8	12.2	9
Claimant not examined:						
All cases	369.1	60	290.8	60	78.3	60
Considered incapable of work on basis of further medical evidence obtained	192.7	32	150.7	31	42.0	32
Ended claim after receipt of notice to attend examination	40.4	7	32.9	7	7.4	6
Failed to attend examination (a)	136.0	22	107.2	22	28.8	22

Source: 100 per cent count.

Notes: (a) Includes some cases where evidence of recovery was received too late for examination appointment to be cancelled.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.30

AVERAGE POPULATION AT RISK IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a), ANALYSED BY AGE

Thousands

Age at 31 May	1962/63	1963/64	1964/65	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72
Men:										
All ages	15,330	15,394	15,431	15,453	15,402	15,295	15,256	15,164	15,084	15,005
Under 20	1,205	1,237	1,248	1,266	1,164	1,069	1,030	999	973	942
20-24	1,423	1,482	1,521	1,571	1,695	1,752	1,776	1,774	1,770	1,668
25-29	1,512	1,522	1,540	1,527	1,511	1,529	1,558	1,588	1,630	1,755
30-34	1,560	1,551	1,508	1,498	1,503	1,502	1,509	1,512	1,495	1,482
35-39	1,621	1,607	1,599	1,573	1,530	1,521	1,513	1,467	1,454	1,459
40-44	1,681	1,738	1,699	1,653	1,618	1,584	1,567	1,553	1,528	1,491
45-49	1,528	1,439	1,465	1,525	1,579	1,639	1,692	1,648	1,602	1,573
50-54	1,639	1,616	1,605	1,574	1,542	1,463	1,387	1,412	1,462	1,513
55-59	1,541	1,565	1,585	1,580	1,566	1,531	1,517	1,504	1,475	1,445
60-64	1,296	1,313	1,332	1,359	1,375	1,383	1,407	1,417	1,414	1,401
65 and over	324	324	329	327	319	322	300	290	281	276
Married women:										
All ages	1,578	1,558	1,567	1,561	1,565	1,563	1,578	1,579	1,578	1,606
Under 20	77	80	78	89	85	78	76	81	87	84
20-24	458	461	486	495	522	540	565	563	557	548
25-29	290	298	302	296	288	290	306	321	338	380
30-34	123	118	119	118	121	118	116	114	112	115
35-39	87	85	83	83	81	82	78	83	80	83
40-44	97	98	94	91	89	86	85	81	81	82
45-49	102	97	93	93	93	104	106	102	100	97
50-54	140	126	126	120	118	107	99	94	93	91
55-59	162	154	147	135	128	120	112	109	104	100
60 and over	42	41	39	41	40	38	35	31	26	26
Other women:										
All ages:	3,345	3,318	3,292	3,247	3,151	3,050	2,971	2,886	2,792	2,711
Under 20	1,136	1,160	1,163	1,161	1,056	981	924	895	849	831
20-24	680	687	715	723	783	796	807	774	762	700
25-29	232	220	210	197	199	206	210	225	231	259
30-34	161	156	143	133	122	121	122	115	111	111
35-39	162	154	148	145	138	124	119	110	103	101
40-44	175	175	168	164	159	152	143	138	132	125
45-49	198	185	183	179	176	185	186	182	174	164
50-54	235	227	225	222	213	188	175	176	169	167
55-59	267	253	243	230	217	217	209	205	202	194
60 and over	99	101	94	93	88	80	76	66	59	59

Source: ½ per cent sample of insured persons.

Note: (a) Starting on first Monday in June.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.32

AVERAGE MALE POPULATION AT RISK IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a), ANALYSED BY REGION (b)

Thousands

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72
Great Britain	15,453	15,402	15,295	15,256	15,164	15,084	15,005
England:							
All regions	13,305	13,271	13,188	13,161	13,085	13,018	12,951
North	913	906	891	880	883	884	873
Yorkshire and Humberside	1,398	1,388	1,369	1,366	1,354	1,339	1,333
East Midlands	954	960	961	959	953	944	941
East Anglia	435	435	437	446	454	455	448
South East	5,168	5,159	5,146	5,135	5,086	5,054	5,018
South West	945	942	938	935	936	944	945
West Midlands	1,562	1,558	1,536	1,531	1,525	1,518	1,517
North West	1,930	1,923	1,910	1,909	1,894	1,880	1,876
Wales	735	728	717	710	701	699	695
Scotland	1,413	1,403	1,390	1,385	1,378	1,367	1,359

Source: ½ per cent sample of insured persons.

Notes: (a) Starting on first Monday in June.
(b) Standard Regions.

TABLE 3.36

ESTIMATED NUMBER OF INSURED PERSONS INCAPACITATED BY SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY (a) ON FIRST TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH (b)

Thousands

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
January	1,268	1,055	1,319	1,170	1,819	1,122	1,100	1,293
February	1,276	1,030	1,130	1,145	1,154	1,032	1,146	1,107
March	1,204	1,018	1,123	1,276	1,102	1,027	1,043	1,051
April	986	965	1,016	1,138	1,045	962	973	1,000
May	922	960	953	987	995	931	939	970
June	876	939	958	972	952	902	929	963
July	862	910	923	944	899	889	922	956
August	866	912	926	929	922	879	914	936
September	858	910	935	936	928	882	942	950
October	924	977	990	1,005	994	935	968	1,023
November	967	1,002	1,034	1,001	1,005	945	989	1,069
December	976	1,020	1,014	1,064	978	978	1,090	1,052

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants to May 1969; 2½ per cent sample thereafter.

Note: (a) Invalidity benefit was introduced from 23 September 1971.
(b) The estimates from June 1972 are provisional.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.40

CLAIMANTS INCAPACITATED FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY (a) AT BEGINNING OF JUNE, ANALYSED BY AGE AND DURATION OF SPELL

Thousands

Age at 31 May	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Males:											
All durations:											
All ages	642	648	685	679	738	767	761	779	720	738	749
Under 20	21	22	24	23	24	24	22	23	19	18	19
20-24	27	27	28	28	34	38	38	43	34	33	35
25-29	30	30	33	31	37	39	37	40	38	40	42
30-34	36	34	37	35	42	44	42	45	39	40	40
35-39	43	44	46	47	49	50	47	50	46	46	48
40-44	56	55	57	56	61	60	58	60	52	54	54
45-49	52	56	60	58	68	74	79	80	71	72	68
50-54	83	81	83	81	88	86	81	84	81	89	96
55-59	115	116	122	121	126	133	132	128	120	121	117
60-64	165	169	180	183	193	205	209	209	204	208	210
65 and over	15	14	14	16	15	15	16	17	16	16	19
Over 6 months:											
All ages	262	272	279	294	300	319	324	329	321	332	340
Under 20	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
20-24	3	3	2	2	3	3	4	4	3	3	2
25-29	4	4	4	4	4	5	4	5	6	6	6
30-34	7	6	6	5	6	6	7	7	7	7	8
35-39	11	11	11	11	11	11	10	9	10	11	11
40-44	16	17	17	17	17	18	18	17	16	15	16
45-49	20	20	20	22	24	26	28	27	25	27	26
50-54	33	34	34	37	37	37	34	38	37	40	44
55-59	58	60	63	66	65	69	70	70	65	65	65
60-64	104	108	115	121	124	134	138	141	140	143	146
65 and over	5	6	6	7	8	9	9	11	11	12	15
Females:											
All durations:											
All ages	234	229	238	221	228	234	219	221	202	204	207
Under 20	28	31	32	30	29	31	27	27	24	23	24
20-24	29	29	33	30	33	37	35	37	33	33	34
25-29	16	16	17	13	15	18	16	17	17	19	21
30-34	13	11	12	11	11	11	11	11	10	10	12
35-39	14	14	13	13	12	13	12	11	11	11	11
40-44	19	17	18	17	17	16	16	16	14	14	15
45-49	25	23	23	24	24	25	24	23	20	21	19
50-54	37	35	36	34	34	32	30	31	29	28	28
55-59	49	49	49	46	47	48	44	45	42	41	39
60 and over	5	4	5	4	4	4	4	3	3	4	4
Over 6 months:											
All ages	103	100	99	98	96	97	91	89	86	85	83
Under 20	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
20-24	3	3	3	3	3	4	3	3	3	3	3
25-29	4	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	4	4
30-34	5	4	5	5	4	4	4	3	3	3	3
35-39	7	6	6	6	6	6	5	5	5	4	5
40-44	10	9	9	9	9	9	8	7	8	7	7
45-49	13	13	12	13	13	14	14	13	12	11	11
50-54	23	22	22	21	21	20	19	20	19	18	18
55-59	35	36	35	35	34	35	32	31	31	31	28
60 and over	2	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	3

Source: 5 per cent of claimants up to 1969; 2½ per cent sample from 1970.

Note: (a) Invalidity benefit was introduced from 23 September 1971.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.41

CLAIMANTS INCAPACITATED FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY (a) AT BEGINNING OF JUNE, ANALYSED BY AGE AND DURATION OF SPELL, EXPRESSED AS A PERCENTAGE OF THE POPULATION AT RISK IN RELEVANT SEX AND AGE GROUP

Age at 31 May	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Males:											
All durations:											
All ages	4.2	4.2	4.5	4.4	4.8	5.0	5.0	5.2	4.8	4.9	5.0
Under 20	1.5	1.6	2.3	1.7	1.9	2.0	1.9	2.1	1.8	1.8	2.1
20-24	1.9	1.8	1.9	1.8	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.4	1.9	2.0	2.1
25-29	2.0	2.0	2.2	2.0	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.3	2.3	2.3
30-34	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.3	2.8	2.9	2.8	3.0	2.6	2.7	2.7
35-39	2.7	2.7	2.9	3.0	3.2	3.3	3.1	3.4	3.2	3.1	3.3
40-44	3.4	3.2	3.4	3.4	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.9	3.4	3.6	3.6
45-49	3.4	3.9	4.1	3.8	4.4	4.5	4.7	4.9	4.5	4.6	4.4
50-54	5.1	5.0	5.2	5.2	5.7	5.9	5.9	6.0	5.6	5.9	6.1
55-59	7.5	7.5	7.7	7.7	8.1	8.8	8.7	8.6	8.2	8.4	8.5
60-64	13.1	13.0	13.5	13.7	14.2	15.0	15.1	15.0	14.6	15.1	15.3
65 and over	6.6	6.5	4.3	7.5	7.8	7.9	9.2	10.5	10.4	11.0	7.0
Over 6 months:											
All ages	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.1	2.2	2.3
Under 20	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
20-24	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
25-29	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4
30-34	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
35-39	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.7
40-44	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.1
45-49	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.7
50-54	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.3	2.4	2.6	2.5	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.8
55-59	3.8	3.9	4.0	4.2	4.2	4.5	4.6	5.3	4.5	4.5	4.7
60-64	8.2	8.4	8.6	9.0	9.1	9.8	10.0	11.4	10.1	10.2	10.6
65 and over	2.3	2.7	1.7	3.3	3.9	4.7	5.5	6.8	7.1	4.5	5.2
Females:											
All durations:											
All ages	4.8	4.7	5.1	4.7	4.9	5.1	4.9	5.0	4.7	4.8	4.8
Under 20	2.0	2.3	3.0	2.2	2.4	2.7	2.5	2.6	2.4	2.3	2.6
20-24	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.5	2.6	2.9	2.7	2.9	2.6	2.8	2.9
25-29	3.3	3.4	3.3	2.9	3.5	3.9	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.1
30-34	4.7	4.2	4.8	4.6	4.9	4.7	4.7	5.0	4.6	4.8	4.8
35-39	5.6	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.8	6.4	6.0	5.7	6.0	5.8	5.8
40-44	6.9	6.1	7.1	6.6	6.8	6.8	6.7	7.3	6.7	6.6	7.3
45-49	8.2	8.2	8.5	8.9	8.9	8.5	8.3	8.1	7.3	8.0	7.6
50-54	10.1	9.8	10.5	9.9	10.3	11.0	10.9	11.4	11.3	10.8	10.2
55-59	11.8	12.3	12.7	12.6	13.8	14.2	14.0	14.4	14.0	14.2	15.1
60 and over	4.2	4.3	3.4	4.3	4.3	4.8	4.8	5.4	5.3	6.3	4.7
Over 6 months:											
All ages	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9
Under 20	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
20-24	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3
25-29	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
30-34	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4
35-39	2.8	2.5	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.4	2.7
40-44	3.6	3.4	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.5	3.3	3.6	3.5	3.5
45-49	4.2	4.5	4.6	4.8	4.9	4.7	4.6	4.8	4.3	4.4	4.3
50-54	6.3	6.2	6.4	6.3	6.4	7.0	6.9	7.3	7.2	7.0	6.5
55-59	8.5	8.9	9.1	9.5	10.0	10.4	10.2	10.1	10.3	10.4	11.0
60 and over	1.6	1.7	1.4	1.7	1.6	2.1	2.4	2.9	3.3	2.8	3.1

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants up to 1969; 2½ per cent sample from 1970.
 Note: (a) invalidity benefit was introduced from 23 September 1971.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.44

CLAIMANTS INCAPACITATED FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY ON 3 JUNE 1972, ANALYSED BY DURATION OF SPELL AND AGE

Thousands

	All ages	Age at 31 May							
		Under 20	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65 and over
Males:									
All durations	738	18	73	85	126	89	121	208	16
Up to 4 weeks	228	13	46	46	47	25	25	24	2
4 to 13 weeks	116	3	13	16	25	16	19	23	1
14 to 26 weeks	62	1	5	6	12	9	11	18	1
27 to 52 weeks	64	1	3	6	10	8	12	23	1
Over 1 year up to 2 years	64	—	2	4	9	6	12	29	2
Over 2 years up to 3 years	45	—	1	2	4	5	8	23	1
Over 3 years up to 4 years	33	—	1	1	3	4	6	17	2
Over 4 years up to 5 years	26	—	—	1	3	3	5	12	2
Over 5 years up to 6 years	20	—	—	1	2	2	4	9	1
Over 6 years up to 8 years	28	—	1	1	3	3	6	12	2
Over 8 years up to 10 years	16	—	—	1	2	2	4	6	1
Over 10 years up to 15 years	18	—	—	1	3	3	4	7	1
Over 15 years	19	—	—	1	5	4	4	5	1
Females:									
All durations	204	23	52	21	35	28	41	4	..
Up to 4 weeks	70	17	29	7	8	5	4	1	..
4 to 13 weeks	37	4	14	5	6	3	4	—	..
14 to 26 weeks	12	1	2	2	2	2	2	—	..
27 to 52 weeks	12	1	3	1	2	2	3	—	..
Over 1 year up to 2 years	12	—	1	1	3	2	4	1	..
Over 2 years up to 3 years	9	—	1	1	2	2	3	—	..
Over 3 years up to 4 years	8	—	1	1	2	2	3	—	..
Over 4 years up to 5 years	5	—	—	1	1	2	2	—	..
Over 5 years up to 6 years	5	—	—	—	1	1	2	—	..
Over 6 years up to 8 years	9	—	—	1	2	2	4	—	..
Over 8 years up to 10 years	6	—	—	—	1	1	3	—	..
Over 10 years up to 15 years	8	—	—	1	2	1	3	—	..
Over 15 years	12	—	—	1	4	2	4	—	..

Source: 2½ per cent sample of claimants.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.45

CLAIMANTS INCAPACITATED FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY ON 3 JUNE 1972, ANALYSED BY DURATION OF SPELL AND AGE, AND EXPRESSED AS A PERCENTAGE OF THE POPULATION AT RISK ON 3 JUNE 1972 IN THE RELEVANT SEX AND AGE GROUP

	All ages	Age at 31 May							
		Under 20	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65 and over
Males:									
All durations	4.95	1.77	2.13	2.92	4.14	5.94	8.44	15.08	10.97
over 4 weeks	3.42	0.54	0.79	0.93	2.59	4.31	6.69	13.33	9.84
over 13 weeks	2.64	0.21	0.42	0.82	1.78	3.25	5.37	11.65	8.89
over 26 weeks	2.23	0.12	0.27	0.62	1.40	2.67	4.58	10.35	8.41
over 1 year	1.80	0.04	0.18	0.41	1.08	2.14	3.72	8.71	7.81
over 2 years	1.37	0.02	0.11	0.28	0.79	1.72	2.88	6.60	6.78
over 3 years	1.07	—	0.07	0.22	0.64	1.36	2.31	4.95	6.00
over 4 years	0.85	—	0.05	0.18	0.55	1.13	1.90	3.73	4.84
over 5 years	0.68	—	0.04	0.14	0.46	0.94	1.57	2.84	3.81
over 6 years	0.54	—	0.03	0.11	0.41	0.79	1.31	2.16	2.81
over 8 years	0.35	—	0.01	0.07	0.31	0.56	0.87	1.29	1.57
over 10 years	0.25	—	—	0.05	0.24	0.42	0.61	0.84	0.86
over 15 years	0.12	—	—	0.02	0.15	0.23	0.31	0.36	0.35
Females:									
All durations	4.77	2.33	2.90	5.27	7.39	10.83	14.21	6.28	.
over 4 weeks	3.14	0.68	1.29	3.57	5.68	8.86	12.86	5.24	.
over 13 weeks	2.27	0.24	0.51	2.34	4.43	7.64	11.41	4.41	.
over 26 weeks	2.00	0.11	0.39	1.89	3.97	7.04	10.57	4.07	.
over 1 year	1.72	0.04	0.24	1.58	3.52	6.18	9.57	3.79	.
over 2 years	1.43	—	0.17	1.34	2.90	5.31	8.18	2.90	.
over 3 years	1.23	—	0.12	1.13	2.51	4.61	7.10	2.55	.
over 4 years	1.04	—	0.09	0.93	2.16	3.89	6.12	2.28	.
over 5 years	0.92	—	0.06	0.80	1.92	3.25	5.59	2.07	.
over 6 years	0.80	—	0.05	0.70	1.76	2.72	4.87	2.00	.
over 8 years	0.59	—	0.02	0.55	1.44	1.87	3.56	1.45	.
over 10 years	0.46	—	—	0.45	1.21	1.48	2.66	0.97	.
over 15 years	0.27	—	—	0.19	0.81	0.90	1.49	0.55	.

Source: 2½ per cent sample of claimants.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.48

CLAIMANTS INCAPACITATED FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY (a) IN STATISTICAL YEAR (b), ANALYSED BY AGE AND NUMBER OF SPELLS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY

Age at 31 May	All claimants		Proportion of claimants experiencing:			
	Number	Proportion of population at risk	1 spell	2 spells	3 spells	4 or more spells
	Thousands		Percentage			
Males:						
1965/66:						
All ages	5,181	34	70	19	6	5
Under 20	423	33	72	19	6	3
20-24	496	32	69	20	7	4
25-29	440	29	65	21	7	7
30-34	464	31	65	21	7	7
35-39	483	31	67	19	7	7
40-44	506	31	69	19	6	6
45-49	475	31	69	20	6	5
50-54	529	34	71	19	6	4
55-59	600	38	71	20	6	4
60-64	606	45	73	19	5	3
65 and over	159	49	83	13	3	1
1969/70:						
All ages	5,734	38	68	20	7	5
Under 20	385	39	68	21	7	4
20-24	645	36	65	21	8	6
25-29	544	34	64	22	8	7
30-34	541	36	63	21	8	7
35-39	523	36	65	21	7	7
40-44	542	35	67	20	7	6
45-49	594	36	68	21	7	5
50-54	523	37	70	20	7	4
55-59	624	42	72	19	6	3
60-64	657	46	74	18	5	2
65 and over	155	54	84	12	3	1
1970/71(c):						
All ages	4,761	32	70	19	6	5
Under 20	322	33	71	20	6	3
20-24	554	31	66	21	8	5
25-29	459	28	66	20	8	7
30-34	444	30	65	20	7	7
35-39	424	29	67	20	7	7
40-44	431	28	67	21	7	5
45-49	473	30	69	20	7	5
50-54	452	31	71	18	6	4
55-59	507	34	74	18	5	3
60-64	563	40	77	16	5	2
65 and over	133	47	86	11	2	1
1971/72:						
All ages	4,707	31	71	19	6	4
Under 20	306	32	71	20	6	3
20-24	506	30	68	21	7	4
25-29	489	28	68	20	7	6
30-34	423	29	66	21	7	6
35-39	425	29	67	20	7	6
40-44	429	29	69	19	7	5
45-49	464	29	70	19	7	4
50-54	476	31	71	19	6	3
55-59	491	34	75	18	5	3
60-64	567	40	78	16	4	2
65 and over	131	48	88	10	2	1
1972/73:						
All ages	4,999	33	69	19	7	5
Under 20	340	37	69	20	7	4
20-24	554	34	65	21	8	6
25-29	545	30	66	20	7	7
30-34	455	30	65	20	8	7
35-39	441	30	65	20	8	7
40-44	447	30	67	20	7	6
45-49	483	31	68	20	7	5
50-54	528	34	70	19	7	4
55-59	492	36	72	19	6	3
60-64	577	42	76	16	5	2
65 and over	137	49	87	10	3	—

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.48 (continued)

CLAIMANTS INCAPACITATED FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY (a), IN STATISTICAL YEAR (b), ANALYSED BY AGE AND NUMBER OF SPELLS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY

Age at 31 May	All claimants		Proportion of claimants experiencing:			
	Number	Proportion of population at risk	1 spell	2 spells	3 spells	4 or more spells
	Thousands	Percentage				
Females:						
1965/66:						
All ages	1,752	36	68	21	7	4
Under 20	471	38	65	23	8	5
20-24	419	34	65	23	7	4
25-29	149	30	66	22	8	4
30-34	92	37	69	21	7	3
35-39	82	36	68	21	7	4
40-44	90	35	70	21	6	3
45-49	105	39	69	19	9	3
50-54	142	42	70	20	7	3
55-59	150	41	79	15	4	1
60 and over	52	39	82	14	4	1
1969/70:						
All ages	1,793	40	66	22	8	4
Under 20	403	41	63	23	8	5
20-24	515	39	64	23	8	5
25-29	196	36	66	22	8	4
30-34	93	41	64	23	8	5
35-39	79	41	66	22	8	4
40-44	89	41	68	21	8	3
45-49	113	40	68	21	7	4
50-54	120	45	70	20	6	3
55-59	143	46	75	19	5	2
60 and over	41	42	83	14	3	1
1970/71(b):						
All ages	1,566	36	68	21	7	4
Under 20	353	38	65	23	8	5
20-24	457	35	65	22	8	5
25-29	180	32	70	20	7	4
30-34	83	37	67	22	6	5
35-39	65	36	67	22	7	4
40-44	77	36	69	19	7	4
45-49	94	34	69	20	7	3
50-54	106	41	73	18	6	3
55-59	118	39	77	17	5	2
60 and over	33	39	84	12	3	1
1971/72(c):						
All ages	1,591	37	69	21	7	4
Under 20	345	38	66	23	7	4
20-24	452	36	66	22	8	4
25-29	211	33	69	21	7	3
30-34	86	38	68	21	7	4
35-39	70	38	68	21	7	4
40-44	77	37	68	23	6	3
45-49	92	35	71	19	7	3
50-54	106	41	74	19	5	2
55-59	119	40	77	17	4	2
60 and over	33	39	88	9	2	—
1972/73:						
All ages	1,688	39	66	22	8	4
Under 20	371	40	63	24	9	5
20-24	471	40	63	23	9	5
25-29	248	36	68	21	7	4
30-34	92	38	66	22	8	4
35-39	74	40	66	23	7	4
40-44	81	39	66	22	7	5
45-49	95	38	70	19	8	3
50-54	110	41	71	10	7	3
55-59	110	42	75	17	5	2
60 and over	36	41	84	12	3	1

Source: 1 per cent sample of claimants in 1965/66: 2½ per cent sample from 1969/70

Notes: (a) Invalidity benefit was introduced from 23 September 1971.

(b) Starting on first Monday in June.

(c) 53 weeks.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.49

CLAIMANTS INCAPACITATED FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY IN THE PERIOD 5 JUNE 1972 TO 2 JUNE 1973, EXCLUDING THOSE WHOSE INCAPACITY LASTED THROUGHOUT THE PERIOD, ANALYSED BY AGE AND NUMBER OF SPELLS EXPERIENCED, WITH TOTAL DAYS OF INCAPACITY

Age at 31 May 1973	Units	All claimants	Claimants experiencing:					
			1 spell	2 spells	3 spells	4 spells	5 spells	6 or more spells
Males:								
All ages								
Claimants	Thousands	4,717	3,166	962	336	132	59	62
Days	Millions	162	87	40	18	8	4	5
Under 20								
Claimants	Thousands	340	235	69	23	8	3	1
Days	Millions	6	3	2	1	—	—	—
20–29								
Claimants	Thousands	1,093	712	227	83	36	16	19
Days	Millions	25	11	6	3	2	1	1
30–39								
Claimants	Thousands	883	571	179	69	31	15	19
Days	Millions	25	11	6	3	2	1	2
40–49								
Claimants	Thousands	897	596	185	65	26	12	13
Days	Millions	31	15	8	4	2	1	1
50–54								
Claimants	Thousands	490	334	99	35	11	5	5
Days	Millions	19	10	5	2	1	—	—
55–59								
Claimants	Thousands	438	298	95	28	10	4	3
Days	Millions	20	11	5	2	1	—	—
60–64								
Claimants	Thousands	454	316	95	28	9	3	2
Days	Millions	26	16	6	2	1	—	—
65 and over								
Claimants	Thousands	123	106	13	4	—	—	—
Days	Millions	10	9	1	—	—	—	—
Females:								
All ages								
Claimants	Thousands	1,615	1,047	365	131	45	17	11
Days	Millions	47	23	13	6	3	1	1
Under 20								
Claimants	Thousands	371	232	87	33	11	4	3
Days	Millions	7	3	2	1	1	—	—
20–29								
Claimants	Thousands	714	461	160	58	21	8	5
Days	Millions	19	9	5	3	1	1	—
30–39								
Claimants	Thousands	159	103	37	12	4	2	1
Days	Millions	5	2	2	1	—	—	—
40–49								
Claimants	Thousands	160	104	36	13	5	1	1
Days	Millions	6	3	2	1	—	—	—
50–54								
Claimants	Thousands	94	62	21	8	2	1	1
Days	Millions	4	2	1	1	—	—	—
55–59								
Claimants	Thousands	85	57	19	6	2	—	—
Days	Millions	4	2	1	—	—	—	—
60 and over								
Claimants	Thousands	33	27	4	1	—	—	—
Days	Millions	2	2	—	—	—	—	—

Source: 2½ per cent sample of claimants.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.52

SPELLS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY (a) COMMENCING IN STATISTICAL YEAR (b), ANALYSED BY AGE

Thousands

Age at 31 May	1962/63	1963/64	1964/65 (b)	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71 (c)	1971/72	1972/73
Males:											
All ages	6,276	6,023	6,495	7,155	6,450	7,312	7,372	8,065	6,471	6,246	6,966
Under 20	458	467	513	580	495	554	533	559	448	426	491
20-24	540	588	632	723	731	874	901	996	838	745	869
25-29	595	591	652	692	661	744	769	868	715	728	853
30-34	631	629	670	730	678	765	783	870	695	647	720
35-39	646	629	689	738	645	727	732	811	643	631	689
40-44	672	658	681	740	671	729	734	803	624	605	663
45-49	578	521	573	662	620	731	789	836	657	625	682
50-54	681	615	655	705	597	656	628	698	586	610	701
55-59	683	615	683	754	637	724	723	783	602	574	603
60-64	633	582	613	691	593	681	666	719	571	568	603
65 and over	160	129	135	139	122	127	114	123	93	87	92
Females:											
All ages	2,169	2,105	2,256	2,379	2,190	2,459	2,413	2,532	2,143	2,154	2,394
Under 20	591	600	649	708	610	650	616	626	533	513	579
20-24	533	533	585	607	629	739	738	777	675	664	723
25-29	204	203	222	215	203	249	255	280	248	289	348
30-34	119	116	118	121	113	126	127	137	116	119	131
35-39	100	99	105	110	100	107	105	110	89	95	104
40-44	114	112	113	116	105	111	113	118	102	101	112
45-49	134	119	123	137	123	143	145	148	117	113	121
50-54	166	139	154	168	142	147	141	145	120	119	134
55-59	161	146	145	152	131	148	140	153	116	116	114
60 and over	46	40	41	44	34	38	34	36	28	25	29

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants up to 1968/69; 2½ per cent sample from 1969/70.

- Notes: (a) Invalidity benefit was introduced from 23 September 1971.
 (b) Starting on first Monday in June.
 (c) 53 weeks.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.53

SPELLS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY (a) COMMENCING IN STATISTICAL YEAR (b), ANALYSED BY AGE AND EXPRESSED AS RATES PER 100 PERSONS AT RISK IN RELEVANT SEX AND AGE GROUP (c)

Age at 31 May	1962/63	1963/64	1964/65 (c)	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71 (d)	1971/72
Males:										
Observed rate:										
Under 20	38.0	37.7	41.1	45.8	42.5	51.8	51.7	55.9	46.0	45.3
20-24	37.9	39.7	41.5	46.0	43.1	49.9	50.7	56.1	47.3	44.7
25-29	39.3	38.8	42.3	45.3	43.8	48.7	49.4	54.7	43.9	41.5
30-34	40.4	40.6	44.5	48.7	45.1	50.9	51.9	57.6	46.5	43.6
35-39	39.8	39.2	43.1	46.9	42.2	47.8	48.4	55.3	44.2	43.3
40-44	40.0	37.8	40.1	44.8	41.5	46.0	46.8	51.7	40.8	40.6
45-49	37.8	36.2	39.1	43.4	39.3	44.6	46.6	50.8	41.0	39.7
50-54	41.5	38.0	40.8	44.8	38.7	44.8	45.3	49.9	40.0	40.3
55-59	44.3	39.3	43.1	47.7	40.7	47.3	47.7	52.0	40.8	39.7
60-64	48.8	44.3	46.0	50.8	43.1	49.2	47.3	50.7	40.4	40.5
65 and over	49.4	49.7	41.0	42.6	38.1	39.5	38.0	42.3	33.1	31.6
Age standardised rate (e):										
All ages	40.9	39.1	42.1	46.3	41.9	47.8	48.3	53.1	42.8	41.6
Females:										
Observed rate:										
Under 20	48.7	48.4	52.3	56.6	53.4	61.3	61.6	64.1	56.9	56.1
20-24	46.9	46.4	48.7	49.8	48.2	55.3	53.8	58.1	51.2	53.2
25-29	39.0	39.1	43.4	43.6	41.7	50.2	49.4	51.3	43.5	45.2
30-34	42.0	42.2	44.9	48.3	46.5	52.7	53.2	59.7	52.1	52.7
35-39	40.0	41.3	45.3	48.3	45.7	52.1	53.0	57.2	48.6	51.4
40-44	42.0	40.9	43.3	45.7	42.5	46.6	49.5	54.1	47.7	48.8
45-49	44.8	42.2	44.4	50.3	45.6	49.4	49.7	52.2	42.6	43.2
50-54	44.3	39.4	43.9	49.2	42.8	49.9	51.3	53.6	45.7	46.1
55-59	37.5	35.9	37.3	41.8	38.1	43.9	43.7	48.8	38.1	39.6
60 and over	32.8	28.2	31.1	33.0	26.8	32.5	30.9	37.6	32.7	30.0
Age standardised rate (e):										
All ages	44.1	43.1	46.2	49.2	46.2	53.1	53.0	56.6	48.9	49.7

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants up to 1968/69; 2½ per cent sample from 1969/70.
 Notes: (a) Invalidity benefit was introduced from 23 September 1971
 (b) Starting on first Monday in June.
 (c) Inception rate (spells) as defined in Studies in Medical and Population Subjects No 8: Measurement of morbidity GRO HMSO 1954.
 (d) 53 weeks
 (e) Standardised to the age distribution of the population at risk for 1962/63.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.56

SPELLS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY COMMENCING IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a), ANALYSED BY CAUSE OF INCAPACITY (b) (1962/63-1967/68)

Thousands

	Detailed list numbers	1962/63	1963/64	1964/65 (c)	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68
Males:							
All causes		6,276	6,023	6,495	7,155	6,450	7,312
All causes except influenza		5,337	5,364	5,824	5,961	5,953	6,222
Infective and parasitic diseases	001-138	142	144	147	162	170	203
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	001-008	10	10	9	7	7	6
Neoplasms	140-239	21	19	19	19	19	19
Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic and nutritional diseases	240-289	76	73	81	86	82	90
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	290-299	9	9	11	10	11	11
Mental, psychoneurotic and personality disorders	300-326	134	156	171	172	188	184
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	330-398	190	196	216	208	206	215
Diseases of circulatory system	400-463	217	221	239	239	245	249
Arteriosclerotic and degenerative heart disease	420-422	64	66	69	74	77	78
Hypertensive disease	440-447	31	32	36	35	38	38
Diseases of respiratory system	470-527	2,711	2,312	2,472	3,052	2,229	3,015
Influenza	480-483	939	659	671	1,193	498	1,090
Bronchitis	500-502	756	657	680	727	626	705
Diseases of digestive system	540-587	806	827	880	897	939	886
Diseases of genito-urinary system	590-637	85	89	95	94	94	97
Diseases of skin and cellular tissue	690-716	213	212	221	206	198	204
Diseases of bones and organs of movement	720-744	560	565	594	601	592	588
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	720-727	448	446	467	477	461	452
Congenital malformalities and certain diseases of early infancy	751-759	2	2	2	1	2	2
Symptoms, senility and ill-defined conditions	780-795	481	526	597	638	673	710
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	629	672	750	769	802	839
Females:							
All causes		2,169	2,105	2,256	2,379	2,190	2,459
All causes except influenza		1,915	1,926	2,068	2,052	2,058	2,144
Infective and parasitic diseases	001-138	74	68	68	72	76	88
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	001-008	2	2	2	1	1	1
Neoplasms	140-239	8	8	8	8	8	7
Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic and nutritional diseases	240-289	28	28	29	28	26	31
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	290-299	32	35	38	31	30	26
Mental, psychoneurotic and personality disorders	300-326	82	95	101	98	100	99
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	330-398	60	62	68	67	63	63
Diseases of circulatory system	400-468	51	52	49	46	47	45
Arteriosclerotic and degenerative heart disease	420-422	5	4	4	4	4	4
Hypertensive disease	440-447	11	11	10	10	10	10
Diseases of respiratory system	470-527	904	793	860	1,005	785	1,032
Influenza	480-483	254	179	187	326	132	315
Bronchitis	500-502	161	135	132	139	125	138
Diseases of digestive system	540-587	235	244	255	245	266	238
Diseases of genito-urinary system	590-637	112	124	134	134	137	140
Deliveries and complications of pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium	640-689	61	64	69	69	74	101
Diseases of skin and cellular tissue	690-716	67	68	63	62	59	60
Diseases of bones and organs of movement	720-744	111	113	112	110	105	103
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	720-727	87	88	85	86	81	80
Congenital malformalities and certain diseases of early infancy	751-759	1	1	1	1	-	-
Symptoms, senility and ill-defined conditions	780-795	212	221	258	260	270	279
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	129	129	144	144	142	145

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants.

Notes: (a) Starting on first Monday in June.

(b) According to International Classification of Diseases, 1955.

(c) 53 weeks.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.57

SPELLS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY (a) COMMENCING IN STATISTICAL YEAR (b), ANALYSED BY CAUSE OF INCAPACITY (c) (1968/69-1972/73)

Thousands

	Detailed list numbers	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71 (d)	1971/72	1972/73
Males:						
All causes		7,372	8,065	6,471	6,246	6,966
All causes except influenza		6,259	6,404	5,993	5,512	5,997
Infective and parasitic diseases	000-136	536	559	536	508	570
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010-012	6	6	5	5	4
Neoplasms	140-239	17	15	15	15	17
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240-279	28	32	32	31	33
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280-289	17	17	14	13	16
Mental disorders	290-315	191	202	196	184	202
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320-389	207	210	201	187	201
Diseases of circulatory system	390-458	241	238	250	232	239
Hypertensive disease	400-404	38	36	40	39	42
Ischaemic heart disease	410-414	71	69	75	75	76
Diseases of respiratory system	460-519	3,116	3,703	2,247	2,284	2,739
Influenza	470-474	1,113	1,660	478	734	969
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis	490,491	670	693	579	502	556
Diseases of digestive system	520-577	605	580	564	500	528
Diseases of genito-urinary system	580-629	93	92	98	89	92
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous system	680-709	214	218	196	185	183
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710-738	648	642	606	579	610
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	710-718	429	413	377	346	356
Congenital anomalies	740-759	3	3	2	2	2
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	780-796	613	653	627	598	625
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-999	843	898	886	839	908
Females:						
All causes		2,413	2,532	2,143	2,154	2,394
All causes except influenza		2,122	2,109	2,019	1,950	2,103
Infective and parasitic diseases	000-136	194	201	195	193	214
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010-012	1	1	1	1	1
Neoplasms	140-239	7	5	6	8	7
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240-279	6	7	6	6	6
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280-289	31	30	25	22	21
Mental disorders	290-315	97	99	97	95	100
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320-389	61	60	58	53	59
Diseases of circulatory system	390-458	38	37	34	33	36
Hypertensive disease	400-404	10	10	10	10	9
Ischaemic heart disease	410-414	3	3	3	2	3
Diseases of respiratory system	460-519	1,016	1,124	770	801	965
Influenza	470-474	291	422	123	203	291
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis	490,491	129	129	115	98	109
Diseases of digestive system	520-577	141	141	134	127	129
Diseases of genito-urinary system	580-629	136	135	137	130	127
Diseases of pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium	630-678	105	106	118	125	139
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	680-709	67	64	59	53	56
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710-738	111	113	105	106	110
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	710-718	71	73	62	62	62
Congenital anomalies	740-759	1	1	1	1	1
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	780-796	261	268	260	262	272
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	141	143	138	138	152

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants for 1968/69; 2½ per cent sample from 1969/70.

Notes: (a) Invalidity benefit was introduced from 23 September, 1971.

(b) Starting on first Monday in June.

(c) According to International Classification of Diseases, 1965.

(d) 53 weeks.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.60

SPELLS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY COMMENCING IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a), ANALYSED BY CAUSE OF INCAPACITY (b), AND EXPRESSED AS RATES WHICH WOULD HAVE BEEN EXPERIENCED IF THE AGE DISTRIBUTION OF RELEVANT POPULATION AT RISK HAD REMAINED AS IN 1962/63 (1962/63-1967/68)

Number per 100 persons

	Detailed list numbers	1962/63	1963/64	1964/65 (c)	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68
Males:							
All causes		40.94	39.11	42.08	46.29	41.85	47.78
All causes except influenza		34.82	34.83	37.72	38.55	38.61	40.65
Infective and parasitic diseases	001-138	0.94	0.92	0.93	1.04	1.10	1.32
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	001-008	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.04	0.04
Neoplasms	140-239	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12
Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic and nutritional diseases	240-289	0.48	0.48	0.52	0.55	0.52	0.60
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	290-299	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07
Mental, psychoneurotic and personality disorders	300-326	0.87	1.02	1.12	1.12	1.22	1.19
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	330-398	1.24	1.27	1.40	1.37	1.32	1.40
Diseases of circulatory system	400-468	1.42	1.44	1.55	1.55	1.59	1.62
Arteriosclerotic and degenerative heart disease	420-422	0.42	0.43	0.45	0.48	0.50	0.51
Hypertensive disease	440-447	0.20	0.21	0.24	0.23	0.24	0.25
Diseases of respiratory system	470-527	17.65	15.02	16.02	19.72	14.45	19.68
Influenza	480-483	6.12	4.28	4.36	7.74	3.24	7.13
Bronchitis	500-502	4.93	4.28	4.41	4.70	4.06	4.61
Diseases of digestive system	540-587	5.26	5.37	5.72	5.82	6.10	5.80
Diseases of genito-urinary system	590-637	0.55	0.55	0.62	0.63	0.60	0.63
Diseases of skin and cellular tissue	690-716	1.39	1.37	1.42	1.33	1.29	1.34
Diseases of bones and organs of movement	720-744	3.65	3.68	3.85	3.92	3.87	3.88
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	720-727	2.92	2.90	3.04	3.11	3.01	2.98
Congenital malformalities and certain diseases of early infancy	751-759	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
Symptoms, senility and ill-defined conditions	780-795	3.14	3.42	3.86	4.13	4.37	4.64
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	4.11	4.34	4.84	4.94	5.17	5.47
Females:							
All causes		44.05	43.08	46.22	49.23	46.19	53.05
All causes except influenza		38.89	39.41	42.36	42.45	43.39	46.23
Infective and parasitic diseases	001-138	1.52	1.37	1.39	1.46	1.58	1.88
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	001-008	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.02	0.02	0.02
Neoplasms	140-239	0.17	0.17	0.16	0.17	0.16	0.15
Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic and nutritional diseases	240-289	0.56	0.58	0.58	0.59	0.57	0.67
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	290-299	0.66	0.72	0.78	0.64	0.62	0.56
Mental, psychoneurotic and personality disorders	300-326	1.67	1.96	2.12	2.08	2.16	2.16
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	330-398	1.21	1.28	1.38	1.40	1.36	1.39
Diseases of circulatory system	400-468	1.03	1.08	1.04	0.99	1.05	1.04
Arteriosclerotic and degenerative heart disease	420-422	0.09	0.08	0.10	0.09	0.08	0.10
Hypertensive disease	440-447	0.23	0.23	0.22	0.22	0.24	0.23
Diseases of respiratory system	470-527	18.36	16.19	17.54	20.70	16.47	22.25
Influenza	480-483	5.16	3.67	3.86	6.78	2.80	6.82
Bronchitis	500-502	3.26	2.80	2.77	2.96	2.70	3.09
Diseases of digestive system	540-587	4.76	5.01	5.19	5.02	5.56	5.08
Diseases of genito-urinary system	590-637	2.29	2.54	2.74	2.75	2.86	2.97
Deliveries and complications of pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium	640-689	1.23	1.30	1.39	1.39	1.47	2.03
Diseases of skin and cellular tissue	690-716	1.38	1.38	1.29	1.28	1.25	1.30
Diseases of bones and organs of movement	720-744	2.27	2.35	2.36	2.34	2.32	2.32
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	720-727	1.77	1.83	1.80	1.84	1.79	1.81
Congenital malformalities and certain diseases of early infancy	751-759	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
Symptoms, senility and ill-defined conditions	780-795	4.30	4.52	5.29	5.38	5.71	6.01
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	2.63	2.64	2.97	3.00	3.05	3.20

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants.

Notes: (a) Starting on first Monday in June.

(b) According to International Classification of Diseases, 1955.

(c) 53 weeks.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.61

SPELLS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY (a) COMMENCING IN STATISTICAL YEAR (b), ANALYSED BY CAUSE OF INCAPACITY (c), AND EXPRESSED AS RATES WHICH WOULD HAVE BEEN EXPERIENCED IF THE AGE DISTRIBUTION OF RELEVANT POPULATION AT RISK HAD REMAINED AS IN 1962/63 (1968/69-1971/72)

Number per 100 persons

	Detailed list numbers	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71 (d)	1971/72
Males:					
All causes		48.26	53.12	42.81	41.62
All causes except influenza		40.97	42.16	39.66	36.72
Infective and parasitic diseases	000-136	3.48	3.65	3.51	3.36
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010-012	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.03
Neoplasms	140-239	0.11	0.10	0.10	0.10
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240-279	0.18	0.21	0.21	0.21
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280-289	0.11	0.11	0.10	0.09
Mental disorders	290-315	1.25	1.33	1.29	1.22
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320-389	1.35	1.40	1.34	1.25
Diseases of circulatory system	390-458	1.59	1.57	1.67	1.56
Hypertensive disease	400-404	0.25	0.24	0.26	0.26
Ischaemic heart disease	410-414	0.47	0.46	0.50	0.51
Diseases of respiratory system	460-519	20.39	24.40	14.85	15.21
Influenza	470-474	7.29	10.96	3.15	4.90
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis	490,491	4.40	4.58	3.84	3.35
Diseases of digestive system	520-579	3.95	3.81	3.73	3.32
Diseases of genito-urinary system	580-629	0.60	0.61	0.65	0.59
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	680-709	1.40	1.44	1.30	1.24
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710-738	4.27	4.26	4.04	3.87
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	710-718	2.83	2.74	2.51	2.30
Congenital anomalies	740-759	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.02
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	780-796	4.01	4.29	4.16	3.99
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	5.51	5.90	5.84	5.59
Females:					
All causes		52.96	56.60	48.89	49.69
All causes except influenza		46.55	47.08	46.06	44.97
Infective and parasitic diseases	000-136	4.19	4.42	4.39	4.37
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010-012	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.02
Neoplasms	140-239	0.14	0.16	0.14	0.18
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240-279	0.14	0.16	0.15	0.14
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280-289	0.67	0.65	0.57	0.50
Mental disorders	290-315	2.15	2.23	2.25	2.23
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320-389	1.37	1.35	1.36	1.25
Diseases of circulatory system	390-458	0.91	0.90	0.87	0.84
Hypertensive disease	400-404	0.24	0.24	0.25	0.25
Ischaemic heart disease	410-414	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.07
Diseases of respiratory system	460-519	22.33	25.20	17.62	18.60
Influenza	470-474	6.41	9.52	2.83	4.72
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis	490,491	2.95	3.00	2.75	2.39
Diseases of digestive system	520-579	3.04	3.10	3.01	2.90
Diseases of genito-urinary system	580-629	2.91	2.94	3.05	2.94
Diseases of pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium	630-678	2.09	2.12	2.36	2.48
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	680-709	1.50	1.44	1.38	1.27
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710-738	2.55	2.64	2.53	2.58
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	710-718	1.64	1.74	1.54	1.56
Congenital anomalies	740-759	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	780-796	5.73	6.01	5.94	6.09
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	3.18	3.30	3.26	3.32

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants for 1968/69; 2½ per cent sample from 1969/70.

Notes (a) Invalidity benefit was introduced from 23 September, 1971

(b) Starting on first Monday in June.

(c) According to International Classification of Diseases, 1965.

(d) 53 weeks.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.64

SPELLS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY COMMENCING IN THE PERIOD 7 JUNE 1971 TO 3 JUNE 1972, ANALYSED BY CAUSE OF INCAPACITY (a) AND REGION (b)

Thousands

	Detailed list numbers	Great Britain	England										Wales	Scotland
			All regions	North	Yorkshire and Humber-side	East Midlands	East Anglia	South East		South West	West Midlands	North West		
								GLC	Remain-der					
Males:														
All causes		6,246	5,084	467	715	419	133	747	788	337	543	935	437	724
All causes except influenza		5,512	4,506	416	651	373	116	648	697	295	486	823	383	622
Infective and parasitic diseases	000-136	508	411	34	59	33	11	59	73	27	39	78	29	67
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010-012	5	4	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Neoplasms	140-239	15	13	1	2	1	-	3	3	1	1	1	1	2
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240-279	31	27	2	4	2	1	4	4	2	4	4	2	2
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280-289	13	11	1	1	1	-	1	2	1	2	2	1	1
Mental disorders	290-315	184	148	15	21	14	3	21	19	9	18	30	16	20
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320-389	187	156	14	24	14	4	23	24	11	17	25	12	18
Diseases of circulatory system	390-458	232	191	6	26	15	5	27	30	15	23	34	16	26
Hypertensive disease	400-404	39	32	2	4	3	1	4	5	2	4	6	4	3
Ischaemic heart disease	410-414	75	61	5	8	4	2	10	10	5	7	11	5	9
Diseases of respiratory system	460-519	2,284	1,860	172	250	154	48	287	282	123	198	347	166	257
Influenza	470-474	734	579	51	64	46	16	100	91	41	57	112	54	101
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis	490, 491	502	414	42	60	32	9	57	54	23	53	84	43	45
Diseases of digestive system	520-577	500	394	47	61	32	9	49	50	22	43	81	38	67
Diseases of genito-urinary system	580-629	89	73	5	10	5	2	12	15	5	7	12	5	10
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	680-709	185	152	13	22	12	5	20	25	12	17	27	12	21
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710-738	579	484	41	75	43	11	71	68	27	55	93	39	56
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	710-718	346	289	27	49	25	5	40	31	13	35	63	26	31
Congenital anomalies	740-759	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	780-796	598	490	39	63	40	13	78	84	32	51	89	39	69
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	839	671	65	97	53	21	93	108	50	70	114	61	107
Females:														
All causes		2,154	1,752	137	176	113	46	372	296	113	161	338	111	290
All causes except influenza		1,950	1,593	126	163	104	42	334	271	102	146	306	100	257
Infective and parasitic diseases	000-136	193	158	12	16	9	4	33	30	11	13	30	8	26
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010-012	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Neoplasms	140-239	8	7	-	-	1	-	1	1	1	1	1	1	-
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240-279	6	5	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	1	1	-	-
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280-289	22	16	2	2	1	-	3	2	1	1	4	2	4
Mental disorders	290-315	95	76	7	8	6	1	15	10	4	8	17	6	13
Diseases of nervous systems and sense organs	320-389	53	43	3	4	2	1	9	7	3	4	9	3	7
Diseases of circulatory system	390-458	33	27	2	3	2	1	5	4	1	3	5	2	4
Hypertensive disease	400-404	10	8	-	1	1	-	2	1	-	1	2	1	1
Ischaemic heart disease	410-414	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Diseases of respiratory system	460-519	801	658	49	65	44	18	144	113	43	59	123	40	103
Influenza	470-474	203	159	11	13	10	4	39	26	11	14	32	11	33
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis	490, 491	98	81	7	9	5	1	18	11	4	9	17	6	11
Diseases of digestive system	520-577	127	101	9	12	6	2	19	15	7	10	21	8	18
Diseases of genito-urinary system	580-629	130	101	10	11	7	2	20	16	7	8	21	7	22
Diseases of pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium	630-678	125	104	7	9	7	3	21	22	6	10	19	6	15
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	680-709	53	43	4	5	2	1	8	7	3	4	9	3	8
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710-738	106	86	7	9	5	2	19	13	4	8	19	5	15
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	710-718	62	51	4	6	3	1	11	6	2	5	13	2	9
Congenital anomalies	740-759	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	780-796	262	216	16	20	14	5	50	37	14	21	40	13	34
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	138	111	9	11	7	4	24	19	7	10	19	7	21

Source: 2½ per cent sample of claimants.

Notes: (a) According to International Classification of Diseases, 1965.
(b) Standard Regions.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.65

SPELLS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY COMMENCING IN THE PERIOD 7 JUNE 1971 TO 3 JUNE 1972, ANALYSED BY CAUSE OF INCAPACITY (a) AND AGE

Thousands

	Detailed list numbers	All ages	Age at 31 May							
			Under 20	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65 and over
Males:										
All causes		6,246	426	1,473	1,278	1,230	610	574	568	87
All causes except influenza		5,512	380	1,298	1,107	1,073	539	517	517	81
Infective and parasitic diseases	000-136	508	39	161	122	88	37	30	27	4
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010-012	5	—	1	1	1	—	1	1	—
Neoplasms	140-239	15	1	2	2	3	2	2	3	—
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240-279	31	1	2	6	7	5	5	5	1
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280-289	13	1	3	2	2	1	1	2	—
Mental disorders	290-315	184	5	41	49	43	19	15	11	1
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320-389	187	7	34	38	42	22	20	21	3
Diseases of circulatory system	390-458	232	1	11	21	49	38	47	55	10
Hypertensive disease	400-404	39	—	1	2	7	6	9	11	2
Ischaemic heart disease	410-414	75	—	—	2	15	15	19	20	3
Diseases of respiratory system	460-519	2,284	172	559	464	436	215	202	205	32
Influenza	470-474	734	46	175	171	157	71	57	50	6
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis	490,491	502	17	64	71	100	65	77	92	16
Diseases of digestive system	520-577	500	26	120	110	107	50	40	40	7
Diseases of genito-urinary system	580-629	89	3	14	15	18	11	13	12	2
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	680-709	185	19	48	38	33	16	14	14	2
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710-738	579	14	90	120	141	68	67	70	9
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	710-718	346	6	47	62	81	45	46	52	6
Congenital anomalies	740-759	2	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	780-796	598	31	121	116	127	63	66	62	10
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	839	106	266	174	134	61	50	41	7
Females:										
All causes		2,154	513	952	214	214	119	116	25	
All causes except influenza		1,950	469	865	190	191	107	105	23	
Infective and parasitic diseases	000-136	193	50	93	17	15	5	4	1	
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010-012	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Neoplasms	140-239	8	1	3	1	1	—	—	—	
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240-279	6	1	2	—	1	1	1	—	
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280-289	22	6	10	2	2	1	1	—	
Mental disorders	290-315	95	13	37	13	17	8	6	1	
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320-389	53	11	22	5	8	4	3	1	
Diseases of circulatory system	390-458	33	2	8	4	6	5	7	2	
Hypertensive disease	400-404	10	—	2	1	2	1	3	1	
Ischaemic heart disease	410-414	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	
Diseases of respiratory system	460-519	801	221	344	71	75	41	40	9	
Influenza	470-474	203	44	87	23	23	12	12	2	
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis	490,491	98	18	33	10	15	10	10	2	
Diseases of digestive system	520-577	127	34	59	11	10	6	5	2	
Diseases of genito-urinary system	580-629	130	29	63	15	13	6	3	1	
Diseases of pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium	630-678	125	15	95	14	1	—	—	—	
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	680-709	53	18	19	5	5	3	3	1	
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710-738	106	15	34	13	17	11	13	2	
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	710-718	62	8	17	8	10	7	10	2	
Congenital anomalies	740-759	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	780-796	262	61	112	28	28	15	15	3	
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	138	35	50	14	15	11	11	2	

Source: 2½ per cent sample of claimants.

Note: (a) According to International Classification of Diseases, 1965.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.66

SPELLS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY COMMENCING IN THE PERIOD 7 JUNE 1971 TO 3 JUNE 1972, ANALYSED BY CAUSE OF INCAPACITY (a) AND AGE, EXPRESSED AS A RATE PER 100 OF THE AVERAGE POPULATION AT RISK IN THE RELEVANT SEX AND AGE GROUP

	Detailed list numbers	All ages	Age at 31 May						
			Under 20	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-54	55-59	60-64
Males:									
All causes		41.63	45.25	43.03	43.45	40.15	40.30	39.74	40.52
All causes except influenza		36.74	40.33	37.91	37.65	35.02	35.64	35.77	36.94
Infective and parasitic diseases	000-136	3.39	4.14	4.69	4.16	2.87	2.47	2.10	1.90
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010-012	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.04	0.03	0.05	0.05
Neoplasms	140-239	0.10	0.06	0.05	0.08	0.09	0.16	0.14	0.18
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240-279	0.21	0.07	0.07	0.21	0.22	0.33	0.32	0.39
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280-289	0.09	0.11	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.09	0.09	0.12
Mental disorders	290-315	1.23	0.51	1.21	1.65	1.41	1.27	1.03	0.78
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320-389	1.24	0.77	0.99	1.28	1.37	1.44	1.41	1.51
Diseases of circulatory system	390-458	1.55	0.15	0.31	0.72	1.58	2.54	3.28	3.93
Hypertensive disease	400-404	0.26	0.02	0.04	0.07	0.23	0.41	0.61	0.78
Ischaemic heart disease	410-414	0.50	0.01	0.01	0.08	0.49	1.01	1.28	1.45
Diseases of respiratory system	460-519	15.22	18.29	16.32	15.77	14.22	14.20	14.00	14.61
Influenza	470-474	4.89	4.92	5.13	5.80	5.13	4.66	3.97	3.58
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis	490, 491	3.35	1.86	1.88	2.42	3.25	4.33	5.31	6.53
Diseases of digestive system	520-577	3.33	2.72	3.51	3.74	3.51	3.30	2.78	2.85
Diseases of genito-urinary system	580-629	0.59	0.33	0.42	0.51	0.58	0.73	0.89	0.88
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	680-709	1.23	2.06	1.41	1.29	1.09	1.04	0.98	1.02
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710-738	3.86	1.51	2.62	4.07	4.62	4.51	4.61	5.02
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	710-718	2.30	0.69	1.37	2.12	2.63	2.95	3.21	3.70
Congenital anomalies	740-759	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.03	0.01
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	780-796	3.98	3.31	3.54	3.96	4.14	4.18	4.59	4.42
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	5.59	11.21	7.77	5.93	4.37	4.02	3.49	2.90
Females:									
All causes		49.89	56.08	50.47	52.10	45.68	46.12	39.56	
All causes except influenza		45.18	51.30	45.87	46.43	40.74	41.36	35.56	
Infective and parasitic diseases	000-136	4.46	5.45	4.93	4.23	3.15	3.24	2.34	
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010-012	0.01	0.03	0.01	0.02	-	-	0.03	
Neoplasms	140-239	0.18	0.16	0.17	0.28	0.19	0.19	0.14	
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240-279	0.13	0.08	0.09	0.09	0.26	0.23	0.31	
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280-289	0.51	0.66	0.53	0.49	0.45	0.29	0.30	
Mental disorders	290-315	2.20	1.46	1.98	3.15	3.56	2.96	2.05	
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320-389	1.24	1.15	1.15	1.28	1.61	1.57	1.16	
Diseases of circulatory system	390-458	0.76	0.22	0.42	0.89	1.28	1.86	2.35	
Hypertensive disease	400-404	0.22	0.03	0.10	0.17	0.47	0.54	0.86	
Ischaemic heart disease	410-414	0.05	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.09	0.16	0.34	
Diseases of respiratory system	460-519	18.56	24.13	18.22	17.31	15.98	15.98	13.73	
Influenza	470-474	4.71	4.77	4.61	5.67	4.94	4.76	4.00	
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis	490, 491	2.28	1.94	1.74	2.38	3.28	3.95	3.47	
Diseases of digestive system	520-577	2.94	3.73	3.14	2.68	2.12	2.20	1.84	
Diseases of genito-urinary system	580-629	3.02	3.19	3.35	3.72	2.81	2.39	0.99	
Diseases of pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium	630-678	2.91	1.66	5.05	3.35	0.28	-	-	
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	680-709	1.23	2.01	1.03	1.13	1.03	1.04	0.98	
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710-738	2.45	1.64	1.80	3.19	3.69	4.22	4.50	
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	710-718	1.46	0.87	0.89	1.98	2.22	2.78	3.44	
Congenital anomalies	740-759	0.01	0.01	0.01	-	0.02	0.02	-	
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	780-796	6.08	6.66	5.95	6.88	6.03	5.71	5.13	
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	3.21	3.87	2.65	3.42	3.22	4.23	3.73	

Source: 2½ per cent sample of claimants.

Note: (a) According to International Classification of Diseases, 1965.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.68

SPELLS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY TERMINATING IN THE PERIOD 7 JUNE 1971 TO 3 JUNE 1972, ANALYSED BY CAUSE OF INCAPACITY (a) AND DURATION

Thousands

	Detailed list numbers	All durations	Duration (weekdays)									
			1 to 3	4 to 6	7 to 12	13 to 18	19 to 24	25 to 48	49 to 78	79 to 156	157 to 312	Over 312
Males:												
All causes		6,234	274	1,417	1,745	950	481	728	295	194	75	76
All causes except influenza		5,500	247	1,190	1,468	832	435	693	290	193	75	76
Infective and parasitic diseases ..	000-136	511	42	174	158	65	26	31	7	5	2	2
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010-012	5	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	2
Neoplasms	140-239	16	—	2	3	2	1	2	1	2	1	1
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240-279	31	1	4	7	4	3	5	3	2	1	1
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280-289	13	1	2	3	2	1	2	1	1	—	—
Mental disorders	290-315	184	4	24	38	30	17	33	15	12	6	6
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320-389	184	8	33	42	27	16	29	11	8	4	5
Diseases of circulatory system ..	390-458	232	4	15	28	24	17	44	34	32	13	20
Hypertensive disease	400-404	38	—	2	5	5	3	8	5	5	2	3
Ischaemic heart disease	410-414	73	1	2	4	4	4	12	14	17	6	9
Diseases of respiratory system ..	460-519	2,288	102	655	759	355	156	165	45	24	10	16
Influenza	470-474	735	26	227	277	118	45	36	5	1	—	—
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis	490, 491	503	11	75	135	99	53	70	26	15	7	11
Diseases of digestive system ..	520-577	500	28	100	113	66	38	82	43	22	6	3
Diseases of genito-urinary system ..	580-629	89	2	13	24	14	8	14	7	5	2	1
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	680-709	184	8	45	54	28	14	20	8	4	1	1
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710-738	574	16	87	143	104	55	90	37	24	9	8
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	710-718	341	11	54	89	64	33	49	18	12	5	6
Congenital anomalies	740-759	3	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	780-796	591	28	108	140	91	53	89	40	26	9	5
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	836	30	155	233	138	74	121	41	27	10	5

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.68 (continued)

SPELLS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY TERMINATING IN THE PERIOD 7 JUNE 1971 TO 3 JUNE 1972, ANALYSED BY CAUSE OF INCAPACITY (a) AND DURATION

Thousands

	Detailed list numbers	All durations	Duration (weekdays)										
			1 to 3	4 to 6	7 to 12	13 to 18	19 to 24	25 to 48	49 to 78	79 to 156	157 to 312	Over 312	
Females:													
All causes		2,160	91	606	632	294	134	217	106	47	16	17	
All causes except influenza		1,956	84	538	553	263	124	209	105	46	16	17	
Infective and parasitic diseases .. .	000-136	194	12	75	60	24	9	10	2	1	-	-	
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010-012	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Neoplasms	140-239	7	-	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases .. .	240-279	7	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	1	-	1	
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs .. .	280-289	22	1	4	6	4	2	3	1	1	-	-	
Mental disorders	290-315	96	2	14	23	15	9	15	7	6	2	4	
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs .. .	320-389	55	3	14	14	8	4	6	2	2	1	1	
Diseases of circulatory system .. .	390-458	33	-	3	6	5	3	7	3	2	1	2	
Hypertensive disease	400-404	10	-	1	2	2	1	2	1	1	-	-	
Ischaemic heart disease	410-414	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	
Diseases of respiratory system .. .	460-519	804	41	299	278	104	36	34	6	3	1	2	
Influenza	470-474	204	7	69	79	31	10	7	1	-	-	-	
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis .. .	490, 491	100	2	21	34	19	8	10	2	2	1	2	
Diseases of digestive system .. .	520-577	128	6	36	35	15	8	17	5	4	1	1	
Diseases of genito-urinary system .. .	580-629	131	5	32	41	21	10	11	6	5	1	-	
Diseases of pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium .. .	630-678	126	1	4	11	9	7	42	45	6	1	-	
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue .. .	680-709	54	3	15	18	7	2	5	2	1	-	-	
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue .. .	710-738	106	3	20	27	18	9	16	6	3	2	3	
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever .. .	710-718	63	2	13	16	11	5	9	3	2	1	2	
Congenital anomalies	740-759	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	780-796	260	11	57	72	41	21	31	14	9	3	2	
Accidents, poisoning and violence	N800-N999	137	5	31	39	21	11	18	6	4	1	1	

Source: 2½ per cent sample of claimants.

Note: (a) According to International Classification of Diseases, 1965.

SICKNESS BENEFIT : TABLE 3.70

DAYS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY (a) IN STATISTICAL YEAR (b), ANALYSED BY REGION (c)

Millions

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71(e)	1971/72	1972/73
Males:								
Great Britain (d)	235.1	229.2	250.9	255.0	267.0	244.6	239.4	249.9
England:								
All regions	187.5	182.9	201.0	204.3	213.4	195.5	191.4	200.2
North	20.0	19.8	21.7	22.4	22.9	21.1	21.2	21.9
Yorkshire and Humberside ..	24.8	24.3	27.2	27.7	29.1	27.4	27.3	28.6
East Midlands	14.0	13.2	14.2	14.6	15.2	14.2	14.1	15.0
East Anglia	4.8	4.7	5.4	5.5	6.1	5.1	5.3	5.7
South East	52.2	50.3	55.4	55.2	58.3	52.6	50.9	52.7
South West	13.8	13.0	14.1	14.6	16.1	15.0	14.4	15.0
West Midlands	20.6	20.6	22.6	23.3	23.7	21.3	20.9	22.5
North West	37.3	37.0	40.4	41.0	42.0	38.7	37.2	38.9
Wales	19.8	19.4	21.3	21.6	23.2	21.8	21.4	22.1
Scotland	27.7	26.7	28.5	28.9	30.3	27.2	26.5	26.9
Females:								
Great Britain (d)	76.3	71.9	76.7	74.4	75.0	69.5	67.4	69.8
England:								
All regions	60.7	57.1	61.1	59.2	59.3	55.1	53.5	55.4
North	5.2	4.9	5.1	5.0	5.0	4.8	4.6	4.8
Yorkshire and Humberside ..	6.3	6.0	6.2	6.2	6.3	5.9	5.5	5.9
East Midlands	3.5	3.4	3.6	3.4	3.2	2.9	2.9	3.1
East Anglia	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.4
South East	18.9	18.0	20.0	19.4	20.1	18.7	18.4	18.7
South West	3.7	3.4	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.3	3.3	3.4
West Midlands	6.2	5.8	6.1	6.2	6.1	5.9	5.6	6.0
North West	15.7	14.4	15.0	14.2	13.6	12.6	12.0	12.1
Wales	4.5	4.6	4.8	4.8	5.1	4.8	4.7	4.9
Scotland	11.1	10.2	10.7	10.3	10.5	9.4	9.0	9.3

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants up to 1968/69; 2½ per cent sample from 1969/70.

Notes: (a) Invalidity benefit was introduced from 23 September 1971.

(b) Starting on first Monday in June.

(c) Standard Regions.

(d) Includes persons abroad.

(e) 53 weeks.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.71

DAYS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY (a) IN STATISTICAL YEAR (b), ANALYSED BY AGE

Millions

Age at 31 May	1962/63	1963/64	1964/65 (c)	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71 (c)	1971/72	1972/73
Males:											
All ages	212.8	211.7	222.1	235.1	229.2	250.9	255.0	267.0	244.6	239.4	249.9
Under 20	6.2	6.5	7.1	7.8	7.0	7.0	6.8	6.9	6.0	5.8	6.2
20 to 24	8.5	9.1	9.5	10.4	10.9	12.5	13.1	14.3	12.7	11.2	12.1
25 to 29	9.6	9.7	10.2	10.9	10.9	12.2	12.6	13.7	12.7	13.2	14.4
30 to 34	11.9	11.8	12.2	12.7	12.5	14.0	14.6	15.7	13.8	12.9	13.8
35 to 39	14.3	14.5	15.1	16.0	14.9	16.3	16.3	16.9	14.9	14.9	15.6
40 to 44	17.6	18.2	18.3	18.7	18.3	19.9	20.0	20.9	18.2	17.3	18.2
45 to 49	18.1	17.4	18.4	20.8	21.0	24.2	26.1	26.9	23.5	22.8	23.3
50 to 54	26.3	25.9	26.4	27.5	26.4	27.7	26.4	28.6	27.2	28.2	31.0
55 to 59	36.6	36.2	38.3	40.2	38.2	41.2	42.1	42.9	38.9	36.9	36.9
60 to 64	52.2	51.7	55.1	58.5	56.9	62.9	64.4	66.5	63.4	62.9	64.0
65 and over	11.3	10.9	11.6	11.7	12.1	13.0	12.8	13.7	13.3	13.2	14.4
Females:											
All ages	76.1	75.2	77.1	76.3	71.9	76.7	74.4	75.0	69.5	67.4	69.8
Under 20	8.2	8.5	9.1	9.3	8.2	8.6	8.2	8.3	7.4	7.0	7.5
20 to 24	9.9	10.1	11.0	11.0	10.9	12.6	12.7	13.1	12.1	11.4	12.2
25 to 29	5.3	5.4	5.5	5.3	4.8	5.9	6.0	6.5	6.1	6.8	8.1
30 to 34	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.4	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.5	3.5	3.7
35 to 39	4.5	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.1	4.2	3.9	4.0	3.5	3.4	3.6
40 to 44	5.9	6.0	5.6	5.6	5.4	5.4	5.1	5.1	4.8	4.5	4.6
45 to 49	7.4	7.1	7.3	7.6	7.4	7.9	8.0	7.6	6.8	6.4	6.2
50 to 54	11.8	11.3	11.5	11.2	10.4	10.3	9.6	10.0	9.2	8.7	8.8
55 to 59	15.7	15.2	15.6	15.0	14.3	15.0	14.1	14.0	13.3	12.9	12.0
60 and over	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.7	3.0

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants up to 1968/69; 2½ per cent sample from 1969/70.

Notes: (a) Invalidity benefit was introduced from 23 September 1971.

(b) Starting on first Monday in June.

(c) 53 weeks.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.72

DAYS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY (a) IN STATISTICAL YEAR (b), ANALYSED BY AGE AND EXPRESSED AS RATES PER PERSON AT RISK IN RELEVANT SEX AND AGE GROUP (c)

Age at 31 May	1962/63	1963/64	1964/65 (c)	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71 (d)	1971/72
Males:										
Observed rate:										
Under 20	5.1	5.3	5.7	6.1	6.0	6.6	6.6	7.0	6.2	6.2
20-24	6.0	6.1	6.3	6.6	6.4	7.1	7.4	8.0	7.2	6.7
25-29	6.3	6.4	6.6	7.1	7.2	8.0	8.1	8.6	7.8	7.5
30-34	7.7	7.6	8.1	8.5	8.3	9.3	9.6	10.4	9.3	8.7
35-39	8.8	9.0	9.5	10.1	9.8	10.7	10.8	11.5	10.3	10.2
40-44	10.5	10.5	10.8	11.3	11.3	12.6	12.8	13.5	11.9	11.6
45-49	11.9	12.1	12.6	13.6	13.3	14.8	15.4	16.3	14.6	14.5
50-54	16.1	16.0	16.4	17.5	17.1	18.9	19.0	20.3	18.6	18.6
55-59	23.8	23.1	24.1	25.4	24.4	26.9	27.7	28.5	26.4	25.5
60-64	40.3	39.3	41.3	43.1	41.4	45.5	45.8	46.9	44.9	44.9
65 and over	34.9	33.5	35.1	35.8	38.1	40.3	42.7	47.3	47.3	47.7
Age standardised rate (e)										
All ages	13.9	13.8	14.4	15.2	14.8	16.3	16.7	17.5	16.1	15.9
Females:										
Observed rate:										
Under 20	6.8	6.9	7.3	7.5	7.2	8.1	8.2	8.5	7.9	7.6
20-24	8.7	8.8	9.2	9.0	8.4	9.5	9.2	9.8	9.2	9.1
25-29	10.1	10.4	10.7	10.7	10.0	12.0	11.7	11.8	10.7	10.7
30-34	14.0	14.5	15.0	15.4	14.1	16.1	15.8	16.5	15.9	15.6
35-39	18.1	17.9	18.8	18.9	18.5	20.3	20.0	20.8	19.0	18.6
40-44	21.7	21.8	21.5	21.8	21.6	22.5	22.6	23.4	22.4	21.8
45-49	24.8	25.3	26.5	27.9	27.5	27.3	27.3	26.8	24.9	24.6
50-54	31.3	32.0	32.7	32.7	31.4	34.9	35.1	36.9	35.3	33.6
55-59	36.7	37.4	39.9	41.2	41.4	44.6	43.9	44.5	43.5	43.9
60 and over	23.9	23.4	24.7	23.9	23.4	24.9	26.4	28.0	31.7	31.7
Age standardised rate (e)										
All ages	15.5	15.7	16.4	16.6	16.1	17.6	17.5	18.0	17.2	17.0

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants up to 1968/69; 2½ per cent sample from 1969/70.

Notes: (a) Invalidity benefit was introduced from 23 September 1971.

(b) Starting on first Monday in June.

(c) Average duration per person as defined in Studies in Medical and Population Subjects No. 8: Measurement of Morbidity GRO-HMSO 1954.

(d) 53 weeks.

(e) Standardised to the age distribution of the population at risk for 1962/63.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.74

DAYS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a), ANALYSED BY CAUSE OF INCAPACITY (b)
(1962/63-1967/68)

Millions

	Detailed list numbers	1962/63	1963/64	1964/65(c)	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68
Males:							
All causes		212.8	211.7	222.1	235.1	229.2	250.9
All causes except influenza		201.9	204.4	214.8	222.0	223.8	238.8
Infective and parasitic diseases	001-138	7.7	7.4	6.9	6.6	6.4	6.4
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	001-008	5.1	4.6	4.1	3.6	3.3	2.9
Neoplasms	140-239	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.3
Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic and nutritional diseases	240-289	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.6	4.5	5.2
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	290-299	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.9
Mental, psychoneurotic and personality disorders	300-326	17.4	18.4	19.0	18.9	19.8	20.4
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	330-398	16.2	16.8	17.6	17.2	17.7	18.9
Diseases of circulatory system	400-468	25.2	25.9	27.8	29.2	30.3	32.4
Arteriosclerotic and degenerative heart disease	420-422	12.0	12.7	13.6	14.6	15.3	16.5
Hypertensive disease	440-447	4.5	4.4	4.8	5.0	5.4	5.9
Diseases of respiratory system	470-527	61.8	55.2	57.3	64.6	53.8	65.2
Influenza	480-483	10.9	7.3	7.3	13.1	5.4	12.1
Bronchitis	500-502	33.8	31.0	31.7	33.3	30.9	34.0
Diseases of digestive system	540-587	19.5	19.4	20.3	20.7	21.4	21.3
Diseases of genito-urinary system	590-637	3.0	3.2	3.4	3.4	3.1	3.4
Diseases of skin and cellular tissue	690-716	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.4
Diseases of bones and organs of movement	720-744	19.0	20.0	21.1	22.2	22.6	24.4
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	720-727	13.8	14.4	15.2	16.2	16.2	17.5
Congenital malformalities and certain diseases of early infancy	751-759	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Symptoms, senility and ill-defined conditions	780-795	14.9	15.7	17.7	19.9	20.7	23.5
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	17.2	18.8	20.2	21.4	22.3	23.1
Females:							
All causes		76.1	75.2	77.1	76.3	71.9	76.7
All causes except influenza		73.1	73.1	74.9	72.7	70.5	73.3
Infective and parasitic diseases	001-138	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.7	2.5	2.5
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	001-008	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.1	1.0	1.0
Neoplasms	140-239	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5
Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic and nutritional diseases	240-289	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.2	2.2
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	290-299	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.3	1.1	1.1
Mental, psychoneurotic and personality disorders	300-326	10.1	10.5	10.7	10.4	10.2	10.3
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	330-398	5.6	5.4	5.6	5.3	5.2	4.9
Diseases of circulatory system	400-468	7.3	7.1	6.7	6.5	6.2	6.0
Arteriosclerotic and degenerative heart disease	420-422	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6
Hypertensive disease	440-447	2.2	2.2	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.7
Diseases of respiratory system	470-527	14.5	12.6	13.5	14.9	11.5	14.3
Influenza	480-483	3.0	2.1	2.2	3.6	1.4	3.4
Bronchitis	500-502	5.4	4.7	4.8	5.0	4.3	4.6
Diseases of digestive system	540-587	5.2	5.3	5.5	5.1	5.1	4.8
Diseases of genito-urinary system	590-637	3.6	3.8	4.0	3.8	3.7	3.8
Deliveries and complications of pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium	640-689	2.5	2.8	2.9	2.9	3.2	4.7
Diseases of skin and cellular tissue	690-716	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4
Diseases of bones and organs of movement	720-744	8.0	7.9	7.7	7.4	7.1	7.2
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	720-727	6.4	6.2	6.0	5.7	5.4	5.6
Congenital malformalities and certain diseases of early infancy	751-759	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Symptoms, senility and ill-defined conditions	780-795	6.2	6.8	7.6	7.7	8.1	8.8
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	3.7	3.6	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants up to 1968/69; 2½ per cent sample from 1969/70.

Notes: (a) Starting on first Monday in June.

(b) According to International Classification of Diseases, 1955.

(c) 53 weeks.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.75

DAYS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY (a) IN STATISTICAL YEAR (b), ANALYSED BY CAUSE OF INCAPACITY (c) (1968/69-1972/73)

Millions

	Detailed list numbers	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71 (d)	1971/72	1972/73
Males:						
All causes		255.0	267.0	244.6	239.4	249.9
All causes except influenza		242.5	246.4	239.3	231.2	239.3
Infective and parasitic diseases	000-136	9.9	10.2	9.7	8.8	9.0
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010-012	2.9	2.8	2.6	2.3	2.0
Neoplasms	140-239	1.4	1.2	1.4	1.2	1.4
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240-279	2.5	3.0	2.8	2.9	3.0
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280-289	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.7	0.8
Mental disorders	290-315	20.5	20.7	20.7	20.1	21.2
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320-389	16.3	16.2	16.1	16.2	17.3
Diseases of circulatory system	390-458	36.6	37.5	38.3	38.3	39.1
Hypertensive disease	400-404	5.9	6.1	6.7	6.3	6.6
Ischaemic heart disease	410-414	15.4	15.8	16.1	16.5	17.0
Diseases of respiratory system	460-519	68.0	76.8	55.1	54.2	58.4
Influenza	470-474	12.6	20.7	5.3	8.2	10.6
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis	490, 491	33.1	33.1	30.0	27.6	28.1
Diseases of digestive system	520-577	18.2	17.0	16.9	15.5	16.2
Diseases of genito-urinary system	580-629	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.2
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	680-709	4.5	4.7	4.5	4.3	4.3
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710-738	25.8	26.0	26.2	26.4	27.4
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	710-718	17.8	17.4	17.3	17.3	17.6
Congenital anomalies	740-759	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	780-796	22.6	24.7	23.6	23.2	23.6
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	23.8	24.6	24.7	23.8	25.1
Females:						
All causes		74.4	75.0	69.5	67.4	69.8
All causes except influenza		71.2	70.0	68.2	65.2	66.8
Infective and parasitic diseases	000-136	3.5	3.6	3.4	3.1	3.2
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010-012	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.6
Neoplasms	140-239	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240-279	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.1
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280-289	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.7
Mental disorders	290-315	9.8	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.5
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320-389	4.7	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.3
Diseases of circulatory system	390-458	6.1	5.8	5.7	5.2	5.5
Hypertensive disease	400-404	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4
Ischaemic heart disease	410-414	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.2
Diseases of respiratory system	460-519	14.5	15.8	11.4	11.0	12.2
Influenza	470-474	3.1	5.0	1.3	2.2	3.0
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis	490, 491	4.0	4.0	3.8	3.2	3.1
Diseases of digestive system	520-577	3.6	3.6	3.1	3.0	3.0
Diseases of genito-urinary system	580-629	3.7	3.4	3.4	3.1	2.9
Diseases of pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium	630-678	4.9	5.0	5.4	5.6	6.5
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	680-709	1.5	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.2
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710-738	7.0	6.8	7.0	6.8	7.0
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	710-718	5.1	4.8	5.0	4.9	4.9
Congenital anomalies	740-759	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	780-796	8.4	8.8	8.4	8.2	8.2
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.9

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants for 1968/69; 2½ per cent sample from 1969/70.

Notes: (a) Invalidity benefit was introduced from 23 September 1971.

(b) Starting on first Monday in June.

(c) According to International Classification of Diseases, 1965.

(d) 53 weeks.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.78

DAYS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a), ANALYSED BY CAUSE OF INCAPACITY (b), AND EXPRESSED AS RATES WHICH WOULD HAVE BEEN EXPERIENCED IF AGE DISTRIBUTION OF RELEVANT POPULATION AT RISK HAD REMAINED AS IN 1962/63 (1962/63-1967/68)

Number per person

	Detailed list numbers	1962/63	1963/64	1964/65(c)	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68
Males:							
All causes		13.88	13.76	14.36	15.16	14.81	16.32
All causes except influenza		13.17	13.29	13.88	14.31	14.46	15.53
Infective and parasitic diseases	001-138	0.51	0.48	0.45	0.43	0.41	0.41
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	001-008	0.33	0.30	0.27	0.23	0.22	0.19
Neoplasms	140-239	0.10	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.08
Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic and nutritional diseases	240-289	0.29	0.28	0.28	0.29	0.29	0.34
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	290-299	0.05	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.06
Mental, psychoneurotic and personality disorders	300-326	1.14	1.20	1.24	1.23	1.29	1.34
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	330-398	1.05	1.10	1.13	1.11	1.14	1.23
Diseases of circulatory system	400-468	1.65	1.68	1.79	1.87	1.94	2.09
Arteriosclerotic and degenerative heart disease	420-422	0.78	0.82	0.88	0.93	0.98	1.06
Hypertensive disease	440-447	0.29	0.28	0.31	0.32	0.34	0.38
Diseases of respiratory system	470-527	4.03	3.58	3.69	4.15	3.46	4.23
Influenza	480-483	0.71	0.48	0.48	0.85	0.35	0.79
Bronchitis	500-502	2.21	2.01	2.04	2.13	2.00	2.19
Diseases of digestive system	540-587	1.27	1.26	1.32	1.34	1.39	1.39
Diseases of genito-urinary system	590-637	0.20	0.21	0.22	0.22	0.20	0.22
Diseases of skin and cellular tissue	690-716	0.27	0.26	0.27	0.27	0.26	0.29
Diseases of bones and organs of movement	720-744	1.24	1.30	1.37	1.44	1.47	1.59
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	720-727	0.90	0.94	0.98	1.05	1.05	1.13
Congenital malformalities and certain diseases of early infancy	751-759	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
Symptoms, senility and ill-defined conditions	780-795	1.00	1.03	1.14	1.29	1.34	1.54
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	1.12	1.22	1.30	1.37	1.44	1.51
Females:							
All causes		15.45	15.69	16.36	16.57	16.06	17.56
All causes except influenza		14.84	15.26	15.89	15.82	15.76	16.82
Infective and parasitic diseases	001-138	0.65	0.63	0.61	0.58	0.55	0.57
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	001-008	0.33	0.32	0.30	0.25	0.23	0.22
Neoplasms	140-239	0.11	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.11
Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic and nutritional diseases	240-289	0.53	0.53	0.54	0.53	0.49	0.52
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	290-299	0.28	0.29	0.31	0.27	0.25	0.25
Mental, psychoneurotic and personality disorders	300-326	2.06	2.20	2.29	2.29	2.32	2.41
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	330-398	1.13	1.14	1.21	1.19	1.20	1.17
Diseases of circulatory system	400-468	1.48	1.51	1.47	1.46	1.43	1.47
Arteriosclerotic and degenerative heart disease	420-422	0.38	0.38	0.36	0.37	0.39	0.41
Hypertensive disease	440-447	0.44	0.46	0.43	0.42	0.41	0.42
Diseases of respiratory system	470-527	2.94	2.61	2.82	3.17	2.52	3.21
Influenza	480-483	0.61	0.43	0.46	0.75	0.31	0.75
Bronchitis	500-502	1.10	0.99	1.03	1.10	0.98	1.09
Diseases of digestive system	540-587	1.05	1.09	1.15	1.09	1.11	1.07
Diseases of genito-urinary system	590-637	0.73	0.79	0.83	0.82	0.80	0.86
Deliveries and complications of pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium	640-689	0.51	0.57	0.58	0.58	0.64	0.94
Diseases of skin and cellular tissue	690-716	0.32	0.33	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.32
Diseases of bones and organs of movement	720-744	1.62	1.66	1.67	1.65	1.64	1.74
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	720-727	1.30	1.32	1.30	1.29	1.27	1.36
Congenital malformalities and certain diseases of early infancy	751-759	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.03
Symptoms, senility and ill-defined conditions	780-795	1.26	1.41	1.60	1.66	1.78	1.99
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	0.76	0.75	0.79	0.81	0.86	0.89

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants.

Notes: (a) Starting on first Monday in June.

(b) According to International Classification of Diseases, 1955.

(c) 53 weeks.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.79

DAYS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY (a) IN STATISTICAL YEAR (b) ANALYSED BY CAUSE OF INCAPACITY (c), AND EXPRESSED AS RATES WHICH WOULD HAVE BEEN EXPERIENCED IF AGE DISTRIBUTION OF RELEVANT POPULATION AT RISK HAD REMAINED AS IN 1962/63 (1968/69–1971/72)

Number per person

	Detailed list numbers	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71(d)	1971/72
Males:					
All causes		16.65	17.52	16.15	15.90
All causes except influenza		15.82	16.16	15.80	15.35
Infective and parasitic diseases	000–136	0.65	0.67	0.64	0.59
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010–012	0.19	0.18	0.17	0.15
Neoplasms	140–239	0.09	0.08	0.09	0.08
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240–279	0.17	0.19	0.19	0.19
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280–289	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.05
Mental disorders	290–315	1.35	1.37	1.38	1.35
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320–389	1.07	1.06	1.07	1.07
Diseases of circulatory system	390–458	2.37	2.44	2.51	2.53
Hypertensive disease	400–404	0.38	0.40	0.44	0.42
Ischaemic heart disease	410–414	1.00	1.02	1.05	1.09
Diseases of respiratory system	460–519	4.43	5.03	3.62	3.59
Influenza	470–474	0.82	1.37	0.35	0.55
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis	490, 491	2.15	2.16	1.96	1.82
Diseases of digestive system	520–579	1.19	1.12	1.12	1.03
Diseases of genito-urinary system	580–629	0.22	0.22	0.23	0.22
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	680–709	0.30	0.31	0.30	0.29
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710–738	1.69	1.71	1.73	1.76
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	710–718	1.16	1.14	1.13	1.15
Congenital anomalies	740–759	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.02
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	780–796	1.48	1.62	1.56	1.55
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800–N999	1.55	1.62	1.64	1.59
Females:					
All causes		17.49	18.03	17.23	17.00
All causes except influenza		16.79	16.87	16.93	16.45
Infective and parasitic diseases	000–136	0.81	0.84	0.81	0.77
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010–012	0.21	0.19	0.17	0.15
Neoplasms	140–239	0.11	0.10	0.11	0.11
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240–279	0.29	0.29	0.26	0.28
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280–289	0.26	0.23	0.22	0.19
Mental disorders	290–315	2.35	2.44	2.51	2.53
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320–389	1.15	1.11	1.15	1.16
Diseases of circulatory system	390–458	1.57	1.53	1.56	1.49
Hypertensive disease	400–404	0.44	0.41	0.43	0.42
Ischaemic heart disease	410–414	0.27	0.27	0.30	0.31
Diseases of respiratory system	460–519	3.33	3.73	2.78	2.73
Influenza	470–474	0.70	1.16	0.30	0.51
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis	490, 491	1.06	1.00	0.99	0.86
Diseases of digestive system	520–577	0.82	0.85	0.75	0.75
Diseases of genito-urinary system	580–629	0.84	0.79	0.79	0.74
Diseases of pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium	630–678	0.98	1.00	1.09	1.11
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	680–709	0.34	0.32	0.30	0.27
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710–738	1.74	1.74	1.85	1.85
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	710–718	1.30	1.27	1.37	1.36
Congenital anomalies	740–759	0.05	0.04	0.05	0.02
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	780–796	1.95	2.09	2.06	2.03
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800–N999	0.88	0.92	0.95	0.93

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants for 1968/69; 2½ per cent sample from 1969/70.

Notes: (a) Invalidity benefit was introduced from 23 September 1971.

(b) Starting on first Monday in June.

(c) According to International Classification of Diseases, 1965.

(d) 53 weeks.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.82

DAYS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY IN THE PERIOD 7 JUNE 1971 TO 3 JUNE 1972, ANALYSED BY CAUSE OF INCAPACITY (a) AND REGION (b)

Millions

	Detailed list numbers	Great Britain	England										Wales	Scotland
			All regions	North	Yorkshire and Humber-side	East Midlands	East Anglia	South East		South West	West Midlands	North West		
								GLC	Remain-der					
Males:		239.4	191.4	21.2	27.3	14.1	5.3	24.0	26.9	14.4	20.9	37.2	21.4	26.5
All causes		231.2	185.0	20.6	26.5	13.6	5.1	23.0	26.0	14.0	20.3	35.9	20.7	25.3
All causes except influenza		000-136	8.8	7.0	0.8	1.0	0.5	1.0	1.0	0.5	0.7	1.3	0.6	1.2
Infective and parasitic diseases		010-012	2.3	1.7	0.2	0.3	-	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.4
Tuberculosis of respiratory system		140-239	1.2	1.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Neoplasms		240-279	2.9	2.4	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.3
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases		280-289	0.7	0.6	-	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	0.1	0.1	-	0.1
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs		290-315	20.1	16.3	1.4	1.9	1.3	0.6	2.2	2.7	1.3	1.8	1.6	2.2
Mental disorders		320-389	16.2	13.8	1.4	1.8	1.2	0.5	1.9	2.1	1.2	1.3	2.3	1.0
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs		390-458	38.3	30.6	3.7	4.6	2.2	0.7	3.2	4.2	2.4	3.3	6.4	4.1
Diseases of circulatory system		400-404	6.3	5.0	0.4	0.7	0.4	0.1	0.5	0.7	0.4	0.6	1.1	0.6
Hypertensive disease		410-414	16.5	13.2	1.8	2.0	0.8	0.4	1.3	1.9	1.1	1.2	2.7	1.5
Ischaemic heart disease		460-519	54.2	43.1	5.2	6.6	3.0	0.8	5.4	5.0	2.9	4.9	9.2	5.5
Diseases of respiratory system		470-474	8.2	6.4	0.6	0.8	0.5	0.1	1.0	0.9	0.4	0.7	1.3	0.7
Influenza		490, 491	27.6	22.5	3.1	3.7	1.4	0.3	2.5	2.2	1.3	2.6	5.2	2.6
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis		520-577	15.5	12.0	1.4	1.8	0.9	0.3	1.4	1.5	0.8	1.4	2.4	2.1
Diseases of digestive system		580-629	3.3	2.6	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.4
Diseases of genito-urinary system		680-709	4.3	3.3	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.6
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue		710-738	26.4	21.4	2.3	3.2	1.7	0.7	2.5	2.9	1.6	2.5	3.9	2.9
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue		710-718	17.3	13.9	1.5	2.2	1.2	0.5	1.5	1.5	1.1	1.7	2.7	2.0
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever		740-759	0.3	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-
Congenital anomalies		780-796	23.2	18.8	1.7	2.3	1.3	0.6	3.0	3.0	1.3	2.0	3.6	1.9
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions		N800-N999	23.8	18.4	2.3	2.7	1.4	0.5	2.3	2.6	1.5	2.0	3.2	2.3
Accidents, poisonings and violence														
Females:		67.4	53.5	4.6	5.5	2.9	1.2	10.1	8.3	3.3	5.6	12.0	4.7	9.0
All causes		65.2	51.8	4.5	5.4	2.8	1.2	9.7	8.1	3.2	5.5	11.6	4.6	8.6
All causes except influenza		000-136	3.1	2.6	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.1	0.4
Infective and parasitic diseases		010-012	0.6	0.5	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	0.1	0.1	-	0.1
Tuberculosis of respiratory system		140-239	0.5	0.4	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	-	-	0.1	-	-
Neoplasms		240-279	1.0	0.9	0.1	-	-	0.1	0.1	-	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases		280-289	0.8	0.5	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.2
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs		290-315	9.8	7.7	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.1	1.5	1.4	0.5	0.8	1.6	1.3
Mental disorders		320-389	4.4	3.5	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.7	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.6
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs		390-458	5.2	4.1	0.6	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.4	1.1	0.7
Diseases of circulatory system		400-404	1.4	1.1	0.2	-	0.1	-	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2
Hypertensive disease		410-414	1.1	0.8	0.1	0.1	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	0.3	0.1
Ischaemic heart disease		460-519	11.0	8.8	0.7	1.0	0.5	0.2	1.7	1.2	0.5	0.9	2.1	1.5
Diseases of respiratory system		470-474	2.2	1.6	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.4
Influenza		490, 491	3.2	2.6	0.2	0.3	0.1	-	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.9	0.5
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis		520-577	3.0	2.3	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.4
Diseases of digestive system		580-629	3.1	2.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.5
Diseases of genito-urinary system		630-678	5.6	4.6	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.9	0.9	0.3	0.4	0.8	0.7
Diseases of pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium		680-709	1.1	0.8	0.1	0.1	-	-	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue		710-738	6.8	5.4	0.4	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.9	0.8	0.2	0.6	1.4	0.8
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue		710-718	4.9	3.8	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.6	0.6	0.1	0.4	1.1	0.6
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever		740-759	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Congenital anomalies		780-796	8.2	6.7	0.6	0.7	0.3	0.2	1.4	1.2	0.4	0.7	1.2	1.0
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions		N800-N999	3.7	2.9	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.6	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.6	0.5
Accidents, poisonings and violence														

Source: 2½ per cent sample of claimants.

Notes: (a) According to International Classification of Diseases, 1965.

(b) Standard Regions.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.83

DAYS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY IN THE PERIOD 7 JUNE 1971 TO 3 JUNE 1972, ANALYSED BY CAUSE OF INCAPACITY (a) AND AGE

Millions

	Detailed list numbers	All ages	Age at 31 May							
			Under 20	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65 and over
Males:										
All causes		239.4	5.8	24.5	27.8	40.1	28.2	36.9	62.9	13.2
All causes except influenza		231.2	5.4	22.9	26.0	38.3	27.3	36.1	62.1	13.1
Infective and parasitic diseases	000-136	8.8	0.4	1.7	1.5	1.6	1.1	0.9	1.4	0.3
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010-012	2.3	—	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.7	0.1
Neoplasms	140-239	1.2	—	—	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.1
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240-279	2.9	—	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.9	0.3
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280-289	0.7	—	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	—
Mental disorders	290-315	20.1	0.2	2.4	3.1	5.1	2.9	2.9	3.0	0.5
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320-389	16.2	0.1	1.0	1.7	2.7	1.9	2.9	5.0	0.9
Diseases of circulatory system	390-458	38.3	0.1	0.3	0.8	4.2	4.9	7.8	16.4	3.8
Hypertensive disease	400-404	6.3	—	0.1	0.1	0.7	0.9	1.2	2.7	0.7
Ischaemic heart disease	410-414	16.5	—	—	0.2	1.8	2.1	3.4	7.0	1.8
Diseases of respiratory system	460-519	54.2	1.5	5.6	5.8	7.9	6.0	8.8	15.5	3.1
Influenza	470-474	8.2	0.4	1.6	1.8	1.8	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.1
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis	490, 491	27.6	0.2	1.0	1.4	3.4	3.1	5.5	10.8	2.3
Diseases of digestive system	520-577	15.5	0.4	2.1	2.5	3.2	2.0	1.9	2.8	0.6
Diseases of genito-urinary system	580-629	3.3	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.6	1.0	0.2
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	680-709	4.3	0.2	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.7	0.2
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710-738	26.4	0.3	1.8	3.3	4.8	3.0	4.0	7.6	1.5
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	710-718	17.3	0.1	0.7	1.4	2.6	2.0	3.0	6.3	1.2
Congenital anomalies	740-759	0.3	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	0.1	—
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	780-796	23.2	0.6	2.6	3.0	4.5	2.8	3.6	5.3	1.0
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	23.8	2.0	5.7	4.5	4.2	2.1	2.2	2.6	0.6
Females:										
All causes		67.4	7.0	18.2	6.9	10.9	8.7	12.9	2.7	2.7
All causes except influenza		65.2	6.6	17.5	6.7	10.6	8.5	12.7	2.7	2.7
Infective and parasitic diseases	000-136	3.1	0.5	1.0	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.1
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010-012	0.6	—	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	—	—
Neoplasms	140-239	0.5	—	0.1	0.1	0.1	—	0.1	—	—
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240-279	1.0	—	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.3	—	—
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280-289	0.8	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	—	—
Mental disorders	290-315	9.8	0.4	1.7	1.4	2.4	1.8	1.8	0.3	0.3
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320-389	4.4	0.2	0.6	0.4	1.2	0.7	1.1	0.2	0.2
Diseases of circulatory system	390-458	5.2	—	0.3	0.3	0.8	1.0	2.3	0.5	0.5
Hypertensive disease	400-404	1.4	—	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.7	0.1	0.1
Ischaemic heart disease	410-414	1.1	—	—	—	0.1	0.2	0.6	0.1	0.1
Diseases of respiratory system	460-519	11.0	1.9	3.3	1.0	1.5	1.3	1.7	0.3	0.3
Influenza	470-474	2.2	0.4	0.8	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	—	—
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis	490, 491	3.2	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.6	0.6	0.9	0.2	0.2
Diseases of digestive system	520-577	3.0	0.6	1.0	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.1	0.1
Diseases of genito-urinary system	580-629	3.1	0.4	1.0	0.4	0.6	0.3	0.3	—	—
Diseases of pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium	630-678	5.6	0.6	4.2	0.6	0.1	—	—	—	—
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	680-709	1.1	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	—	—
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710-738	6.8	0.3	0.9	0.6	1.2	1.2	2.2	0.6	0.6
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	710-718	4.9	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.7	0.9	1.9	0.5	0.5
Congenital anomalies	740-759	0.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	780-796	8.2	1.0	2.3	0.9	1.4	1.0	1.3	0.3	0.3
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	3.7	0.6	1.0	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.1	0.1

Source: 2½ per cent sample of claimants.

Note: (a) According to International Classification of Diseases, 1965.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.84

DAYS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY FOR SICKNESS AND INVALIDITY IN THE PERIOD 7 JUNE 1971 TO 3 JUNE 1972, ANALYSED BY CAUSE OF INCAPACITY (a) AND AGE, EXPRESSED AS A RATE PER PERSON OF THE AVERAGE POPULATION AT RISK IN THE RELEVANT SEX AND AGE GROUP

	Detailed list numbers	All ages	Age at 31 May						
			Under 20	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-54	55-59	60-64
Males:									
All causes		15.95	6.18	7.15	9.45	13.10	18.64	25.50	44.88
All causes except influenza		15.41	5.77	6.69	8.85	12.50	18.05	24.95	44.30
Infective and parasitic diseases	000-136	0.59	0.42	0.50	0.51	0.53	0.73	0.61	0.98
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010-012	0.15	0.01	0.02	0.05	0.15	0.32	0.21	0.49
Neoplasms	140-239	0.08	0.01	0.01	0.04	0.05	0.14	0.16	0.29
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240-279	0.19	0.02	0.05	0.07	0.14	0.26	0.40	0.65
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280-289	0.05	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.06	0.09	0.14
Mental disorders	290-315	1.34	0.23	0.69	1.07	1.66	1.90	2.00	2.17
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320-389	1.08	0.13	0.28	0.56	0.87	1.27	1.99	3.59
Diseases of circulatory system	390-458	2.55	0.06	0.09	0.28	1.37	3.22	5.39	11.69
Hypertensive disease	400-404	0.42	0.01	0.01	0.03	0.21	0.57	0.86	1.94
Ischaemic heart disease	410-414	1.10	0.01	0.01	0.06	0.60	1.42	2.38	5.01
Diseases of respiratory system	460-519	3.61	1.63	1.63	1.98	2.58	3.93	6.07	11.07
Influenza	470-474	0.55	0.42	0.46	0.60	0.60	0.59	0.55	0.58
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis	490, 491	1.84	0.22	0.28	0.48	1.11	2.07	3.77	7.67
Diseases of digestive system	520-577	1.03	0.38	0.61	0.86	1.06	1.32	1.31	1.99
Diseases of genito-urinary system	580-629	0.22	0.05	0.09	0.11	0.16	0.24	0.39	0.69
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	680-709	0.29	0.25	0.23	0.25	0.24	0.34	0.31	0.49
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710-738	1.76	0.28	0.54	1.13	1.57	1.99	2.77	5.45
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	710-718	1.15	0.08	0.22	0.47	0.86	1.32	2.05	4.47
Congenital anomalies	740-759	0.02	—	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.05	0.05
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	780-796	1.55	0.61	0.76	1.01	1.46	1.85	2.46	3.77
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	1.58	2.08	1.66	1.53	1.36	1.38	1.50	1.84
Females:									
All causes		15.60	7.62	9.67	16.93	23.37	33.60	43.85	
All causes except influenza		15.10	7.19	9.25	16.26	22.75	32.87	43.23	
Infective and parasitic diseases	000-136	0.73	0.59	0.55	0.69	0.98	1.10	1.51	
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010-012	0.13	0.04	0.03	0.12	0.29	0.29	0.62	
Neoplasms	140-239	0.11	0.03	0.07	0.12	0.22	0.18	0.28	
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	240-279	0.24	0.05	0.06	0.24	0.54	0.64	1.11	
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	280-289	0.18	0.10	0.14	0.18	0.23	0.25	0.61	
Mental disorders	290-315	2.26	0.42	0.92	3.40	5.10	6.82	6.02	
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	320-389	1.01	0.21	0.30	0.96	2.47	2.75	3.82	
Diseases of circulatory system	390-458	1.21	0.05	0.16	0.71	1.65	3.91	7.73	
Hypertensive disease	400-404	0.32	0.02	0.03	0.14	0.41	1.04	2.28	
Ischaemic heart disease	410-414	0.24	—	—	0.04	0.22	0.80	2.05	
Diseases of respiratory system	460-519	2.55	2.12	1.76	2.44	3.17	4.91	5.86	
Influenza	470-474	0.50	0.43	0.42	0.67	0.62	0.73	0.62	
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis	490, 491	0.74	0.22	0.23	0.59	1.27	2.36	3.23	
Diseases of digestive system	520-577	0.71	0.63	0.52	0.62	0.79	1.12	1.67	
Diseases of genito-urinary system	580-629	0.71	0.45	0.54	1.07	1.22	1.30	0.91	
Diseases of pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium	630-675	1.30	0.69	2.25	1.57	0.16	—	—	
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	680-709	0.24	0.25	0.15	0.34	0.26	0.42	0.48	
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710-738	1.58	0.30	0.47	1.41	2.47	4.50	7.44	
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	710-718	1.12	0.14	0.21	0.84	1.56	3.42	6.44	
Congenital anomalies	740-759	0.02	—	0.01	—	0.09	0.07	—	
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	780-796	1.90	1.10	1.25	2.27	3.03	3.69	4.30	
Accidents, poisonings and violence	N800-N999	0.86	0.64	0.55	0.90	0.99	1.93	2.09	

Source: 2½ per cent sample of claimants.

Note: (a) According to International Classification of Diseases, 1965.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.88

AVERAGE NUMBER OF DAYS OF SICKNESS OR INVALIDITY (a) BENEFIT PER INSURED PERSON AT RISK (b) IN STATISTICAL YEAR (c) ANALYSED BY AGE

Age at 31 May	1962/63	1963/64	1964/65	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72
Employed men:										
Observed rate:										
Under 20	4.8	4.8	5.2	5.6	5.5	6.0	6.2	6.3	5.6	5.3
20-24	5.2	5.5	5.5	5.8	5.6	6.3	6.5	7.1	6.2	5.6
25-29	5.8	5.8	5.9	6.5	6.7	7.5	7.5	8.0	7.1	6.7
30-34	7.2	7.2	7.6	8.1	8.0	9.2	9.4	10.1	8.9	8.0
35-39	8.6	8.8	9.1	9.9	9.5	10.4	10.6	11.4	10.0	9.8
40-44	10.5	10.4	10.4	11.2	11.3	12.8	12.8	13.6	11.9	11.2
45-49	11.9	12.2	12.5	13.9	13.4	15.3	15.6	16.5	14.6	14.3
50-54	16.3	16.3	16.5	17.8	17.4	19.4	19.5	20.5	18.5	18.3
55-59	24.3	23.6	24.3	26.0	24.7	27.6	28.4	29.1	26.3	25.4
60-64	41.1	39.9	41.6	44.3	42.4	47.3	47.4	48.5	45.5	45.3
Age standardised rate (d):										
All ages	13.2	13.1	13.4	14.5	14.0	15.7	15.9	16.7	15.0	14.5
Self-employed men:										
Observed rate:										
Under 20	2.0	4.6	5.1	4.0	2.4	2.6	2.2	3.5	2.6	3.8
20-24	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.8	3.8	2.5	3.2	3.2	2.7	3.5
25-29	4.0	3.9	3.3	3.2	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.4	3.0	2.7
30-34	3.7	3.2	3.4	3.7	3.5	4.2	4.0	4.0	3.8	3.6
35-39	4.1	4.8	4.2	5.0	4.5	4.9	4.6	5.2	4.1	4.4
40-44	4.6	5.1	5.6	5.8	5.3	5.4	5.8	5.8	5.0	5.7
45-49	6.1	5.9	6.4	6.4	6.5	7.3	7.4	7.0	6.2	6.4
50-54	9.6	9.4	9.2	9.7	9.2	9.4	9.8	11.6	10.0	10.9
55-59	14.9	14.6	14.6	15.5	16.5	16.9	17.0	16.9	16.4	15.7
60-64	28.3	29.7	28.4	29.6	28.5	29.9	28.9	30.3	28.6	32.1
Age standardised rate (d):										
All ages	10.1	10.2	10.1	10.6	10.4	10.9	10.9	11.4	10.4	11.1
Employed married women:										
Observed rate:										
Under 20	10.8	11.0	12.5	12.4	12.1	12.7	13.1	11.8	11.1	11.0
20-24	9.1	9.7	9.5	9.2	8.6	8.9	8.5	8.6	8.0	7.0
25-29	9.6	9.5	9.4	9.5	8.8	9.6	9.1	8.6	7.7	7.0
30-34	14.2	14.9	14.3	14.6	13.5	14.2	13.5	13.3	13.6	12.1
35-39	20.1	20.3	20.9	21.6	21.5	20.9	20.6	19.9	18.4	16.9
40-44	25.6	27.2	24.1	25.7	26.6	23.8	23.3	24.5	24.8	22.7
45-49	29.4	28.6	31.1	32.7	33.5	27.7	28.9	28.3	25.2	23.8
50-54	34.5	37.6	37.3	36.0	35.0	34.8	35.5	37.0	35.0	34.4
55-59	41.1	43.4	43.9	43.1	44.2	47.6	47.4	47.7	47.5	47.1
Age standardised rate (d):										
All ages	18.2	19.0	19.0	19.0	18.7	18.8	18.5	18.6	17.8	16.8
Other employed women:										
Observed rate:										
Under 20	6.0	6.0	6.3	6.6	6.2	6.8	7.5	7.5	6.8	6.0
20-24	7.0	6.8	7.1	7.1	6.5	7.4	7.3	7.8	6.8	6.6
25-29	8.4	9.0	9.4	10.1	9.2	9.5	9.5	10.4	8.3	7.9
30-34	12.0	12.2	12.1	12.9	12.0	13.0	13.5	14.5	12.4	12.5
35-39	15.8	15.5	16.3	16.0	15.5	17.3	16.6	18.2	15.0	15.7
40-44	18.7	18.2	18.8	18.7	18.4	19.7	20.9	21.1	18.5	18.0
45-49	21.7	23.5	23.2	25.0	24.4	24.7	25.3	25.3	23.0	23.0
50-54	29.5	28.2	29.4	30.3	29.2	33.3	33.4	35.6	33.7	30.7
55-59	34.1	35.2	36.8	39.9	39.9	43.9	41.3	41.6	39.1	40.6
Age standardised rate (d):										
All ages	12.9	13.1	13.5	14.1	13.6	14.9	15.0	15.5	14.0	13.5

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants up to 1968/69; 2½ per cent sample of claimants from 1969/70.

Notes: (a) Invalidity benefit was introduced from 23 September 1971.

(b) Standardised to 52.18 week year.

(c) Starting on first Monday in June.

(d) Standardised to the age distribution of the population at risk for 1962/63.

SICKNESS BENEFIT: TABLE 3.90

PROPORTION OF MALES IN RECEIPT OF AN INCREASE OF SICKNESS OR INVALIDITY BENEFIT (a) IN RESPECT OF ADULT AND CHILD DEPENDANTS AND AVERAGE NUMBER OF DEPENDENT CHILDREN PER FATHER

Age of beneficiary at 31 May	June				
	1963	1967	1971	1972	1973
Percentage with adult dependants					
All ages	49	48	47	50	49
Under 20	1	3	4	2	5
20-24	19	23	25	26	26
25-29	48	48	44	49	48
30-34	56	57	52	51	54
35-39	53	53	49	51	49
40-44	51	49	46	46	45
45-49	49	47	43	46	44
50-54	50	47	42	46	44
55-59	52	49	47	51	50
60-64	56	57	56	59	58
65-69	46	49	57	63	67
Percentage with child dependants					
All ages	27	28	28	28	28
Under 20	1	2	4	3	4
20-24	20	24	26	28	28
25-29	50	53	52	55	55
30-34	62	67	65	70	70
35-39	63	68	69	70	71
40-44	59	60	61	63	63
45-49	45	46	46	45	47
50-54	30	27	30	29	29
55-59	14	14	13	14	14
60-64	5	5	4	4	5
65-69	2	4	2	3	4
Average number of children per father					
All ages	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.2
Under 20	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.3	1.0
20-24	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.5
25-29	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.1
30-34	2.7	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.7
35-39	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.9	2.9
40-44	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6
45-49	2.0	2.2	2.0	2.2	2.2
50-54	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.8
55-59	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.4
60-64	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.4
65-69	1.5	1.4	1.7	1.2	1.2

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants to June 1967; 2½ per cent sample from June 1971.

Note: (a) Invalidity benefit was introduced from 23 September 1971.

INVALIDITY BENEFIT: TABLE 4.01

Note: During continuing incapacity invalidity benefit becomes payable instead of sickness benefit after a certain time if the conditions are satisfied (see Appendix 1, paragraphs 3.3 and 4.1-4.2). As these benefits have much in common, many tables deal with sickness and invalidity together. These combined tables are given in section 3. SICKNESS BENEFIT.

STANDARD RATES OF INVALIDITY PENSION

Date	Personal benefit	Increase for dependant			
		Adult	Child		
			Only, elder or eldest	Second	Each other
	£	£	£	£	£
23 September 1971	6.00	3.70	2.95	2.05	1.95
5 October 1972	6.75	4.15	3.30	2.40	2.30
4 October 1973	7.75	4.75	3.80	2.90	2.80
25 July 1974	10.00	6.00	4.90	4.00	3.90

TABLE 4.02

RATES OF INVALIDITY ALLOWANCE (a)

Date	Higher rate	Middle rate	Lower rate
	£	£	£
23 September 1971	1.00	0.60	0.30
5 October 1972	1.15	0.70	0.35
4 October 1973	1.60	1.00	0.50
25 July 1974	2.05	1.30	0.65

Note: (a) Invalidity allowance is payable with invalidity pension and the rates depend on age when incapacity began:

- Before age 35 Higher rate
- " " 45 Middle rate
- " " 60 for men or 55 for women .. Lower rate

INVALIDITY BENEFIT: TABLE 4.20

APPEALS AND REFERENCES TO LOCAL TRIBUNALS AND APPEALS TO THE COMMISSIONER

	1971 (a)	1972	1973
To Local Tribunals:			
Total appeals and references	64	1,061	1,391
Total appeals	64	1,055	1,380
Decisions in claimant's favour:			
Number	14	204	262
Percentage	22	19	19
Total references	—	6	11
Decisions in claimant's favour:			
Number	—	1	2
Percentage	—	17	18
To the Commissioner:			
Total appeals	—	45	96
Decisions in claimant's favour:			
Number	—	6	10
Percentage	—	13	10

Source: 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) Introduced with effect from 23 September 1971.

TABLE 4.30

PENSIONS CURRENT AT 2 JUNE 1973, ANALYSED BY AGE AT 31 MAY 1973 AND RATE OF INVALIDITY ALLOWANCE

Thousands

Age	All pensions	Weekly invalidity allowance			
		Nil	Lower rate	Middle rate	Higher rate
Males and females	436	80	221	68	67
Males:					
All ages	355	72	189	50	44
Under 30	11	—	—	—	11
30-39	23	—	—	6	17
40-49	47	—	10	28	9
50-59	113	—	94	14	5
60 and over	160	72	84	3	1
Females:					
All ages	81	8	32	18	23
Under 30	7	—	—	—	7
30-39	8	—	—	1	7
40-49	18	—	3	9	6
50 and over	48	8	29	—	4

Source: 2½ per cent sample.

INVALIDITY BENEFIT: TABLE 4.31

PENSION CURRENT AT BEGINNING OF JUNE, ANALYSED BY AGE

Thousands

								1972	1973
Males:									
All ages . . . . .	..	..	..	..	..	..	334	355
Under 20	..	..	..	..	..	..	—	—
20–24	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	3
25–29	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	8
30–34	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	9
35–39	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	13
40–44	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	19
45–49	..	..	..	..	..	..	29	29
50–54	..	..	..	..	..	..	41	47
55–59	..	..	..	..	..	..	65	66
60–64	..	..	..	..	..	..	139	146
65 and over	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	14
Females:									
All ages . . . . .	..	..	..	..	..	..	81	81
Under 20	..	..	..	..	..	..	—	—
20–24	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	3
25–29	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	4
30–34	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	4
35–39	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	5
40–44	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	7
45–49	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	10
50–54	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	18
55–59	..	..	..	..	..	..	29	28
60 and over	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	3

Source: 2½ per cent sample.

INVALIDITY BENEFIT: TABLE 4.40

CLAIMANTS INCAPACITATED AT BEGINNING OF JUNE ANALYSED BY CAUSE OF INCAPACITY (a)

Thousands

	Detailed list numbers	1972	1973
Males:		334	355
All causes	000-136	7	7
Infective and parasitic diseases	010-012	4	4
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	140-239	2	2
Neoplasms	240-279	6	5
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	280-289	—	1
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	290-315	41	43
Mental disorders	320-389	34	36
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	390-458	78	83
Diseases of circulatory system	400-404	13	14
Hypertensive disease	410-414	34	36
Ischaemic heart disease	460-519	66	68
Diseases of respiratory system	490, 491	49	50
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis	520-577	11	13
Diseases of digestive system	580-629	3	3
Diseases of genito-urinary system	680-709	3	4
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	710-738	37	40
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710-718	29	29
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	740-759	1	—
Congenital anomalies	780-796	26	28
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	N800-N999	19	21
Accidents, poisonings and violence			
Females:		81	81
All causes	000-136	3	2
Infective and parasitic diseases	010-012	1	1
Tuberculosis of respiratory system	140-239	1	1
Neoplasms	240-279	1	2
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	280-289	1	1
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	290-315	19	18
Mental disorders	320-389	9	9
Diseases of nervous system and sense organs	390-458	12	12
Diseases of circulatory system	400-404	3	3
Hypertensive disease	410-414	3	3
Ischaemic heart disease	460-519	7	7
Diseases of respiratory system	490, 491	4	4
Bronchitis excluding acute bronchitis	520-577	2	2
Diseases of digestive system	580-629	2	2
Diseases of genito-urinary system	630-678	—	1
Diseases of pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium	680-709	1	1
Diseases of skin and subcutaneous tissue	710-738	12	13
Diseases of musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	710-718	10	10
Arthritis and rheumatism except rheumatic fever	740-759	—	—
Congenital anomalies	780-796	8	8
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	N800-N999	3	2
Accidents, poisonings and violence			

Source: 2½ per cent sample.

Note: (a) According to International Classification of Diseases, 1965.

INVALIDITY BENEFIT: TABLE 4.90

PROPORTION OF MALES IN RECEIPT OF AN INCREASE OF BENEFIT IN
RESPECT OF ADULT AND CHILD DEPENDANTS AND AVERAGE NUMBER OF
DEPENDENT CHILDREN PER FATHER

Age at 31 May	Percentage with adult dependants	Percentage with child dependants	Average number of children per father
June 1972			
All ages	56	19	2.2
Under 20	—	—	—
20—24	33	28	1.4
25—29	36	38	2.4
30—34	45	55	2.8
35—39	52	59	3.2
40—44	48	54	2.9
45—49	49	41	2.4
50—54	49	28	1.8
55—59	55	14	1.5
60—64	62	4	1.3
65—69	68	3	1.3
June 1973			
All ages	55	19	2.3
Under 20	67	67	1.0
20—24	34	33	1.8
25—29	40	43	2.5
30—34	44	51	2.9
35—39	53	61	3.2
40—44	49	52	2.8
45—49	49	43	2.4
50—54	49	27	1.9
55—59	54	14	1.5
60—64	60	5	1.4
65—69	75	3	1.2

Source: 2½ per cent sample.

ATTENDANCE ALLOWANCE: TABLE 5.01

RATES OF ATTENDANCE ALLOWANCE (a)

Date	Higher rate (b)	Lower rate (c)
	£	£
6 December 1971	4.80	.
2 October 1972	5.40	.
4 June 1973	5.40	3.60
1 October 1973	6.20	4.15
22 July 1974	8.00	5.35

Notes: (a) Attendance allowance is paid in respect of any person over the age of 2 who is so severely disabled physically or mentally that he requires from another person:

- By day (i) frequent attention throughout the day in connection with his bodily functions; or
(ii) continual supervision throughout the day in order to avoid substantial danger to himself or others.
- At night (iii) prolonged or repeated attention during the night in connection with his bodily functions; or
(iv) continual supervision throughout the night in order to avoid substantial danger to himself or others.

In the case of a child under the age of 16, there is an additional condition that the attention and/or supervision which he requires must be substantially in excess of that normally required by a child of the same age and sex.

(b) This rate applies if one of the day requirements **and** one of the night requirements at (a) are satisfied.

(c) This rate applies to a person who satisfies any one of the four medical conditions at (a). The rate was introduced by stages as follows:—

Person born in 1908—1956 inclusive .. .. .	.. .. .	from 4 June 1973
Person born after 1956 .. .. .	.. .. .	from 1 October 1973
Person born before 1908 .. .. .	.. .. .	from 3 December 1973

TABLE 5.20

APPEALS AND REFERENCES TO LOCAL TRIBUNALS AND APPEALS TO THE COMMISSIONER

	1971 (a)	1972	1973
To Local Tribunals:			
Total appeals and references	3	31	45
Total appeals	3	31	45
Decisions in claimant's favour:			
Number	1	—	4
Percentage	33	—	9
Total references	—	—	—
Decisions in claimant's favour:			
Number	—	—	—
Percentage	—	—	—
To the Commissioner:			
Total appeals	—	3	7
Decisions in claimant's favour:			
Number	—	—	3
Percentage	—	—	43

Source: 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) Introduced with effect from 6 December 1971.

ATTENDANCE ALLOWANCE: TABLE 5.22

APPLICATION FOR REVIEW BY THE ATTENDANCE ALLOWANCE BOARD

Applications	1972	1973
Total	20,450	10,250
Successful		
Higher rate	8,470	4,110
Lower rate (a)	240(b)	2,690
Unsuccessful (Including applications withdrawn etc.)	11,740	3,450

Source: 100 per cent count

Notes (a) This rate was introduced by stages as follows:—

Person born in 1908—1956 inclusive	from 4 June 1973
Person born after 1956	from 1 October 1973
Person born before 1908	from 3 December 1973

(b) Claims were accepted for the first stage from 15 November 1972.

ATTENDANCE ALLOWANCE: TABLE 5.30

ALLOWANCES CURRENT AT END OF YEAR, ANALYSED BY SEX AND AGE

	Number		
	Higher rate		Lower rate (a)
	1972	1973	1973
Males			
All ages	34,433	42,909	19,855
2-4	2,211	2,356	1,391
5-9	5,201	5,799	1,706
10-15	3,936	4,630	1,739
16-19	1,435	1,659	1,048
20-29	2,342	2,738	1,959
30-39	1,343	1,589	994
40-49	1,628	1,938	1,056
50-59	2,891	3,599	2,035
60-64	2,698	3,465	1,938
65-69	3,020	4,257	1,712
70-74	2,529	3,614	1,463
75-79	1,912	2,721	1,076
80 and over	3,287	4,544	1,738
Females			
All ages	50,768	64,625	24,770
2-4	1,857	2,254	1,174
5-9	4,029	4,483	1,240
10-15	2,963	3,473	1,432
16-19	1,171	1,374	901
20-29	2,110	2,442	1,907
30-39	1,498	1,737	1,119
40-49	2,060	2,400	1,205
50-59	3,604	4,320	1,989
60-64	2,681	3,283	1,612
65-69	3,435	4,577	1,624
70-74	3,853	5,220	1,778
75-79	4,545	6,184	2,072
80 and over	16,962	22,878	6,717

Source: 100 per cent count

Note: (a) The lower rate allowance was introduced in 1973

MATERNITY BENEFIT: TABLE 7.01

STANDARD RATES OF MATERNITY BENEFIT

Date	Maternity grant	Maternity allowance					
		Personal benefit	Increase for dependant				
			Adult	Child			
				Only, elder or eldest	Second	Third	Each other
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
5 July 1948	4.00(a)	1.80(b)	.	.	.	.	.
26 October 1953	9.00	1.625(c)	1.075	0.525	0.125	0.125	0.125
16 May 1955	10.00	2.00	1.25	0.575	0.175	0.175	0.175
3 February 1958	12.50	2.50	1.50	0.75	0.35	0.35	0.35
3 April 1961	14.00	2.875	1.75	0.875	0.475	0.475	0.475
11 March 1963	16.00	3.375	2.075	1.00	0.60	0.60	0.60
25 January 1965	22.00	4.00	2.50	1.125	0.725	0.725	0.725
30 October 1967 (d) ..	22.00	4.50	2.80	1.25	0.85	0.85	0.60
8 April 1968 (d)	22.00	4.50	2.80	1.40	0.65	0.55	0.55
7 October 1968 (d) ..	22.00	4.50	2.80	1.40	0.50	0.40	0.40
3 November 1969	25.00	5.00	3.10	1.55	0.65	0.55	0.55
20 September 1971 ..	25.00	6.00	3.70	1.85	0.95	0.85	0.85
2 October 1972	25.00	6.75	4.15	2.10	1.20	1.10	1.10
1 October 1973	25.00	7.35	4.55	2.30	1.40	1.30	1.30
22 July 1974	25.00	8.60	5.30	2.70	1.80	1.70	1.70

- Notes: (a) This maternity grant was normally supplemented by an attendance allowance of £1.00 per week for four weeks.
 (b) The award of benefit was related to the work record of the woman and the standard period for which the benefit was payable was 13 weeks.
 (c) The basis of the award of benefit was changed—(i) it became based on the contribution record of the woman and—(ii) the standard period for which the benefit is payable became 18 weeks.
 (d) Reduction in rates for certain children accompanied increase in family allowance.

TABLE 7.05

AWARDS IN 12 MONTHS ENDED 31 MARCH

	Thousands									
	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All women:										
Maternity grants:										
Awards	920	941	924	910	879	869	822	825	822	726
Grants (a)	929	951	933	919	887	877	829	833	829	733
Maternity allowance ..	217	234	245	250	245	243	233	241	247	222
Married women:										
Maternity grants:										
Awards	882	899	881	866	834	825	782	787	783	694
Grants (a)	891	909	889	874	842	833	789	794	790	700
Maternity allowance ..	187	200	210	213	209	209	203	211	217	198
Other women:										
Maternity grants:										
Awards	38	42	43	44	45	44	39	39	39	32
Grants (a)	38	42	43	45	46	44	40	39	39	33
Maternity allowance ..	30	34	35	37	36	34	31	29	29	24

Source: 1 in 24 sample.

Note: (a) A multiple birth gives rise to more than one grant.

MATERNITY BENEFIT: TABLE 7.20

APPEALS AND REFERENCES TO LOCAL TRIBUNALS AND APPEALS TO THE COMMISSIONER

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
To Local Tribunals:										
Total appeals and references	2,473	1,388	821	796	495	428	428	433	491	407
Total appeals	2,472	1,386	821	792	493	424	426	430	490	403
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	188	107	98	76	47	44	45	46	49	44
Percentage	8	8	12	10	10	10	11	11	10	11
Total references	1	2	—	4	2	4	2	3	1	4
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	1	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	1
Percentage	100	—	—	25	—	25	—	33	—	25
To the Commissioner:										
Total appeals	109	77	41	28	37	34	38	30	34	29
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	4	4	8	4	5	6	6	5	7	3
Percentage	4	5	20	14	14	18	16	17	21	10

Source: 100 per cent count.

DEATH GRANT: TABLE 8.01

STANDARD RATES OF DEATH GRANT

Date	Age at date of death				
	18 and over		6-17 inclusive	3-5 inclusive	Under 3
	Aged-55/64 (men) or 50/59 (women) on 4 July 1948	Others (a)			
	£	£	£	£	£
5 July 1949 (b)	10.00	20.00	15.00	10.00	6.00
27 January 1958	12.50	25.00	18.75	12.50	7.50
30 October 1967	15.00	30.00	22.50	15.00	9.00

Notes: (a) Death grant is not payable in respect of the death of a person who on 4 July 1948 was aged 65 or over (man) or 60 or over (woman).
 (b) Original rates—death grant only payable for deaths occurring on or after 5 July 1949.

TABLE 8.05

GRANTS PAID IN YEAR, ANALYSED BY AGE OF DECEASED AT DEATH

Age at death	Thousands									
	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972
Males:										
All ages	246	244	256	267	261	284	286	304	299	309
Under 5	13	12	11	11	10	10	10	9	10	8
5-9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
10-19	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	2
20-29	3	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	4
30-39	5	5	5	5	4	4	4	4	4	4
40-49	15	13	14	14	14	14	14	15	14	14
50-54	16	16	17	15	14	15	14	14	14	15
55-59	28	26	25	27	26	25	25	26	24	24
60-64	37	38	37	38	36	39	38	40	38	38
65-69	40	39	43	44	45	48	49	52	50	50
70-74	46	44	44	45	43	47	48	52	50	54
75-79	39	39	41	43	40	46	43	46	44	46
80-84	—	4	11	18	23	30	31	33	34	35
85 and over .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	7	11	15
Females:										
All ages	127	131	140	153	153	174	182	202	211	214
Under 5	9	9	8	8	8	8	7	7	7	6
5-9	1	—	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
10-19	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
20-29	2	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	2	2
30-39	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
40-49	9	9	9	9	9	9	10	10	9	9
50-54	9	9	9	9	9	8	8	8	9	9
55-59	14	13	13	14	13	13	13	14	14	13
60-64	19	19	19	20	19	20	21	21	21	20
65-69	27	26	27	28	27	29	30	31	30	30
70-74	31	33	35	36	35	40	37	40	41	40
75-79	—	6	13	21	28	41	44	49	49	47
80-84 .. ..	.	.	.	.	—	1	6	15	24	34
85 and over .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.

Source: 1 in 12 sample.

DEATH GRANT: TABLE 8.07

GRANTS PAID IN YEAR ANALYSED BY RATE

Thousands

	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972
Males:										
All grants	246	244	256	267	261	284	286	304	299	309
At full rate	141	147	161	170	172	191	202	220	217	236
At less than full rate because:										
Within 10 years of pensionable age at 5.7.1948	85	79	77	78	71	76	67	67	64	58
Under 18 years of age	15	14	13	12	12	12	11	11	11	9
Insufficient contributions	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	4
Combination of age and insufficient contributions	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1
Other reasons	1	1	1	2	1	2	2	2	2	2
Females:										
All grants	127	131	140	153	153	174	182	202	211	214
At full rate	56	59	64	72	73	82	91	103	109	115
At less than full rate because:										
Within 10 years of pensionable age at 5.7.1948	58	59	64	69	68	79	80	88	90	88
Under 18 years of age	10	10	9	9	9	8	8	8	8	7
Insufficient contributions	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2
Combination of age and insufficient contributions	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Other reasons	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	1

Source: 1 in 12 sample.

TABLE 8.20

APPEALS AND REFERENCES TO LOCAL TRIBUNALS AND APPEALS TO THE COMMISSIONER

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
To Local Tribunals:										
Total appeals and references	168	167	166	151	102	78	64	55	60	51
Total appeals	168	167	164	150	102	77	64	55	59	50
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	19	19	15	10	7	5	7	7	4	5
Percentage	11	11	9	7	7	6	11	13	7	10
Total references	—	—	2	1	—	1	—	—	1	1
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Percentage	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
To the Commissioner:										
Total appeals	9	8	10	4	8	4	2	10	5	5
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	1	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Percentage	11	25	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Source: 100 per cent count.

GUARDIAN'S ALLOWANCE AND CHILD'S SPECIAL ALLOWANCE: TABLE 9.01

RATES OF GUARDIAN'S ALLOWANCE AND CHILD'S SPECIAL ALLOWANCE

Date	Guardian's allowance	Child's special allowance			
		First child	Second child	Third child	Each other child
	£	£	£	£	£
5 July 1948	0.60	.	.	.	.
30 August 1951	0.675	.	.	.	.
2 September 1952	0.75	.	.	.	.
25 April 1955	0.90	.	.	.	.
18 November 1957	0.90	0.825(a)	0.425(a)	0.425(a)	0.425(a)
27 January 1958	1.375	1.00(a)	0.60(a)	0.60(a)	0.60(a)
3 April 1961	1.625	1.25	0.85	0.85	0.85
27 May 1963	1.875	1.50	1.10	1.10	1.10
30 March 1964	1.875	1.875	1.475	1.375	1.375
29 March 1965	2.00	2.00	1.60	1.50	1.50
30 October 1967	2.125	2.125	1.725	1.625	1.375(b)
9 April 1968	2.275	2.275	1.525(b)	1.425(b)	1.425(b)
8 October 1968	2.275	2.275	1.375(b)	1.275(b)	1.275(b)
3 November 1969	2.45	2.45	1.55	1.45	1.45
20 September 1971	2.95	2.95	2.05	1.95	1.95
2 October 1972	3.30	3.30	2.40	2.30	2.30
1 October 1973	3.80	3.80	2.90	2.80	2.80
22 July 1974	4.90	4.90	4.00	3.90	3.90

Notes: (a) These were maximum rates. The allowance was payable at a weekly rate equal to the rate of the former husband's contribution to the child's support.
 (b) Reduction in rates for certain children accompanied increase in family allowance.

TABLE 9.20

GUARDIAN'S ALLOWANCE: APPEALS AND REFERENCES TO LOCAL TRIBUNALS AND APPEALS TO THE COMMISSIONER

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
To Local Tribunals:										
Total appeals and references	36	28	25	19	20	15	28	12	22	23
Total appeals	36	28	25	18	19	15	27	12	22	23
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	1	4	6	2	2	1	5	2	2	4
Percentage	3	14	24	11	11	7	19	17	9	17
Total references	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—
Percentage	—	—	—	—	100	—	100	—	—	—
To the Commissioner:										
Total appeals	6	5	—	1	4	6	2	1	2	6
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	2
Percentage	—	—	—	—	25	—	—	—	50	33

Source: 100 per cent count.

GUARDIAN'S ALLOWANCE AND CHILD'S SPECIAL ALLOWANCE: TABLE 9.30

GUARDIAN'S ALLOWANCE IN PAYMENT AT 31 DECEMBER, ANALYSED BY AGE OF CHILD

Age	Number									
	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972
All ages ..	4,995	4,884	4,946	4,843	4,805	4,821	4,962	4,997	5,022	5,116
Under 1	4	1	5	10	2	8	6	16	6	2
1 ..	17	14	17	17	24	15	22	36	16	12
2 ..	19	25	31	37	29	39	30	47	26	27
3 ..	39	32	42	41	52	43	53	70	41	38
4 ..	42	62	53	56	54	75	67	86	66	58
5 ..	85	67	78	72	78	74	98	132	96	89
6 ..	95	110	107	101	94	110	103	137	135	125
7 ..	144	122	157	142	152	140	157	206	178	183
8 ..	157	184	154	204	191	202	177	227	197	236
9 ..	229	198	255	207	263	249	268	332	285	264
10 ..	318	294	271	334	265	320	314	373	304	370
11 ..	399	383	391	356	417	353	417	531	431	408
12 ..	521	499	501	498	461	530	474	587	479	523
13 ..	735	676	672	615	625	582	655	804	666	604
14 ..	943	914	865	845	768	761	746	584	740	815
15 ..	690	644	639	579	578	589	579	356	624	623
16 ..	347	330	337	277	330	334	361	272	329	360
17 ..	205	209	221	313	251	225	260	184	234	232
18 ..	6	120	150	139	171	172	175	17	169	147

Source: 100 per cent count.

TABLE 9.35

CHILD'S SPECIAL ALLOWANCE IN PAYMENT AT 31 DECEMBER, ANALYSED BY NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN FAMILY

	Number									
	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972
Total number of families receiving allowance ..	239	276	289	311	343	370	389	439	464	463
Number of families with:										
1 child	157	184	183	201	229	235	233	243	257	244
2 children	57	63	77	81	73	89	101	139	137	140
3 children	21	19	22	22	30	37	43	42	46	60
4 children	4	9	6	5	8	5	8	11	19	15
5 children	—	1	1	2	3	3	3	2	1	2
6 or more children ..	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	2	4	2
Total number of children ..	350	408	432	459	512	565	617	714	776	786

Source: 100 per cent count.

WIDOW'S BENEFIT: TABLE 11.01

STANDARD RATES OF WIDOW'S BENEFIT

Date	Widow's allowance				
	Personal (a)	First child	Second child	Third child	Each other child
	£	£	£	£	£
6 July 1948	1.80	0.375	.	.	.
4 September 1951	1.80	0.50	0.125	0.125	0.125
29 July 1952	2.125	0.525	0.125	0.125	0.125
26 April 1955	2.75	0.575	0.175	0.175	0.175
2 October 1956	2.75	0.825	0.425	0.425	0.425
28 January 1958	3.50	1.00	0.60	0.60	0.60
4 April 1961	4.00	1.25	0.85	0.85	0.85
28 May 1963	4.75	1.50	1.10	1.10	1.10
31 March 1964	4.75	1.875	1.475	1.375	1.375
30 March 1965	5.625	2.00	1.60	1.50	1.50
31 October 1967 (b)	6.35	2.125	1.725	1.625	1.375
9 April 1968 (b)	6.35	2.275	1.525	1.425	1.425
8 October 1968 (b)	6.35	2.275	1.375	1.275	1.275
4 November 1969	7.00	2.45	1.55	1.45	1.45
21 September 1971	8.40	2.95	2.05	1.95	1.95
2 October 1972	9.45	3.30	2.40	2.30	2.30
1 October 1973	10.85	3.80	2.90	2.80	2.80
22 July 1974	14.00	4.90	4.00	3.90	3.90

Date	Widowed mother's allowance			Widow's pension	Widow's basic pension
	Without increases for children	With increases for children			
		Personal (c)	First child (d)		
	£	£	£	£	£
6 July 1948 .. ..	.	1.675	.	1.30	0.50
4 September 1951 .. ..	.	2.00	.	1.30	0.50
29 July 1952 .. ..	.	2.15	.	1.625	0.50
26 April 1955 .. ..	.	2.575	.	2.00	0.50
21 August 1956	2.00	2.575	.	2.00	0.50
2 October 1956	2.00	2.825	.	2.00	0.50
28 January 1958	2.50	3.50	.	2.50	0.50
4 April 1961	2.875	4.125	.	2.875	0.50
28 May 1963	3.375	4.875	.	3.375	0.50
31 March 1964	3.375	3.375	1.875	3.375	0.50
30 March 1965	4.00	4.00	2.00	4.00	1.50
31 October 1967	4.50	4.50	2.125	4.50	1.50
9 April 1968	4.50	4.50	2.275	4.50	1.50
4 November 1969	5.00	5.00	2.45	5.00	1.50
21 September 1971	6.00	6.00	2.95	6.00	1.80
2 October 1972	6.75	6.75	3.30	6.75	2.03
1 October 1973	7.75	7.75	3.80	7.75	2.33
22 July 1974	10.00	10.00	4.90	10.00	3.00

- Notes: (a) A widow's supplementary allowance may be payable depending on the earnings of her late husband.
 (b) Reduction in rates for certain children accompanied increase in family allowance.
 (c) Includes addition for first child up to 30 March 1964.
 (d) Additions for two or more children same as for widow's allowance.

WIDOW'S BENEFIT: TABLE 11.02

STANDARD RATES OF WIDOW'S BENEFIT: AGE-RELATED WIDOW'S PENSION

Date	Age-related widow's pension									
	Age of widow at husband's death or when widowed mother's allowance ceased									
	49	48	47	46	45	44	43	42	41	40
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
5 April 1971	4.65	4.30	3.95	3.60	3.25	2.90	2.55	2.20	1.85	1.50
21 September 1971	5.58	5.16	4.74	4.32	3.90	3.48	3.06	2.64	2.22	1.80
2 October 1972	6.28	5.81	5.33	4.86	4.39	3.92	3.44	2.97	2.50	2.03
1 October 1973	7.21	6.67	6.12	5.58	5.04	4.50	3.95	3.41	2.87	2.33
22 July 1974	9.30	8.60	7.90	7.20	6.50	5.80	5.10	4.40	3.70	3.00

TABLE 11.20

APPEALS AND REFERENCES TO LOCAL TRIBUNALS AND APPEALS TO THE COMMISSIONER

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
To Local Tribunals:										
Total appeals and references	570	564	494	394	230	217	230	203	310	259
Total appeals	566	559	493	392	225	211	221	191	306	257
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	139	125	100	109	36	40	31	44	70	59
Percentage	25	22	20	28	16	19	14	23	23	23
Total references	4	5	1	2	5	6	9	12	4	2
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	1	2	—	1	2	1	4	4	3	—
Percentage	25	40	—	50	40	17	44	33	75	—
To the Commissioner:										
Total appeals	44	40	33	33	26	25	30	33	32	45
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	11	8	3	9	3	9	3	11	9	16
Percentage	25	20	9	27	12	36	10	33	28	36

Source: 100 per cent count.

WIDOW'S BENEFIT: TABLE 11.30

WIDOW'S BENEFIT (EXCLUDING WIDOW'S ALLOWANCE) IN PAYMENT, ANALYSED BY COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE

Thousands

	December							November		
	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All widow's benefit:										
All countries	596	593	580	568	560	551	542	564	556	542
England	489	486	475	466	463	456	448	464	457	436
Wales	37	37	37	34	33	32	32	34	33	32
Scotland	70	70	68	67	64	63	62	66	65	62
Overseas (a)										13
Widowed mother's allowance—with dependent children:										
All countries	106	104	100	99	99	100	100	100	98	101
England	84	82	80	80	81	82	82	82	81	80
Wales	7	8	7	5	5	5	5	5	5	6
Scotland	14	15	13	13	12	12	12	12	12	13
Overseas (a)										2
Widowed mother's allowance—without dependent children:										
All countries	51	50	44	41	38	36	35	35	35	30
England	41	41	35	32	30	28	28	28	28	23
Wales	2	2	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	2
Scotland	7	7	7	6	5	5	5	5	5	4
Overseas (a)										1
Widow's pension:										
All countries	362	363	360	354	348	339	331	329	320	307
England	298	299	297	291	288	281	274	271	264	247
Wales	22	22	22	21	21	20	20	20	19	19
Scotland	42	41	42	42	40	39	38	38	37	34
Overseas (a)										7
Age-related widow's pension:										
All countries .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	94	98	100
England .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	78	81	81
Wales .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	6	6
Scotland .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11	11	11
Overseas (a)										2
Widow's basic pension:										
All countries	77	76	76	75	75	76	76	7	6	5
England	65	64	63	63	64	65	65	6	5	4
Wales	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	1	—	—
Scotland	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	1	1	—
Overseas (a)										—

Source: 10 per cent sample.

Note: (a) Prior to 1973, overseas figures were included in England figures

WIDOW'S BENEFIT: TABLE 11.34

WIDOW'S BENEFIT (EXCLUDING WIDOW'S ALLOWANCE) IN PAYMENT, ANALYSED BY TYPE OF BENEFIT AND AGE OF WIDOW

	Units	December							November		
		1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All widow's benefit (excluding widow's allowance)											
All ages	Thousands	596	593	580	568	560	551	542	564	556	542
Under 30	Thousands	3	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
	Per cent	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
30-39	Thousands	19	19	18	18	18	17	17	17	17	16
	Per cent	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
40-49	Thousands	88	87	83	84	85	84	78	86	84	82
	Per cent	15	15	14	15	15	15	14	15	15	15
50-59	Thousands	317	317	308	301	295	290	287	312	309	306
	Per cent	53	53	53	53	53	53	53	55	56	56
60 and over ..	Thousands	169	167	168	162	159	156	158	146	143	136
	Per cent	28	28	29	28	28	28	29	26	26	25
Widowed mother's allowance – with dependent children											
All ages	Thousands	106	104	100	99	99	100	100	100	98	101
Under 30	Thousands	3	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
	Per cent	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	4	3
30-39	Thousands	18	18	17	17	17	17	16	16	16	16
	Per cent	17	17	17	17	17	17	16	17	17	16
40-49	Thousands	47	46	45	45	46	47	45	46	44	45
	Per cent	44	44	45	46	47	47	45	46	45	44
50-59	Thousands	35	34	33	31	30	31	33	32	32	35
	Per cent	34	33	33	32	31	31	33	32	33	35
60 and over ..	Thousands	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
	Per cent	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Widowed mother's allowance – without dependent children											
All ages	Thousands	51	50	44	41	38	36	35	35	35	30
30-39	Thousands	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Per cent	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	2
40-49	Thousands	14	14	12	12	11	11	10	10	10	8
	Per cent	27	27	28	29	29	30	30	28	27	28
50-59	Thousands	32	31	27	25	22	21	20	21	21	18
	Per cent	62	62	61	60	59	58	59	61	62	61
60 and over ..	Thousands	4	5	4	4	4	4	3	3	3	3
	Per cent	9	9	10	9	10	10	10	9	9	9

WIDOW'S BENEFIT: TABLE 11.34 (continued)

WIDOW'S BENEFIT (EXCLUDING WIDOW'S ALLOWANCE) IN PAYMENT, ANALYSED BY TYPE OF BENEFIT AND AGE OF WIDOW

	Units	December					November				
		1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Widow's pension											
All ages	Thousands	362	363	360	354	348	339	331	329	320	307
40-49	Thousands	7	6	5	5	4	4	3	2	2	2
	Per cent	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
50-59	Thousands	193	197	194	193	191	186	179	189	185	180
	Per cent	53	54	54	55	55	55	54	58	58	59
60 and over ..	Thousands	162	160	161	156	153	149	149	137	133	125
	Per cent	45	44	45	44	44	44	45	42	42	41
Age-related widow's pension											
All ages	Thousands	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	94	98	100
40-49	Thousands	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	27	27	26
	Per cent	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	28	28	26
50-59	Thousands	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	64	66	69
	Per cent	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	68	68	68
60 and over ..	Thousands	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	4	5
	Per cent	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	4	5
Widow's basic pension											
All ages	Thousands	77	76	76	75	75	76	76	7	6	5
30-39	Thousands	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Per cent	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
40-49	Thousands	20	21	21	22	23	22	19	1	1	1
	Per cent	26	28	28	30	31	29	25	23	20	17
50-59	Thousands	57	55	54	53	52	54	57	5	5	4
	Per cent	73	72	71	70	69	71	75	77	80	82

Source: 10 per cent sample.

TABLE 11.38

WIDOWED MOTHER'S ALLOWANCE WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN IN PAYMENT AT 30 NOVEMBER 1973, ANALYSED BY AGE OF WIDOW AND NUMBER OF INCREASES FOR CHILDREN

Age of widow	All widowed mother's allowance	Total children	Widows with increases for					
			1 child	2 children	3 children	4 children	5 children	6 or more children
All ages	101	165	61	25	10	4	1	1
Under 30	3	6	2	1	—	—	—	—
30-39	16	37	4	6	3	1	1	—
40-49	45	76	25	13	5	2	1	—
50-59	35	44	28	5	1	—	—	—
60 and over ..	2	2	2	—	—	—	—	—

Source: 10 per cent sample.

WIDOW'S BENEFIT: TABLE 11.39

WIDOWED MOTHER'S ALLOWANCE: AVERAGE NUMBER OF DEPENDENT CHILDREN PER WIDOWED MOTHER, ANALYSED BY AGE OF MOTHER

Age of widowed mother	December								November	
	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All ages	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6
Under 30	1.8	1.8	2.2	2.2	2.2	1.9	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.0
30-39	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.1	2.2	2.1	2.3
40-49	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.7
50-59	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.3
60 and over	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.0

Source: 10 per cent sample.

TABLE 11.42

WIDOW'S BENEFIT (EXCLUDING WIDOW'S ALLOWANCE) IN PAYMENT AT 30 NOVEMBER 1973, ANALYSED BY RATE OF FLAT-RATE PERSONAL BENEFIT

Rate of flat-rate personal benefit	All widow's benefit	Widowed mother's allowance		Widow's pension	Age-related widow's pension (b)	Widow's basic pension
		With dependent children	Without dependent children			
£						
All rates	544	101	30	307	101	6
7.75	394	84	26	285	.	.
7.00-7.74	35	7	2	9	18	.
6.50-6.99	22	2	1	3	17	.
6.00-6.49	18	1	—	2	15	.
5.50-5.99	15	1	—	1	13	.
5.00-5.49	13	1	—	1	10	.
4.50-4.99	9	—	—	—	8	.
4.00-4.49	4	1	—	1	1	.
3.50-3.99	9	1	—	1	7	.
3.00-3.49	7	1	—	1	5	—
Under 3.00	17	2	—	3	8	5

Source: 10 per cent sample.

Notes: (a) Excludes additions for dependent children.
 (b) Includes 1,000 with age-related widow's retirement pension.

WIDOW'S BENEFIT: TABLE 11.50

WIDOW BENEFICIARIES LIVING OUTSIDE THE UNITED KINGDOM AT 31 DECEMBER, ANALYSED BY COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE

Thousands

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All countries	9.7	10.4	11.3	11.8	12.0	12.6	12.4	13.1	14.3	14.2
Channel Islands	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Canada	1.5	1.5	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.5
Australia	2.4	2.7	3.1	3.3	3.6	3.9	3.9	4.3	4.6	4.5
New Zealand	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
Kenya	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rhodesia	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Irish Republic	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.9	1.9
France	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Federal Republic of Germany	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5
Italy	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3
South Africa	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.4
USA	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.2
Rest of the World	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.9	2.1

Source: 100 per cent count.

RETIREMENT PENSION: TABLE 13.01

STANDARD RATES OF RETIREMENT PENSION

Date (a)	Man or woman on own insurance		Married woman on husband's insurance or adult dependant		Increases for child(ren)			
					Only, elder or eldest	Second	Third	Each other
	£		£	£	£	£	£	
5 July 1948	1.30		0.80	0.375				
3 September 1951 (b)	1.50		1.00	0.50	0.125	0.125	0.125	
29 September 1952	1.625		1.075	0.525	0.125	0.125	0.125	
25 April 1955	2.00		1.25	0.575	0.175	0.175	0.175	
27 January 1958	2.50		1.50	0.75	0.35	0.35	0.35	
3 April 1961	2.875		1.75	0.875	0.475	0.475	0.475	
27 May 1963	3.375		2.075	1.00	0.60	0.60	0.60	
29 March 1965	4.00		2.50	1.125	0.725	0.725	0.725	
30 October 1967 (c)	4.50		2.80	1.25	0.85	0.85	0.60	
9 April 1968 (c)	4.50		2.80	1.40	0.65	0.55	0.55	
8 October 1968 (c)	4.50		2.80	1.40	0.50	0.40	0.40	
3 November 1969	5.00		3.10	1.55	0.65	0.55	0.55	
		Under age 80	Aged 80 and over	Under age 80	Aged 80 and over			
	£	£	£	£				
20 September 1971	6.00	6.25	3.70	3.95	2.95	2.05	1.95	
2 October 1972	6.75	7.00	4.15	4.40	3.30	2.40	2.30	
1 October 1973	7.75	8.00	4.75	5.00	3.80	2.90	2.80	
22 July 1974	10.00	10.25	6.00	6.25	4.90	4.00	3.90	

Notes: (a) Rates payable from date shown or from following pay day.
 (b) 3 September 1951 for men aged 70 and over and women aged 65 and over on that date; for men aged 65 but under 70 and women aged 60 but under 65 on that date the increased rates applied from 1 October 1951.
 (c) Reduction in rates for certain children accompanied increase in family allowance.

TABLE 13.02

RATES OF INCREMENTS FOR DEFERRED RETIREMENT

Date from which contributions paid	Man or woman on own insurance		Married woman on husband's insurance	
	Number of contributions per increment	Weekly rate of increments	Number of contributions per increment	Weekly rate of increments
5 July 1948	25	p	25	p
16 July 1951	25	5	25	5
3 August 1959	12	7½	12	5
30 October 1967	9	5	9	2½
20 September 1971	9	5	9	2½
		6	9	3

Note: For rate of Graduated Pension see Appendix 1, paragraph 13.7.

RETIREMENT PENSION: TABLE 13.03

STANDARD RATES OF OLD PERSON'S PENSION

Date	Man or woman (excluding married woman)	Married woman
	£	£
2 November 1970	3.00	1.85
20 September 1971	3.60	2.20
2 October 1972	4.05	2.50
1 October 1973	4.65	2.85
22 July 1974	6.00	3.70

TABLE 13.20

APPEALS AND REFERENCES TO LOCAL TRIBUNALS AND APPEALS TO THE COMMISSIONER

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
To Local Tribunals:										
Total appeals and references	1,736	1,719	1,690	1,335	841	632	826	668	734	639
Total appeals	1,732	1,713	1,682	1,332	832	626	823	663	728	634
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	375	356	279	204	118	105	109	79	139	183
Percentage	22	21	17	15	14	17	13	12	19	29
Total references	4	6	8	3	9	6	3	5	6	5
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	2	1	1	—	4	2	—	—	3	2
Percentage	50	17	13	—	44	33	—	—	50	40
To the Commissioner:										
Total appeals	182	185	160	147	105	106	103	144	89	113
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	33	34	17	32	28	28	10	27	30	27
Percentage	18	18	11	22	27	26	10	19	34	24

Source: 100 per cent count.

RETIREMENT PENSION: TABLE 13.30

RETIREMENT PENSION (a) IN PAYMENT, ANALYSED BY COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE

Thousands

	December							November		
	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969(b)	1970(b)	1971	1972	1973
Men and women:										
All countries	6,158	6,357	6,540	6,769	6,973	7,170	7,363	7,515	7,668	7,824
England	5,309	5,483	5,635	5,846	6,028	6,198	6,372	6,505	6,634	6,577
Wales	315	320	332	338	344	351	357	363	371	412
Scotland	535	554	573	585	601	621	634	646	664	699
Overseas (c)										136
Men:										
All countries	2,048	2,121	2,192	2,291	2,373	2,462	2,554	2,591	2,654	2,720
England	1,756	1,819	1,879	1,972	2,046	2,126	2,212	2,245	2,301	2,291
Wales	117	117	121	124	126	128	130	130	132	144
Scotland	176	185	192	196	202	208	212	215	221	236
Overseas (c)										47
All women:										
All countries	4,110	4,236	4,348	4,478	4,600	4,707	4,808	4,923	5,014	5,104
England	3,553	3,664	3,757	3,875	3,982	4,072	4,160	4,260	4,337	4,286
Wales	199	203	211	214	218	223	227	233	238	267
Scotland	358	369	381	389	398	412	421	430	438	462
Overseas (c)										89
Women on own insurance:										
All countries	1,654	1,724	1,788	1,858	1,917	1,960	1,999	2,021	2,024	2,024
England	1,446	1,504	1,558	1,618	1,666	1,702	1,734	1,750	1,752	1,698
Wales	61	63	68	70	75	77	78	81	81	89
Scotland	147	156	163	170	175	181	187	190	192	199
Overseas (c)										38
Wives on husband's insurance:										
All countries	1,124	1,167	1,209	1,258	1,306	1,351	1,396	1,453	1,494	1,533
England	965	1,003	1,038	1,080	1,125	1,165	1,205	1,258	1,293	1,292
Wales	65	67	69	73	74	74	75	76	77	87
Scotland	94	98	102	105	107	112	116	119	123	127
Overseas (c)										27
Widows on husband's insurance:										
All countries	1,332	1,345	1,352	1,362	1,377	1,395	1,415	1,450	1,496	1,548
England	1,142	1,157	1,161	1,177	1,191	1,205	1,221	1,252	1,292	1,296
Wales	73	73	74	71	69	71	73	76	79	92
Scotland	117	115	116	114	116	119	121	122	124	136
Overseas (c)										24

Source: See Appendix 3.

Notes: (a) Excluding old person's pension.

(b) Estimated.

(c) Prior to 1973, overseas figures were included in England figures.

RETIREMENT PENSION: TABLE 13.31

OLD PERSON'S PENSION IN PAYMENT, ANALYSED BY COUNTRY (a) OF RESIDENCE

Thousands

			December		November	
			1970	1971	1972	1973
Men and Women:						
Great Britain	..	..	123	132	125	112
England	..	..	106	115	108	97
Wales	..	..	6	6	6	6
Scotland	..	..	10	11	10	10
Men:						
Great Britain	..	..	13	20	16	16
England	..	..	11	17	14	13
Wales	..	..	1	1	1	1
Scotland	..	..	1	2	1	2
Women:						
Great Britain	..	..	110	112	109	96
England	..	..	95	97	94	83
Wales	..	..	5	5	5	5
Scotland	..	..	9	9	9	8

Source: See Appendix 3.

Note: (a) Estimated figures for England, Wales and Scotland up to 1972

RETIREMENT PENSION: TABLE 13.34

RETIREMENT PENSION (a) IN PAYMENT, ANALYSED BY CATEGORY AND AGE OF PENSIONER

	Units	December							November		
		1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969(b)	1970(b)	1971	1972	1973
Men and women											
All ages	Thousands	6,158	6,357	6,540	6,769	6,973	7,170	7,363	7,515	7,668	7,824
60-64	Thousands	687	707	722	737	751	758	763	792	807	795
	Per cent	11	11	11	11	11	11	10	11	11	10
65-69	Thousands	1,856	1,927	1,997	2,088	2,168	2,227	2,287	2,328	2,383	2,396
	Per cent	30	30	30	31	31	31	31	31	31	31
70-74	Thousands	1,687	1,732	1,760	1,791	1,817	1,852	1,904	1,962	2,005	2,067
	Per cent	27	27	27	26	26	26	26	26	26	26
75-79	Thousands	1,099	1,123	1,160	1,206	1,243	1,276	1,310	1,317	1,330	1,366
	Per cent	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	17	17
80-84	Thousands	571	593	615	645	673	698	716	727	750	781
	Per cent	9	9	9	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
85-89	Thousands	205	218	225	236	252	278	301	304	305	324
	Per cent	3	3	3	3	4	4	4	4	4	4
90 and over ..	Thousands	53	57	60	66	70	80	82	86	87	95
	Per cent	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Men											
All ages	Thousands	2,048	2,121	2,192	2,291	2,373	2,462	2,554	2,591	2,654	2,720
65-69	Thousands	705	747	796	860	911	953	990	1,000	1,030	1,038
	Per cent	34	35	36	38	38	39	39	39	39	38
70-74	Thousands	670	685	689	699	711	729	764	789	819	859
	Per cent	33	32	31	30	30	30	30	30	31	32
75-79	Thousands	409	414	425	438	443	456	463	465	465	470
	Per cent	20	20	19	19	19	19	18	18	18	17
80-84	Thousands	191	196	201	210	219	227	233	234	238	239
	Per cent	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9
85-89	Thousands	62	66	66	68	72	78	86	84	83	94
	Per cent	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
90 and over ..	Thousands	13	14	14	16	17	19	19	19	19	20
	Per cent	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
All women											
All ages	Thousands	4,110	4,236	4,348	4,478	4,600	4,707	4,808	4,923	5,014	5,104
60-64	Thousands	687	707	722	737	751	758	763	792	807	795
	Per cent	17	17	17	16	16	16	16	16	16	16
65-69	Thousands	1,151	1,180	1,201	1,228	1,257	1,275	1,297	1,327	1,354	1,357
	Per cent	28	28	28	27	27	27	27	27	27	27
70-74	Thousands	1,018	1,047	1,071	1,092	1,106	1,122	1,140	1,174	1,186	1,208
	Per cent	25	25	25	24	24	24	24	24	24	24
75-79	Thousands	690	709	735	768	799	820	847	851	866	896
	Per cent	17	17	17	17	17	17	18	17	17	18
80-84	Thousands	381	397	415	435	454	471	483	493	512	542
	Per cent	9	9	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	11
85-89	Thousands	144	152	159	168	180	200	216	220	222	231
	Per cent	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	5
90 and over ..	Thousands	40	43	45	50	53	60	63	66	68	75
	Per cent	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

RETIREMENT PENSION: TABLE 13.34 (continued)

RETIREMENT PENSION (a) IN PAYMENT, ANALYSED BY CATEGORY AND AGE OF PENSIONER

	Units	December							November		
		1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969(b)	1970(b)	1971	1972	1973
Women on own insurance											
All ages	Thousands	1,654	1,724	1,788	1,858	1,917	1,960	1,999	2,021	2,024	2,024
60-64	Thousands	393	399	405	411	410	409	403	397	376	344
	Per cent	24	23	23	22	21	21	20	20	19	17
65-69	Thousands	513	546	575	597	603	600	598	598	597	578
	Per cent	31	32	32	32	31	31	30	30	29	29
70-74	Thousands	389	384	381	390	413	437	463	485	501	501
	Per cent	24	22	21	21	22	22	23	24	25	25
75-79	Thousands	225	248	270	292	303	299	297	291	288	317
	Per cent	14	14	15	16	16	15	15	14	14	16
80-84	Thousands	96	105	112	121	133	155	165	174	184	197
	Per cent	6	6	6	7	7	8	8	9	9	10
85-89	Thousands	31	33	35	37	44	49	58	61	63	68
	Per cent	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3
90 and over ..	Thousands	8	8	9	10	11	12	14	15	16	19
	Per cent	-	-	-	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Wives on husband's insurance											
All ages	Thousands	1,124	1,167	1,209	1,258	1,306	1,351	1,396	1,453	1,494	1,533
60-64	Thousands	223	234	244	254	270	276	285	317	330	333
	Per cent	20	20	20	20	21	20	20	22	22	22
65-69	Thousands	384	401	418	438	454	472	489	509	527	545
	Per cent	34	34	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	36
70-74	Thousands	303	313	322	330	335	345	355	363	368	381
	Per cent	27	27	27	26	26	26	25	25	25	25
75-79	Thousands	149	152	157	165	172	178	180	181	184	185
	Per cent	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	12	12	12
80-84	Thousands	53	54	55	57	61	64	67	66	68	70
	Per cent	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
85-89	Thousands	10	11	12	13	13	15	17	15	15	16
	Per cent	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
90 and over ..	Thousands	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	3	2
	Per cent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Widows on husband's insurance											
All ages	Thousands	1,332	1,345	1,352	1,362	1,377	1,395	1,415	1,450	1,496	1,548
60-64	Thousands	72	74	73	72	72	72	72	79	102	118
	Per cent	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	7	8
65-69	Thousands	254	233	208	194	199	203	210	220	230	234
	Per cent	19	17	15	14	14	15	15	15	15	15
70-74	Thousands	325	350	368	373	358	339	323	326	317	326
	Per cent	24	26	27	27	26	24	23	22	21	21
75-79	Thousands	316	309	308	310	324	344	371	379	394	393
	Per cent	24	23	23	23	24	25	26	26	26	25
80-84	Thousands	232	238	247	257	260	252	252	253	260	276
	Per cent	17	18	18	19	19	18	18	17	17	18
85-89	Thousands	103	109	112	118	123	137	140	144	143	147
	Per cent	8	8	8	9	9	10	10	10	10	9
90 and over ..	Thousands	31	33	35	38	40	47	47	49	50	53
	Per cent	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3

Source: See Appendix 3.

Notes: (a) Excluding old person's pension.
(b) Estimated.

RETIREMENT PENSION: TABLE 13.35

OLD PERSON'S PENSION, ANALYSED BY SEX AND AGE OF PENSIONER

	Units	December	November	
		1971	1972	1973
Men and women				
All ages	Thousands	132	125	112
60-79	Thousands	6	6	5
	Per cent	5	5	4
80-84	Thousands	42	39	34
	Per cent	32	31	30
85-89	Thousands	50	44	42
	Per cent	38	36	37
90 and over	Thousands	34	35	32
	Per cent	25	28	29
Men				
All ages	Thousands	20	16	16
60-79	Thousands	.	.	.
	Per cent	.	.	.
80-84	Thousands	4	3	4
	Per cent	20	18	25
85-89	Thousands	9	6	6
	Per cent	44	37	37
90 and over	Thousands	7	7	6
	Per cent	35	45	37
Women				
All ages	Thousands	112	109	96
60-79	Thousands	6	6	5
	Per cent	6	5	5
80-84	Thousands	38	36	30
	Per cent	34	33	31
85-89	Thousands	41	39	36
	Per cent	37	36	37
90 and over	Thousands	27	28	26
	Per cent	24	26	27

Source: See Appendix 3.

RETIREMENT PENSION: TABLE 13.38

MALE RETIREMENT PENSIONERS (a) AT 30 NOVEMBER 1973, ANALYSED BY AGE AND DEPENDENCY

Thousands

	All men	Dependants (adult dependant under age 60 and/or child(ren))			
		None	Adult dependant	Adult dependant and child(ren)	Child(ren) only
All ages	2,720	2,570	127	14	8
65-69	1,038	937	86	10	6
70-74	859	823	31	3	2
75-79	470	461	8	1	—
80-84	239	236	3	—	—
85-89	94	93	—	—	—
90 and over	20	20	—	—	—

Source: See Appendix 3.

Note: (a) Excluding old person's pension.

TABLE 13.40

RETIREMENT PENSION IN PAYMENT AT 30 NOVEMBER 1973, ANALYSED BY RATE OF FLAT-RATE PERSONAL PENSION (a)

Thousands

Rate of flat-rate personal pension	Men and women	Men	All women	Women on own insurance	Wives on husband's insurance	Widows on husband's insurance (b)
£						
All rates	7,823	2,720	5,103	2,024	1,533	1,546
7.75	5,812	2,583	3,229	1,754	.	1,475
7.50-7.74	—	—	—	—	.	—
7.00-7.49	138	48	90	72	.	18
6.50-6.99	58	17	41	35	.	6
6.00-6.49	45	10	35	31	.	4
5.50-5.99	36	7	29	27	.	2
5.00-5.49	38	9	29	25	.	4
4.50-4.99	1,499	4	1,495	4	1,486	5
4.00-4.49	48	9	39	23	13	3
3.50-3.99	31	5	26	17	7	2
3.00-3.49	29	7	22	14	5	3
Under 3.00	88	20	68	22	22	24

Source: See Appendix 3.

Notes: (a) Excludes increments, graduated pension, invalidity allowance and age addition.

(b) Excludes 1,000 with age-related widow's retirement pension.

RETIREMENT PENSION: TABLE 13.43

RETIREMENT PENSIONERS WITH INCREMENTS AT 30 NOVEMBER 1973, ANALYSED BY CATEGORY, AGE, AND PROPORTION OF ALL RETIREMENT PENSIONERS (a), WITH AVERAGE AMOUNT OF INCREMENT

	Units	Men and women	Men	Women			
				All women	Women on own insurance	Wives on husband's insurance	Widows on husband's insurance
All ages							
With increments	Thousands	2,095	863	1,232	504	383	344
Proportion of all pensioners	Per cent	27	32	24	25	25	22
Average amount of increments	£	0.48	0.53	0.44	0.59	0.26	0.43
60-64							
With increments	Thousands	38	.	88	47	30	10
Proportion of all pensioners	Per cent	11	.	11	14	9	9
Average amount of increments	£	0.27	.	0.27	0.34	0.15	0.29
65-69							
With increments	Thousands	441	158	283	135	112	36
Proportion of all pensioners	Per cent	18	15	21	23	21	15
Average amount of increments	£	0.41	0.33	0.46	0.67	0.23	0.36
70-74							
With increments	Thousands	651	308	343	148	123	72
Proportion of all pensioners	Per cent	32	36	28	29	32	22
Average amount of increments	£	0.53	0.60	0.46	0.65	0.27	0.42
75-79							
With increments	Thousands	513	228	285	104	78	104
Proportion of all pensioners	Per cent	38	48	32	33	42	27
Average amount of increments	£	0.52	0.59	0.46	0.59	0.28	0.45
80 and over							
With increments	Thousands	402	170	232	71	40	122
Proportion of all pensioners	Per cent	33	48	27	25	45	26
Average amount of increments	£	0.47	0.53	0.43	0.49	0.31	0.44

Source: See Appendix 3.

Note: (a) Excluding old person's pension, and contributory old age pension.

RETIREMENT PENSION: TABLE 13.45

GRADUATED PENSION IN PAYMENT AT 30 NOVEMBER 1973, ANALYSED BY CATEGORY, AGE, AND PROPORTION OF ALL RETIREMENT PENSIONERS (a), WITH AVERAGE AMOUNT OF GRADUATED PENSION

	Units	Men and women	Men	Women			
				All women	Women on own insurance	Wives on husband's insurance	Widows on husband's insurance
All ages							
With graduated pension	Thousands	2,580	1,583	998	497	80	421
Proportion of all pensioners	Per cent	33.0	58.2	19.5	24.6	5.2	27.2
Average amount of graduated pension	£	0.23	0.30	0.13	0.14	0.11	0.12
60-64							
With graduated pension	Thousands	334	.	334	216	37	81
Proportion of all pensioners	Per cent	42.0	.	42.0	62.7	11.2	68.3
Average amount of graduated pension	£	0.16	.	0.16	0.16	0.12	0.18
65-69							
With graduated pension	Thousands	1,237	854	382	206	37	139
Proportion of all pensioners	Per cent	51.6	82.3	28.2	35.7	6.8	59.5
Average amount of graduated pension	£	0.30	0.38	0.13	0.13	0.11	0.13
70-74							
With graduated pension	Thousands	737	533	204	64	6	134
Proportion of all pensioners	Per cent	35.7	62.1	16.9	12.8	1.6	41.0
Average amount of graduated pension	£	0.19	0.24	0.08	0.09	0.08	0.08
75-79							
With graduated pension	Thousands	244	178	66	10	—	56
Proportion of all pensioners	Per cent	17.9	38.0	7.3	3.0	0.2	14.1
Average amount of graduated pension	£	0.09	0.11	0.06	0.05	0.07	0.06
80 and over							
With graduated pension	Thousands	29	17	12	1	—	11
Proportion of all pensioners	Per cent	2.4	4.7	1.5	0.3	—	2.4
Average amount of graduated pension	£	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.07	—	0.05

Source: See Appendix 3.

Note: (a) Excluding old person's pension.

RETIREMENT PENSION: TABLE 13.46

GRADUATED PENSION IN PAYMENT AT 30 NOVEMBER 1973, ANALYSED BY CATEGORY AND AMOUNT OF GRADUATED PENSION

	Men and women		Men		Women								
	Thou- sands	Per cent	Thou- sands	Per cent	All women		Women on own insurance		Wives on husband's insurance		Widows on husband's insurance		
					Thou- sands	Per cent	Thou- sands	Per cent	Thou- sands	Per cent	Thou- sands	Per cent	Thou- sands	Per cent
£													
All amounts	2,580	100	1,583	100	998	100	497	100	80	100	421	100	
0.10 or less	1,109	43	493	31	616	62	298	60	54	67	264	63	
0.125-0.20	482	19	275	17	207	21	100	20	14	17	93	22	
0.225-0.30	301	12	213	13	89	9	45	9	6	8	37	9	
0.325-0.40	216	8	173	11	43	4	24	5	3	4	16	4	
0.425-0.50	154	6	132	8	22	2	14	3	2	2	6	2	
0.525-0.60	104	4	94	6	11	1	8	2	1	1	2	1	
0.625-0.70	75	3	70	4	5	1	4	1	—	—	1	—	
0.725-0.80	53	2	50	3	3	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	
0.825-0.90	35	1	33	2	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	
0.925-1.00	22	1	22	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	
Over 1.00	28	1	27	2	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	

Source: See Appendix 3.

TABLE 13.48

RETIREMENT PENSION (a) IN PAYMENT AT 30 NOVEMBER 1973, ANALYSED BY CATEGORY AND TYPE OF PENSION, WITH AVERAGE AMOUNT (b) FOR EACH TYPE

	Units	Men and women	Men	Women			
				All women	Women on own insurance	Wives on husband's insurance	Widows on husband's insurance
All retirement pensions	Thousands	7,824	2,720	5,104	2,024	1,533	1,548
Average amount	£	7.25	8.02	6.85	7.68	4.78	7.81
Flat-rate pension	Thousands	4,028	796	3,233	1,245	1,087	901
Average amount	£	6.79	7.59	6.59	7.48	4.70	7.63
Flat-rate and graduated pension	Thousands	1,701	1,061	640	275	63	302
Average amount	£	7.76	7.97	7.42	7.59	4.82	7.81
Flat-rate and increments	Thousands	1,244	342	902	311	366	226
Average amount	£	7.29	8.33	6.90	8.16	5.01	8.22
Flat-rate, graduated pension and increments	Thousands	851	521	329	194	17	119
Average amount	£	8.40	8.55	8.16	8.34	5.06	8.30
Retirement pensions (included above) with invalidity allowance or attendance allowance(c)	Thousands	55	27	28	12	6	10
Average amount	£	10.93	9.79	12.00	10.99	10.93	13.91

Source: See Appendix 3.

Notes: (a) Excluding old person's pension.

(b) Including age addition where appropriate.

(c) In the analysis above for flat-rate, graduated and increments, pensions with which invalidity allowance or attendance allowance is payable are included in the numbers given but the amount of invalidity allowance or attendance allowance is excluded from the average amount. In the figure for pensions with invalidity allowance or attendance allowance the total amount of pension including flat-rate and any graduated or increments is included in the average amount.

RETIREMENT PENSION: TABLE 13.50

RETIREMENT PENSION WITH INVALIDITY ALLOWANCE OR ATTENDANCE ALLOWANCE AT 30 NOVEMBER 1973, ANALYSED BY CATEGORY OF PENSIONER

Thousands

	All retirement pensions	Retirement pensions other than old person's pensions					Old person's pensions	
		Men and women	Men	Women on own insurance	Wives on husband's insurance	Widows on husband's insurance	Men	Women
Retirement pension with:								
Invalidity allowance (alone or with attendance allowance):								
All rates	27.2	27.2	20.3	6.4	—	0.4	—	—
at £1.60	1.7	1.7	0.7	1.1	—	—	—	—
at £1.00	1.9	1.9	0.7	1.2	—	—	—	—
at £0.50	23.6	23.6	18.9	4.2	—	0.4	—	—
Attendance allowance (alone or with invalidity allowance)	31.2	28.3	6.6	6.0	6.2	9.5	0.4	2.4
Invalidity allowance and attendance allowance together	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.1	—	—	—	—

Source: See Appendix 3.

TABLE 13.55

TREND IN AGE OF RETIREMENT AMONG MEN: PERCENTAGE OF SURVIVORS TO SUCCESSIVE AGES WHO HAD RETIRED ON REACHING THOSE AGES

	Men who reached 65 in the												
	1st half of 1967	2nd half of 1967	1st half of 1968	2nd half of 1968	1st half of 1969	2nd half of 1969	1st half of 1970	2nd half of 1970	1st half of 1971	2nd half of 1971	1st half of 1972	2nd half of 1972	1st half of 1973
Percentage of survivors to age shown who had retired:													
Age 65 ^{1/2}	62	66	66	64	67	69	68	67	66	69	69	68	69
Age 65 ^{1/2}	69	73	73	71	73	75	74	74	73	76	74	72	72
Age 66	74	76	77	75	76	78	78	78	77	78	76	74	.
Age 66 ^{1/2}	78	79	80	79	80	81	81	81	80	81	78	.	.
Age 67	81	82	82	81	82	83	83	82	81	81	.	.	.
Age 67 ^{1/2}	83	84	85	83	85	85	85	84	82	.	.	.	.
Age 68	85	86	86	84	87	87	86	85	.	.	.	.	.
Age 68 ^{1/2}	86	88	88	86	89	88	86	.	.	.	.	.	.
Age 69	87	88	89	87	90	88	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Age 69 ^{1/2}	88	90	90	88	90	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Age 70 (a)	89	91	91	88	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.

Source: 2 per cent sample.

Note: (a) The proportions given are based on notifications of retirement up to 1 January 1973. Men aged 70 who have not notified retirement account for the balance up to 100 per cent.

RETIREMENT PENSION: TABLE 13.60

RETIREMENT PENSIONERS LIVING OUTSIDE THE UNITED KINGDOM AT 31 DECEMBER, ANALYSED BY COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE

Thousands

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All countries	72.1	79.1	86.0	92.0	101.6	110.1	117.6	126.0	139.3	147.4
Channel Islands	2.8	3.0	3.3	3.5	3.9	4.2	4.6	4.7	5.0	5.4
Canada	10.2	10.6	11.5	12.1	13.0	13.6	13.6	14.4	16.0	16.5
Australia	17.8	20.3	22.2	24.0	27.0	30.0	33.3	35.9	40.9	43.8
New Zealand	6.7	7.4	8.2	8.7	10.0	10.6	11.5	12.2	13.5	14.8
Kenya	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2
Rhodesia	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.9	2.1	1.9
Irish Republic	10.8	11.8	12.2	12.7	13.5	14.2	14.4	15.8	16.8	17.5
France	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.8	2.1	2.2
Federal Republic of Germany	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.9	2.0	2.3	2.7
Italy	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.8	1.9	2.1
South Africa	4.1	4.2	4.6	4.7	5.3	6.0	6.1	6.2	6.7	7.0
USA	7.1	7.9	8.5	9.0	10.0	10.5	11.1	11.1	12.3	12.9
Rest of the World	7.2	8.2	9.8	10.9	12.1	14.1	15.5	17.7	19.3	20.4

Source: 100 per cent count.

INJURY BENEFIT: TABLE 20.01

STANDARD RATES OF INJURY BENEFIT

Date	Single person (a)	Increase for dependant				
		Adult	Child			
			Only, elder or eldest	Second	Third	Each other
£	£	£	£	£	£	
5 July 1948	2.25	0.80	0.375	.	.	.
30 August 1951	2.25	0.80	0.50	0.125	0.125	0.125
24 July 1952	2.75	1.075	0.525	0.125	0.125	0.125
19 May 1955	3.375	1.25	0.575	0.175	0.175	0.175
6 February 1958	4.25	1.50	0.75	0.35	0.35	0.35
3 April 1961	4.875	1.75	0.875	0.475	0.475	0.475
7 March 1963	5.75	2.075	1.00	0.60	0.60	0.60
27 January 1965	6.75	2.50	1.125	0.725	0.725	0.725
26 October 1967 (b)	7.25	2.80	1.25	0.85	0.85	0.60
10 April 1968 (b)	7.25	2.80	1.40	0.65	0.55	0.55
8 October 1968 (b)	7.25	2.80	1.40	0.50	0.40	0.40
3 November 1969	7.75	3.10	1.55	0.65	0.55	0.55
23 September 1971 (c)	8.75	3.70	1.85	0.95	0.85	0.85
5 October 1972	9.50	4.15	2.10	1.20	1.10	1.10
4 October 1973	10.10	4.55	2.30	1.40	1.30	1.30
25 July 1974	11.35	5.30	2.70	1.80	1.70	1.70

Notes: (a) Earnings-related supplement may also be payable on the same basis as for unemployment benefit—see table 1.2.
 (b) Reduction in rates for certain children accompanied increase in family allowance.
 (c) From 23 September 1971 increase for dependants is payable at invalidity benefit rate (see table 4.1), where injury benefit (with underlying title for invalidity benefit) is payable.

TABLE 20.05

AVERAGE WEEKLY INTAKE OF NEW CLAIMS (a)

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
January to December	17.3	18.4	18.5	18.8	18.0	17.9	15.8	14.0	13.4	14.3
January	16.4	17.5	17.8	19.7	18.1	17.7	14.4	13.7	12.4	13.6
February	18.3	19.4	19.3	20.6	19.6	20.1	17.9	14.1	12.5	14.8
March	17.6	19.9	20.1	19.5	19.6	18.5	16.9	15.2	13.8	15.9
April	17.4	17.4	17.2	19.0	16.3	16.0	16.3	13.0	12.8	13.9
May	17.1	19.8	19.4	19.1	18.4	17.9	16.7	15.3	14.3	14.3
June	17.7	17.9	18.9	18.7	17.6	18.2	15.4	13.4	13.4	14.5
July	16.5	17.7	18.5	18.1	17.1	18.2	15.5	14.3	13.4	13.9
August	14.3	16.0	16.1	16.2	16.3	16.2	13.9	12.1	12.1	12.7
September	18.4	18.7	18.7	19.0	18.0	18.2	16.2	14.5	13.8	14.8
October	19.0	19.9	20.0	20.3	20.5	20.0	17.4	15.2	14.8	15.4
November	18.5	19.6	19.6	19.8	19.5	19.0	16.0	15.0	15.4	15.6
December	15.9	17.3	16.8	16.6	15.9	15.2	13.4	12.5	11.9	12.0

Source: 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) A "new claim" means a claim submitted at the beginning of a spell of incapacity for work. If a person has several separate spells of incapacity for work during the year, each spell is counted as a "new claim". The figures include a relatively small number of claims which did not result in the payment of benefit.

INJURY BENEFIT: TABLE 20.07

NEW CLAIMS (a) ANALYSED BY REGION (b)

Thousands

	1965	1966 (c)	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972 (c)	1973
Great Britain	957	982	978	937	928	822	729	709	741
England:									
All regions	736	765	767	733	726	645	575	567	592
North	115	117	113	106	101	89	78	71	75
Yorkshire and Humberside	150	156	155	143	138	119	104	99	108
East Midlands	75	76	76	71	72	64	56	52	57
East Anglia	17	18	19	19	20	18	16	18	18
South East:									
GLC	73	74	75	71	70	63	56	57	56
Remainder	77	82	84	83	85	76	72	75	74
South West	37	39	42	41	41	37	35	37	38
West Midlands	73	77	78	76	76	67	60	60	64
North West	118	125	125	121	123	113	98	97	101
Wales	103	100	94	89	87	76	66	60	62
Scotland	118	117	117	116	115	101	88	82	87

Source: 100 per cent count.

Notes: (a) A "new claim" means a claim submitted at the beginning of a spell of incapacity for work. If a person has several separate spells of incapacity for work during the year, each spell is counted as a "new claim". The figures include a relatively small number of claims which did not result in the payment of benefit.

(b) Standard Regions.

(c) 53 weeks.

TABLE 20.20

APPEALS AND REFERENCES (a) TO LOCAL TRIBUNALS AND APPEALS TO THE COMMISSIONER

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
To Local Tribunals:										
Total appeals and references	6,847	7,020	7,037	6,951	6,581	6,377	5,903	4,661	4,683	3,953
Total appeals	6,806	6,984	6,993	6,903	6,540	6,315	5,848	4,622	4,655	3,926
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	2,948	2,755	2,695	2,670	2,630	2,475	2,208	1,832	1,768	1,548
Percentage	43	39	39	39	40	39	38	40	38	39
Total references	41	36	44	48	41	62	55	39	28	27
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	18	20	21	25	16	29	22	18	12	12
Percentage	44	56	48	52	39	47	40	46	43	44
To the Commissioner:										
Total appeals	910	989	873	863	857	727	789	624	556	501
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	257	274	230	254	242	221	202	187	186	152
Percentage	28	28	26	29	28	30	25	30	33	30

Source: 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) Includes disablement benefit and industrial death benefit.

INJURY BENEFIT : TABLE 20.24

REFERENCES OF CLAIMS TO REGIONAL MEDICAL SERVICES IN 1973

	Males and females		Males		Females	
	Thousands	Per cent	Thousands	Per cent	Thousands	Per cent
Incapacity for work:						
All references	85.8	100	68.2	100	17.5	100
Claimant examined:						
All cases	37.8	44	28.7	42	9.2	52
Considered incapable of work	27.6	32	21.1	31	6.4	37
Considered incapable of normal occupation but not incapable of alternative work	0.2	—	0.2	—	0.1	—
Considered not incapable of work	10.0	12	7.4	11	2.7	15
Claimant not examined:						
All cases	47.9	56	39.6	58	8.3	48
Considered incapable of work on basis of further medical evidence obtained	12.8	15	10.4	15	2.4	14
Ended claim after receipt of notice to attend examination	9.3	11	7.9	12	1.5	8
Failed to attend examination (a)	25.8	30	21.3	31	4.5	25
Relation of injury to condition:						
All references	9.5	100	..	..	..	..
Condition considered consistent with injury	5.5	58	..	..	..	..
Condition considered not consistent with injury	2.6	27	..	..	..	..
No opinion could be given .. .. .	—	—	..	..	..	..
Failed to attend examination (a)	1.4	14	..	..	..	..

Source: 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) Includes some cases where evidence of recovery was received too late for examination appointment to be cancelled.

INJURY BENEFIT: TABLE 20.30

AVERAGE POPULATION AT RISK IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a), ANALYSED BY AGE

Thousands

Age at 31 May	1962/63	1963/64	1964/65	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72
Males:										
All ages	14,229	14,312	14,350	14,378	14,282	14,149	14,075	13,950	13,870	13,759
Under 20	1,216	1,259	1,267	1,284	1,176	1,081	1,042	1,013	1,006	968
20-24	1,390	1,443	1,480	1,529	1,644	1,684	1,699	1,688	1,680	1,590
25-29	1,435	1,442	1,458	1,442	1,419	1,425	1,443	1,465	1,494	1,602
30-34	1,435	1,425	1,379	1,369	1,368	1,364	1,360	1,355	1,334	1,319
35-39	1,489	1,475	1,460	1,422	1,371	1,354	1,338	1,290	1,276	1,268
40-44	1,515	1,567	1,533	1,498	1,462	1,426	1,402	1,371	1,336	1,297
45-49	1,342	1,269	1,296	1,352	1,404	1,459	1,505	1,471	1,428	1,395
50-54	1,436	1,420	1,407	1,382	1,351	1,282	1,216	1,241	1,284	1,338
55-59	1,350	1,371	1,393	1,388	1,374	1,347	1,333	1,320	1,296	1,262
60-64	1,138	1,157	1,169	1,199	1,211	1,216	1,234	1,243	1,238	1,228
65 and over	483	484	508	513	502	511	503	493	498	492
Females:										
All ages	7,950	8,055	8,199	8,282	8,252	8,237	8,328	8,337	8,438	8,520
Under 20	1,222	1,266	1,266	1,285	1,174	1,097	1,051	1,030	1,011	996
20-24	1,091	1,103	1,148	1,160	1,250	1,282	1,317	1,286	1,275	1,215
25-29	653	658	655	638	638	665	690	725	757	828
30-34	586	578	571	575	576	587	608	618	624	643
35-39	723	710	726	729	722	710	710	708	734	747
40-44	839	887	881	869	847	832	835	846	858	859
45-49	793	751	775	821	861	928	972	943	934	932
50-54	807	824	852	862	841	778	755	772	819	870
55-59	709	726	738	739	747	764	779	793	795	773
60 and over	527	552	587	604	596	594	611	616	631	426

Source: ½ per cent sample of insured persons.

Note: (a) Starting on first Monday in June.

INJURY BENEFIT: TABLE 20.31

AVERAGE POPULATION AT RISK IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a), ANALYSED BY REGION (b)

Thousands

	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72
Males:							
Great Britain	14,378	14,282	14,149	14,075	13,950	13,870	13,759
England:							
All regions	12,420	12,346	12,225	12,143	12,033	11,967	11,873
North	878	866	841	825	825	823	808
Yorkshire and Humberside	1,365	1,352	1,304	1,270	1,258	1,245	1,233
East Midlands	869	862	871	884	877	870	864
East Anglia	403	402	394	394	401	401	390
South East	4,761	4,740	4,745	4,744	4,679	4,647	4,615
South West	813	813	822	824	820	826	822
West Midlands	1,495	1,490	1,459	1,432	1,422	1,417	1,408
North West	1,836	1,821	1,789	1,770	1,751	1,738	1,733
Wales	639	628	627	635	625	621	615
Scotland	1,319	1,308	1,297	1,297	1,292	1,282	1,271
Females:							
Great Britain	8,282	8,252	8,237	8,328	8,337	8,438	8,520
England:							
All regions	7,196	7,162	7,136	7,208	7,213	7,294	7,357
North	439	434	434	447	455	465	467
Yorkshire and Humberside	746	741	723	717	718	723	730
East Midlands	487	488	490	494	501	511	513
East Anglia	207	206	205	215	224	228	235
South East	2,916	2,915	2,927	2,951	2,935	2,965	2,993
South West	468	465	462	471	475	486	495
West Midlands	807	803	801	811	812	822	826
North West	1,126	1,110	1,094	1,102	1,093	1,094	1,098
Wales	299	303	311	317	318	327	333
Scotland	787	787	790	803	806	817	830

Source: ½ per cent sample of insured persons.

Notes: (a) Starting on first Monday in June.
 (b) Standard Regions.

INJURY BENEFIT: TABLE 20.34

AVERAGE POPULATION AT RISK IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a), ANALYSED BY INDUSTRY (b) (1962/63-1968/69)

Thousands

Order		1962/63	1963/64	1964/65	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69
	Males:							
	All industries	14,229	14,312	14,350	14,378	14,282	14,149	14,075
I	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	467	452	432	410	380	355	339
II	Mining and quarrying	697	670	634	593	554	519	462
III	Food, drink and tobacco	488	491	480	481	488	493	490
IV	Chemicals and allied industries	392	385	386	391	392	386	389
V	Metal manufacture	553	556	570	567	557	548	529
VI	Engineering and electrical goods	1,599	1,591	1,620	1,670	1,712	1,736	1,736
VII	Shipbuilding and marine engineering	234	217	207	206	206	198	183
VIII	Vehicles	770	770	769	758	744	729	734
IX	Metal goods not elsewhere specified	382	388	395	403	400	392	393
X	Textiles	372	374	374	372	362	359	365
XI	Leather, leather goods and fur	37	39	39	37	36	35	33
XII	Clothing and footwear	152	150	146	141	139	136	134
XIII	Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	263	268	275	272	272	280	284
XIV	Timber, furniture, etc.	219	227	230	231	233	242	265
XV	Paper, printing and publishing	421	424	424	430	432	430	440
XVI	Other manufacturing industries	192	196	201	206	208	211	220
XVII	Construction	1,479	1,530	1,574	1,582	1,551	1,508	1,442
XVIII	Gas, electricity and water	358	364	366	371	375	372	360
XIX	Transport and communication	1,121	1,100	1,072	1,049	1,035	1,029	1,042
XX	Distributive trades	1,372	1,377	1,361	1,351	1,302	1,245	1,262
XXI	Insurance, banking and finance	317	333	345	350	353	363	409
XXII	Professional and scientific services	712	733	759	786	818	852	924
XXIII	Miscellaneous services	868	922	953	966	963	952	912
XXIV	Public administration and defence	764	755	738	755	770	779	728
	Females:							
	All industries	7,950	8,055	8,199	8,282	8,252	8,237	8,328
I	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	76	78	76	74	72	68	76
II	Mining and quarrying	25	24	23	23	24	25	20
III	Food, drink and tobacco	328	325	326	328	329	328	353
IV	Chemicals and allied industries	153	157	154	151	150	144	143
V	Metal manufacture	69	70	76	75	69	69	72
VI	Engineering and electrical goods	605	626	651	669	662	655	623
VII	Shipbuilding and marine engineering	13	13	13	13	12	12	12
VIII	Vehicles	124	125	121	121	121	117	110
IX	Metal goods not elsewhere specified	192	197	205	203	198	194	188
X	Textiles	444	435	431	413	387	369	343
XI	Leather, leather goods and fur	30	28	27	26	25	26	24
XII	Clothing and footwear	402	397	391	386	382	371	369
XIII	Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	84	83	84	85	86	85	76
XIV	Timber, furniture, etc.	59	60	63	64	61	58	60
XV	Paper, printing and publishing	217	219	226	229	222	220	216
XVI	Other manufacturing industries	129	126	126	131	129	129	137
XVII	Construction	82	86	94	96	91	91	89
XVIII	Gas, electricity and water	43	45	48	52	57	57	59
XIX	Transport and communication	200	195	194	200	204	200	186
XX	Distributive trades	1,514	1,536	1,551	1,572	1,541	1,496	1,529
XXI	Insurance, banking and finance	277	287	295	306	312	318	387
XXII	Professional and scientific services	1,493	1,533	1,584	1,605	1,659	1,750	1,850
XXIII	Miscellaneous services	1,131	1,150	1,181	1,189	1,160	1,135	1,120
XXIV	Public administration and defence	260	260	259	271	299	320	286

Source: ½ per cent sample of insured persons.

Notes: (a) Starting on first Monday in June.

(b) According to Standard Industrial Classification (revised 1958).

INJURY BENEFIT: TABLE 20.35

AVERAGE POPULATION AT RISK IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a), ANALYSED BY INDUSTRY (b) (1969/70-1970/71)

Order		Thousands			
		Males		Females	
		1969/70	1970/71	1969/70	1970/71
	All industries	13,950	13,870	8,337	8,438
I	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	317	303	59	61
II	Mining and quarrying	449	431	23	22
III	Food, drink and tobacco	523	526	363	369
IV	Coal and petroleum products	46	46	7	8
V	Chemical and allied industries	351	356	149	151
VI	Metal manufacture	552	544	76	75
VII	Mechanical engineering	1,012	1,026	226	229
VIII	Instrument engineering	102	105	62	63
IX	Electrical engineering	598	589	394	391
X	Shipbuilding and marine engineering	189	185	14	13
XI	Vehicles	729	739	112	108
XII	Metal goods not elsewhere specified	450	465	213	207
XIII	Textiles	370	362	352	335
XIV	Leather, leather goods and fur	34	33	25	24
XV	Clothing and footwear	134	135	366	372
XVI	Bricks, pottery, glass, cement etc.	275	268	80	82
XVII	Timber, furniture etc.	243	233	58	60
XVIII	Paper, printing and publishing	432	438	232	236
XIX	Other manufacturing industries	227	233	128	130
XX	Construction	1,394	1,314	90	91
XXI	Gas, electricity and water	360	347	63	67
XXII	Transport and communication	986	978	196	204
XXIII	Distributive trades	1,170	1,151	1,459	1,443
XXIV	Insurance, banking, finance and business services	463	487	442	472
XXV	Professional and scientific services	885	912	1,809	1,881
XXVI	Miscellaneous services	875	850	978	949
XXVII	Public administration and defence	784	814	361	395

Source: ½ per cent sample of insured persons.

Notes: (a) Starting on first Monday in June.

(b) According to Standard Industrial Classification (revised 1968).

TABLE 20.39

ESTIMATED NUMBER OF INSURED PERSONS INCAPACITATED OWING TO INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS OR PRESCRIBED DISEASES ON FIRST TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH (a)

	Thousands							
	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
January	80	73	71	66	64	56	59	51
February	79	75	73	72	68	61	60	56
March	78	78	76	77	70	60	55	56
April	77	72	70	72	61	56	55	55
May	75	72	67	66	63	52	52	51
June	67	70	72	67	62	55	51	59
July	67	72	71	71	61	54	52	62
August	68	70	70	73	59	56	51	58
September	62	66	71	70	61	52	52	58
October	66	71	74	76	64	56	51	62
November	71	73	77	76	69	60	58	65
December	69	70	70	71	62	58	53	64

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants to May 1969; 2½ per cent thereafter.

Note: (a) The estimates from June 1972 are provisional.

INJURY BENEFIT: TABLE 20.44

SPELLS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY COMMENCING IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a), ANALYSED BY AGE

Thousands

Age at 31 May	1962/63	1963/64	1964/65 (b)	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71 (b)	1971/72	1972/73
Males:											
Accidents:											
All ages	673	732	792	793	767	768	746	744	636	576	581
Under 20	64	75	82	85	74	70	68	68	60	48	52
20-24	70	82	87	93	96	103	105	100	87	78	77
25-29	73	83	90	90	87	86	84	90	74	73	76
30-34	73	79	87	86	86	87	86	86	73	63	62
35-39	80	84	87	86	80	82	77	83	71	61	63
40-44	79	88	95	93	86	82	80	77	65	57	57
45-49	65	66	70	74	77	81	81	77	65	58	59
50-54	63	66	75	70	68	63	60	59	54	53	57
55-59	57	60	64	62	59	60	57	55	48	44	41
60-64	39	42	47	45	45	45	40	41	35	36	34
65 and over	8	8	9	9	9	8	7	8	6	5	4
Prescribed diseases:											
All ages	21	22	21	23	21	20	20	20	18	15	14
Females:											
Accidents:											
All ages	74	80	93	96	94	88	90	89	76	69	70
Under 20	14	16	16	17	16	15	14	14	11	11	11
20-24	8	9	10	10	11	11	11	10	8	7	8
25-29	4	5	6	6	5	5	6	5	5	4	5
30-34	4	5	6	7	6	7	6	6	5	4	4
35-39	6	7	8	8	8	7	8	7	8	6	7
40-44	8	9	10	10	9	8	9	9	7	7	7
45-49	7	8	11	11	12	11	12	11	9	10	8
50-54	9	9	12	12	11	10	10	9	8	9	9
55-59	9	8	9	9	10	9	9	10	9	6	7
60 and over	5	4	5	6	5	5	5	7	5	4	3
Prescribed diseases:											
All ages	6	6	7	6	6	6	8	7	6	6	5

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants to 1968/69; 2½ per cent sample from 1969/70.

Notes: (a) Starting on first Monday in June.

(b) 53 weeks.

INJURY BENEFIT: TABLE 20.47

SPELLS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY COMMENCING IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a) RESULTING FROM FRESH INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS AND FRESH DEVELOPMENTS OF PRESCRIBED DISEASES, ANALYSED BY AGE AND EXPRESSED AS RATES PER 1,000 PERSONS AT RISK IN THE RELEVANT SEX AND AGE GROUP

Age at 31 May	1962/63	1963/64	1964/65 (b)	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71 (b)	1971/72
Males:										
Accidents:										
All ages	45	49	53	53	51	52	51	51	44	40
Under 20	51	58	63	64	62	64	64	65	58	48
20-24	49	55	57	59	56	59	60	57	50	48
25-29	48	55	58	59	58	58	56	58	47	44
30-34	48	52	59	60	60	61	60	60	52	46
35-39	51	53	56	56	56	58	55	60	52	47
40-44	49	53	58	59	56	55	54	53	47	42
45-49	46	50	52	52	52	53	51	49	44	40
50-54	42	44	51	48	48	47	48	46	40	39
55-59	41	42	44	43	41	43	41	40	36	34
60-64	33	35	38	37	36	36	32	32	27	28
65 and over	17	16	17	17	18	15	13	16	11	10
Prescribed diseases:										
All ages	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Females:										
Accidents:										
All ages	9	10	11	11	11	10	10	10	9	8
Under 20	11	12	13	13	13	14	13	13	11	11
20-24	7	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	6	6
25-29	6	7	8	8	8	8	8	6	6	5
30-34	7	8	11	11	10	11	10	10	8	6
35-39	8	10	10	11	11	9	10	10	10	7
40-44	9	10	11	11	10	10	10	10	8	8
45-49	9	11	13	13	13	11	12	11	10	10
50-54	11	10	13	14	13	13	13	12	10	10
55-59	12	11	12	12	13	11	12	12	11	8
60 and over	8	7	9	9	8	8	8	11	7	5
Prescribed diseases:										
All ages	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants up to 1968/69; 2½ per cent sample from 1969/70.

Notes: (a) Starting on first Monday in June.

(b) 53 weeks.

INJURY BENEFIT: TABLE 20.50

SPELLS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY COMMENCING IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a) RESULTING FROM FRESH INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS AND FRESH DEVELOPMENTS OF PRESCRIBED DISEASES, ANALYSED BY CAUSE OF INCAPACITY (b)

Thousands

	Detailed list numbers	1962/ 63	1963/ 64	1964/ 65 (c)	1965/ 66	1966/ 67	1967/ 68	1968/ 69	1969/ 70	1970/ 71 (c)	1971/ 72	1972/ 73					
Males:																	
Accidents:																	
All causes		642	698	755	757	734	739	716	710	612	556	562					
Fractures:																	
Skull, spine and trunk	N800-N809	8	9	8	7	7	7	7	6	6	6	6					
Upper limb(s) ..	N810-N819	50	51	54	53	52	51	24	23	22	20	20					
Lower limb(s) ..	N820-N829																
Intracranial injuries .. excluding those with skull fracture ..	N850-N854	17	18	19	19	17	19	14	14	13	9	10					
Burns	N940-N949	14	16	19	19	18	19	21	19	19	16	18					
Sprains and strains:																	
Knee and leg	N844	125	148	164	170	164	170	163	167	12	10	11					
Ankle and foot ..	N845									20	17	20					
Sacro-iliac region ..	N846									5	4	5					
Other and unspecified parts of back ..	N847									73	69	73					
Other sprains and sprains of joint and adjacent muscles ..	N840-N843, N848									32	28	27					
Lacerations and open wounds of upper limb(s)	N880-N887	145	176	187	175	171	164	68	66	60	53	55					
Other lacerations and open wounds and superficial injuries ..	N870-N879, N890-N918												31	28	22	18	21
Contusion and crushing with intact skin surface	N920-N929												82	83	65	59	65
Injury of unspecified nature:																	
Face and neck ..	N996.0	48	48	51	53	54	52	48	46	5	6	7					
Trunk	N996.1									34	33	31					
Shoulder and upper arm Elbow, forearm and wrist	N996.2	74	75	81	86	79	84	69	67	8	7	7					
Hand(s) except finger(s)	N996.3									12	12	11					
Finger(s)	N996.4									15	14	11					
Lower limb(s) ..	N996.5									20	20	15					
Other specified, multi- ple and unspecified sites	N996.6, N996.7	90	85	95	97	94	97	90	89	82	71	70					
Other specified, multi- ple and unspecified sites	N996.8, N996.9	74	74	78	79	76	76	71	75	15	14	13					
Other injuries										17	13	15					
Diseases resulting from accidents										30	35	26					
Prescribed diseases:																	
All diseases		18	18	19	20	18	18	18	18	15	12	12					
Non-infective dermatitis of external origin ..		8	10	10	11	11	10	12	12	10	9	8					
Other diseases		10	9	9	9	6	7	6	6	5	3	4					

INJURY BENEFIT : TABLE 20.50 (continued)

SPELLS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY COMMENCING IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a) RESULTING FROM FRESH INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS AND FRESH DEVELOPMENTS OF PRESCRIBED DISEASES, ANALYSED BY CAUSE OF INCAPACITY (b)

	Detailed list numbers	1962/ 63	1963/ 64	1964/ 65 (c)	1965/ 66	1966/ 67	1967/ 68	1968/ 69	1969/ 70	1970/ 71 (c)	1971/ 72	1972/ 73
Thousands												
Females:												
Accidents:												
All causes		72	77	89	92	90	85	87	86	73	66	68
Fractures:												
Skull, spine and trunk	N800-N809	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	-	1	1
Upper limb(s) ..	N810-N819	6	6	7	7	6	6	4	3	3	3	4
Lower limb(s) ..	N820-N829											
Intracranial injuries excluding those with skull fracture ..	N850-N854	2	2	3	3	3	2	2	3	2	1	2
Burns	N940-N949	3	3	4	4	4	4	4	3	3	3	2
Sprains and strains:												
Knee and leg	N844	9	13	13	15	15	14	15	16	6	5	6
Ankle and foot ..	N845											
Sacro-iliac region ..	N846											
Other and unspecified parts of back ..	N847											
Other sprains and sprains of joints and adjacent muscles ..	N840-N843, N848											
Lacerations and open wounds of upper limb(s)	N880-N887	20	22	26	24	25	23	4	4	2	2	3
Other lacerations and open wounds and superficial injuries ..	N870-N879, N890-N918											
Contusion and crushing with intact skin surface	N920-N929											
Injury of unspecified nature:												
Face and neck ..	N996.0	5	4	6	6	5	5	5	6	1	1	1
Trunk	N996.1											
Shoulder and upper arm	N996.2	8	8	10	11	10	10	9	8	2	2	2
Elbow, forearm and wrist	N996.3											
Hand(s) except finger(s)	N996.4											
Finger(s)	N996.5	10	10	12	13	13	13	13	12	10	9	9
Lower limb(s) ..	N996.6 N996.7											
Other specified, multiple and unspecified sites ..	N996.8, N996.9	7	8	8	9	9	8	8	8	1	1	1
Other injuries												
Diseases resulting from accidents										3	3	2
Prescribed diseases:												
All diseases		6	6	7	6	6	6	7	6	6	5	5
Non-infective dermatitis of external origin ..		3	3	4	4	4	4	5	5	4	3	3
Other diseases		2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants up to 1968/69; 2½ per cent sample from 1969/70.

Notes: (a) Starting on first Monday in June.
 (b) According to list A in International Classification of Diseases, 1965.
 (c) 53 weeks.

INJURY BENEFIT: TABLE 20.52

SPELLS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY COMMENCING IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a) RESULTING FROM FRESH INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS, ANALYSED BY EXTERNAL CAUSE OF INJURY (b)

Thousands

	Detailed list numbers	1963/64	1964/65(c)	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71(c)	1971/72	1972/73
Males:											
All external causes		698	755	757	734	739	716	710	612	556	562
Motor vehicle accidents	E810-E823	21	25	22	26	22	30	23	22	22	22
Other transport accidents	E800-E807, E825-E845	7	7	5	7	7	6	4	4	3	4
Accidental falls:											
Fall on or from stairs or steps	E880	11	11	12	14	13	14	14	12	11	13
Fall on or from ladders or scaffolding	E881	10	12	11	12	12	15	13	12	13	12
Fall on same level	E885, E886	102	115	124	116	113	109	101	83	75	74
Other and unspecified falls	E882-E884, E887	33	36	37	39	40	29	34	31	25	28
Foreign body accidentally entering eye or adnexa	E914	13	14	14	15	16	15	14	13	11	11
Accidents caused by cutting or piercing instruments	E920	59	60	57	56	61	72	70	61	60	58
Struck accidentally by falling object	E916	443	475	475	450	454	105	105	88	71	72
Striking against or struck accidentally by objects or caught accidentally in or between objects	E917, E918						151	160	135	125	124
Accidents caused by hot substances, corrosive liquid, steam, electric current or radiation	E924-E926						17	16	16	13	15
Other accidents of industrial type	E919, E921, E923, E927, E928	137	140	122	116	118					
Other external causes	E850-E877, E890-E913, E915-E922, E929-E999						16	14	13	12	12
Females:											
All external causes		77	89	92	90	85	87	86	73	66	68
Motor vehicle accidents	E810-E823	2	2	2	3	3	2	2	2	2	1
Other transport accidents	E800-E807	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Accidental falls:											
Fall on or from stairs or steps	E880	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	5	5	7
Fall on or from ladders or scaffolding	E881	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	—	1	1
Fall on same level	E885, E886	15	19	21	21	20	20	19	17	15	14
Other and unspecified falls	E882-E884, E887	2	3	3	3	2	2	3	2	2	2
Foreign body accidentally entering eye or adnexa	E914	1	1	1	1	—	—	1	1	1	1
Accidents caused by cutting or piercing instruments	E920	10	12	11	11	11	12	13	10	10	9
Struck accidentally by falling object	E916	41	45	46	45	42	7	8	7	5	5
Striking against or struck accidentally by objects or caught accidentally in or between objects	E917, E918						17	16	15	12	13
Accidents caused by hot substances, corrosive liquid, steam, electric current or radiation	E924-E926						3	3	3	3	2
Other accidents of industrial type	E919, E921, E923, E927, E928	13	13	11	11	12					
Other external causes	E850-E877, E890-E913, E915-E922, E929-E999						1	1	1	1	1

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants up to 1968/69; 2½ per cent sample from 1969/70.

Notes: (a) Starting on first Monday in June.
 (b) According to International Classification of Diseases, 1965.
 (c) 53 weeks.

INJURY BENEFIT: TABLE 20.56

SPELLS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY COMMENCING IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a) RESULTING FROM FRESH INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS, ANALYSED BY INDUSTRY (b) (1962/63-1968/69)

		Thousands						
Order		1962/63	1963/64	1964/65 (c)	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69
	Males:							
	All industries	642	698	755	757	734	739	716
I	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	20	19	19	17	17	17	14
II	Mining and quarrying	236	246	254	246	215	194	159
III	Food, drink and tobacco	18	20	21	22	23	25	26
IV	Chemicals and allied industries	10	10	11	11	12	13	14
V	Metal manufacture	26	33	38	38	37	39	44
VI	Engineering and electrical goods	36	41	48	52	54	57	59
VII	Shipbuilding and marine engineering	10	11	12	12	13	13	12
VIII	Vehicles	15	17	20	19	20	19	22
IX	Metal goods not elsewhere specified	13	16	18	19	18	20	23
X	Textiles	8	10	11	12	12	13	14
XI	Leather, leather goods and fur	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
XII	Clothing and footwear	1	1	1	1	2	1	2
XIII	Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	12	15	17	18	18	21	21
XIV	Timber, furniture, etc.	11	11	13	13	14	14	16
XV	Paper, printing and publishing	8	9	10	10	11	11	12
XVI	Other manufacturing industries	6	7	9	8	8	9	10
XVII	Construction	72	84	92	97	100	103	99
XVIII	Gas, electricity and water	15	15	16	15	17	15	16
XIX	Transport and communication	42	46	48	47	50	52	51
XX	Distributive trades	36	37	41	41	38	41	44
XXI	Insurance, banking and finance	1	1	1	2	2	2	2
XXII	Professional and scientific services	6	7	8	8	7	9	9
XXIII	Miscellaneous services	17	18	19	20	21	21	21
XXIV	Public administration and defence	24	24	26	25	26	29	27
	Females:							
	All industries	72	77	89	92	90	85	87
I	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
II	Mining and quarrying	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
III	Food, drink and tobacco	8	9	11	10	11	10	10
IV	Chemicals and allied industries	1	2	1	2	1	1	2
V	Metal manufacture	1	1	2	2	2	2	2
VI	Engineering and electrical goods	5	6	7	8	8	7	7
VII	Shipbuilding and marine engineering	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
VIII	Vehicles	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
IX	Metal goods not elsewhere specified	3	4	4	5	5	4	4
X	Textiles	8	7	9	9	7	6	6
XI	Leather, leather goods and fur	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
XII	Clothing and footwear	2	2	2	3	3	2	2
XIII	Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	1	2	2	2	2	2	2
XIV	Timber, furniture, etc.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
XV	Paper, printing and publishing	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
XVI	Other manufacturing industries	1	2	2	2	2	2	2
XVII	Construction	—	—	—	—	—	1	1
XVIII	Gas, electricity and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
XIX	Transport and communication	2	3	3	3	3	3	3
XX	Distributive trades	11	10	11	14	12	11	12
XXI	Insurance, banking and finance	1	1	—	—	1	1	1
XXII	Professional and scientific services	10	10	11	11	11	11	12
XXIII	Miscellaneous services	10	11	13	12	12	12	12
XXIV	Public administration and defence	2	2	2	3	3	3	3

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants up to 1968/69; 2½ per cent from 1969/70.

Notes: (a) Starting on first Monday in June.

(b) According to Standard Industrial Classification (revised 1958).

(c) 53 weeks.

INJURY BENEFIT : TABLE 20.57

SPELLS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY COMMENCING IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a) RESULTING FROM FRESH INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS, ANALYSED BY INDUSTRY (b) (1969/70-1972/73)

Thousands

Order		Males				Females			
		1969/70	1970/71 (c)	1971/72	1972/73	1969/70	1970/71 (c)	1971/72	1972/73
	All industries	710	612	556	562	86	73	66	68
I	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	14	13	13	12	1	1	—	1
II	Mining and quarrying	146	107	85	86	—	—	—	—
III	Food, drink and tobacco	26	24	22	23	10	9	7	8
IV	Coal and petroleum products	2	2	2	2	—	—	—	—
V	Chemical and allied industries	14	12	12	12	2	2	1	2
VI	Metal manufacture	48	43	36	39	2	1	1	1
VII	Mechanical engineering	47	43	37	35	3	2	2	2
VIII	Instrument engineering	2	2	1	2	1	1	—	—
IX	Electrical engineering	13	12	11	11	4	4	3	3
X	Shipbuilding and marine engineering	14	13	12	11	—	—	—	—
XI	Vehicles	23	21	18	19	2	1	1	1
XII	Metal goods, not elsewhere specified	24	22	20	20	4	3	3	3
XIII	Textiles	14	12	12	10	6	5	4	4
XIV	Leather, leather goods and fur	2	1	1	1	—	—	—	—
XV	Clothing and footwear	2	2	1	2	3	3	2	2
XVI	Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	20	18	16	16	2	2	1	1
XVII	Timber, furniture, etc.	15	13	14	15	1	1	1	1
XVIII	Paper, printing and publishing	13	11	10	11	2	2	1	2
XIX	Other manufacturing industries	11	10	9	9	2	1	2	2
XX	Construction	92	76	72	76	1	—	—	—
XXI	Gas, electricity and water	13	13	12	10	—	—	—	—
XXII	Transport and communication	56	48	45	45	3	3	3	2
XXIII	Distributive trades	43	42	39	39	11	9	9	9
XXIV	Insurance, banking, finance and business services	2	3	3	2	1	1	1	1
XXV	Professional and scientific services	9	7	9	8	11	10	11	12
XXVI	Miscellaneous services	20	20	19	19	12	10	10	9
XXVII	Public administration and defence	26	24	26	24	3	3	3	2

Source: 2½ per cent sample of claimants.

Notes: (a) Starting on first Monday in June.

(b) According to Standard Industrial Classification (revised 1968).

(c) 53 weeks.

INJURY BENEFIT: TABLE 20.59

SPELLS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY COMMENCING IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a) RESULTING FROM FRESH DEVELOPMENTS OF PRESCRIBED DISEASES

	Prescribed disease number	Number					
		1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71 (b)	1971/72	1972/73 (c)
All prescribed diseases		22,845	23,659	22,606	19,814	16,922	15,978
Poisoning by lead or a compound of lead	1	97	108	100	83	111	62
Squamous-celled carcinoma of the skin	23(c)	19	23	32	28	16	9
Subcutaneous cellulitis of the hand (Beat hand)	31	129	108	127	91	56	51
Bursitis or subcutaneous cellulitis arising at or about the knee, due to severe or prolonged external friction or pressure at or about the knee (Beat knee)	32	3,256	2,698	2,172	1,691	1,295	1,159
Bursitis or subcutaneous cellulitis arising at or about the elbow, due to severe or prolonged external friction or pressure at or about the elbow (Beat elbow)	33	509	459	428	340	276	286
Traumatic inflammation of the tendons of the hand or forearm or of the associated tendon sheaths	34	4,380	4,469	4,348	3,864	3,550	3,404
Tuberculosis	38	76	70	84	89	63	64
Inflammation or ulceration of the mucous membrane of the upper respiratory passages or mouth, produced by dust, liquid or vapour ..	41	38	77	65	54	45	43
Non-infective dermatitis of external origin (including chrome ulceration of the skin but excluding dermatitis due to ionising particles or electromagnetic radiations other than radiant heat)	42	14,206	15,515	15,149	13,425	11,370	10,788
Pulmonary disease due to the inhalation of the dust of mouldy hay or other mouldy vegetable produce and characterised by symptoms and signs attributable to a reaction in the peripheral part of the bronchopulmonary system, and giving rise to a defect in gas exchange (Farmer's lung) ..	43	33	44	13	14	8	3
Other diseases		102	88	88	135	132	109

Source: 100 per cent count.

Notes: (a) Starting on first Monday in June.

(b) 53 weeks.

(c) Provisional figures.

INJURY BENEFIT : TABLE 20.62

SPELLS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY TERMINATING IN THE PERIOD 7 JUNE 1971 TO 3 JUNE 1972 RESULTING FROM INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS, ANALYSED BY INDUSTRY (a) AND DURATION

Thousands

Order		All durations	Duration (weekdays)									
			1-3	4-6	7-12	13-18	19-24	25-48	49-78	79-150	151-156	
	Males:											
	All industries	576	15	71	129	106	63	116	41	26	9	
I	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	13	—	2	3	2	1	3	1	1	—	
II	Mining and quarrying	92	3	6	16	17	11	22	8	6	2	
III	Food, drink and tobacco	23	1	3	6	5	3	4	1	—	—	
IV	Coal and petroleum products	3	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	
V	Chemical and allied industries	12	—	1	3	2	1	2	1	1	—	
VI	Metal manufacture	38	1	4	8	7	5	9	3	2	1	
VII	Mechanical engineering	38	1	5	9	6	4	8	2	1	—	
VIII	Instrument engineering	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
IX	Electrical engineering	11	—	2	3	2	1	2	1	1	—	
X	Shipbuilding and marine engineering	12	—	1	2	2	2	3	1	1	—	
XI	Vehicles	19	—	2	4	3	2	4	2	1	—	
XII	Metal goods not elsewhere classified	21	—	3	5	4	2	4	2	1	—	
XIII	Textiles	13	—	2	3	2	1	3	1	1	—	
XIV	Leather, leather goods and fur	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
XV	Clothing and footwear	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
XVI	Bricks, pottery, glass, cement etc.	17	—	2	4	3	2	3	1	1	—	
XVII	Timber, furniture etc.	15	1	2	3	2	2	3	1	1	—	
XVIII	Paper, printing and publishing	10	—	1	2	2	1	2	1	—	—	
XIX	Other manufacturing industries	10	—	1	2	2	1	2	1	—	—	
XX	Construction	74	2	11	18	14	8	12	5	3	2	
XXI	Gas, electricity and water	12	—	2	3	2	2	2	1	—	—	
XXII	Transport and communication	45	1	4	9	8	5	10	4	2	1	
XXIII	Distributive trades	39	1	6	10	8	4	6	2	1	1	
XXIV	Insurance, banking, finance and business services	3	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	
XXV	Professional and scientific services	9	—	1	3	1	1	1	—	—	—	
XXVI	Miscellaneous services	19	—	3	6	4	2	3	1	1	—	
XXVII	Public administration and defence	27	1	5	6	5	3	4	2	1	—	
	Females:											
	All industries	70	2	7	16	13	7	13	5	4	3	

Source: 2½ per cent sample of claimants.

Note: (a) According to Standard Industrial Classification (revised 1968).

INJURY BENEFIT: TABLE 20.64

SPELLS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY TERMINATING IN THE PERIOD 7 JUNE 1971 TO 3 JUNE 1972, ANALYSED BY CAUSE OF INCAPACITY (a) AND DURATION, WITH, MEDIAN DURATION

	Detailed list numbers	All durations	Duration (weekdays)									Estimated median duration
			1-3	4-6	7-12	13-18	19-24	25-48	49-78	79-150	151-156	
			Thousands										Days
Males:												
Accidents:												
All causes		576	15	71	129	106	63	116	41	26	9	16
Fractures:												
Skull, spine and trunk ..	N800-N809	6	-	-	1	1	1	2	1	-	-	31
Upper limb(s)	N810-N819	20	-	-	1	2	3	8	4	2	1	36
Lower limb(s)	N820-N829	22	-	1	2	2	2	8	3	3	2	35
Intracranial injuries excluding those with skull fracture ..	N850-N854	9	1	1	2	2	1	2	1	-	-	15
Burns	N940-N949	16	-	2	4	3	2	3	1	1	-	15
Sprains and strains:												
Knee and leg	N844	10	-	1	2	2	1	2	1	-	-	18
Ankle and foot	N845	18	1	3	5	4	2	3	1	-	-	13
Sacro-iliac region	N846	5	-	-	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	17
Other unspecified parts of back	N847	73	1	9	16	16	9	13	4	3	1	16
Other sprains and strains of joints and adjacent muscles	N840-N843, N848	28	1	5	8	5	3	4	1	1	-	13
Lacerations and open wounds of upper limb(s)	N880-N887	54	1	8	16	11	6	7	2	1	-	13
Other lacerations and open wounds and superficial injuries	N870-N879, N890-N918	19	1	4	6	3	2	2	-	-	-	11
Contusions and crushing with intact skin surface	N920-N929	60	2	9	14	12	6	12	4	2	-	15
Injury of unspecified nature:												
Face and neck	N996.0	6	-	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	16
Trunk	N996.1	34	1	3	7	7	4	8	3	2	1	18
Shoulder and upper arm ..	N996.2	8	-	1	1	2	1	2	-	-	-	17
Elbow, forearm and wrist ..	N996.3	13	-	2	3	3	1	3	1	1	-	16
Hand(s) except finger(s) ..	N996.4	14	1	2	3	3	1	3	1	1	-	16
Finger(s)	N996.5	21	-	2	5	4	3	5	2	1	-	18
Lower limb(s)	N996.6, N996.7	74	2	9	17	13	9	15	5	3	1	17
Other specified, multiple and unspecified sites	N996.8, N996.9	14	-	1	3	3	1	3	1	1	1	20
Other injuries		14	1	3	4	2	1	2	1	1	-	10
Diseases resulting from accidents		38	1	4	8	5	4	7	4	4	1	21
Prescribed diseases:												
All diseases		15	-	1	2	3	2	4	2	1	-	23
Non-infective dermatitis of external origin (b)		12	-	1	2	2	1	3	1	1	-	25
Females:												
Accidents:												
All causes		70	2	7	16	13	7	13	5	4	3	17
Prescribed diseases:												
All diseases		6	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	1	-	23

Source: 2½ per cent sample of claimants.

Notes: (a) According to International Classification of Diseases, 1965.

(b) See table 20.59 for a full description of disease.

INJURY BENEFIT: TABLE 20.68

DAYS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a) RESULTING FROM ACCIDENTS AND PRESCRIBED DISEASES, ANALYSED BY REGION (b)

Millions

	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71(c)	1971/72	1972/73
Males:					
Great Britain	20.0	19.8	17.2	15.9	14.6
England:					
All regions	15.1	15.0	13.1	12.0	11.5
North	2.3	2.3	1.9	1.8	1.6
Yorkshire and Humberside	2.8	2.9	2.4	2.2	2.1
East Midlands	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.1	1.1
East Anglia	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3
South East:					
GLC	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.1
Remainder	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.3
South West	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.7
West Midlands	1.7	1.5	1.3	1.3	1.3
North West	2.6	2.6	2.3	2.1	2.0
Wales	2.2	2.2	1.8	1.7	1.3
Scotland	2.6	2.7	2.3	2.1	1.8
Females:					
Great Britain	3.2	3.0	2.7	2.4	2.0
England:					
All regions	2.5	2.3	2.1	1.9	1.6
North	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2
Yorkshire and Humberside	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3
East Midlands	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
East Anglia	0.1	0.1	0.1	—	—
South East:					
GLC	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2
Remainder	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
South West	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
West Midlands	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2
North West	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4
Wales	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1
Scotland	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants for 1968/69; 2½ per cent sample from 1969/70.

Notes: (a) Starting on first Monday in June

(b) Standard Regions.

(c) 53 weeks.

INJURY BENEFIT: TABLE 20.69

DAYS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a), ANALYSED BY AGE

Millions

Age at 31 May	1962/63	1963/64	1964/65 (b)	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71 (b)	1971/72	1972/73
Males:											
Accidents:											
All ages	16.6	18.4	19.4	20.2	19.2	19.9	19.3	19.2	16.6	15.3	14.6
Under 20	1.1	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.0	0.8	0.9
20-24	1.3	1.5	1.6	1.8	1.8	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.6	1.5	1.5
25-29	1.5	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.8	2.0	1.7	1.6	1.7
30-34	1.6	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.2	2.1	2.1	1.9	1.6	1.5
35-39	1.9	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.0	2.2	2.0	2.1	2.0	1.7	1.6
40-44	2.0	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.2	1.8	1.7	1.4
45-49	1.8	1.8	1.9	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.0	1.8	1.6
50-54	1.8	1.9	2.1	2.2	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.6	1.7
55-59	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.1	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.5	1.3
60-64	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.3	1.2
65 and over	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2
Prescribed diseases:											
All ages	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.4
Females:											
Accidents:											
All ages	2.4	2.5	3.0	3.1	2.8	2.6	2.9	2.7	2.5	2.1	2.0
Under 20	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
20-24	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
25-29	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
30-34	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1
35-39	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2
40-44	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2
45-49	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3
50-54	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3
55-59	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3
60 and over	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2
Prescribed diseases:											
All ages	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants up to 1968/69; 2½ per cent sample from 1969/70.

Notes: (a) Starting on first Monday in June.

(b) 53 weeks.

INJURY BENEFIT: TABLE 20.70

DAYS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a), ANALYSED BY CAUSE OF INCAPACITY (b)

Millions

	Detailed list numbers	1962/63	1963/64	1964/65(c)	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71(c)	1971/72	1972/73
Males:												
Accidents:												
All causes		16.6	18.4	19.4	20.2	19.2	19.9	19.3	19.2	16.6	15.3	14.6
Fractures:												
Skull, spine and trunk ..	N800-N809	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3
Upper limb(s)	N810-N819	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.6	1.1	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.9
Lower limb(s)	N820-N829											
Intracranial injuries excluding those with skull fractures ..	N850-N854	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.2
Burns	N940-N949	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Sprains and strains:												
Knee and leg	N844	2.8	3.3	3.7	4.1	3.8	4.1	3.9	4.1	0.4	0.3	0.3
Ankle and foot	N845											
Sacro-iliac region	N846											
Other and unspecified parts of back	N847											
Other sprains and strains of joints and adjacent muscles	N840-N843, N848									0.6	0.6	0.6
Lacerations and open wounds of upper limb(s)	N880-N887	2.7	3.4	3.6	3.4	3.3	3.3	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.4
Other lacerations and open wounds and superficial injuries	N870-N879, N890-N918											
Contusion and crushing with intact skin surface	N920-N929											
Injury of unspecified nature:												
Face and neck	N996.0	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.3	0.2	0.2	0.2
Trunk	N996.1											
Shoulder and upper arm ..	N996.2	1.7	1.8	1.9	2.2	1.9	2.1	1.7	1.7	0.3	0.3	0.2
Elbow, forearm and wrist ..	N996.3											
Hand(s) except finger(s) ..	N996.4											
Finger(s)	N996.5	2.1	2.0	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.5	2.3	2.2	0.5	0.5	0.3
Lower limb(s)	N996.6, N996.7											
Other specified, multiple and unspecified sites	N996.8, N996.9									0.5	0.5	0.4
Other injuries		2.5	2.5	2.6	2.7	2.4	2.6	2.5	2.6	0.4	0.3	0.3
Diseases resulting from accidents										1.3	1.4	1.2
Prescribed diseases:												
All diseases		0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.4
Non-infective dermatitis of external origin		0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.3
Other diseases		0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1

INJURY BENEFIT: TABLE 20.70 (continued)

DAYS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a), ANALYSED BY CAUSE OF INCAPACITY (b)

Millions

	Detailed list numbers	1962/ 63	1963/ 64	1964/ 65(c)	1965/ 66	1966/ 67	1967/ 68	1968/ 69	1969/ 70	1970/ 71(c)	1971/ 72	1972/ 73
Females:												
Accidents:												
All causes		2.4	2.5	3.0	3.1	2.8	2.6	2.9	2.7	2.5	2.1	2.0
Fractures:												
Skull, spine and trunk	N800-N809	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Upper limb(s)	N810-N819	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Lower limb(s)	N820-N829											
Intracranial injuries excluding those with skull fractures	N850-N854	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	—	—
Burns	N940-N949	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	—	—
Sprains and strains:												
Knee and leg	N844	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.2
Ankle and foot	N845											
Sacro-iliac region	N846											
Other and unspecified parts of back	N847											
Other sprains and strains of joints and adjacent muscles	N840-N843, N848									0.1	0.1	0.1
Lacerations and open wounds of upper limb(s)	N880-N887							0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Other lacerations and open wounds and superficial injuries	N870-N879, N890-N918	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.1	—	0.1
Contusion and crushing with intact skin surfaces	N920-N929							0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2
Injury of unspecified nature:												
Face and neck	N996.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Trunk	N996.1											
Shoulder and upper arm	N996.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1
Elbow, forearm and wrists	N996.3											
Hand(s) except finger(s)	N996.4											
Finger(s)	N996.5										0.1	—
Lower limb(s)	N996.6, N996.7	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.2
Other specified, multiple and unspecified sites	N996.8, N996.9									0.1	0.1	0.1
Other injuries		0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	—	0.1	—
Diseases resulting from accidents										0.1	0.2	0.1
Prescribed diseases:												
All diseases		0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Non-infective dermatitis of external origin		0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Other diseases		0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants up to 1968/69; 2½ per cent sample from 1969/70.

Notes: (a) Starting on first Monday in June.

(b) According to International Classification of Diseases, 1965

(c) 53 weeks.

INJURY BENEFIT: TABLE 20.71

DAYS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a) RESULTING FROM INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS AND PRESCRIBED DISEASES, ANALYSED BY INDUSTRY (b) (1962/63–1968/69)

Millions

Order		1962/63	1963/64	1964/65(c)	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69
	Males:							
	All industries	17.2	19.0	20.0	20.9	19.9	20.6	20.0
I	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4
II	Mining and quarrying	6.4	7.0	7.0	7.3	6.1	5.8	4.8
III	Food, drink and tobacco	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6
IV	Chemicals and allied industries	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4
V	Metal manufacture	0.7	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.3
VI	Engineering and electrical goods	0.9	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.5
VII	Shipbuilding and marine engineering	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
VIII	Vehicles	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.7
IX	Metal goods not elsewhere specified	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6
X	Textiles	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4
XI	Leather, leather goods and fur	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
XII	Clothing and footwear	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
XIII	Bricks, pottery, glass, cement etc.	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6
XIV	Timber, furniture etc.	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4
XV	Paper, printing and publishing	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
XVI	Other manufacturing industries	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3
XVII	Construction	2.1	2.3	2.4	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.7
XVIII	Gas, electricity and water	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
XIX	Transport and communication	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.7	1.6
XX	Distributive trades	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.8	1.0	1.0
XXI	Insurance, banking and finance	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1
XXII	Professional and scientific services	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
XXIII	Miscellaneous services	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
XXIV	Public administration and defence	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7
	Females:							
	All industries	2.6	2.8	3.3	3.4	3.1	2.9	3.2
I	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
II	Mining and quarrying	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
III	Food, drink and tobacco	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4
IV	Chemicals and allied industries	—	0.1	—	0.1	—	—	0.1
V	Metal manufacture	—	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
VI	Engineering and electrical goods	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3
VII	Shipbuilding and marine engineering	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
VIII	Vehicles	—	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
IX	Metal goods not elsewhere specified	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2
X	Textiles	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2
XI	Leather, leather goods and fur	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
XII	Clothing and footwear	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
XIII	Bricks, pottery, glass, cement etc.	—	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
XIV	Timber, furniture etc.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
XV	Paper, printing and publishing	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
XVI	Other manufacturing industries	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
XVII	Construction	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
XVIII	Gas, electricity and water	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
XIX	Transport and communication	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
XX	Distributive trades	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4
XXI	Insurance, banking and finance	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
XXII	Professional and scientific services	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
XXIII	Miscellaneous services	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.5
XXIV	Public administration and defence	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants.

Notes: (a) Starting on first Monday in June.

(b) According to Standard Industrial Classification (revised 1958).

(c) 53 weeks.

INJURY BENEFIT: TABLE 20.72

DAYS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a) RESULTING FROM INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS AND PRESCRIBED DISEASES, ANALYSED BY INDUSTRY (b) (1969/70-1972/3)

Millions

Order		Males				Females			
		1969/70	1970/71 (c)	1971/72	1972/73	1969/70	1970/71 (c)	1971/72	1972/73
	All industries	19.8	17.2	15.9	15.1	3.0	2.7	2.4	2.3
I	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	—	—	—	—
II	Mining and quarrying	4.3	3.4	2.9	2.5	—	—	—	—
III	Food, drink and tobacco	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2
IV	Coal and petroleum products	0.1	—	0.1	0.1	—	—	—	—
V	Chemical and allied industries	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.1	—	0.1
VI	Metal manufacture	1.4	1.3	1.1	1.1	0.1	0.1	—	—
VII	Mechanical engineering	1.2	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
VIII	Instrument engineering	—	0.1	—	—	—	—	0.1	—
IX	Electrical engineering	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1
X	Shipbuilding and marine engineering	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	—	—	—	—
XI	Vehicles	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.1	—	—	—
XII	Metal goods, not elsewhere specified	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
XIII	Textiles	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
XIV	Leather, leather goods and fur	0.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
XV	Clothing and footwear	—	—	0.1	—	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
XVI	Bricks, pottery, glass, cement etc.	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.4	—	—	—	—
XVII	Timber, furniture etc.	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	—	—	—	—
XVIII	Paper, printing and publishing	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	—
XIX	Other manufacturing industries	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	—	0.1
XX	Construction	2.6	2.2	2.1	2.0	—	—	—	—
XXI	Gas, electricity and water	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	—	—	—	—
XXII	Transport and communication	1.8	1.5	1.4	1.4	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
XXIII	Distributive trades	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2
XXIV	Insurance, banking, finance and business services	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	—	—	—	—
XXV	Professional and scientific services	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
XXVI	Miscellaneous services	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4
XXVII	Public administration and defence	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.1	0.1	0.1	—

Source: 2½ per cent sample of claimants.

Notes: (a) Starting on first Monday in June.

(b) According to the Standard Industrial Classification (revised 1968).

(c) 53 weeks.

INJURY BENEFIT: TABLE 20.74

DAYS OF CERTIFIED INCAPACITY IN STATISTICAL YEAR (a) RESULTING FROM INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS, ANALYSED BY AGE AND EXPRESSED AS RATES PER PERSON AT RISK IN THE RELEVANT SEX AND AGE GROUP

Age at 31 May					1962/63	1963/64	1964/65 (b)	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71 (b)	1971/72
Males:														
All ages	..	..	..	..	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.1
Under 20	..	..	..	..	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.0	0.8
20-24	..	..	..	..	0.9	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.0
25-29	..	..	..	..	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.1	1.0
30-34	..	..	..	..	1.1	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.2
35-39	..	..	..	..	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.3
40-44	..	..	..	..	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.7	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.3	1.3
45-49	..	..	..	..	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.3
50-54	..	..	..	..	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.3	1.2
55-59	..	..	..	..	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.2
60-64	..	..	..	..	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.2	1.0	1.1
65 and over	..	..	..	..	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.4
Females:														
All ages	..	..	..	..	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2
Under 20	..	..	..	..	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
20-24	..	..	..	..	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1
25-29	..	..	..	..	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1
30-34	..	..	..	..	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2
35-39	..	..	..	..	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2
40-44	..	..	..	..	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3
45-49	..	..	..	..	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4
50-54	..	..	..	..	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4
55-59	..	..	..	..	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.3
60 and over	..	..	..	..	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4

Source: 5 per cent sample of claimants up to 1968/69; 2½ per cent sample from 1969/70.

Notes: (a) Starting on first Monday in June.

(b) 53 weeks.

INDUSTRIAL DISABLEMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 21.01

STANDARD RATES OF DISABILITY PENSION (a) FOR PERSONS AGED 18 AND OVER

Date	Percentage degree of disablement								
	100	90	80	70	60	50	40	30	20
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
5 July 1948	2.25	2.025	1.80	1.575	1.35	1.125	0.90	0.675	0.45
24 July 1952	2.75	2.475	2.20	1.925	1.65	1.375	1.10	0.825	0.55
19 May 1955	3.375	3.038	2.70	2.363	2.025	1.688	1.35	1.013	0.675
6 February 1958	4.25	3.825	3.40	2.975	2.55	2.125	1.70	1.275	0.85
5 April 1961	4.875	4.388	3.90	3.413	2.925	2.438	1.95	1.463	0.975
27 May 1963	5.75	5.175	4.60	4.025	3.45	2.875	2.30	1.725	1.15
31 March 1965	6.75	6.075	5.40	4.725	4.05	3.375	2.70	2.025	1.35
1 November 1967	7.60	6.85	6.075	5.325	4.55	3.80	3.05	2.275	1.525
5 November 1969	8.40	7.55	6.70	5.90	5.05	4.20	3.35	2.50	1.70
22 September 1971	10.00	9.00	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00
4 October 1972	11.20	10.08	8.96	7.84	6.72	5.60	4.48	3.36	2.24
3 October 1973	12.80	11.52	10.42	8.96	7.68	6.40	5.12	3.84	2.56
24 July 1974	16.40	14.76	13.12	11.48	9.84	8.20	6.56	4.92	3.28

Note: (a) For assessments at less than 20 per cent a lump sum gratuity is normally paid. In certain cases a pension may be paid, i.e. assessments for pneumoconiosis and byssinosis, and also in cases where special hardship allowance is payable.

TABLE 21.02

RATES OF SUPPLEMENTS AND ALLOWANCES PAYABLE WITH INDUSTRIAL DISABLEMENT BENEFIT

Date	Unemployability supplement	Constant attendance allowance			Exceptionally severe disablement allowance	Special hardship allowance (a)
		Normal maximum	Intermediate rate	Exceptional maximum		
	£	£	£	£	£	£
5 July 1948	1.00	1.00	.	2.00	.	1.00
24 July 1952	1.625	1.25	.	2.50	.	1.00
19 May 1955	2.00	1.50	.	3.00	.	1.375
6 February 1958	2.50	1.75	.	3.50	.	1.70
5 April 1961	2.875	2.00	.	4.00	.	1.95
7 March 1963	3.375	2.50(b)	.	5.00(b)	.	2.30(b)
27 January 1965	4.00	2.75(c)	.	5.50(c)	.	2.70(c)
6 April 1966	4.00	2.75	4.125	5.50	3.00	2.70
26 October 1967	4.50	3.00(d)	4.50(d)	6.00(d)	3.00	3.05(d)
5 November 1969	5.00	3.30	4.95	6.60	3.00	3.35
22 September 1971	6.00(e)	4.00	6.00	8.00	4.00	4.00
4 October 1972	6.75(e)	4.50	6.75	9.00	4.50	4.48
3 October 1973	7.75(e)	5.15	7.75	10.30	5.15	5.12
24 July 1974	10.00(e)	6.60	9.90	13.20	6.60	6.56

Notes: (a) Maximum amount payable.

(b) From 27 May 1963.

(c) From 31 March 1965.

(d) From 1 November 1967.

(e) Plus an additional allowance in appropriate cases on the same basis as invalidity allowance under the National Insurance scheme.

INDUSTRIAL DISABLEMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 21.05

PNEUMOCONIOSIS MEDICAL PANELS: CASES EXAMINED FOR PNEUMOCONIOSIS AND BYSSINOSIS (a)

Number

Year ending 31 December	Preliminary X-ray examinations	Examinations by boards					Reassessments
		All examinations	First examination		Re-examinations (disease not previously diagnosed)		
			Cases diagnosed	Cases not diagnosed	Cases diagnosed	Cases not diagnosed	
1963	13,861	35,615	2,666	2,993	376	1,424	28,156
1964	13,258	34,132	1,577	2,330	342	1,462	28,421
1965	13,367	32,821	1,241	2,403	379	1,428	27,370
1966	12,385	31,346	1,110	1,984	312	1,307	26,633
1967	11,652	27,081	981	1,733	282	1,395	22,690
1968	11,546	24,899	933	1,653	304	1,314	20,695
1969	9,984	23,296	767	1,424	275	1,158	19,672
1970	9,351	21,803	857	1,280	363	936	18,367
1971	9,233	20,193	707	1,257	250	823	17,156
1972	9,016	19,731	693	1,097	274	808	16,859
1973	8,664	18,816	609	1,203	215	714	16,075

Source: 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) Excludes cases under the Pneumoconiosis, Byssinosis and Miscellaneous Diseases Benefit Scheme, 1966.

INDUSTRIAL DISABLEMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 21.07

PNEUMOCONIOSIS MEDICAL PANELS: EXAMINATIONS FOR PNEUMOCONIOSIS AND BYSSINOSIS (a) MADE BY BOARDS IN 1973, ANALYSED BY ATTRIBUTABLE INDUSTRY (b)

							Number
	First examinations			Re-examinations (disease not previously diagnosed)			Re-assessments
	Total	Disease diagnosed	Disease not diagnosed	Total	Disease diagnosed	Disease not diagnosed	
All industries	1,812	609	1,203	929	215	714	16,075
Coal mining	1,243	340	903	771	175	596	12,532
Refractories	17	7	10	3	1	2	102
Sandstone	4	3	1	3	2	1	50
Pottery	33	15	18	8	1	7	504
Asbestos	221	130	91	46	13	33	508
Coal trimming	3	—	3	—	—	—	4
Tin mining	2	1	1	—	—	—	8
Haematite mining	1	—	1	1	—	—	15
Slate mining	8	4	4	2	1	1	37
Slate splitting	24	13	11	11	3	8	88
Graphite	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
Building (c)	11	11	—	1	—	1	49
Sandblasting etc.	2	1	1	—	—	—	10
Tunnellers	7	7	—	1	—	1	20
Metal grinding	2	—	2	—	—	—	7
Steel dressers	12	8	4	4	3	1	133
Abrasive soap powders	1	—	1	1	1	—	8
Barytes mining	1	1	—	—	—	—	11
Quarrying	2	1	1	—	—	—	15
Furnace dismantling	5	—	5	1	—	1	55
Carbon electrode manufacture	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
Boiler scaling	2	1	1	—	—	—	9
Iron foundry workers	55	29	26	17	4	13	338
Steel foundry workers	9	1	8	2	—	2	91
Non-ferrous foundry workers	2	—	2	2	—	2	19
Fireclay mining	—	—	—	1	—	1	20
Other clay mining	2	2	—	1	—	1	9
Chert mining	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lead mining	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
Oil shale mining	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
Stratified ironstone mining	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Other mining	1	—	1	—	—	—	5
Other scheduled occupations	23	8	15	6	1	5	40
Unscheduled occupations	24	1	23	8	3	5	56
Cotton (byssinosis)	95	25	70	40	7	33	1,320
Flax (byssinosis)	—	—	—	—	—	—	1

Source: 100 per cent count.

Notes: (a) Excludes cases under the Pneumoconiosis, Byssinosis and Miscellaneous Diseases Benefit Scheme, 1966.

(b) Cases not diagnosed are analysed by industry constituting the main risk.

(c) Stonemasons (except at sandstone quarries) and granite masons.

INDUSTRIAL DISABLEMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 21.09

EXAMINATIONS MADE BY MEDICAL BOARDS (a)

Thousands

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All examinations	348	363	366	356	351	352	339	290	277	265
First examinations	174	180	177	173	171	170	161	135	128	124
Re-assessments and reviews	157	164	172	166	164	165	163	142	136	129
Miscellaneous examinations (b)	18	18	17	17	16	17	16	13	12	12

Source: 100 per cent count

Notes: (a) Other than Pneumoconiosis Medical Boards.

(b) Mainly in connection with diagnosis and recrudescence question in prescribed disease claims and with award of special hardship allowance, constant attendance allowance and unemployability supplement.

TABLE 21.10

ASSESSMENTS COMMENCING IN YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER, ANALYSED BY TYPE

Thousands

	1964(a)	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973(b)
Gratuities:										
Accidents:										
All assessments	209	235	247	241	237	235	229	203	191	186
Initial assessments	113	124	127	122	123	122	117	100	94	94
Re-assessments from gratuity	78	92	101	100	97	96	97	89	83	80
Re-assessments from pension and other assessments (c)	17	19	18	18	17	17	16	14	13	12
Prescribed diseases:										
All assessments	9	9	9	9	9	10	9	9	8	6
Pensions (d):										
Accidents:										
All assessments (e)	29	30	29	27	28	27	24	21	20	19
Initial assessments	23	24	23	21	21	21	18	16	14	14
Re-assessments from gratuity and other assessments (c) (e)	6	6	6	6	6	7	6	6	5	5
Prescribed diseases:										
All assessments (e)	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	1

Source: 20 per cent sample of claimants up to 1968/69; 10 per cent sample from 1969/70.

Notes: (a) 11 months only.

(b) Provisional figures including allowance for late awards, etc.

(c) Including transfers from Northern Ireland; cases reviewed after final payment has been made or following nil assessment, etc.

(d) Including pensions in lieu of gratuities.

(e) Excluding re-assessments from pension.

INDUSTRIAL DISABLEMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 21.20

APPEALS AND REFERENCES TO MEDICAL APPEAL TRIBUNALS

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Appeals:										
Accidents:										
Total decisions	14,009	14,184	14,373	13,952	13,435	12,865	12,645	10,925	10,340	9,294
Decisions in claimant's favour										
Number	4,911	4,705	4,753	4,915	4,906	4,827	4,732	4,086	4,034	3,667
Percentage	35	33	33	35	37	38	37	37	39	39
Prescribed diseases:										
Total decisions	510	461	521	525	486	482	462	382	385	325
Decisions in claimant's favour										
Number	214	189	214	262	226	230	203	178	169	156
Percentage	42	41	41	50	47	48	44	47	44	48
References by direction of Secretary of State:										
Accidents:										
Total decisions	5,156	5,699	5,384	5,076	4,528	4,101	4,253	3,968	3,947	3,376
Decisions in claimant's favour										
Number	1,453	1,388	1,436	1,425	1,309	1,387	1,337	1,221	1,222	1,137
Percentage	28	24	27	28	29	34	31	31	31	34
Prescribed diseases:										
Total decisions	308	317	294	279	263	243	290	238	267	213
Decisions in claimant's favour										
Number	90	79	73	86	84	88	99	81	101	71
Percentage	29	25	25	31	32	36	34	34	38	33

Source: 100 per cent count.

TABLE 21.22

DECISIONS MADE BY MEDICAL APPEAL TRIBUNALS ON DIAGNOSIS AND RECRUDESCENCE QUESTIONS

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Appeals by claimant:										
Diagnosis questions:										
Total appeals	430	457	443	484	446	480	516	402	326	278
Medical board decision reversed										
Number	130	141	140	151	141	171	171	144	119	93
Percentage	30	31	32	31	32	36	33	36	37	33
Recrudescence questions:										
Total appeals	16	15	17	19	17	16	16	25	17	6
Medical board decision reversed										
Number	3	4	5	3	4	5	2	13	9	3
Percentage	19	27	29	16	24	31	13	52	53	50
References by direction of Secretary of State:										
Diagnosis questions:										
Total references	179	207	185	188	190	162	212	185	241	166
Medical board decision reversed										
Number	84	119	98	104	100	75	112	79	117	71
Percentage	47	57	53	55	53	46	53	43	49	43
Recrudescence questions:										
Total references	10	9	3	7	2	4	5	4	5	10
Medical board decision reversed										
Number	5	7	1	1	—	2	—	3	3	4
Percentage	50	78	33	14	—	50	—	75	60	40

Source: 100 per cent count.

INDUSTRIAL DISABLEMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 21.30

PENSIONS, OR PENSIONS IN LIEU OF GRATUITIES, CURRENT AT 30 SEPTEMBER, ANALYSED BY TYPE

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973(a)
All assessments	196	199	202	203	205	208	207	205	204	202
Accidents:										
All types	139	142	146	149	152	155	155	155	156	156
Provisional	29	29	29	27	26	26	24	21	20	19
Final	109	113	117	122	125	129	131	134	136	137
Pneumoconiosis:										
All types	50	49	48	47	46	45	43	42	40	38
Provisional	48	47	45	44	43	41	40	39	37	35
Final	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Other prescribed diseases:										
All types	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
Provisional	4	5	4	4	4	5	4	4	4	4
Final	3	3	3	3	4	4	4	4	4	4

Source: 20 per cent sample of claimants up to 1969; 10 per cent sample from 1970.

Note: (a) Provisional figures including allowance for late awards, etc.

TABLE 21.32

PENSIONS, OR PENSIONS IN LIEU OF GRATUITIES, CURRENT AT 30 SEPTEMBER 1972 (a), ANALYSED BY AGE

Thousands

	All ages	Age at 30 September 1972								
		Under 25	25-34	35-44	45-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65-69	70 and over
All assessments:										
All causes	202(b)	3	13	27	21	24	27	30	27	31
Accidents	154	3	13	25	18	20	19	21	17	19
Pneumoconiosis	40	}	-	1	3	4	7	9	10	12
Other prescribed diseases	8									
Life assessments:										
All causes	140	1	10	21	16	18	17	19	17	21

Source: 10 per cent sample of claimants.

Notes: (a) Including awards made up to 16 March 1973.

(b) 183,000 males and 19,000 females.

INDUSTRIAL DISABLEMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 21.34

PENSIONS, OR PENSIONS IN LIEU OF GRATUITIES, CURRENT AT 30 SEPTEMBER 1972(a), ANALYSED BY PERCENTAGE ASSESSMENT

Thousands

	All assessments	Percentage assessment								
		1 to 10	11 to 19	20	30	40	50	60	70 to 90	100
All causes	202(b)	27	2	76	47	21	10	6	7	5
Accidents	154	8	2	63	41	18	8	5	5	3
Pneumoconiosis	40	17(c)	(d)	10	5	3	1	1	1	1
Other prescribed diseases	8	2	—	3	1	1	—	—	—	—

Source: 10 per cent sample of claimants.

Notes: (a) Including awards made up to 16 March 1973.

(b) 183,000 males and 19,000 females.

(c) Paid at 10 per cent rate.

(d) Paid at 20 per cent rate.

TABLE 21.36

PENSIONS, OR PENSIONS IN LIEU OF GRATUITIES, CURRENT AT 30 SEPTEMBER 1972(a), ANALYSED BY YEAR OF FIRST PENSION ASSESSMENT

Thousands

	All years	Year of first pension assessment						
		1948 to 1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972
All assessments:								
All causes	202(b)	152	7	8	8	7	9	11
Accidents	154	111	6	7	7	6	8	10
Pneumoconiosis	40	41	1	1	1	1	1	1
Other prescribed diseases	8							
Life assessments:								
All causes	140	117	6	6	5	4	2	1
Accidents	133	111	6	6	5	4	2	1
Pneumoconiosis	3	6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other prescribed diseases	4							

Source: 10 per cent sample of claimants.

Notes: (a) Including awards made up to 16 March 1973

(b) 183,000 males and 19,000 females.

INDUSTRIAL DISABLEMENT BENEFIT: TABLE 21.40

SPECIAL HARDSHIP ALLOWANCES CURRENT AT 30 SEPTEMBER

Thousands

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973(a)
All allowances	129	134	137	140	144	146	146	144	144	143
Allowances payable with pensions(b):										
All causes	81	84	85	85	86	87	85	83	82	81
Pneumoconiosis	27	28	27	27	26	26	25	23	23	21
Accidents and other prescribed diseases	54	56	57	58	59	61	61	60	60	60
Allowances payable following gratuities:										
All causes	48	51	52	55	58	60	61	61	62	62

Source: 20 per cent sample of claimants up to 1969; 10 per cent sample from 1970.

Notes: (a) Provisional figures including allowance for late awards, etc.

(b) Including pensions in lieu of gratuities.

TABLE 21.42

SPECIAL HARDSHIP ALLOWANCES, AND OTHER ALLOWANCES AND SUPPLEMENTS, CURRENT AT 30 SEPTEMBER 1972(a)

Thousands

	All cases	Percentage assessment								
		1 to 10	11 to 19	20	30	40	50	60	70 to 90	100
Special hardship allowances:										
Allowances payable with pensions(b):										
All causes	82(c)	17	3	23	17	9	5	4	5	—
Accidents	54	8	2	16	12	6	4	3	3	—
Pneumoconiosis	22	7(d)	.(e)	6	4	2	1	1	1	—
Other prescribed diseases	5	2	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
Allowances payable following gratuities:										
All causes	61(f)	32	28	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Accidents	54	26	27	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Prescribed diseases	7	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Hospital treatment allowances	0.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Unemployability supplements (g)	0.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Constant attendance allowances (g)	2.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Exceptionally severe disablement allowances (g)	0.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.

Source: 10 per cent sample of claimants.

Notes: (a) Including awards made up to 16 March 1973.

(b) Including 11,000 pensions in lieu of gratuities.

(c) 73,000 males and 9,000 females.

(d) Pensions paid at 10 per cent rate.

(e) Pensions paid at 20 per cent rate.

(f) 52,000 males and 9,000 females.

(g) Including cases paid under Section 81 of National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act 1965 and cases under Pneumoconiosis, Byssinosis and Miscellaneous Diseases Benefit Scheme, 1966.

INDUSTRIAL DEATH BENEFIT: TABLE 22.01

RATES OF INDUSTRIAL DEATH BENEFIT

Date		Widow's pension		Increase for dependent children			
		Higher rate (a)	Ordinary rate	Only, elder or eldest	Second	Third	Each other
		£	£	£	£	£	£
5 July	1948	1.80	1.50	0.375			
3 September	1951	1.80	1.50	0.50	0.125	0.125	0.125
24 July	1952	2.125	1.85	0.525	0.125	0.125	0.125
25 April	1955	2.75	2.25	0.575	0.175	0.175	0.175
2 October	1956	2.75	2.25	0.825	0.425	0.425	0.425
27 January	1958	3.50	2.80	1.00	0.60	0.60	0.60
3 April	1961	4.00	3.20	1.25	0.85	0.85	0.85
27 May	1963	4.75	3.75	1.50	1.10	1.10	1.10
30 March	1964	4.75	3.75	1.875	1.475	1.375	1.375
29 March	1965	5.625	4.50	2.00	1.60	1.50	1.50
1 November	1967(b)	6.35	5.05	2.125	1.725	1.625	1.375
10 April	1968(b)	6.35	5.05	2.275	1.525	1.425	1.425
8 October	1968(b)	6.35	5.05	2.275	1.375	1.275	1.275
3 November	1969	7.00	5.55	2.45	1.55	1.45	1.45
20 September	1971	8.40	6.55	2.95	2.05	1.95	1.95
2 October	1972	9.45	7.30	3.30	2.40	2.30	2.30
1 October	1973	10.85	8.30	3.80	2.90	2.80	2.80
22 July	1974	14.00	10.55	4.90	4.00	3.90	3.90

Notes: (a) Payable for the first 26 weeks of widowhood (13 weeks where the husband died before 6 July 1966).
 (b) Reduction in rates for certain children accompanied increase in family allowance.

TABLE 22.05

DEATHS DURING THE YEAR WHICH ATTRACTED AWARDS OF BENEFIT, ANALYSED BY INDUSTRY (a) (1962-1969)

Order number		Number							
		1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969
	All industries	2,104	2,161	2,044	2,071	1,964	1,739	1,817	1,918
I	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	82	58	51	74	77	59	101	57
II	Mining and quarrying	795	881	735	802	640	612	611	644
III	Food, drink and tobacco	16	21	17	23	28	24	18	17
IV	Chemicals and allied industries	31	43	26	35	47	44	49	42
V	Metal manufacture	114	109	99	112	91	81	88	114
VI	Engineering and electrical goods	69	60	69	55	77	49	50	74
VII	Shipbuilding and marine engineering	41	24	27	27	31	33	31	43
VIII	Vehicles	31	37	22	17	32	33	28	27
IX	Metal goods not elsewhere specified	15	23	24	17	18	22	18	22
X	Textiles	54	47	59	44	44	44	61	52
XI	Leather, leather goods and fur	3	1	—	1	3	2	1	1
XII	Clothing and footwear	2	—	5	—	3	—	2	1
XIII	Bricks, pottery, glass, cement etc.	82	84	86	73	64	61	65	65
XIV	Timber, furniture etc.	9	9	14	9	14	12	16	18
XV	Paper, printing and publishing	7	13	15	15	14	11	7	14
XVI	Other manufacturing industries	10	10	10	14	10	13	14	21
XVII	Construction	225	237	255	221	291	215	227	253
XVIII	Gas, electricity and water	22	32	45	38	30	33	29	32
XIX	Transport and communication	226	232	232	222	238	205	216	212
XX	Distributive trades	60	62	65	64	66	66	68	76
XXI	Insurance, banking and finance	6	5	7	8	5	8	5	4
XXII	Professional and scientific services	25	23	11	17	25	18	27	23
XXIII	Miscellaneous services	55	35	40	48	51	35	35	41
XXIV	Public administration and defence	61	50	71	55	65	59	50	65
	Industry not known	63	65	59	80	—	—	—	—

Source: 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) According to the Standard Industrial Classification (Revised 1958).

INDUSTRIAL DEATH BENEFIT: TABLE 22.06

DEATHS DURING THE YEAR WHICH ATTRACTED AWARDS OF BENEFIT, ANALYSED BY INDUSTRY (a) (1970-1971)

Number

Order number		1970	1971	1972	1973(b)
	All industries	1,811	1,660	1,749	1,530
I	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	45	45	49	46
II	Mining and quarrying	631	546	597	530
III	Food, drink and tobacco	33	27	30	26
IV	Coal and petroleum products	4	1	5	5
V	Chemical and allied industries	28	36	41	36
VI	Metal manufacture	94	85	84	96
VII	Mechanical engineering	54	63	46	26
VIII	Instrument engineering	5	4	4	4
IX	Electrical engineering	21	13	22	15
X	Shipbuilding and marine engineering	47	42	50	53
XI	Vehicles	26	25	33	22
XII	Metal goods not elsewhere specified	25	16	12	21
XIII	Textiles	52	61	56	49
XIV	Leather, leather goods and fur	1	1	-	1
XV	Clothing and footwear	1	3	3	1
XVI	Bricks, pottery, glass, cement etc.	54	49	62	49
XVII	Timber, furniture etc.	17	17	14	9
XVIII	Paper, printing and publishing	14	9	15	6
XIX	Other manufacturing industries	15	7	11	14
XX	Construction	208	223	185	187
XXI	Gas, electricity and water	26	33	27	23
XXII	Transport and communication	226	193	206	160
XXIII	Distributive trades	69	51	64	63
XXIV	Insurance, banking, finance and business services	10	10	9	11
XXV	Professional and scientific services	22	21	24	12
XXVI	Miscellaneous services	40	29	29	27
XXVII	Public administration and defence	43	50	71	38

Source: 100 per cent count.

Notes: (a) According to the Standard Industrial Classification (Revised 1968).
(b) Provisional figures including awards notified up to 1 June 1972.

TABLE 22.30

PENSIONS AND ALLOWANCES CURRENT AT 31 DECEMBER

Number

	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973(a)
Pensions:												
Widows:												
All rates	21,957	23,239	24,358	25,514	26,424	27,003	27,708	28,458	29,095	29,491	29,874	30,213
Higher rate payable after widowhood (b)	545	545	493	534	715	799	802	923	816	792	826	652
Other rates	21,412	22,694	23,865	24,980	25,709	26,204	26,906	27,535	28,279	28,699	29,047	29,561
Other persons	488	496	496	479	477	458	448	432	425	385	367	347
Allowances:												
Women in charge of child(ren)	64	62	61	61	62	65	66	66	64	59	61	56
Children	14,188	14,060	13,872	13,572	13,433	13,175	13,009	12,910	12,750	12,524	12,128	12,413

Source: 100 per cent count.

Notes: (a) Provisional figures including awards up to 1 June 1973.

(b) Payable for the first 26 weeks of widowhood (13 weeks where the husband died before 6 July 1966).

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION SUPPLEMENTATION SCHEME: TABLE 23.30

ALLOWANCES CURRENT AT 30 SEPTEMBER, ANALYSED BY TYPE

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973(a)
Number								
Accident or disease occurred before 1 January 1924:								
Males:								
All allowances	1,220	1,131	1,037	960	869	772	677	600
Major incapacity allowances ..	..	..	..	141	120	97	91	78
Basic allowance also payable ..	..	..	..	141	120	97	91	78
Basic allowance not payable ..	..	..	..	—	—	—	—	—
Lesser incapacity allowances ..	..	..	..	819	749	675	586	522
Basic allowance also payable ..	..	..	..	762	697	626	544	488
Basic allowance not payable ..	..	..	..	57	52	49	42	34
Females:								
All allowances	37	35	31	26	23	22	21	19
Major incapacity allowances ..	..	..	..	13	12	12	12	12
Basic allowance also payable ..	..	..	..	13	12	12	12	12
Basic allowance not payable ..	..	..	..	—	—	—	—	—
Lesser incapacity allowance ..	..	..	..	13	11	10	9	7
Basic allowance also payable ..	..	..	..	8	6	5	4	2
Basic allowance not payable ..	..	..	..	5	5	5	5	5
Accident or disease occurred on or after 1 January 1924:								
Males:								
All allowances	12,149	11,482	10,698	10,017	9,237	8,438	7,856	7,211
Major incapacity allowances ..	..	..	..	2,029	1,816	1,582	1,447	1,261
Lesser incapacity allowances ..	..	..	..	7,988	7,421	6,856	6,409	5,950
Females:								
All allowances	337	332	315	311	295	288	274	269
Major incapacity allowances ..	..	..	..	113	106	105	100	98
Lesser incapacity allowances ..	..	..	..	198	189	183	174	171

Source: 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) Provisional figures.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION SUPPLEMENTATION SCHEME: TABLE 23.32

ALLOWANCES CURRENT AT 30 SEPTEMBER, ANALYSED BY CAUSE

Number

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973(a)
Accident or disease occurred before 1 January 1924:								
Males:								
All causes	1,220	1,131	1,037	960	869	772	677	600
Accidents	1,207	1,120	1,028	952	862	766	673	596
Major incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	140	119	96	90	77
Lesser incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	812	743	670	583	519
Pneumoconiosis	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Major incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	—	—	—	—	—
Lesser incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	—	—	—	—	—
Other diseases	12	11	9	8	7	6	4	4
Major incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	1
Lesser incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	7	6	5	3	3
Females:								
All causes	37	35	31	26	23	22	21	19
Accidents	29	28	26	21	20	19	18	17
Major incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	11	11	11	11	11
Lesser incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	10	9	8	7	6
Pneumoconiosis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Major incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	—	—	—	—	—
Lesser incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	—	—	—	—	—
Other diseases	8	7	5	5	3	3	3	2
Major incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	2	1	1	1	1
Lesser incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	3	2	2	2	1
Accident or disease occurred on or after 1 January 1924:								
Males:								
All causes	12,149	11,482	10,698	10,017	9,237	8,438	7,856	7,211
Accidents	8,168	7,763	7,271	6,826	6,320	5,791	5,430	5,013
Major incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	1,276	1,146	1,000	922	809
Lesser incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	5,550	5,174	4,791	4,508	4,204
Pneumoconiosis	3,169	2,967	2,724	2,529	2,313	2,103	1,926	1,752
Major incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	660	585	511	463	398
Lesser incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	1,869	1,728	1,592	1,463	1,354
Other diseases	812	752	703	662	604	544	500	446
Major incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	93	85	71	62	54
Lesser incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	569	519	473	538	392
Females:								
All causes	337	332	315	311	295	288	274	269
Accidents	285	280	267	264	254	248	236	231
Major incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	100	94	93	88	86
Lesser incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	164	160	155	148	145
Pneumoconiosis	1	1	1	—	—	—	1	1
Major incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	—	—	—	—	—
Lesser incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	—	—	—	1	1
Other diseases	51	51	47	47	41	40	37	37
Major incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	13	12	12	12	12
Lesser incapacity allowances .. .. .	..	..	..	34	29	28	25	25

Source: 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) Provisional figures.

PNEUMOCONIOSIS, BYSSINOSIS AND MISCELLANEOUS DISEASES
BENEFIT SCHEME: TABLE 24.30

ALLOWANCES CURRENT AT 30 SEPTEMBER

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973(a)
Number								
Males:								
Total incapacity:								
All causes	1,116	1,118	1,045	905	777	673	588	529
Pneumoconiosis	1,090	1,091	1,019	883	760	655	575	515
Byssinosis	26	21	19	14	12	10	7	7
Miscellaneous diseases	--	6	7	8	5	8	6	7
Partial incapacity:								
All causes	4,594	4,219	3,864	3,583	3,320	3,011	2,746	2,518
Pneumoconiosis	4,553	4,166	3,809	3,526	3,263	2,952	2,688	2,465
Byssinosis	36	37	34	30	27	27	24	22
Miscellaneous diseases	5	16	21	27	30	32	34	31
Females:								
Total incapacity:								
All causes	74	76	78	73	62	59	54	46
Pneumoconiosis	47	47	50	47	39	38	33	30
Byssinosis	27	29	26	23	21	18	17	14
Miscellaneous diseases	--	--	2	3	2	3	4	2
Partial incapacity:								
All causes	234	233	223	221	218	220	217	202
Pneumoconiosis	140	137	125	126	130	134	134	124
Byssinosis	94	95	97	93	86	84	82	77
Miscellaneous diseases	--	1	1	2	2	2	1	1

Source: 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) Provisional figures.

FAMILY ALLOWANCE: TABLE 30.01

RATES OF FAMILY ALLOWANCE

Date	Second child	Third and subsequent children
	£	£
6 August 1946	0.25	0.25
2 September 1952	0.40	0.40
2 October 1956	0.40	0.50(a)
9 April 1968	0.75	0.85
8 October 1968	0.90	1.00

Note: (a) From 24 October 1967 to 8 April 1968 family allowance for fourth and subsequent children was increased to £0.75.

TABLE 30.05

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM NUMBER OF FAMILIES RECEIVING FAMILY ALLOWANCE DURING YEAR, ANALYSED BY REASON

Thousands

	1963(a)	1964(b)	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972
Number of families at beginning of period	3,637	3,716	3,794	3,869	3,944	4,037	4,124	4,189	4,249	4,323
Additions during period:										
Total	386	400	409	399	393	367	373	394	406	351
Birth of child	289	272	294	288	286	287	276	276	280	262
Other reasons	97	128	115	112	106	80	97	118	126	89
Deductions during period:										
Total	307	321	334	324	299	280	308	334	332	313
Child in family leaving school:										
At minimum school-leaving age(c) ..	84	118	114	101	92	76	84	78	81	75
At other age	137	129	137	137	122	116	133	164	161	146
Child in family attaining age limit(d) ..	26	15	19	23	23	25	28	27	29	30
Death of child in family	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	3	4	4
Other reasons	56	54	60	59	58	58	60	61	57	58
Number of families at end of period	3,716	3,794	3,869	3,944	4,037	4,124	4,189	4,249	4,323	4,362

Source: 4 per cent sample of families.

Notes: (a) 12 months ended 31 January in following year.

(b) 11 months ended 31 December 1964.

(c) The minimum school-leaving age was raised from age 15 to age 16 from 1 September 1972.

(d) Age 18 up to 30 March 1964 and age 19 thereafter.

FAMILY ALLOWANCE: TABLE 30.06

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM NUMBER OF CHILDREN ATTRACTING FAMILY ALLOWANCE DURING YEAR, ANALYSED BY REASON

	Thousands									
	1963(a)	1964(b)	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972
Number of children attracting allowances at beginning of period	5,943	6,128	6,279	6,423	6,556	6,704	6,834	6,906	6,955	7,004
Additions during period:										
Total	753	781	799	774	751	702	706	724	734	650
Birth of child	584	554	586	565	550	548	519	596	502	452
Other reasons	170	228	213	209	201	154	188	128	232	198
Deductions during period:										
Total	568	630	656	641	603	572	634	676	685	678
Child in family leaving school:										
At minimum school-leaving age (c) ..	187	272	265	246	224	191	210	199	210	202
At other age	232	229	245	241	226	221	258	311	311	312
Child in family attaining age limit (d) ..	39	23	31	37	39	42	45	46	51	52
Death of child in family	10	9	10	9	9	10	9	8	8	7
Other reasons	100	97	105	107	106	109	112	111	105	106
Number of children attracting allowances at end of period	6,128	6,279	6,423	6,556	6,704	6,834	6,906	6,955	7,004	6,977

Source: 4 per cent sample of families.

Notes: (a) 12 months ended 31 January in following year.

(b) 11 months ended 31 December 1964.

(c) The minimum school-leaving age was raised from age 15 to age 16 from 1 September 1972.

(d) Age 18 up to 30 March 1964 and age 19 thereafter.

FAMILY ALLOWANCE: TABLE 30.20

APPEALS AND REFERENCES TO LOCAL TRIBUNALS AND APPEALS TO THE COMMISSIONER

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
To Local Tribunals:										
Total appeals and references	1,197	1,381	870	845	894	825	773	642	793	701
Total appeals	1,197	1,381	870	845	894	825	773	642	793	701
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	60	70	67	53	73	53	53	64	80	54
Percentage	5	5	8	6	8	6	7	10	10	8
Total references	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Decisions in claimant's favour:										
Number	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Percentage	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
To the Commissioner:										
Total appeals	59	49	42	34	45	49	50	42	35	33
Decision in claimant's favour:										
Number	3	8	5	5	6	4	7	8	6	4
Percentage	5	16	12	15	13	8	14	19	17	12

Source: 100 per cent count.

TABLE 30.30

CHILDREN AND FAMILIES WITH FAMILY ALLOWANCE AT 31 DECEMBER, IN GREAT BRITAIN AND IN ENGLAND, WALES AND SCOTLAND

Thousands

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Total number of children in families receiving allowances:										
Great Britain	10,074	10,292	10,500	10,741	10,958	11,095	11,204	11,327	11,339	11,531
England	8,442	8,641	8,840	9,055	9,249	9,366	9,463	9,579	9,601	9,769
Wales	508	513	514	524	533	539	544	553	555	569
Scotland	1,123	1,138	1,146	1,163	1,176	1,190	1,196	1,194	1,182	1,193
Number of children attracting allowances:										
Great Britain	6,279	6,423	6,556	6,704	6,834	6,906	6,955	7,004	6,977	7,078
England	5,243	5,374	5,502	5,633	5,751	5,814	5,858	5,907	5,892	5,981
Wales	318	321	321	327	332	335	337	341	341	349
Scotland	718	728	733	743	751	758	760	756	745	748
Number of families receiving allowances:										
Great Britain	3,794	3,869	3,944	4,037	4,124	4,189	4,249	4,323	4,362	4,453
England	3,199	3,267	3,338	3,421	3,498	3,552	3,606	3,672	3,709	3,788
Wales	190	192	193	197	201	205	207	212	215	220
Scotland	405	410	413	419	425	432	436	439	438	445

Source: 4 per cent sample of families.

FAMILY ALLOWANCE: TABLE 30.34

FAMILIES RECEIVING FAMILY ALLOWANCE AT 31 DECEMBER, ANALYSED BY SIZE OF FAMILY WITH TOTAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN

	Units	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Total number of children in families receiving allowances ..	Thousands	10,074	10,292	10,500	10,741	10,958	11,095	11,204	11,327	11,339	11,531
Number of children attracting allowances	Thousands	6,279	6,423	6,556	6,704	6,834	6,906	6,955	7,004	6,977	7,078
Number of families receiving allowances:											
All families	Thousands	3,794	3,869	3,944	4,037	4,124	4,189	4,249	4,323	4,362	4,453
	Per cent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
With 2 children	Thousands	2,271	2,304	2,336	2,388	2,435	2,476	2,522	2,589	2,644	2,722
	Per cent	59.8	59.5	59.2	59.1	59.0	59.1	59.4	59.9	60.6	61.1
With 3 children	Thousands	943	961	991	1,016	1,047	1,074	1,093	1,110	1,115	1,127
	Per cent	24.8	24.8	25.1	25.2	25.4	25.6	25.7	25.7	25.6	25.3
With 4 children	Thousands	353	372	382	397	406	408	411	413	405	406
	Per cent	9.3	9.6	9.7	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.7	9.5	9.3	9.1
With 5 children	Thousands	135	138	141	142	144	144	141	138	131	131
	Per cent	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.0	2.9
With 6 or more children ..	Thousands	93	94	94	94	92	87	82	74	67	65
	Per cent	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.1	1.9	1.7	1.5	1.5

Source: 4 per cent sample of families.

TABLE 30.36

CHILDREN (a) IN FAMILIES RECEIVING FAMILY ALLOWANCE AT 31 DECEMBER 1972, ANALYSED BY SIZE OF FAMILY AND AGE OF CHILDREN

	Children in families receiving family allowance					
	All children	Number of children in family				
		2	3	4	5	6 or more
All ages	11,339	5,288	3,344	1,619	657	431
Under 1	450	260	115	47	17	11
1	539	303	141	59	21	14
2	632	358	163	70	26	16
3	717	399	191	78	29	19
4	765	397	217	93	36	23
5	786	379	238	105	39	25
6	809	366	253	116	45	29
7	825	357	260	126	50	31
8	826	337	263	135	55	36
9	805	322	257	135	56	36
10	770	309	240	129	56	35
11	727	292	227	121	51	36
12	684	280	206	115	49	34
13	622	263	183	100	46	29
14	575	258	163	88	37	28
15	403	190	115	56	25	16
16	210	109	58	26	10	7
17	124	69	33	14	5	3
18	71	40	19	7	3	2

Source: 4 per cent sample of families.

Note: (a) Including the elder or eldest child in respect of whom an allowance was not in payment.

FAMILY ALLOWANCE: TABLE 30.37

CHILDREN IN FAMILIES RECEIVING FAMILY ALLOWANCE AT 31 DECEMBER 1972, ANALYSED BY SENIORITY IN FAMILY AND AGE

Thousands

Age	All children	Seniority in family					
		1st child (a)	2nd child	3rd child	4th child	5th child	6th or subsequent child
All ages	11,339	4,362	4,362	1,717	603	198	97
Under 1	450	2	260	114	47	16	10
1	539	39	281	132	54	20	12
2	632	129	281	134	56	21	11
3	717	205	284	139	55	22	13
4	765	238	291	144	58	22	12
5	786	254	299	143	57	22	12
6	809	269	302	148	59	21	10
7	825	274	315	150	59	19	8
8	826	275	322	150	56	18	5
9	805	285	325	139	44	11	2
10	770	289	322	121	31	6	1
11	727	299	314	94	17	2	—
12	684	320	294	62	7	1	—
13	622	361	228	30	2	—	—
14	575	423	139	11	1	—	—
15	403	330	69	4	—	—	—
16	210	181	28	—	—	—	—
17	124	117	7	—	—	—	—
18	71	70	1	—	—	—	—

Source: 4 per cent sample of families.

Note: (a) The elder or eldest child in respect of whom an allowance was not in payment.

TABLE 30.38

FAMILIES RECEIVING FAMILY ALLOWANCE AT 31 DECEMBER, 1972 ANALYSED BY SIZE OF FAMILY AND AGE OF YOUNGEST CHILD

Thousands

Age of youngest child	All families	Families of				
		2 children	3 children	4 children	5 children	6 or more children
All ages	4,362	2,644	1,115	405	131	67
Under 1	441	257	112	46	16	10
1	467	264	124	51	18	11
2	422	234	113	48	17	10
3	391	213	110	44	16	9
4	369	199	104	43	16	8
5	343	186	97	39	14	7
6	331	182	95	37	12	5
7	314	178	90	34	9	4
8	293	173	82	28	8	2
9	249	162	65	19	3	1
10	216	154	50	11	2	—
11	179	139	35	5	1	—
12	142	119	21	2	—	—
13	97	86	10	1	—	—
14	60	55	4	—	—	—
15	30	29	1	—	—	—
16	12	12	—	—	—	—
17	3	3	—	—	—	—
18	—	—	—	—	—	—

Source: 4 per cent sample of families.

FAMILY ALLOWANCE: TABLE 30.40

FAMILIES RECEIVING FAMILY ALLOWANCE AT 31 DECEMBER 1972, ANALYSED BY SIZE OF FAMILY AND WHETHER FAMILY INCLUDED CHILD UNDER AGE 5

Thousands

	All families	Families with no child under age 5	Families with child under age 5				
			Total families	Number of children under age 5 in family			
				1	2	3	4 or more
All families ..	4,362	2,271	2,091	1,188	802	93	8
Families with:							
2 children ..	2,644	1,477	1,167	618	549	—	—
3 children ..	1,115	552	562	358	145	60	—
4 children ..	405	174	230	141	67	18	4
5 children ..	131	49	83	49	24	8	2
6 or more children	67	19	48	23	17	7	1

Source: 4 per cent sample of families.

TABLE 30.41

CHILDREN (a) IN FAMILIES RECEIVING FAMILY ALLOWANCE AT 31 DECEMBER 1972, ANALYSED BY SIZE OF FAMILY AND, WHERE CHILD UNDER AGE 5, BY AGE

Thousands

	All children	Children in families with no child under age 5	Children in families with child under age 5							
			All children	Children aged 5 or more	Children under age 5					
					Total children	Age				
						Under 1	1	2	3	4
All children	11,339	5,669	5,670	2,568	3,102	450	539	632	717	765
Children in families of:										
2 children ..	5,288	2,955	2,333	617	1,716	260	303	358	399	397
3 children ..	3,344	1,657	1,687	860	827	115	141	163	191	217
4 children ..	1,619	697	922	575	347	48	59	70	78	93
5 children ..	657	243	414	285	129	17	21	26	29	36
6 or more children	431	117	314	231	83	11	14	16	19	23

Source: 4 per cent sample of families.

Note: (a) Including the elder or eldest child in respect of whom an allowance was not in payment.

FAMILY INCOME SUPPLEMENT: TABLE 32.01

RATE OF FAMILY INCOME SUPPLEMENT

The weekly rate of family income supplement depends on two factors, firstly a "prescribed amount" fixed according to the number of children in the family and, secondly, the gross weekly income of the family.

The amount of the supplement is one half of the difference between the family's gross income and the prescribed amount, rounded to the nearest 10p above. The minimum amount payable is 20p per week. The prescribed amounts, with maximum supplement payable, are as follows:—

Date	Prescribed amount							Maximum rate payable	
	Number of children in family								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	For each additional child add		
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
31 August 1971	18.00	20.00	22.00	24.00	26.00	28.00	2.00	4.00	
4 April 1972	20.00	22.00	24.00	26.00	28.00	30.00	2.00	5.00	
3 April 1973	21.00	23.50	26.00	28.50	30.50	32.50	2.00	5.00	
								Families with	
								1 or 2	3 or more
								children	children
								£	£
2 October 1973	21.50	24.00	26.50	29.00	31.50	34.00	2.50	5.00	6.00
23 July 1974	25.00	28.00	31.00	34.00	37.00	40.00	3.00	5.50	7.00

TABLE 32.05

AWARDS AND REJECTIONS EACH YEAR

	Number		
	1971(a)	1972	1973(b)
Total	158,733	304,131	167,996
Number of awards:			
New and repeat	74,297	89,745	52,646
Renewal	6,634	94,276	41,575
Number of rejections:			
New and repeat	74,934	92,634	57,741
Reason for rejection:			
Residence	115	51	14
Not in full-time work	18,608	23,437	14,162
Not normally in full-time work	1,168	977	535
No reckonable children	2,270	2,848	1,601
Excess income	44,980	49,887	31,373
Failure to provide information	7,793	15,434	10,056
Renewal	1,298	24,683	14,000
Reason for rejection:			
Residence	1	50	4
Not in full-time work	315	6,212	3,022
Not normally in full-time work	8	113	63
No reckonable children	23	451	350
Excess income	929	15,771	9,263
Failure to provide information	22	2,086	1,298
Claims withdrawn	1,570	2,793	2,004

Source: 100 per cent count.

Notes: (a) The family income supplement scheme came into operation on 3 August 1971 and claims were accepted and decided in advance, starting in May 1971.

(b) Annual awards were introduced in April 1973.

FAMILY INCOME SUPPLEMENT: TABLE 32.10

AWARDS CURRENT ON LAST PAY-DAY IN EACH MONTH ANALYSED BY TYPE OF FAMILY

	Type of family			
	All families	Two-parent families	One-parent families headed by a man	One-parent families headed by a woman
	Thousands			
31 August 1971	47	32	1	14
28 September 1971	55	37	1	17
26 October 1971	63	42	1	20
30 November 1971	68	45	1	22
28 December 1971	71	47	1	23
25 January 1972	75	50	1	24
29 February 1972	70	47	1	22
28 March 1972	68	45	1	22
25 April 1972	89	59	2	29
30 May 1972	96	63	2	32
27 June 1972	100	65	2	33
25 July 1972	101	65	2	34
29 August 1972	95	60	2	34
26 September 1972	92	57	1	33
31 October 1972	83	50	1	32
28 November 1972	84	50	1	33
26 December 1972	82	48	1	33
30 January 1973	82	47	1	33
27 February 1973	79	45	1	33
27 March 1973	78	44	1	33
24 April 1973	87	49	1	37
29 May 1973	94	53	1	40
26 June 1973	97	54	1	42
31 July 1973	101	56	1	44
28 August 1973	103	57	1	45
25 September 1973	106	58	1	46
30 October 1973	101	55	1	45
27 November 1973	98	52	1	44
25 December 1973	95	50	1	43
29 January 1974	90	46	1	42

Source: 20 per cent sample up to 1973; 10 per cent sample from 1974.

FAMILY INCOME SUPPLEMENT: TABLE 32.20

APPEALS TO TRIBUNALS

	1971	1972	1973
Total appeals	623	2,525	1,573
Decisions in claimant's favour:			
Number	16	167	96
Percentage	3	7	6

Source: 100 per cent count.

TABLE 32.30

AWARDS CURRENT AT 25 DECEMBER 1973, ANALYSED BY SIZE AND TYPE OF FAMILY AND AMOUNT IN PAYMENT, WITH AVERAGE AMOUNT

	Amount of family income supplement in payment (£)								Average amount
	All amounts	under 1.00	1.00—1.90	2.00—2.90	3.00—3.90	4.00—4.90	5.00—5.90	6.00 (Max)	
	Thousands								£
All types of family:									
All families	95	12	25	23	16	10	7	1	2.55
With 1 child	38	4	10	9	7	4	3	.	2.61
With 2 children	23	4	7	6	3	2	2	.	2.35
With 3 children	15	2	4	4	2	1	1	1	2.48
With 4 children	10	2	2	2	2	1	—	—	2.46
With 5 children	5	—	1	1	1	1	—	—	2.75
With 6 or more children	4	—	1	1	1	1	—	—	3.28
Two-parent families:									
All families	50	8	15	13	8	4	2	1	2.31
With 1 child	10	2	3	2	1	1	—	.	2.19
With 2 children	12	2	4	3	1	1	1	.	2.05
With 3 children	11	2	3	3	2	1	—	—	2.24
With 4 children	8	1	2	2	1	1	—	—	2.34
With 5 children	5	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	2.66
With 6 or more children	4	—	1	1	1	1	—	—	3.22
One-parent families headed by a man:									
All families	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2.36
With 1 child	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	.	2.33
With 2 children	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	.	2.11
With 3 or more children	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2.67
One-parent families headed by a woman:									
All families	43	4	9	10	9	6	5	—	2.83
With 1 child	28	3	6	7	6	3	3	.	2.77
With 2 children	10	1	2	2	2	1	1	.	2.76
With 3 or more children	6	—	1	1	1	1	1	—	3.24

Source: 20 per cent sample.

FAMILY INCOME SUPPLEMENT: TABLE 32.32

AWARDS CURRENT AT 25 DECEMBER 1973, ANALYSED BY REGION (a) AND TYPE OF FAMILY, WITH AVERAGE AMOUNT IN PAYMENT

	Type of family				Average amount
	All families	Two-parent families	One-parent families headed by a man	One-parent families headed by a woman	
	Thousands				
Great Britain	95	50	1	43	2.55
England:					
All regions	77	40	1	36	2.55
Northern	6	3	—	3	2.53
Yorkshire and Humberside	11	6	—	5	2.54
East Midlands and East Anglia	11	6	—	4	2.56
London North	5	2	—	3	2.44
London South	8	4	—	4	2.43
London West	6	3	—	3	2.59
South Western	8	6	—	3	2.53
West Midlands	8	4	—	4	2.62
North Western, Manchester	7	3	—	4	2.62
North Western, Merseyside	7	3	—	4	2.58
Wales	4	3	—	1	2.57
Scotland	13	8	—	6	2.56

Source: 20 per cent sample.

Note: (a) Social Security Administrative Regions.

FAMILY INCOME SUPPLEMENT: TABLE 32.36

AWARDS CURRENT AT 30 OCTOBER 1973, ANALYSED BY TYPE OF FAMILY AND TOTAL INCOME OF FAMILY AT DATE OF CLAIM

Thousands

Total income of family at date of claim	Type of family			
	All families	Two-parent families	One-parent families headed by a man	One-parent families headed by a woman
£				
All ranges of income ..	101	55	1	45
Under 9.00 ..	2	—	—	1
9.00— 9.99 ..	1	—	—	1
10.00—10.99 ..	2	—	—	1
11.00—11.99 ..	2	—	—	1
12.00—12.99 ..	3	1	—	2
13.00—13.99 ..	4	1	—	3
14.00—14.99 ..	5	1	—	4
15.00—15.99 ..	6	2	—	5
16.00—16.99 ..	7	3	—	5
17.00—17.99 ..	9	3	—	5
18.00—18.99 ..	10	5	—	5
19.00—19.99 ..	10	5	—	4
20.00—20.99 ..	9	6	—	3
21.00—21.99 ..	7	5	—	2
22.00—22.99 ..	6	5	—	1
23.00—23.99 ..	5	4	—	1
24.00—24.99 ..	4	3	—	—
25.00—25.99 ..	3	3	—	—
26.00—26.99 ..	2	2	—	—
27.00—27.99 ..	2	2	—	—
28.00—28.99 ..	1	1	—	—
29.00—29.99 ..	1	1	—	—
30.00 and over ..	2	2	—	—

Source: 20 per cent sample.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.01

SCALE RATES (a) OF SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT

Date	Married couple		Single householder		Someone living in another person's household aged:			Children aged:				
					21 or over	18-20	16-17	13-15	11-12	5-10	Under 5	
	£		£		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
5 July 1948	2.00		1.20		1.00	0.875	0.75	0.525	0.525	0.45	0.375	
12 June 1950	2.175		1.30		1.10	0.95	0.80	0.60	0.60	0.50	0.40	
3 September 1951	2.50		1.50		1.30	1.10	0.925	0.675	0.675	0.575	0.475	
16 June 1952	2.95		1.75		1.55	1.30	1.075	0.80	0.80	0.675	0.55	
7 February 1955	3.15		1.875		1.675	1.375	1.125	0.85	0.85	0.725	0.60	
23 January 1956	3.35		2.00		1.80	1.45	1.175	0.90	0.90	0.775	0.65	
27 January 1958	3.80		2.25		2.05	1.575	1.30	1.00	1.00	0.85	0.725	
7 September 1959	4.25		2.50		2.30	1.80	1.50	1.15	1.15	0.95	0.80	
3 April 1961	4.50		2.675		2.475	1.90	1.60	1.20	1.20	1.00	0.85	
24 September 1962	4.775		2.875		2.575	2.00	1.70	1.275	1.275	1.05	0.90	
27 May 1963(b)	5.225		3.175		2.75	2.15	1.85	1.40	1.40	1.15	0.975	
29 March 1965(c)	6.275		3.80		3.375	2.575	2.225	1.675	1.675	1.35	1.125	
28 November 1966	6.65		4.05		3.45	2.75	2.35	1.75	1.75	1.45	1.175	
30 October 1967	7.05		4.30		3.55	2.90	2.50	1.85	1.85	1.50	1.25	
7 October 1968	7.45		4.55		3.70	3.05	2.65	2.05	1.95	1.60	1.35	
3 November 1969	7.85		4.80		3.85	3.20	2.80	2.20	2.05	1.65	1.40	
2 November 1970	8.50		5.20		4.15	3.50	3.05	2.40	2.20	1.80	1.50	
20 September 1971	9.45		5.80		4.60	4.05	3.60	3.00	2.45	2.00	1.70	
					18 or over							
					£							
2 October 1972	10.65		6.55		5.20		4.05	3.40	2.75	2.25	1.90	
	Ordinary rate	Long term rate	Ordinary rate	Long term rate	Ordinary rate	Long term rate						
	£	£	£	£	£	£						
1 October 1973	11.65	12.85	7.15	8.15	5.70	6.60	4.40	3.70	3.00	2.45	2.05	
22 July 1974	13.65	16.35	8.40	10.40	6.70	8.40	5.15	4.35	3.55	2.90	2.40	

- Notes: (a) These are the main scale rates for normal weekly requirements other than rent (which is provided for separately). Higher scale rates apply to blind persons aged 16 or over. The rates from 5 July 1948 until the introduction of the Supplementary Benefits Scheme on 28 November 1966 are National Assistance scale rates. Under the Ministry of Social Security Act 1966, a standard sum known as the "long term addition" was added to the requirements of supplementary pensioners (i.e. those over pensionable age) and of persons under pensionable age (other than the unemployed) who had received supplementary benefit for a continuous period of two years or more. The rates of "long term addition" were as follows:
 From 28 November 1966 — £0.45
 From 7 October 1968 — £0.50
 From 2 October 1972 — £0.60
 and for persons 80 years of age and over:
 From 20 September 1971 — £0.75
 From 2 October 1972 — £0.85
 From 1 October 1973 the long term addition was incorporated in the 'long term rate' as shown, which is applicable under the same conditions as applied previously to the long term addition. In addition the rate for pensioners aged 80 or over is increased by a further 25p.
- (b) Applicable to claimants in receipt of unemployment benefit or sickness benefit from 1 March 1963.
- (c) Applicable to claimants in receipt of unemployment benefit or sickness benefit from 28 January 1965.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.05

OUTCOME OF CLAIMS (a) RECEIVED IN 12 MONTHS ENDING NOVEMBER

Thousands

	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All claims	6,056	6,671	6,079	6,591	6,959	4,506
No entitlement or claim withdrawn	760	812	885	836	926	609
Successful claims — all cases	5,296	5,858	5,195	5,755	6,033	3,897
Claims resulting in a single payment	3,701	4,238	3,530	3,747	3,866	2,045
Claims resulting in regular weekly payments	1,594	1,620	1,664	2,008	2,167	1,852
Regular weekly payments current at end of previous period	2,559	2,637	2,688	2,738	2,901	2,911
Regular weekly payments ceasing in period	1,516	1,569	1,614	1,837	2,157	2,087
Regular weekly payments at end of period	2,637	2,688	2,738	2,909	2,911	2,675

Source: 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) Excluding claims for refund of National Health Service charges.

TABLE 34.07

OUTCOME OF CLAIMS (a) RECEIVED DURING PERIOD 22 NOVEMBER 1972 TO 6 NOVEMBER 1973: REGIONAL ANALYSIS (b)

Thousands

	All claims	No entitlement or claim withdrawn	Successful claims			Regular weekly payments current at end of previous period	Regular weekly payments ceasing in period	Regular weekly payments current at end of period
			All cases	Claims resulting in a single payment	Claims resulting in regular weekly payments			
Great Britain	4,506	609	3,897	2,045	1,852	2,911	2,087	2,675
England:								
All Regions	3,611	506	3,105	1,600	1,505	2,402	1,688	2,219
Northern	328	46	282	126	156	242	183	214
Yorkshire and Humberside	371	42	329	151	178	301	211	268
East Midlands and East Anglia	313	47	266	129	137	242	157	222
London North	390	49	341	200	141	247	154	234
London South	465	63	402	240	162	286	173	279
London West	324	51	273	124	148	217	161	204
South Western	251	45	206	95	112	182	120	174
West Midlands	400	68	332	173	159	262	181	240
North Western, Manchester	313	39	274	121	153	208	173	189
North Western, Merseyside	455	55	400	241	159	215	174	201
Wales	258	32	226	116	110	186	128	168
Scotland	637	71	567	329	237	323	271	289

Source: 100 per cent count.

Notes: (a) Excluding claims for refund of National Health Service charges.

(b) Social Security Administrative Regions.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.20

APPEALS HEARD BY TRIBUNALS

	Number									
	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Total appeals	9,703	9,565	12,302	14,922	15,898	18,153	23,574	22,419	33,735	24,485
Appeals against the decision about the right to or amount of any benefit:										
Rate confirmed	7,216	7,385	9,483	11,670	12,366	14,127	18,336	17,638	27,735	18,449
Rate increased	2,214	1,932	2,532	2,935	3,093	3,454	4,563	4,135	5,120	4,662
Rate reduced	16	31	18	11	9	8	12	10	13	13
Reports, references and appeals on other matters	257	217	269	306	430	564	663	636	867	1,361

Source: 100 per cent count.

TABLE 34.29

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON A DAY IN THE MONTH SHOWN

	Thousands									
	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972(a)	1973
January	1,981	1,979	2,018	2,544	2,598	2,681	2,709	2,811	..	..
February	1,976	1,975	2,026	2,576	2,600	2,697	2,713	..	..	..
March	1,967	1,959	2,024	2,593	2,595	2,708	2,712	2,864	2,967	..
April	1,953	1,947	2,020	2,599	2,584	2,703	2,704	2,879	..	..
May	1,936	1,936	2,010	2,604	2,577	2,695	2,689	..	2,951	2,805
June	1,922	1,926	2,005	2,610	2,566	2,687	2,673	2,888	..	..
July	1,918	1,929	2,007	2,619	2,564	2,699	2,678	..	..	..
August	1,922	1,939	2,020	2,648	2,577	2,722	2,699	2,961	2,973	2,752
September	1,925	1,944	2,040	2,665	2,574	2,727	2,700	2,935	..	..
October	1,934	1,955	2,069	2,558	2,602	2,737	2,701	..	..	..
November	1,944	1,978	2,363	2,559	2,637	2,688	2,738	2,909	2,911	2,675
December	1,961	1,997	2,495	2,577	2,654	2,692	2,767	..	..	..

Source: 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) From November 1972, the figures exclude unemployed claimants who received no payment of supplementary benefit during the week preceding the count.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.30

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON A DAY IN THE MONTH SHOWN: WITH AND WITHOUT NATIONAL INSURANCE BENEFIT

Thousands

	December			November						
	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972(a)	1973
All supplementary benefits	1,961	1,997	2,495	2,559	2,637	2,688	2,739	2,909	2,911	2,675
All supplementary pensions	1,384	1,420	1,819	1,806	1,860	1,875	1,902	1,919	1,909	1,844
Retirement pensioners and NI widows aged 60 and over	1,195	1,239	1,631	1,619	1,682	1,708	1,745	1,816	1,807	1,747
Others	188	181	187	187	178	167	156	103	102	97
All supplementary allowances	578	577	676	753	777	813	836	990	1,002	831
Unemployed:										
With NI benefit	38	34	77	86	73	71	73	129	87	48
Without NI benefit	93	78	102	138	147	157	166	258	305	201
Sick and disabled:										
With NI benefit	146	149	156	164	172	170	164	146	137	118
Without NI benefit	135	138	142	146	150	156	159	159	161	162
NI widows under age 60	56	55	59	60	61	63	63	65	62	54
Women with dependent children	95	108	125	142	157	177	191	213	227	228
Others	15	15	16	17	17	19	20	20	22	21

Source: 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) From November 1972, the figures exclude unemployed claimants who received no payment of supplementary benefit during the week preceding the count.

TABLE 34.31

NUMBERS RECEIVING REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON 6 NOVEMBER 1973: RECIPIENTS AND DEPENDANTS

Thousands

	All supplementary benefits	Supplementary pensions			Supplementary allowances							
		All pensions	Retirement pensioners and NI widows aged 60 and over	Others	All allowances	Unemployed		Sick and disabled		NI widows under aged 60	Women with dependent children	Others
						With NI benefit	Without NI benefit	With NI benefit	Without NI benefit			
Number of persons provided for	4,022	2,197	2,094	103	1,825	133	465	227	190	86	680	43
Persons in receipt of regular weekly payments	2,675	1,844	1,747	97	831	48	201	118	162	54	228	21
Number of dependants	1,347	353	347	6	994	86	264	109	28	33	451	22
Wives	549	344	339	5	205	28	94	67	11	.	.	5
Total children under 16 years	780	7	7	1	772	57	167	41	17	30	444	16
Under 5 years	235	—	—	—	235	21	46	8	4	1	151	3
5–10 years	310	2	2	—	308	21	68	14	6	9	182	7
11–12 years	99	2	2	—	97	7	22	7	3	6	51	3
13–15 years	135	3	2	—	133	8	32	12	4	14	60	3
Other dependants 16 years and over	18	2	2	—	17	1	3	2	1	2	7	1

Source: Samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.32

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON A DAY IN THE MONTH SHOWN:
ONE-PARENT FAMILIES

Thousands

	Total one-parent families	Families headed by a man	Families headed by a woman	Situation of woman				
				Single	Widowed	Divorced	Prisoner's wife	Separated
November 1970	218	6	212	57	25	35	8	88
November 1971	246	7	238	61	26	42	6	103
November 1972	259	7	252	63	26	47	6	110
November 1973	257	7	250	62	24	55	5	103

Source: Samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases.

TABLE 34.33

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON A DAY IN NOVEMBER: REGIONAL ANALYSIS (a)

Thousands

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Great Britain	2,559	2,637	2,688	2,738	2,909	2,911	2,675
England:							
All Regions	2,113	2,178	2,218	2,257	2,398	2,402	2,219
Northern	211	221	227	224	242	242	214
Yorkshire and Humberside	257	271	277	282	299	301	268
East Midlands and East Anglia	213	219	224	230	243	242	222
London North	224	226	230	234	242	247	234
London South	269	276	279	283	294	286	274
London West	198	202	202	205	216	217	204
South Western	172	177	178	183	190	182	174
West Midlands	214	222	229	233	258	262	240
North Western, Manchester	172	176	178	185	202	208	189
North Western, Merseyside	183	188	193	198	212	215	201
Wales	177	182	184	184	189	186	168
Scotland	270	276	286	297	322	323	289

Source: 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) Social Security Administrative Regions.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.34

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON 6 NOVEMBER 1973: REGIONAL ANALYSIS (a): WITH AND WITHOUT NATIONAL INSURANCE BENEFIT

Thousands

	All supplementary benefits	Supplementary pensions			Supplementary allowances							
		All pensions	Retirement pensioners and NI widows aged 60 and over	Others	All allowances	Unemployed (b)		Sick and disabled		NI widows under age 60	Women with dependent children	Others
						With NI benefit	Without NI benefit	With NI benefit	Without NI benefit			
Great Britain	2,675	1,844	1,747	97	831	48	201	118	162	54	228	21
England:												
All regions	2,219	1,554	1,474	80	665	36	151	95	130	43	192	18
Northern	214	142	135	8	72	5	24	11	12	6	13	1
Yorkshire and Humberside	268	186	180	6	82	4	21	12	14	5	24	2
East Midlands and East Anglia	222	160	154	6	62	3	15	8	14	3	18	2
London North	234	169	158	11	64	3	9	8	14	4	24	2
London South	274	206	192	14	68	3	11	9	16	4	24	2
London West	204	150	140	10	54	3	7	8	13	3	20	1
South Western	174	123	116	7	50	2	9	7	11	3	15	2
West Midlands	240	166	159	7	74	3	17	12	14	6	20	2
North Western, Manchester	189	127	123	4	61	4	13	10	11	4	18	2
North Western, Merseyside	201	124	116	8	76	7	25	10	12	5	17	2
Wales	168	108	101	7	60	3	12	10	13	5	14	2
Scotland	289	182	172	10	107	8	38	12	19	6	22	2

Source: 100 per cent count.

Notes: (a) Social Security Administrative Regions.
 (b) Breakdown based on sample of 1 in 40 cases.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.36

REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON A DAY IN NOVEMBER: AVERAGE AMOUNTS: WITH AND WITHOUT NATIONAL INSURANCE BENEFIT

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
All supplementary benefits	2.76	3.14	3.11	3.75	3.94	4.71	4.71
All supplementary pensions	1.95	2.31	2.20	2.76	2.52	2.89	2.79
Retirement pensioners and NI widows and 60 and over	1.60	2.00	1.87	2.47	2.27	2.62	2.47
Others	4.99	5.36	5.53	6.03	6.93	7.77	8.54
All supplementary allowances	4.66	5.10	5.22	5.99	6.70	8.19	8.98
Unemployed:							
With NI benefits	2.31	2.60	2.15	2.91	2.99	3.51	4.02
Without NI benefit	7.11	7.67	7.36	7.95	9.09	10.77	11.79
Sick and disabled:							
With NI benefit	2.05	2.49	2.25	3.08	2.36	2.72	2.53
Without NI benefit	4.94	5.14	5.48	5.92	6.60	7.63	8.43
NI widows under age 60	1.94	2.23	2.24	2.86	2.60	3.03	2.74
Women with dependent children	7.46	7.68	8.16	8.96	10.23	11.62	12.59
Others	5.15	5.46	6.05	6.98	7.85	8.29	10.16

Source: Sample of 1 in 80 cases prior to 1969; samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases from 1969.

TABLE 34.37

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON A DAY IN NOVEMBER: AMOUNTS PAID

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
£							
All amounts	2,559	2,637	2,688	2,738	2,909	2,911	2,675
Up to 0.25	69	33	76	28	62	67	66
0.26– 0.50	100	43	81	19	77		
0.51– 0.75	186	73	148	49	113	74	72
0.76– 1.00	234	159	211	83	173	130	95
1.01– 1.25	226	213	193	155	168	142	118
1.26– 1.50	205	213	191	178	172	146	134
1.51– 2.00	363	399	358	351	308	312	310
2.01– 2.50	256	334	302	325	308	312	392
2.51– 3.00	153	241	212	286	246	225	302
3.01– 4.00	167	249	219	395	353	352	285
4.01– 5.00	222	248	231	240	178	235	108
5.01– 6.00	117	112	99	181	216	186	76
6.01– 8.00	123	145	162	195	172	244	243
8.01– 10.00	70	85	90	98	109	141	133
10.01– 12.00	52	72	89	92	85	93	92
12.01– 12.50							
12.51– 15.00			21	52	98	114	108
15.01– 18.00	15	17	4	11	70		
18.01– 20.00							
Over 20.00						40	31
Average amount (£)	2.76	3.14	3.11	3.75	3.94	4.71	4.71

Source: Sample of 1 in 80 cases prior to 1969; samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases from 1969.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.38

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON 6 NOVEMBER 1973: AMOUNTS PAID: WITH AND WITHOUT NATIONAL INSURANCE BENEFIT

Thousands

£	All supplementary benefits	Supplementary pensions			Supplementary allowances							
		All pensions	Retirement pensioners and NI widows aged 60 and over	Others	All allowances	Unemployed		Sick and disabled		NI widows under age 60	Women with dependent children	Others
						With NI benefit	Without NI benefit	With NI benefit	Without NI benefit			
All amounts ..	2,675	1,844	1,747	97	831	48	201	118	162	54	228	21
Up to 0.50	66	52	51	1	14	3	—	8	—	2	—	—
0.51— 0.75	72	61	60	1	10	1	—	6	—	—	—	—
0.76— 1.00	95	84	83	1	11	1	—	7	—	2	—	—
1.01— 1.25	118	102	102	—	16	4	—	9	—	3	—	—
1.26— 1.50	134	118	118	—	15	2	—	9	—	4	—	—
1.51— 2.00	310	275	272	3	35	3	—	19	3	8	1	—
2.01— 2.50	392	361	360	1	31	4	—	17	1	7	1	—
2.51— 3.00	302	278	276	1	24	4	1	12	1	6	1	—
3.01— 4.00	285	247	246	1	38	8	3	14	1	9	3	—
4.01— 5.00	108	84	83	1	25	6	5	7	1	4	3	1
5.01— 6.00	76	43	41	1	34	4	8	4	10	2	5	1
6.01— 8.00	243	70	41	29	173	4	51	4	91	2	14	7
8.01—10.00	133	31	10	22	102	2	30	2	21	1	43	3
10.01—12.00	92	28	4	25	64	1	15	1	18	—	28	1
12.01—15.00	108	6	1	6	102	1	28	1	6	—	65	2
15.01—18.00	74	2	—	2	71	—	22	—	3	—	43	2
18.01—20.00	31	—	—	—	31	—	14	—	2	—	13	1
Over 20.00	36	1	—	—	36	—	22	—	3	—	9	1
Average amount (£) ..	4.71	2.79	2.47	8.54	8.98	4.02	11.79	2.53	8.43	2.74	12.59	10.16

Source: Samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.40

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON A DAY IN NOVEMBER: LONG TERM RATES (a):
EXCEPTIONAL CIRCUMSTANCES ADDITIONS

	Units	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All cases	Thousands Per cent	2,559 100	2,637 100	2,688 100	2,738 100	2,909 100	2,911 100	2,675 100
All cases with long term scale rate	Thousands Per cent	2,020 78.9	2,087 79.1	2,130 79.2	2,164 79.0	1,826 62.8	1,833 63.0	1,764 65.9
All cases with long term (higher) scale rate	Thousands Per cent	.	.	.	.	367 12.6	357 12.3	374 14.0
All cases with exceptional circumstances addition	Thousands Per cent	594 23.2	527 20.0	471 17.5	445 16.3	425 14.6	482 16.6	753 28.2
Cases with long term addition only:								
Cases with long term scale rate only	Thousands Per cent	1,525 59.6	1,635 62.0	1,725 64.2	1,782 65.1	1,529 52.6	1,497 51.4	1,243 46.5
Cases with long term (higher) scale rate only	Thousands Per cent	.	.	.	.	306 10.5	287 9.8	217 8.1
Cases with exceptional circumstances addition and:								
(1) Long term scale rate	Thousands Per cent	495 19.3	452 17.1	405 15.1	381 13.9	298 10.2	336 11.5	520 19.5
(2) Long term (higher) scale rate	Thousands Per cent	.	.	.	.	61 2.1	71 2.4	156 5.9
Cases with exceptional circumstances addition only	Thousands Per cent	99 3.9	75 2.8	66 2.5	63 2.3	67 2.3	75 2.6	77 2.9

Source: Sample of 1 in 80 cases prior to 1969; samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases from 1969.
Note: (a) Prior to 1 October 1973 the long term scale rate was the basic scale rate supplemented by a long term addition (see table 34.01)

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.41

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON 6 NOVEMBER 1973: LONG TERM RATES:
EXCEPTIONAL CIRCUMSTANCES ADDITIONS: WITH AND WITHOUT NATIONAL INSURANCE BENEFIT

	Units	All supplementary benefits	Supplementary pensions			Supplementary allowances							
			All pensions	Retirement pensioners and NI widows aged 60 and over	Others	All allowances	Unemployed		Sick and disabled		NI widows under age 60	Women with dependent children	Others
							With NI benefit	Without NI benefit	With NI benefit	Without NI benefit			
All cases	Thousands Per cent	2,675 100	1,844 100	1,747 100	97 100	831 100	48 100	201 100	118 100	162 100	54 100	228 100	21 100
All cases with long term scale rate	Thousands Per cent	1,764 65.9	1,447 78.5	1,367 78.3	79 81.7	317 38.1	— 0.4	1 0.4	62 52.6	101 62.5	34 63.2	111 48.4	8 38.7
All cases with long term (higher) scale rate ..	Thousands Per cent	374 14.0	374 20.3	366 21.0	8 7.8	— —	. .	. .	— 0.3	..	..	..	..
All cases with exceptional circumstances addition	Thousands Per cent	753 28.2	612 33.2	588 33.7	22 24.1	142 17.1	4 8.1	25 12.3	53 44.7	19 11.7	15 27.8	20 8.8	7 31.4
Cases with long term scale rate only	Thousands Per cent	1,243 46.5	993 53.9	934 53.5	59 60.4	250 30.1	— 0.4	1 0.3	31 26.5	88 54.4	25 46.4	100 43.7	6 26.4
Cases with long term (higher) scale rate only	Thousands Per cent	217 8.1	217 11.8	212 12.1	5 5.6	— —	. .	. .	— 0.2	..	..	..	..
Cases with exceptional circumstances addition and:													
(1) Long term scale rate	Thousands Per cent	520 19.5	454 24.6	433 24.8	20 21.3	67 8.0	— —	— —	31 26.1	13 8.1	9 16.8	11 4.8	3 12.3
(2) Long term (higher) scale rate ..	Thousands Per cent	157 5.9	156 8.5	154 8.8	2 2.2	— —	. .	. .	— —	. .	. .	. .	. .
Cases with exceptional circumstances addition only	Thousands Per cent	77 2.9	1 0.1	1 —	1 0.6	75 4.0	4 8.1	25 12.2	22 18.4	6 3.6	6 11.0	9 4.1	4 19.1

Source: Samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.42

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON A DAY IN NOVEMBER: AMOUNTS OF EXCEPTIONAL CIRCUMSTANCES ADDITIONS

		Thousands		
Amount of addition		1971	1972	1973
£				
All amounts		425	482	753
With ordinary scale rate				
All amounts		67	75	77
Up to 0.10		8	12	14
0.11-0.20		2	2	3
0.21-0.30		7	6	8
0.31-0.50		13	16	12
0.51-0.75		9	9	10
0.76-1.00		19	19	17
1.01-1.50		4	5	7
Over 1.50		5	6	7
With long term or long term (higher) scale rate(a)				
All amounts		358	406	677
Up to 0.10		115	98	93
0.11-0.20		41	55	19
0.21-0.30		74	36	244
0.31-0.50		53	108	97
0.51-0.75		43	49	153
0.76-1.00		16	26	36
1.01-1.50		12	24	27
Over 1.50		6	11	8
Average amount of addition per case:		£	£	£
All cases		0.39	0.49	0.47
With ordinary scale rate		0.58	0.77	0.77
With long term or long term (higher) scale rate		0.33	0.44	0.44

Source: Samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases.

Note: (a) Prior to 1 October 1973 the long term scale rate was the basic scale rate supplemented by a long term addition (See table 34.01)

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.43

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON 6 NOVEMBER 1973: AMOUNTS OF EXCEPTIONAL CIRCUMSTANCES ADDITIONS: WITH AND WITHOUT NATIONAL INSURANCE BENEFIT

Thousands

Amount of addition	All supplementary benefits	Supplementary pensions			Supplementary allowances							
		All pensions	Retirement pensioners and NI widows aged 60 and over	Others	All allowances	Unemployed		Sick and disabled		NI widows under age 60	Women with dependent children	Others
						With NI benefit	Without NI benefit	With NI benefit	Without NI benefit			
£												
All amounts	753	612	588	23	142	4	25	53	19	15	20	7
With ordinary scale rate												
All amounts	77	1	1	1	75	4	25	7	6	6	9	4
Up to 0.10	14	—	—	—	13	1	6	1	1	2	2	—
0.11–0.20	3	—	—	—	3	—	1	—	—	—	1	—
0.21–0.30	8	—	—	—	8	—	2	3	1	1	1	—
0.31–0.50	12	—	—	—	12	1	4	3	1	1	1	—
0.51–0.75	10	—	—	—	9	—	2	5	1	1	1	1
0.76–1.00	17	—	—	—	17	1	7	6	1	1	2	1
1.01–1.50	7	—	—	—	7	—	1	2	—	—	1	2
Over 1.50	7	1	—	—	6	—	1	2	1	—	1	—
With long term scale rate												
All amounts	677	610	587	23	67	—	—	31	13	9	11	3
Up to 0.10	93	80	78	3	12	—	—	2	2	3	4	—
0.11–0.20	19	17	15	1	3	—	—	1	1	—	1	—
0.21–0.30	244	231	223	8	13	—	—	7	3	2	1	—
0.31–0.50	97	85	82	3	12	—	—	4	4	2	2	—
0.51–0.75	153	138	133	5	15	—	—	9	3	1	1	1
0.76–1.00	36	31	30	1	5	—	—	3	1	—	1	—
1.01–1.50	27	23	21	1	5	—	—	3	—	—	—	—
Over 1.50	8	6	5	—	2	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Average amount of addition per case:												
All cases	0.47	0.44	0.44	0.45	0.64	0.67	0.61	0.73	0.63	0.39	0.53	0.91
With ordinary scale rate	0.77	2.07	2.97	0.84	0.73	0.67	0.61	0.86	1.03	0.52	0.63	1.05
With long term scale rate	0.44	0.43	0.43	0.44	0.53	—	0.56	0.64	0.46	0.31	0.43	0.74

Source: Samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.46

SINGLE PERSON (a) RECIPIENTS ON A DAY IN NOVEMBER: NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER AGE 16: AVERAGE INCOME:

	Units	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All single persons	Thousands	2,025	2,063	2,105	2,220	2,244	2,126
Average income	£'s	6.80	7.18	7.78	8.64	9.81	10.70
Number without children under 16	Thousands	1,838	1,858	1,885	1,975	1,987	1,871
Average income	£'s	6.46	6.82	7.37	8.13	9.25	10.18
Number with children under 16	Thousands	187	205	220	245	257	256
Average income	£'s	10.09	10.47	11.24	12.71	14.17	15.32
With 1 child	Thousands	88	99	105	114	127	121
Average income	£'s	8.11	8.41	8.96	10.01	11.42	12.19
With 2 children	Thousands	51	56	60	69	68	70
Average income	£'s	10.44	10.86	11.72	13.21	14.65	15.84
With 3 children	Thousands	27	28	33	35	35	36
Average income	£'s	12.17	12.86	13.91	15.69	17.59	18.90
With 4 or more children	Thousands	21	22	22	27	26	28
Average income	£'s	14.79	15.67	16.99	19.06	21.50	22.86

Source: Sample of 1 in 80 cases in 1968; samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases from 1969.

Note: (a) Single persons include single widowed and divorced recipients and all others whose spouse is not living with them.

TABLE 34.47

SINGLE PERSON(a) RECIPIENTS ON 6 NOVEMBER 1973: NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER AGE 16: AVERAGE INCOME: WITH AND WITHOUT NATIONAL INSURANCE BENEFIT

	Units	All supplementary benefits	Supplementary pensions			Supplementary allowances							
			All pensions	Retirement pensioners and NI widows aged 60 and over	Others	All allowances	Unemployed		Sick and disabled		NI widows under age 60	Women with dependent children	Others
							With NI benefit	Without NI benefit	With NI benefit	Without NI benefit			
All single persons	Thousands	2,126	1,500	1,408	92	627	20	106	51	151	54	228	16
Average income	£'s	10.70	10.50	10.56	9.65	11.52	9.32	8.07	10.89	8.65	12.65	15.22	10.48
Number without children under 16	Thousands	1,871	1,497	1,406	92	373	19	104	49	151	36	2	13
Average income	£'s	10.18	10.48	10.54	9.65	8.95	9.09	7.88	10.70	8.73	10.38	15.10	8.39
Number with children under 16	Thousands	256	2	2	—	253	1	3	2	—	18	226	3
Average income	£'s	15.32	14.64	14.75	13.92	15.33	16.18	14.98	17.31	16.00	17.01	15.14	18.61
With 1 child	Thousands	121	2	2	—	119	—	1	1	—	11	105	—
Average income	£'s	12.19	14.50	14.59	13.92	12.16	13.16	12.45	15.21	12.18	14.61	11.86	13.28
With 2 children	Thousands	70	—	—	—	70	—	1	—	—	4	64	1
Average income	£'s	15.84	16.50	16.50	—	15.84	19.10	16.15	15.86	14.18	18.07	15.67	15.88
With 3 children	Thousands	36	—	—	—	36	—	—	—	—	2	33	1
Average income	£'s	18.90	—	—	—	18.40	17.90	17.80	22.77	20.63	22.22	18.66	19.73
With 4 or more children	Thousands	28	—	—	—	28	—	—	—	—	1	25	1
Average income	£'s	22.86	—	—	—	22.86	21.70	21.98	27.43	19.00	26.44	22.72	22.17

Source: Samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases.

Note: (a) Single persons include single, widowed and divorced recipients and all others whose spouse is not living with them.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.48

MARRIED COUPLE (a) RECIPIENTS ON A DAY IN NOVEMBER: NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER AGE 16: AVERAGE INCOME

	Units	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All married couples	Thousands	612	625	633	689	667	549
Average income	£'s	11.14	11.55	12.39	14.11	15.85	17.03
Number without children under 16	Thousands	477	481	494	504	496	437
Average income	£'s	10.27	10.72	11.55	12.79	14.48	15.79
Number with children under 16	Thousands	135	143	138	185	171	112
Average income	£'s	14.22	14.37	15.42	17.72	19.85	21.89
With 1 child	Thousands	39	44	44	58	51	35
Average income	£'s	11.88	12.10	13.09	14.63	16.58	18.38
With 2 children	Thousands	33	36	34	48	44	30
Average income	£'s	13.31	13.54	14.69	16.82	18.80	20.82
With 3 children	Thousands	27	26	25	35	34	20
Average income	£'s	14.77	15.05	16.01	18.53	20.76	23.08
With 4 or more children	Thousands	36	37	35	44	43	26
Average income	£'s	17.19	17.43	18.67	22.11	24.15	26.90

Source: Sample of 1 in 80 cases in 1968; samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases from 1969.

Note: (a) Includes persons who are living together as man and wife

TABLE 34.49

MARRIED COUPLE (a) RECIPIENTS ON 6 NOVEMBER 1973: NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER AGE 16: AVERAGE INCOME: WITH AND WITHOUT NATIONAL INSURANCE BENEFIT

	Units	All supplementary benefits	Supplementary pensions			Supplementary allowances					
			All pensions	Retirement pensioners	Others	All allowances	Unemployed		Sick and disabled		Others
							With NI benefit	Without NI benefit	With NI benefit	Without NI benefit	
All married couples	Thousands	549	344	339	5	205	28	94	67	11	5
Average income	£'s	17.03	15.93	15.92	15.93	18.88	20.36	19.00	17.73	20.23	20.86
Number without children under 16	Thousands	437	341	336	5	96	6	36	48	4	3
Average income	£'s	15.79	15.87	15.87	15.67	15.50	15.18	14.68	15.95	16.17	18.00
Number with children under 16	Thousands	112	3	3	—	108	22	59	19	6	3
Average income	£'s	21.89	21.63	21.48	25.10	21.90	21.87	21.61	22.22	22.90	23.84
With 1 child	Thousands	35	2	2	—	33	6	16	9	2	1
Average income	£'s	18.38	19.65	19.65	—	18.29	17.73	17.57	19.66	18.97	20.14
With 2 children	Thousands	30	1	1	—	29	6	15	5	2	1
Average income	£'s	20.82	26.24	26.51	25.10	20.67	20.66	20.11	22.30	21.23	23.01
With 3 children	Thousands	20	—	—	—	20	4	11	2	1	1
Average income	£'s	23.08	25.13	25.13	—	23.05	22.91	22.42	25.23	23.93	24.65
With 4 or more children	Thousands	26	—	—	—	26	5	17	2	1	1
Average income	£'s	26.90	—	—	—	26.90	27.35	26.29	28.98	29.23	27.00

Source: Samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases.

Note: (a) Includes persons who are living together as man and wife.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.52

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON A DAY IN NOVEMBER: SOURCES OF OTHER INCOME (a)

Thousands

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All cases with income	819	870	873	897	925	943	833
All items of income	958	1,011	1,001	1,025	1,061	1,073	954
Cases with income from:							
Capital assets	318	355	349	379	404	409	376
Superannuation	209	227	227	244	255	279	233
Widows' pensions other than NI widow's pensions	61	69	69	72	67	65	55
Charitable or voluntary payments	79	77	64	60	55	49	49
Disability pensions	23	22	18	20	19	18	14
Dependants' war pensions	20	18	15	13	15	15	13
Earnings (other than casual earnings)	161	164	174	161	164	158	134
Maintenance orders etc.	44	44	49	48	52	57	55
Others	43	34	35	27	29	23	26

Source: Sample of 1 in 80 cases prior to 1969; samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases from 1969.

Note: (a) Other than NI benefits, family allowance, attendance allowance and family income supplement.

TABLE 34.53

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON 6 NOVEMBER 1973: NUMBERS RECEIVING OTHER INCOME (a) AND AVERAGE AMOUNTS: WITH AND WITHOUT NATIONAL INSURANCE BENEFIT

	All supplementary benefits	Supplementary pensions			Supplementary allowances							Average weekly amount per item of income	
		All pensions	Retirement pensioners and NI widows aged 60 and over	Others	All allowances	Unemployed		Sick and disabled		NI widows under age 60	Women with dependent children		Others
						With NI benefit	Without NI benefit	With NI benefit	Without NI benefit				
Thousands													£
All cases with income	833	649	625	24	184	5	33	25	28	14	74	6	1.96
All items of income	954	746	718	28	208	5	40	28	30	15	83	6	1.71
Cases with income from:													
Capital assets of £325 or more	376	334	327	7	42	2	12	11	7	5	3	2	0.61
Superannuation	233	217	216	1	16	—	8	5	1	1	—	—	1.69
Widows' pensions other than NI widow's pensions	55	50	43	7	5	—	—	—	1	3	—	—	3.04
Charitable or voluntary payments	49	42	40	2	7	—	1	1	1	1	2	—	0.88
Disability pensions	14	8	7	1	6	—	3	2	1	—	—	—	3.55
Dependants' war pensions	13	12	11	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.02
Earnings (other than casual earnings)	134	59	55	4	75	2	12	6	14	5	34	2	3.11
Maintenance orders etc.	55	7	4	3	48	—	1	1	3	—	42	—	4.40
Others	26	7	14	3	9	—	2	2	2	—	1	1	2.94

Source: Samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases.

Note: (a) Other than NI benefits, family allowance, attendance allowance and family income supplement.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.55

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON A DAY IN NOVEMBER: AMOUNT OF CAPITAL ASSETS (a)

Thousands

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All cases	2,559	2,637	2,688	2,738	2,909	2,911	2,675
Cases without capital ..	1,447	1,459	1,507	1,535	1,700	1,692	1,560
Cases with capital:							
£							
All amounts	1,111	1,178	1,181	1,203	1,209	1,218	1,116
1- 9	122	128	117	118	100	98	86
10- 99	303	297	309	299	288	293	257
100-199	190	202	201	201	205	199	190
200-324	177	196	206	204	213	219	206
325-499	154	164	158	171	176	172	162
500-799	128	147	145	158	170	178	158
800 and over	38	44	46	51	58	59	56

Source: Sample of 1 in 80 cases prior to 1969; samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases from 1969.

Note: (a) Excludes capital value of owner-occupied houses.

TABLE 34.56

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON 6 NOVEMBER 1973: AMOUNT OF CAPITAL ASSETS (a): WITH AND WITHOUT NATIONAL INSURANCE BENEFIT

Thousands

	All supplementary benefits	Supplementary pensions			Supplementary allowances							
		All pensions	Retirement pensioners and NI widows aged 60 and over	Others	All allowances	Unemployed		Sick and disabled		NI widows under age 60	Women with dependent children	Others
						With NI benefit	Without NI benefit	With NI benefit	Without NI benefit			
All cases	2,675	1,844	1,747	97	831	48	201	118	162	54	228	21
Cases without capital ..	1,560	876	803	73	683	42	168	85	134	38	201	16
Cases with capital:												
£												
All amounts	1,116	968	943	24	148	6	33	33	27	16	27	6
1- 9	86	65	64	1	21	1	3	3	4	2	8	-
10- 99	257	213	205	8	45	1	9	8	10	4	11	1
100-199	190	170	166	4	21	1	4	6	4	3	3	1
200-324	206	186	181	4	20	1	5	6	3	3	2	1
325-499	162	146	143	3	16	-	4	5	3	2	1	1
500-799	158	142	139	3	16	1	5	4	3	2	1	1
800 and over	56	47	45	2	9	-	3	2	2	1	1	1

Source: Samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases.

Note: (a) Excludes capital value of owner-occupied houses.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.60

LOCAL AUTHORITY TENANTS RECEIVING REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENT ON A DAY IN NOVEMBER: AMOUNT OF NET RENT

Thousands

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
£							
All amounts	987	1,043	1,131	1,186	1,308	1,357	1,282
Under 0.50	2	3	3	1	2	—	—
0.50–0.74	9	7	6	2	2	3	2
0.75–0.99	26	17	14	9	5	4	3
1.00–1.24	53	40	25	16	12	5	7
1.25–1.49	99	83	63	41	23	26	17
1.50–1.99	295	283	249	187	124	187	233
2.00–2.49	235	259	296	288	256	169	326
2.50–2.99	144	175	221	245	285	196	222
3.00–3.49	69	95	126	176	237	224	154
3.50–3.99	27	48	71	113	156	188	111
4.00–4.49	11	18	32	58	94	135	77
4.50–4.99	4	9	16	25	54	88	53
5.00–5.99	3	4	9	19	42	91	54
6.00 and over	—	1	2	6	15	92	22
Average amount (£)	2.12	2.27	2.45	2.71	3.03	3.30(a)	2.90(b)

Source: Sample of 1 in 80 cases prior to 1969; samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases from 1969.

Notes: (a) The average "net rent" for claimants with a rent rebate was £2.22 per week (about 27 per cent of claimants) and without a rent rebate it was £3.70 per week (about 73 per cent of claimants). The National Rent Rebate Scheme was not fully operational at November 1972. The rent shown for that period was obtained from an examination of the documents in local offices at that time. (Subsequently the documents would have indicated that some rebates were back-dated to a date prior to that of the sample).

(b) The average "net rent" for claimants with a rent rebate was £2.65 per week (84 per cent of claimants) and without a rent rebate it was £4.20 per week (about 16 per cent of claimants).

TABLE 34.61

LOCAL AUTHORITY TENANTS RECEIVING REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON 6 NOVEMBER 1973: AMOUNT OF NET RENT: WITH AND WITHOUT NATIONAL INSURANCE BENEFIT

Thousands

£	All supplementary benefits	Supplementary pensions			Supplementary allowances							
		All pensions	Retirement pensioners and NI widows aged 60 and over	Others	All allowances	Unemployed		Sick and disabled		NI widows under age 60	Women with dependent children	Others
						With NI benefit	Without NI benefit	With NI benefit	Without NI benefit			
All amounts	1,282	930	900	30	352	20	77	71	31	37	108	8
Under 0.50	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
0.50–0.74	2	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
0.75–0.99	3	1	1	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
1.00–1.24	7	4	4	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
1.25–1.49	17	13	12	—	4	—	2	1	—	—	1	—
1.50–1.99	233	200	191	8	34	2	9	8	4	2	7	—
2.00–2.49	326	261	254	7	65	2	15	15	5	6	20	1
2.50–2.99	222	155	150	5	67	4	14	12	5	7	25	1
3.00–3.49	154	102	100	2	52	3	11	10	4	5	19	1
3.50–3.99	111	70	68	2	41	2	8	8	4	5	13	1
4.00–4.99	77	48	46	2	29	2	5	6	2	5	8	1
4.50–4.99	53	32	31	2	20	2	4	4	2	3	5	1
5.00–5.99	54	32	31	1	22	2	4	5	2	2	6	—
6.00 and over	22	10	10	—	12	1	3	2	1	1	3	—
Average amount (£)	2.90	2.77	2.76	2.78	3.25	3.62	3.10	3.23	3.24	3.45	3.22	3.51

Source: Samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.62

TENANTS OF PRIVATE LANDLORDS RECEIVING REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON A DAY IN NOVEMBER: AMOUNT OF NET RENT

Thousands

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
£							
All amounts	814	797	780	745	746	705	621
Under 0.50	41	35	32	22	18	20	10
0.50-0.74	87	71	65	50	41	28	25
0.75-0.99	112	101	94	77	62	44	36
1.00-1.24	115	111	106	89	85	67	58
1.25-1.49	92	88	84	82	76	65	63
1.50-1.99	135	141	132	126	124	113	116
2.00-2.49	88	86	86	88	94	86	88
2.50-2.99	52	54	57	64	63	68	61
3.00-3.49	35	37	38	46	54	52	41
3.50-3.99	20	21	28	27	35	42	32
4.00-4.49	14	19	19	22	28	30	22
4.50-4.99	8	12	12	18	20	25	17
5.00-5.99	10	14	17	20	26	33	22
6.00 and over	6	7	11	14	21	33	30
Average amount (£)	1.67	1.77	1.87	2.03	2.25	2.53	2.49

Source: Sample of 1 in 80 cases prior to 1969; samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases from 1969.

TABLE 34.63

TENANTS OF PRIVATE LANDLORDS RECEIVING REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON 6 NOVEMBER 1973: AMOUNT OF NET RENT: WITH AND WITHOUT NATIONAL INSURANCE BENEFIT

Thousands

£	All supplementary benefits	Supplementary pensions			Supplementary allowances							
		All pensions	Retirement pensioners and NI widows aged 60 and over	Others	All allowances	Unemployed		Sick and disabled		NI widows under age 60	Women with dependent children	Others
						With NI benefit	Without NI benefit	With NI benefit	Without NI benefit			
All amounts	621	471	451	20	150	13	39	25	16	8	45	2
Under 0.50	10	9	9	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
0.50-0.74	25	23	22	1	2	—	1	—	—	—	1	—
0.75-0.99	36	33	32	1	3	—	1	1	1	—	—	—
1.00-1.24	58	52	51	1	6	—	2	1	1	1	1	—
1.25-1.49	63	53	51	2	10	1	3	2	1	1	2	—
1.50-1.99	116	94	91	3	21	1	6	5	2	2	6	—
2.00-2.49	88	72	69	3	16	1	4	3	2	1	4	—
2.50-2.99	61	47	45	2	14	1	4	2	2	1	4	—
3.00-3.49	41	28	27	1	13	1	4	2	1	1	4	—
3.50-3.99	32	20	19	1	12	1	3	2	1	—	4	—
4.00-4.49	22	12	12	1	10	1	3	1	1	—	3	—
4.50-4.99	17	9	8	1	9	1	2	1	1	—	3	—
5.00-5.99	22	9	8	1	13	1	3	2	2	—	5	—
6.00 and over	30	10	9	1	20	3	4	2	2	—	8	—
Average amount (£)	2.49	2.14	2.12	2.54	3.59	4.62	3.40	3.15	3.56	2.45	3.94	3.38

Source: Samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.64

OWNER OCCUPIERS RECEIVING REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON A DAY IN NOVEMBER: AMOUNT OF NET RENT

Thousands

	1967	1968	1969	1960	1971	1972	1973
£							
All amounts	362	383	385	398	417	413	389
Under 0.50	58	53	49	32	30	26	10
0.50-0.74	105	105	102	104	96	81	43
0.75-0.99	61	66	67	73	71	72	68
1.00-1.24	45	48	46	54	55	48	51
1.25-1.49	33	38	40	40	42	44	41
1.50-1.99	30	36	41	46	57	58	69
2.00-2.49	12	15	16	19	26	32	43
2.50-2.99	5	9	7	10	12	16	22
3.00-3.49	3	4	4	6	7	9	10
3.50-3.99	3	2	3	4	4	7	6
4.00-4.49	2	2	3	3	3	3	5
4.50-4.99	1	2	2	2	3	2	3
5.00-5.99	2	4	4	6	10	5	6
6.00 and over						8	11
Average amount (£) .. .	1.04	1.11	1.17	1.24	1.38	1.50	1.79

Source: Sample of 1 in 80 cases prior to 1969; samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases from 1969.

TABLE 34.65

OWNER OCCUPIERS RECEIVING REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON 6 NOVEMBER 1973: AMOUNT OF NET RENT: WITH AND WITHOUT NATIONAL INSURANCE BENEFIT

Thousands

£	All supplementary benefits	Supplementary pensions			Supplementary allowances							
		All pensions	Retirement pensioners and NI widows aged 60 and over	Others	All allowances	Unemployed		Sick and disabled		NI widows under age 60	Women with dependent children	Others
						With NI benefit	Without NI benefit	With NI benefit	Without NI benefit			
All amounts	389	323	312	11	66	4	16	15	6	7	12	3
Under 0.50	10	8	7	1	3	—	1	—	—	—	1	—
0.50-0.74	43	38	37	1	5	—	2	1	1	—	1	—
0.75-0.99	68	59	57	2	10	—	3	2	1	1	1	—
1.00-1.24	51	44	43	1	7	—	3	1	1	1	1	—
1.25-1.49	41	36	35	1	4	—	1	1	1	—	1	—
1.50-1.99	69	61	59	2	8	—	2	2	1	1	1	—
2.00-2.49	43	37	36	1	6	—	2	1	1	1	1	—
2.50-2.99	22	19	18	1	3	—	1	1	—	—	1	—
3.00-3.49	10	8	8	1	2	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
3.50-3.99	6	4	4	—	2	—	1	—	—	1	—	—
4.00-4.49	5	3	3	—	2	—	—	1	—	—	1	—
4.50-4.99	3	2	2	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
5.00-5.99	6	2	2	—	3	1	1	1	—	—	1	—
6.00 and over	11	3	3	—	8	1	2	2	—	—	2	—
Average amount (£) .. .	1.79	1.58	1.58	1.62	2.82	5.11	2.35	2.84	1.89	2.48	3.28	3.07

Source: Samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.72

MEN RECEIVING REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON A DAY IN NOVEMBER: AGE ANALYSIS

Thousands

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All men	926	966	969	998	1,128	1,111	924
Men under pensionable age:							
All ages	391	403	412	419	538	535	390
16-17	9	9	10	12	22	24	11
18-20	19	17	17	21	35	33	21
21-29	59	57	59	63	102	100	66
30-39	65	60	62	58	84	80	54
40-49	72	76	77	72	88	87	60
50-59	88	95	93	97	111	109	91
60-64	80	89	94	97	95	103	87
Men over pensionable age:							
All ages	534	563	557	578	590	575	534
65-69	197	208	216	212	212	208	175
70-74	150	157	152	173	181	184	182
75-79	96	106	102	107	112	110	99
80-84	56	58	55	55	54	53	50
85-89	27	28	25	25	23	17	23
90 and over ..	7	6	6	7	8	5	5

Source: Sample of 1 in 80 cases prior to 1969; samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases from 1969.

TABLE 34.73

MEN RECEIVING REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON 6 NOVEMBER 1973: AGE ANALYSIS: WITH AND WITHOUT NATIONAL INSURANCE BENEFIT

Thousands

	All supplementary benefits	Supplementary pensions			Supplementary allowances					
		All pensions	Retirement pensioners	Others	All allowances	Unemployed		Sick and disabled		Others
						With NI benefit	Without NI benefit	With NI benefit	Without NI benefit	
All men	924	533	519	14	391	43	178	93	67	11
Men under pensionable age:										
All ages	390				390	42	178	92	67	11
16-17	11				11	1	5	—	4	—
18-20	21				21	3	12	—	6	—
21-29	66				66	12	31	3	19	1
30-39	54				54	10	26	5	10	3
40-49	60				60	6	31	11	9	3
50-59	91				91	6	39	32	11	2
60-64	87				87	3	34	41	8	1
Men over pensionable age:										
All ages	534	533	519	14	1	—	—	1	—	—
65-69	175	174	168	6	1	—	—	1	—	—
70-74	182	182	178	4	—	—	—	—	—	—
75-79	99	99	96	3	—	—	—	—	—	—
80-84	50	50	49	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
85-89	23	23	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
90 and over ..	5	5	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Source: Samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.74

WOMEN RECEIVING REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON A DAY IN NOVEMBER: AGE ANALYSIS

	Thousands						
	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All women	1,633	1,671	1,719	1,740	1,781	1,800	1,752
Women under pensionable age:							
All ages	357	369	397	412	448	461	436
16-17	9	7	10	11	18	19	13
18-20	23	21	24	28	33	36	32
21-29	69	79	88	95	111	116	112
30-39	63	71	74	76	84	88	89
40-49	66	75	77	76	79	78	73
50-59	127	115	124	126	124	125	118
Women over pensionable age:							
All ages	1,276	1,302	1,322	1,328	1,333	1,339	1,315
60-64	164	171	174	173	174	173	151
65-69	256	259	273	267	271	279	259
70-74	301	312	312	319	322	323	314
75-79	268	261	258	280	279	274	292
80-84	171	185	192	169	176	180	190
85-89	88	85	85	88	86	82	82
90 and over ..	29	27	28	32	26	27	28

Source: Sample of 1 in 80 cases prior to 1969; samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases from 1969.

TABLE 34.75

WOMEN RECEIVING REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON 6 NOVEMBER 1973: AGE ANALYSIS: WITH OR WITHOUT NATIONAL INSURANCE BENEFITS

	Thousands											
	All supplementary benefits	Supplementary pensions			Supplementary allowances							
		All pensions	Retirement pensioners and NI widows aged 60 and over	Others	All allowances	Unemployed		Sick and disabled		NI widows under age 60	Women with dependent children	Others
						With NI benefit	Without NI benefit	With NI benefit	Without NI benefit			
All women	1,752	1,311	1,228	84	440	5	23	25	95	54	228	11
Women under pensionable age:												
All ages	436	.	.	.	436	5	23	20	95	54	228	11
16-17	13	.	.	.	13	1	2	—	5	—	3	—
18-20	32	.	.	.	32	1	4	—	7	—	19	—
21-29	112	.	.	.	112	1	4	1	16	—	88	—
30-39	89	.	.	.	89	—	2	1	10	2	72	1
40-49	73	.	.	.	73	—	3	3	18	10	35	3
50-59	118	.	.	.	118	1	10	15	38	41	11	6
Women over pensionable age:												
All ages	1,315	1,311	1,228	84	4	—	—	4	.	.	.	.
60-64	151	149	129	20	1	—	—	1	.	.	.	.
65-69	259	259	238	20	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
70-74	314	313	295	18	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
75-79	292	292	274	18	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
80-84	190	189	183	6	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.
85-89	82	82	81	2	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.
90 and over ..	28	28	27	—	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.

Source: Samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.76

MARRIED COUPLES (a) RECEIVING REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON A DAY IN NOVEMBER: AGE OF WIFE

Thousands

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All ages	583	612	625	633	689	667	549
16-17	1	1	1	1	2	2	1
18-20	8	7	8	9	15	13	8
21-29	37	38	41	42	64	59	34
30-39	47	48	46	43	56	51	32
40-49	50	53	56	51	59	56	39
50-59	82	87	94	93	96	92	77
60-64	92	91	100	101	101	102	89
65-69	114	125	126	125	129	128	111
70-74	84	88	84	91	90	97	95
75-79	45	49	45	53	50	48	44
80-84	18	20	19	17	19	16	15
85-89	5	5	6	7	5	2	3
90 and over	1	1	1	—	1	1	—

Source: Sample of 1 in 80 cases prior to 1969; samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases from 1969.
 Note: (a) Includes persons who are living together as man and wife.

TABLE 34.77

MARRIED COUPLES (a) RECEIVING REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON 6 NOVEMBER 1973: AGE OF WIFE: WITH AND WITHOUT NATIONAL INSURANCE BENEFIT

Thousands

	All supplementary benefits	Supplementary pensions			Supplementary allowances					Others
		All pensions	Retirement pensioners	Others	All allowances	Unemployed		Sick and disabled		
						With NI benefit	Without NI benefit	With NI benefit	Without NI benefit	
All ages	549	344	339	5	205	28	94	67	11	5
16-17	1	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—
18-20	8	—	—	—	8	3	4	1	—	—
21-29	34	—	—	—	34	9	18	3	2	1
30-39	32	—	—	—	32	7	18	4	2	1
40-49	39	2	2	—	37	4	19	10	3	1
50-59	77	22	22	1	55	4	20	27	3	1
60-64	89	62	60	2	27	1	9	16	1	1
65-69	111	103	102	1	8	—	3	4	—	—
70-74	95	92	91	1	2	—	1	1	—	—
75-79	44	44	43	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
80-84	15	15	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
85-89	3	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
90 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Source: Samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases.
 Note: (a) Includes persons who are living together as man and wife.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.78

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON 6 NOVEMBER 1973: ONE-PARENT FAMILIES HEADED BY A WOMAN: AGE OF WOMAN

Thousands

	All families headed by a woman	Situation of woman				
		Single	Widowed	Divorced	Prisoner's wife	Separated
All ages ..	250	62	24	55	5	103
16-19 ..	14	11	—	—	—	3
20-34 ..	138	41	2	28	4	64
35-49 ..	76	8	11	24	1	32
50-59 ..	20	1	10	3	—	5
60-64 ..	1	—	1	—	—	—
65 and over	1	—	1	—	—	—

Source: Samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases.

TABLE 34.80

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON A DAY IN NOVEMBER: NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER AGE 16

Thousands

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All cases	2,559	2,637	2,688	2,738	2,909	2,911	2,675
Without children under 16	2,253	2,315	2,339	2,379	2,479	2,483	2,308
With children under 16	306	322	349	358	430	428	367
Number of children:							
1	122	127	143	149	172	178	156
2	79	84	92	95	116	112	100
3	51	54	54	58	69	69	56
4	27	29	31	30	40	38	31
5 or more .. .	27	29	29	27	32	31	23

Source: Sample of 1 in 80 cases prior to 1969; samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases from 1969.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENIFITS : TABLE 34.81

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON 6 NOVEMBER 1973: NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER AGE 16: WITH AND WITHOUT NATIONAL INSURANCE BENEFIT

Thousands

	All supplementary benefits	Supplementary pensions			Supplementary allowances							
		All pensions	Retirement pensioners and NI widows aged 60 and over	Others	All allowances	Unemployed		Sick and disabled		NI widows under age 60	Women with dependent children	Others
						With NI benefit	Without NI benefit	With NI benefit	Without NI benefit			
All cases	2,675	1,844	1,747	97	831	48	201	118	162	54	228	21
Without children under 16	2,308	1,838	1,741	97	470	25	140	97	155	36	2	16
With children under 16	367	6	5	—	362	22	61	21	7	18	226	6
Number of children												
1	156	4	4	—	152	6	17	10	2	11	105	1
2	100	1	1	—	99	6	16	5	2	4	64	2
3	56	—	—	—	56	4	11	3	2	2	33	2
4	31	—	—	—	31	3	8	1	1	1	17	1
5 or more	23	—	—	—	23	2	9	1	1	1	9	—

Source: Samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases.

TABLE 34.82

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON 6 NOVEMBER 1973: ONE-PARENT FAMILIES: NUMBER OF CHILDREN

Thousands

	Total one parent families	Families headed by a man	Families headed by a woman	Situation of woman				
				Single	Widowed	Divorced	Prisoners wife	Separated
Number of persons provided for ..	760	24	736	148	66	177	18	327
Persons in receipt of regular weekly payments	257	7	250	62	24	55	5	103
Number of dependants								
Total children under								
16 years	492	16	476	86	38	119	13	221
Under 5 years	154	2	152	53	2	19	5	73
5-10 years	198	7	191	24	12	59	5	92
11-12 years	60	3	57	4	8	18	1	25
13-15 years	79	4	75	5	16	22	1	30
Other dependants 16 years & over ..	10	—	10	—	3	3	—	3

Source: Samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.84

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON A DAY IN NOVEMBER: HOUSEHOLD CATEGORY

Thousands

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All cases	2,559	2,637	2,688	2,738	2,909	2,911	2,675
All householders	2,174	2,247	2,316	2,349	2,492	2,492	2,310
Lone person	1,101	1,135	1,132	1,169	1,232	1,260	1,219
Man and wife only	334	360	355	369	381	381	339
Household includes dependent children but no adults other than spouse	181	198	210	221	279	273	232
Household includes dependent children and non-dependent adults	558	554	84	80	89	88	75
Household includes non-dependent adults but no dependent children			534	509	512	488	445
All other categories	385	391	372	389	417	419	365
Living as members of another person's household	293	297	283	300	328	332	285
Paying an inclusive charge for board and lodging	29	29	28	28	31	25	22
Local Authority Part III accommodation or other comparable homes	39	39	36	39	39	39	39
Hospital in-patients	12	12	13	10	6	7	6
Others (a)	12	14	12	12	13	15	13

Source: Sample of 1 in 80 cases prior to 1969; samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowances cases from 1969.

Note: (a) Mainly persons paying for accommodation only and living in hostels and lodging houses.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.85

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON 6 NOVEMBER 1973: HOUSEHOLD CATEGORY: WITH AND WITHOUT NATIONAL INSURANCE BENEFIT

Thousands

	All supplementary benefits	Supplementary pensions			Supplementary allowances							
		All pensions	Retirement pensioners and NI widows aged 60 and over	Others	All allowances	Unemployed		Sick and disabled		NI widows under age 60	Women with dependent children	Others
						With NI benefit	Without NI benefit	With NI benefit	Without NI benefit			
All cases	2,675	1,844	1,747	97	831	48	201	118	162	54	228	21
All householders	2,310	1,738	1,677	62	572	38	136	111	54	53	167	13
Lone person	1,219	1,092	1,050	42	127	9	34	34	30	19	.	1
Man and wife only	339	275	272	3	64	5	23	32	2	.	.	2
Household includes dependent children but no adults other than spouse	232	4	4	—	228	17	42	14	5	9	137	5
Household includes dependent children and non-dependent adults	75	3	3	—	72	4	18	8	2	10	30	1
Household includes non-dependent adults but no dependent children	445	364	349	16	80	3	20	24	15	15	.	3
All other categories	365	106	70	36	259	9	65	6	108	1	61	9
Living as a member of another person's household	285	63	40	23	222	7	55	3	88	1	59	9
Paying an inclusive charge for board and lodgings	22	10	8	2	12	1	5	2	3	—	1	—
Local Authority Part III accommodation or other comparable homes	39	25	17	8	14	—	1	—	13	—	1	—
Hospital in-patients	6	3	1	2	3	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
Others (a)	13	5	4	1	8	1	4	1	1	—	—	—

Source: Samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases.

Note: (a) Mainly persons paying for accommodation only and living in hostels and lodging houses.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.88

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON A DAY IN NOVEMBER: DURATION (a) OF BENEFIT UP TO THAT DATE

	Units	All supplementary benefits				All supplementary pensions				All supplementary allowances			
		1970	1971	1972	1973	1970	1971	1972	1973	1970	1971	1972	1973
All durations	Thousands Per cent	2,738 100	2,909 100	2,911 100	2,675 100	1,902 100	1,919 100	1,909 100	1,844 100	836 100	990 100	1,002 100	831 100
Under 3 months	Thousands Per cent	261 9.5	295 10.1	262 9.0	202 7.5	71 3.7	52 2.7	47 2.4	43 2.3	190 22.8	242 24.5	215 21.5	159 19.1
3 months but less than 6	Thousands Per cent	128 4.7	165 5.7	145 5.0	115 4.3	48 2.5	49 2.5	41 2.1	43 2.3	81 9.6	116 11.7	104 10.4	72 8.7
6 months but less than 1 year	Thousands Per cent	197 7.2	231 7.9	224 7.7	158 5.9	100 5.3	100 5.2	95 5.0	75 4.1	97 11.6	131 13.2	130 13.0	83 10.0
1 year but less than 2	Thousands Per cent	306 11.2	314 10.8	345 11.9	278 10.4	181 9.5	177 9.2	178 9.3	154 8.3	125 14.9	138 13.9	167 16.7	125 15.0
2 years but less than 3	Thousands Per cent	261 9.5	245 8.4	244 8.4	240 9.0	184 9.7	162 8.5	153 8.0	151 8.2	77 9.3	83 8.4	91 9.1	89 10.7
3 years but less than 4	Thousands Per cent	404 14.7	226 7.8	206 7.1	191 7.2	340 17.9	170 8.8	147 7.7	129 7.0	63 7.6	56 5.7	59 5.9	63 7.5
4 years but less than 5	Thousands Per cent	185 6.8	363 12.5	194 6.7	188 6.9	144 7.6	318 16.5	147 7.7	141 7.6	41 5.0	45 4.6	46 4.6	44 5.3
5 years but less than 10	Thousands Per cent	523 19.1	578 19.9	762 26.2	778 29.1	433 22.8	475 24.8	650 34.1	658 35.7	90 10.7	103 10.4	112 11.2	120 14.5
10 years or over	Thousands Per cent	473 17.3	492 16.9	528 18.7	527 19.7	402 21.1	417 21.7	452 23.7	451 24.5	71 8.6	75 7.6	76 7.6	76 9.1

Source: Samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases.

Note: (a) Breaks in payment of less than 1 week are ignored.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.89

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON 6 NOVEMBER 1973: DURATION (a) OF BENEFIT UP TO THAT DATE: WITH AND WITHOUT NATIONAL INSURANCE BENEFIT

	Units	All supplementary benefits	Supplementary pensions			Supplementary allowances							
			All pensions	Retirement pensioners and NI Widows aged 60 and over	Others	All allowances	Unemployed		Sick and disabled		NI widows under age 60	Women with dependent children	Others
							With NI benefit	Without NI benefit	With NI benefit	Without NI benefit			
All durations	Thousands Per cent	2,675 100	1,844 100	1,747 100	97 100	831 100	48 100	201 100	118 100	162 100	54 100	228 100	21 100
Under 3 months	Thousands Per cent	202 7.5	43 2.3	40 2.3	3 2.8	159 19.1	30 62.8	63 31.1	19 16.2	14 8.7	3 6.4	26 11.5	4 16.8
3 months but less than 6	Thousands Per cent	115 4.3	43 2.3	40 2.3	3 2.8	72 8.7	10 21.3	20 10.0	9 7.9	8 4.8	3 5.8	20 8.9	2 8.0
6 months but less than 1 year	Thousands Per cent	158 5.9	75 4.1	71 4.1	4 4.1	83 10.0	5 11.4	21 10.4	11 9.0	11 6.7	5 9.3	28 12.2	2 11.6
1 year but less than 2	Thousands Per cent	278 10.4	154 8.3	148 8.5	6 6.4	125 15.0	2 3.6	32 15.8	17 14.4	16 9.7	9 17.4	46 19.9	4 16.6
2 years but less than 3	Thousands Per cent	240 9.0	151 8.2	145 8.3	6 5.8	89 10.7	— 0.5	24 12.0	14 12.0	12 7.4	8 14.4	29 12.7	2 10.6
3 years but less than 4	Thousands Per cent	191 7.2	129 7.0	123 7.1	5 5.5	63 7.5	— —	13 6.6	10 8.7	10 6.5	6 11.2	21 9.1	2 8.7
4 years but less than 5	Thousands Per cent	188 6.9	141 7.6	137 7.8	4 4.3	44 5.3	— 0.1	9 4.2	8 6.5	8 4.9	5 9.0	14 6.0	1 6.0
5 years but less than 10	Thousands Per cent	778 29.1	658 35.7	637 36.5	21 21.6	120 14.5	— 0.1	15 7.4	21 17.9	36 22.0	10 18.0	36 15.8	3 14.0
10 years or over	Thousands Per cent	527 19.7	451 24.5	405 23.2	46 46.8	76 9.1	— 0.3	5 2.4	9 7.3	47 29.3	5 8.5	9 3.9	2 7.7

Source: Samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases.

Note: (a) Breaks in payment of less than 1 week are ignored

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.90

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON 6 NOVEMBER 1973: ONE-PARENT FAMILIES HEADED BY A WOMAN: DURATION (a) OF BENEFIT UP TO THAT DATE

Thousands

	All families headed by a woman	Situation of woman				
		Single	Widowed	Divorced	Prisoner's wife	Separated
All durations	250	62	24	55	5	103
Under 3 months	27	6	1	3	1	16
3 months but less than 6	21	5	1	2	1	12
6 months but less than 1 year	29	9	2	3	1	14
1 year but less than 2	49	13	4	8	1	23
2 years but less than 3	32	7	4	8	—	13
3 years but less than 4	23	6	3	8	—	7
4 years but less than 5	16	4	2	5	—	4
5 years but less than 10	41	9	5	16	—	10
10 years or over	11	3	2	4	—	2

Source: Samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases.

Note: (a) Breaks in payment of less than 1 week are ignored.

TABLE 34.92

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON A DAY IN NOVEMBER WHERE A THIRD PARTY HAS A LIABILITY FOR THEM OR THEIR DEPENDANTS

Thousands

	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All recipients	195	211	226	250	265	257
All recipients without dependent children	44	49	51	49	52	46
Separated wives	36	41	41	39	41	32
Divorced women	8	9	10	10	11	14
Others	—	—	—	—	—	—
All recipients with dependent legitimate children only	82	89	98	113	123	124
Separated wives	63	69	74	84	91	86
Divorced women	19	20	24	28	32	38
Others	—	—	—	—	—	—
All recipients with dependent illegitimate children only	46	48	53	58	58	54
Separated wives	6	6	5	6	6	5
Divorced women	3	4	4	4	4	4
Single women	37	38	43	47	47	45
Others	—	1	1	1	1	—
All recipients with dependent legitimate and illegitimate children	16	15	15	17	17	19
Separated wives	9	10	9	10	10	9
Divorced women	6	5	5	6	7	9
Others	2	1	1	1	1	—
Other cases	6	9	10	14	14	13

Source: Sample of 1 in 80 cases in 1968; samples of 1 in 160 supplementary pension cases and 1 in 40 supplementary allowance cases from 1969.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.93

NUMBER AND RESULT OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS TAKEN AGAINST LIABLE RELATIVES EACH YEAR

	Number						
	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All legal proceedings	1,086	897	899	1,092	1,021	911	857
Civil proceedings:							
Section 23, MSS Act 1966							
Orders applied for	120	101	98	151	175	121	120
Number granted	114	100	95	143	173	117	111
Section 24, MSS Act 1966							
Orders applied for	146	95	107	186	137	93	113
Number granted	132	90	103	171	124	84	106
Enforcement or variation of existing orders under both:							
Number of applications	97	99	74	69	88	81	87
Number granted	82	93	70	59	82	75	79
Criminal proceedings:							
Section 30, MSS Act 1966							
Against the liable person (mainly deserting husbands)	716	597	598	675	614	604	535
Conviction recorded	704	591	590	659	603	585	512
Number sentenced to a term of imprisonment	52	133	162	147	119	99	83
Fine or imprisonment	88	42	61	53	31	16	25
Suspended sentence	6	84	64	103	101	84	55

Source: 100 per cent count.

TABLE 34.95

RECIPIENTS OF REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS ON A DAY IN NOVEMBER: WAGE STOP

	Units	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Unemployed	Thousands	553	545	552	588	851	770	494
In receipt of supplementary benefit	Thousands	228	225	228	240	387	410	249
Per cent of unemployed	Per cent	41	41	41	41	45	53	50
Supplementary benefit reduced by wage-stop	Thousands	34	30	31	33	22	24	10
Per cent of beneficiaries	Per cent	15	13	14	14	6	6	4

Source: Unemployed: Deptment of Employment 100 per cent count of registered unemployed excluding those temporarily stopped.
 Unemployed in receipt of supplementary benefit: Sample of 1 in 80 prior to 1969 and 1 in 40 from 1969.

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: TABLE 34.97

EXCEPTIONAL NEEDS PAYMENTS (a): AVERAGE AMOUNT

	Units	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All exceptional needs payments	Thousands	470	500	560	576	743	808
Average amount	£s	5.80	6.19	6.86	8.18	9.54	11.51
Exceptional needs payments to:							
Supplementary pensioners	Thousands	140	149	181	175	212	258
Average amount	£s	5.84	6.38	6.91	8.00	9.12	10.89
Unemployment beneficiaries	Thousands	111	112	107	125	202	183
Average amount	£s	5.23	5.34	6.12	7.66	9.04	10.80
Other beneficiaries	Thousands	219	240	273	275	330	366
Average amount	£s	6.07	6.47	7.11	8.54	10.12	12.30

Source: 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) Excluding payments to repatriates.

TABLE 34.99

PROPORTION OF NATIONAL INSURANCE BENEFICIARIES RECEIVING SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT

Per cent

	December					November	
	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Unemployment benefit (a)	23.0	20.2	22.5	19.5	23.4	24.0	21.4
Sickness benefit	13.3	14.5	13.6	14.6	12.6	10.5	9.4
Widow's benefits (excluding widows' basic pensions and widows aged 60 and over)	16.1	16.4	16.3	16.7	15.0	14.3	12.5
Retirement pensions and NI widows aged 60 and over (b)	27.8	28.1	27.7	28.0	27.7	27.5	26.3

Source: Samples as in tables for relevant benefits.

Notes: (a) Based on figures supplied by the Department of Employment showing the number of persons unemployed on the day of the count for whom an order to pay supplementary benefit was still current. This is less than the number of authorisations current in the records of the local offices of the Department of Health and Social Security, because such authorisations may remain in force (subject to earnings) for a period of 15 days after the last day of unemployment.

(b) A man and his wife who each have a retirement pension and for whom supplementary pension is payable are counted as two individual persons, not as one household.

WAR PENSION: TABLE 36.01

STANDARD RATES OF MAIN WAR PENSIONS: OFFICERS

Date	Disablement pension at 100% rate		Disablement addition to service retired pay or service pension All ranks	Widow's pension (a)			
	Annual rate according to rank			Annual rate according to rank		Children	
	From	To		From	To	First or only child	Each other child
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
3 September 1939	150.00	300.00	100.00	90.00	300.00	24.00	24.00
5 June 1940	175.00	350.00	100.00	90.00	300.00	30.00	30.00
1 February 1942	195.00	390.00	100.00	110.00	325.00	33.00	33.00
16 August 1943	210.00	420.00	150.00	130.00	350.00	36.00	36.00
1 May 1944	210.00	420.00	150.00	150.00	350.00	36.00	36.00
1 May 1952	236.00	446.00	176.00	168.00	368.00	36.00	36.00
1 February 1955	270.00	480.00	210.00	196.00	396.00	50.50	50.50
1 August 1956	270.00	480.00	210.00	196.00	396.00	63.50	63.50
1 February 1958	316.00	526.00	256.00	232.00	432.00	73.00	73.00
1 April 1961	350.00	560.00	290.00	258.00	458.00	83.50	83.50
27 May 1963	396.00	606.00	336.00	295.00	495.00	96.50	96.50
30 March 1964	396.00	606.00	336.00	295.00	495.00	116.00	116.00
1 April 1965	448.00	658.00	388.00	334.00	534.00	122.50	122.50
1 November 1967	491.00	701.00	431.00	365.00	565.00	129.00	129.00(b)
9 April 1968	491.00	701.00	431.00	365.00	565.00	136.80	118.60(c)
8 October 1968	491.00	701.00	431.00	365.00	565.00	136.80	110.80(c)
1 November 1969	533.00	743.00	473.00	399.00	599.00	145.90	119.90(c)
21 September 1971	617.00	827.00	557.00	467.00	667.00	171.90	145.90(c)
1 October 1972	679.00	889.00	619.00	519.00	719.00	190.10	164.10(c)
1 October 1973	762.00	972.00	702.00	587.00	1,137.00	216.10	190.10(c)
21 July 1974	950.00	1,160.00	890.00	738.00	1,288.00	273.00	247.30(c)

Notes: (a) For widows who have children, or who are aged 40 or over or who are incapable of self-support.

(b) Less £13 per year in respect of each child who qualifies for family allowance at the rate of 75p per week.

(c) Increased by £10.40 per year from 8 April 1968 and by £18.20 from 8 October 1968 for each child who did not qualify for family allowance.

WAR PENSION: TABLE 36.02

STANDARD RATES OF MAIN WAR PENSIONS: OTHER RANKS

Date	Disablement pension at 100% rate		Widow's pension (a)				
	Weekly rate according to rank		Weekly rate according to rank		Children		
	From	To	From	To	First or only child	Second child	Each other child
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
3 September 1939	1.625	2.25	1.125	1.50	0.25	0.25	0.25
3 June 1940	1.71	2.33	1.125	1.50	0.425	0.31	0.25
2 February 1942	1.875	2.71	1.25	1.75	0.48	0.35	0.25
16 August 1943	2.00	2.83	1.33	1.90	0.475	0.425	0.375
1 May 1944	2.00	2.83	1.625	1.90	0.55	0.55	0.55
4 February 1946	2.25	3.08	1.75	2.00	0.55	0.55	0.55
5 May 1952	2.75	3.58	2.10	2.35	0.55	0.55	0.55
31 January 1955	3.375	4.21	2.625	2.875	0.825	0.825	0.825
6 August 1956	3.375	4.21	2.625	2.875	1.075	1.075	1.075
27 January 1958	4.25	5.08	3.30	3.55	1.25	1.25	1.25
3 April 1961	4.875	5.71	3.80	4.05	1.45	1.45	1.45
27 May 1963	5.75	6.58	4.50	4.75	1.70	1.70	1.70
30 March 1964	5.75	6.58	4.50	4.75	2.075	2.075	2.075
29 March 1965	6.75	7.58	5.25	5.50	2.20	2.20	2.20
30 October 1967	7.60	8.43	5.85	6.10	2.325	2.325	2.325(b)
8 April 1968	7.60	8.43	5.85	6.10	2.475	2.125(c)	2.125(c)
14 October 1968	7.60	8.43	5.85	6.10	2.475	1.975(c)	1.975(c)
3 November 1969	8.40	9.23	6.50	6.75	2.65	2.15(c)	2.15(c)
20 September 1971	10.00	10.84	7.80	8.05	3.15	2.65(c)	2.65(c)
2 October 1972	11.20	12.04	8.80	9.05	3.50	3.00(c)	3.00(c)
1 October 1973	12.80	13.64	10.10	10.35	4.00	3.50(c)	3.50(c)
22 July 1974	16.40	17.24	13.00	13.25	5.10	4.60(c)	4.60(c)

Notes: (a) For widows who have children, or who are aged 40 or over or who are incapable of self-support.
 (b) Less 25p per week in respect of each child who qualifies for family allowance at the rate of 75p per week.
 (c) Increased by 20p from 8 April 1968 and by 35p from 14 October 1968 for each child who did not qualify for family allowance.

WAR PENSION: TABLE 36.03

STANDARD RATES OF THE MAIN SUPPLEMENTARY ALLOWANCES PAYABLE TO WAR PENSIONERS

Date	Unemploy- ability supplement	Constant attendance allowance		Comforts allowance	Allowance for lowered standard of occupation (maximum)	Age allowance (maximum)	Clothing allowance (maximum)
		Normal maximum	Severe disablement maximum				
Weekly rate							Annual rate
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
3 September 1939 .. ..	.	0.75	.	.	.	.	.
4 February 1942 .. ..	.	0.90	.	.	.	.	.
18 August 1943	0.50	1.00	.	.	.	.	.
5 September 1945	1.00	1.00	.	.	.	.	.
1 February 1946	1.00	1.00	2.00	.	0.56	.	5.00
1 February 1948	1.00	1.00	2.00	.	0.56	.	8.00
1 May 1948	1.00	1.00	2.00	.	1.00	.	8.00
18 August 1948	1.50	1.00	2.00	.	1.00	.	8.00
6 June 1951	1.75	1.00	2.00	0.50	1.00	.	8.00
23 July 1952	1.75	1.25	2.50	0.50	1.00	.	8.00
2 February 1955	2.25	1.50	3.00	0.50	1.375	.	10.00
6 February 1957	2.25	1.50	3.00	1.00	1.375	0.75	10.00
29 January 1958	2.75	1.75	3.50	1.00	1.70	0.75	10.00
5 April 1961	3.15	2.00	4.00	1.00	1.95	0.75	12.50
6 March 1963	3.70	2.00	4.00	1.00	1.95	0.75	12.50
29 May 1963	3.70	2.50	5.00	1.00	2.30	0.75	12.50
27 January 1965	4.375	2.50	5.00	1.00	2.30	0.75	12.50
31 March 1965	4.375	2.75	5.50	1.00	2.70	0.75	12.50
1 November 1967	4.875	3.00	6.00	1.25	3.05	1.00	14.00
5 November 1969	5.45	3.30	6.60	1.25	3.35	1.00	14.00
16 July 1971	6.55	3.30	6.60	1.25	3.35	1.00	14.00
20 September 1971	6.55	4.00	8.00	1.70	4.00	1.40	19.00
2 October 1972	7.35	4.50	9.00	1.70	4.48	1.60	19.00
1 October 1973	8.40	5.15	10.30	2.20	5.12	1.80	22.00
21 July 1974	10.75	6.60	13.20	2.80	6.56	3.60	26.00

TABLE 36.20

APPEALS TO WAR PENSIONS APPEAL TRIBUNALS

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Appeals against decisions on entitlement decided by Tribunal	2,341	2,251	1,760	1,712	1,857	2,005	1,742	1,713	1,734	1,831
Decisions in appellant's favour:										
Number	493	562	498	446	467	504	433	488	481	499
Percentage	21	25	28	26	25	25	25	28	28	27
Appeals against assessment decided by Tribunal	947	805	648	772	882	936	982	1,246	1,097	1,458
Assessment increased by Tribunal:										
Number	248	256	196	262	266	287	306	444	429	410
Percentage	26	32	30	34	30	31	31	36	39	28

Source: 100 per cent count.

WAR PENSION: TABLE 36.30

WAR PENSIONS IN PAYMENT AT 31 DECEMBER, ANALYSED BY TYPE

Thousands

	1940 (a)	1945 (a)	1950 (a)	1955	1960	1965	1970	1971	1972	1973
Total 1939 and 1914 Wars	728	954	1,047	871	724	614	519	502	481	464
1939 War and subsequent service:										
Total	2	342	541	487	437	414	390	385	377	370
Disablement	—	207	399	360	320	306	294	290	286	281
Widows	2	101	88	74	70	69	68	68	67	67
Parents, orphans and other dependants ..	—	34	54	53	47	39	29	27	24	22
1914 War:										
Total	726	613	507	384	287	200	129	117	105	94
Disablement	418	373	326	262	202	142	90	81	72	64
Widows	122	112	103	89	72	54	38	35	32	29
Parents, orphans and other dependants ..	187	128	78	34	13	4	1	1	1	1

Source: 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) At 31 March.

TABLE 36.32

WAR PENSIONERS AT 31 DECEMBER 1973, ANALYSED BY AGE

Number

	Disablement		Widows		Parents, orphans and other dependants	
	1939 War (a)	1914 War	1939 War (a)	1914 War	1939 War (a)	1914 War
All ages	281,376	63,846	66,814	29,367	22,028	551
Under 20	73	—	3	—	80	5
20—29	4,915	—	274	1	38	4
30—39	17,391	—	676	—	31	12
40—49	41,299	—	2,639	13	21	15
50—59	128,613	—	18,838	135	118	69
60—69	72,077	13	28,520	1,277	781	81
70—79	15,153	42,211	12,924	8,490	10,030	39
80—89	1,742	20,517	2,777	16,678	9,838	43
90 and over	113	1,105	163	2,773	1,091	283

Source: 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) And subsequent service.

WAR PENSION: TABLE 36.35

WAR DISABLEMENT PENSIONS IN PAYMENT AT 31 DECEMBER, ANALYSED BY PERCENTAGE ASSESSMENT

Thousands

	1950 (a)	1955	1960	1965	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All percentages	725	622	522	448	410	397	383	371	358	345
Less than 20%	44	21	14	3	1	1	1	1	1	1
20%	241	218	190	170	159	155	151	147	143	139
30%	149	129	111	98	90	87	84	81	78	75
40%	80	71	63	55	50	49	47	45	43	42
50%	63	55	45	37	33	31	30	28	27	25
60%	41	37	31	26	20	19	18	18	17	16
70%	28	25	19	16	16	16	15	14	13	13
80%	22	20	16	14	13	12	12	12	12	11
90%	4	4	3	3	4	4	4	3	3	3
100%	54	41	29	26	24	23	22	22	21	20

Source: 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) At 31 March 1950.

WAR PENSION: TABLE 36.40

ALLOWANCES IN PAYMENT (a) TO WAR DISABLEMENT PENSIONERS AT 31 DECEMBER 1973

	Total	1939 War (b)	1914 War
Unemployability supplement	11,297	9,343	1,954
Invalidity allowance:			
All rates	7,112	7,112	—
£1.60	2,052	2,052	—
£1.00	1,699	1,699	—
£0.50	3,361	3,361	—
Constant attendance allowance:			
All rates	7,509	5,447	2,062
£10.30	223	199	24
£7.75	479	423	56
£5.15	2,674	2,006	668
£2.60	4,133	2,189	1,314
Exceptionally severe disablement allowance	664	601	63
Comforts allowance:			
All rates	14,493	11,276	3,217
£2.20	6,432	4,274	2,158
£1.10	8,061	7,002	1,059
Allowance for lowered standard of occupation:			
All rates	16,527	15,740	787
£5.12	9,379	9,123	256
£0.50 to £4.50	7,148	6,617	531
Age allowance:			
All rates	40,844	12,236	28,608
£1.80	5,328	1,833	3,495
£1.30	4,653	1,348	3,305
£0.90	9,618	2,717	6,901
£0.60	21,245	6,338	14,907
Clothing allowance:			
All rates	29,143	18,879	10,264
£22.00	2,589	1,891	698
£14.00	26,220	16,718	9,502
£8.00	334	270	64
Severe disablement occupational allowance	96	96	—
Education allowance	1,477	1,472	5

Source: 100 per cent count.

Notes: (a) All amounts shown are at the weekly rate, except clothing allowance which is annual.
 (b) And subsequent service.

WAR PENSION: TABLE 36.45

WAR PENSIONERS LIVING OUTSIDE THE BRITISH ISLES AT 31 DECEMBER, ANALYSED BY COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE

Thousands

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All countries:										
Both Wars	26.3	26.2	26.2	26.0	25.6	24.6	24.2	23.7	23.2	22.4
1939 War and subsequent service	16.8	17.3	17.8	18.0	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1	17.7
1914 War	9.5	9.0	8.4	7.9	7.4	6.4	6.0	5.6	5.1	4.6
Canada:										
Both Wars	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.5	6.1	5.9	5.9	5.6	5.7	5.5
1939 War and subsequent service	3.6	3.7	3.9	4.0	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.7	4.0	4.0
1914 War	3.0	2.9	2.7	2.5	2.3	2.1	2.0	1.9	1.7	1.5
USA:										
Both Wars	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.1	2.9	2.8	2.5	2.3
1939 War and subsequent service	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.8	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.6
1914 War	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.0	0.8	0.7
Australia:										
Both Wars	8.2	8.4	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.9	8.8
1939 War and subsequent service	5.7	6.1	6.3	6.6	6.7	6.9	7.0	7.2	7.5	7.5
1914 War	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.0	1.9	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.2
New Zealand:										
Both Wars	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.6
1939 War and subsequent service	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.2
1914 War	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.4
South Africa:										
Both Wars	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4
1939 War and subsequent service	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1
1914 War	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3
Other countries:										
Both Wars	4.5	4.4	4.3	4.2	4.2	3.6	3.5	3.4	3.1	2.8
1939 War and subsequent service	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.0	2.7	2.4
1914 War	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4

Source: 100 per cent count.

CONTRIBUTIONS: TABLE 40.01

WEEKLY FLAT-RATE CONTRIBUTIONS (a): EMPLOYED PERSON

Date	Employee				Employer						Total cost of stamp
	National Insurance	Industrial Injuries	National Health Service	Total	National Insurance	Industrial Injuries	National Health Service	Redundancy Payments Scheme	Selective Employment Tax	Total	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
(1) Men over 18:											
From											
5 July 1948	0.194	0.017	0.035	0.246	0.185	0.017	0.006	.	.	0.208	0.454
1 October 1951	0.202	0.017	0.035	0.254	0.194	0.017	0.006	.	.	0.217	0.471
6 October 1952	0.235	0.017	0.035	0.287	0.223	0.021	0.006	.	.	0.250	0.537
6 June 1955	0.281	0.021	0.035	0.337	0.269	0.025	0.006	.	.	0.300	0.637
2 September 1957	0.281	0.021	0.069	0.371	0.269	0.025	0.015	.	.	0.308	0.679
3 February 1958	0.369	0.033	0.069	0.471	0.352	0.037	0.015	.	.	0.404	0.875
7 July 1958	0.369	0.033	0.094	0.496	0.352	0.037	0.023	.	.	0.412	0.908
3 April 1961											
Ordinary	0.365	0.029	0.094	0.487	0.365	0.033	0.023	.	.	0.421	0.908
Contracted out	0.444	0.029	0.094	0.567	0.427	0.033	0.023	.	.	0.483	1.050
3 July 1961											
Ordinary	0.365	0.029	0.135	0.529	0.365	0.033	0.031	.	.	0.429	0.958
Contracted out	0.444	0.029	0.135	0.608	0.427	0.033	0.031	.	.	0.492	1.100
3 June 1963											
Ordinary	0.415	0.033	0.135	0.583	0.415	0.037	0.031	.	.	0.483	1.066
Contracted out	0.535	0.033	0.135	0.704	0.535	0.037	0.031	.	.	0.604	1.308
29 March 1965											
Ordinary	0.510	0.038	0.135	0.683	0.573	0.042	0.031	.	.	0.646	1.329
Contracted out	0.631	0.038	0.135	0.804	0.694	0.042	0.031	.	.	0.767	1.571
6 December 1965											
Ordinary	0.510	0.038	0.135	0.683	0.573	0.042	0.031	0.021	.	0.667	1.350
Contracted out	0.631	0.038	0.135	0.804	0.694	0.042	0.031	0.021	.	0.788	1.592
5 September 1966											
Ordinary	0.510	0.038	0.135	0.683	0.573	0.042	0.031	0.021	1.250	1.917	2.600
Contracted out	0.631	0.038	0.135	0.804	0.694	0.042	0.031	0.021	1.250	2.038	2.842
6 February 1967											
Ordinary	0.510	0.038	0.135	0.683	0.573	0.042	0.031	0.042	1.250	1.938	2.621
Contracted out	0.631	0.038	0.135	0.804	0.694	0.042	0.031	0.042	1.250	2.059	2.863
30 October 1967											
Ordinary	0.606	0.042	0.135	0.783	0.681	0.046	0.031	0.042	1.250	2.050	2.833
Contracted out	0.727	0.042	0.135	0.904	0.802	0.046	0.031	0.042	1.250	2.171	3.075
6 May 1968											
Ordinary	0.633	0.042	0.158	0.833	0.704	0.046	0.033	0.042	1.250	2.075	2.908
Contracted out	0.754	0.042	0.158	0.954	0.825	0.046	0.033	0.042	1.250	2.196	3.150
2 September 1968											
Ordinary	0.633	0.042	0.158	0.833	0.704	0.046	0.033	0.063	1.875	2.721	3.554
Contracted out	0.754	0.042	0.158	0.954	0.825	0.046	0.033	0.063	1.875	2.842	3.796
7 July 1969											
Ordinary	0.633	0.042	0.158	0.833	0.704	0.046	0.033	0.063	2.400	3.246	4.079
Contracted out	0.754	0.042	0.158	0.954	0.825	0.046	0.033	0.063	2.400	3.367	4.321
3 November 1969											
Ordinary	0.679	0.046	0.158	0.883	0.750	0.050	0.033	0.063	2.400	3.296	4.179
Contracted out	0.800	0.046	0.158	1.004	0.871	0.050	0.033	0.063	2.400	3.417	4.421
6 July 1970											
Ordinary	0.679	0.046	0.158	0.883	0.750	0.050	0.083	0.063	2.400	3.346	4.229
Contracted out	0.800	0.046	0.158	1.004	0.871	0.050	0.083	0.063	2.400	3.467	4.471
15 February 1971											
Ordinary	0.676	0.046	0.158	0.88	0.754	0.05	0.083	0.063	2.40	3.35	4.23
Contracted out	0.796	0.046	0.158	1.00	0.874	0.05	0.083	0.063	2.40	3.47	4.47
5 July 1971											
Ordinary	0.676	0.046	0.158	0.88	0.754	0.05	0.083	0.063	1.20	2.15	3.03
Contracted out	0.796	0.046	0.158	1.00	0.874	0.05	0.083	0.063	1.20	2.27	3.27
20 September 1971											
Ordinary	0.672	0.05	0.158	0.88	0.744	0.06	0.083	0.063	1.20	2.15	3.03
Contracted out	0.792	0.05	0.158	1.00	0.864	0.06	0.083	0.063	1.20	2.27	3.27
2 October 1972											
Ordinary	0.672	0.05	0.158	0.88	0.834	0.07	0.083	0.063	1.20	2.25	3.13
Contracted out	0.792	0.05	0.158	1.00	0.954	0.07	0.083	0.063	1.20	2.37	3.37
2 April 1973											
Ordinary	0.672	0.05	0.158	0.88	0.834	0.07	0.083	0.063	.	1.05	1.93
Contracted out	0.792	0.05	0.158	1.00	0.954	0.07	0.083	0.063	.	1.17	2.17
1 October 1973											
Ordinary	0.632	0.05	0.158	0.84	0.954	0.09	0.083	0.063	.	1.19	2.03
Contracted out	0.752	0.05	0.158	0.96	1.074	0.09	0.083	0.063	.	1.31	2.27
21 January 1974											
Ordinary	0.632	0.05	0.158	0.84	1.044	0.09	0.083	0.063	.	1.28	2.12
Contracted out	0.752	0.05	0.158	0.96	1.164	0.09	0.083	0.063	.	1.40	2.36
5 August 1974											
Ordinary	0.542	0.05	0.158	0.75	1.464	0.11	0.083	0.063	.	1.72	2.47
Contracted out	0.662	0.05	0.158	0.87	1.584	0.11	0.083	0.063	.	1.84	2.71

CONTRIBUTIONS: TABLE 40.01 (continued)

WEEKLY FLAT-RATE CONTRIBUTIONS (a): EMPLOYED PERSON

Date	Employee				Employer						Total cost of stamp
	National Insurance	Industrial Injuries	National Health Service	Total	National Insurance	Industrial Injuries	National Health Service	Redundancy Payments Scheme	Selective Employment Tax	Total	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
(2) Women over 18:											
From											
5 July 1948	0.152	0.013	0.027	0.192	0.144	0.013	0.006	.	.	0.162	0.354
1 October 1951	0.160	0.013	0.027	0.200	0.152	0.013	0.006	.	.	0.171	0.371
6 October 1952	0.185	0.013	0.027	0.225	0.177	0.013	0.006	.	.	0.196	0.421
6 June 1955	0.235	0.013	0.027	0.275	0.223	0.017	0.006	.	.	0.246	0.521
2 September 1957	0.235	0.013	0.052	0.300	0.223	0.017	0.015	.	.	0.254	0.554
3 February 1958	0.310	0.021	0.052	0.383	0.290	0.025	0.015	.	.	0.329	0.712
7 July 1958	0.310	0.021	0.069	0.400	0.290	0.025	0.023	.	.	0.338	0.738
3 April 1961											
Ordinary	0.315	0.017	0.069	0.400	0.315	0.021	0.023	.	.	0.358	0.758
Contracted out	0.356	0.017	0.069	0.442	0.335	0.021	0.023	.	.	0.379	0.821
3 July 1961											
Ordinary	0.315	0.017	0.102	0.433	0.315	0.021	0.031	.	.	0.367	0.800
Contracted out	0.356	0.017	0.102	0.475	0.335	0.021	0.031	.	.	0.387	0.862
3 June 1963											
Ordinary	0.360	0.021	0.102	0.483	0.360	0.025	0.031	.	.	0.417	0.900
Contracted out	0.435	0.021	0.102	0.558	0.435	0.025	0.031	.	.	0.492	1.050
29 March 1965											
Ordinary	0.444	0.025	0.102	0.571	0.498	0.029	0.031	.	.	0.558	1.129
Contracted out	0.519	0.025	0.102	0.646	0.573	0.029	0.031	.	.	0.633	1.279
6 December 1965											
Ordinary	0.444	0.025	0.102	0.571	0.498	0.029	0.031	0.008	.	0.567	1.138
Contracted out	0.519	0.025	0.102	0.646	0.573	0.029	0.031	0.008	.	0.642	1.288
5 September 1966											
Ordinary	0.444	0.025	0.102	0.571	0.498	0.029	0.031	0.008	0.625	1.192	1.763
Contracted out	0.519	0.025	0.102	0.646	0.573	0.029	0.031	0.008	0.625	1.267	1.913
6 February 1967											
Ordinary	0.444	0.025	0.102	0.571	0.498	0.029	0.031	0.021	0.625	1.204	1.775
Contracted out	0.519	0.025	0.102	0.646	0.573	0.029	0.031	0.021	0.625	1.279	1.925
30 October 1967											
Ordinary	0.527	0.029	0.102	0.658	0.594	0.033	0.031	0.021	0.625	1.304	1.962
Contracted out	0.602	0.029	0.102	0.733	0.669	0.033	0.031	0.021	0.625	1.379	2.112
6 May 1968											
Ordinary	0.550	0.029	0.125	0.704	0.613	0.033	0.033	0.021	0.625	1.325	2.029
Contracted out	0.625	0.029	0.125	0.779	0.688	0.033	0.033	0.021	0.625	1.400	2.179
2 September 1968											
Ordinary	0.550	0.029	0.125	0.704	0.613	0.033	0.033	0.029	0.937	1.646	2.350
Contracted out	0.625	0.029	0.125	0.779	0.688	0.033	0.033	0.029	0.937	1.721	2.500
7 July 1969											
Ordinary	0.550	0.029	0.125	0.704	0.613	0.033	0.033	0.029	1.200	1.908	2.612
Contracted out	0.625	0.029	0.125	0.779	0.688	0.033	0.033	0.029	1.200	1.983	2.762
3 November 1969											
Ordinary	0.592	0.033	0.125	0.750	0.654	0.038	0.033	0.029	1.200	1.954	2.704
Contracted out	0.667	0.033	0.125	0.825	0.729	0.038	0.033	0.029	1.200	2.029	2.854
6 July 1970											
Ordinary	0.592	0.033	0.125	0.750	0.654	0.038	0.083	0.029	1.200	2.004	2.754
Contracted out	0.667	0.033	0.125	0.825	0.729	0.038	0.083	0.029	1.200	2.079	2.904
15 February 1971											
Ordinary	0.592	0.033	0.125	0.75	0.65	0.038	0.083	0.029	1.20	2.00	2.75
Contracted out	0.672	0.033	0.125	0.83	0.73	0.038	0.083	0.029	1.20	2.08	2.91
5 July 1971											
Ordinary	0.592	0.033	0.125	0.75	0.65	0.038	0.083	0.029	0.60	1.40	2.15
Contracted out	0.672	0.033	0.125	0.83	0.73	0.038	0.083	0.029	0.60	1.48	2.31
20 September 1971											
Ordinary	0.585	0.04	0.125	0.75	0.638	0.05	0.083	0.029	0.60	1.40	2.15
Contracted out	0.665	0.04	0.125	0.83	0.718	0.05	0.083	0.029	0.60	1.48	2.31
2 October 1972											
Ordinary	0.585	0.04	0.125	0.75	0.728	0.05	0.083	0.029	0.60	1.49	2.24
Contracted out	0.665	0.04	0.125	0.83	0.808	0.05	0.083	0.029	0.60	1.57	2.40
2 April 1973											
Ordinary	0.585	0.04	0.125	0.75	0.728	0.05	0.083	0.029	.	0.89	1.64
Contracted out	0.665	0.04	0.125	0.83	0.808	0.05	0.083	0.029	.	0.97	1.80
1 October 1973											
Ordinary	0.545	0.04	0.125	0.71	0.828	0.07	0.083	0.029	.	1.01	1.72
Contracted out	0.625	0.04	0.125	0.79	0.908	0.07	0.083	0.029	.	1.09	1.88
21 January 1974											
Ordinary	0.545	0.04	0.125	0.71	0.898	0.07	0.083	0.029	.	1.08	1.79
Contracted out	0.625	0.04	0.125	0.79	0.978	0.07	0.083	0.029	.	1.16	1.95
5 August 1974											
Ordinary	0.455	0.04	0.125	0.62	1.258	0.09	0.083	0.029	.	1.46	2.08
Contracted out	0.535	0.04	0.125	0.70	1.338	0.09	0.083	0.029	.	1.54	2.24

CONTRIBUTIONS: TABLE 40.01 (continued)

WEEKLY FLAT-RATE CONTRIBUTIONS (a): EMPLOYED PERSON

Date	Employee				Employer						Total cost of stamp
	National Insurance	Industrial Injuries	National Health Service	Total	National Insurance	Industrial Injuries	National Health Service	Redundancy Payments Scheme	Selective Employment Tax	Total	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
(3) Boys under 18:											
From											
5 July 1948	0.115	0.010	0.019	0.144	0.106	0.010	0.006	.	.	0.123	0.267
1 October 1951 ..	0.119	0.010	0.019	0.148	0.110	0.010	0.006	.	.	0.127	0.275
6 October 1952 ..	0.140	0.012	0.019	0.171	0.131	0.012	0.006	.	.	0.150	0.321
6 June 1955	0.165	0.012	0.019	0.196	0.156	0.012	0.006	.	.	0.175	0.371
2 September 1957 ..	0.165	0.012	0.035	0.213	0.156	0.012	0.015	.	.	0.183	0.396
3 February 1958 ..	0.210	0.017	0.035	0.262	0.202	0.021	0.015	.	.	0.238	0.500
7 July 1958	0.210	0.017	0.044	0.271	0.202	0.021	0.023	.	.	0.246	0.517
3 April 1961	0.252	0.017	0.044	0.313	0.244	0.017	0.023	.	.	0.283	0.596
3 July 1961	0.252	0.017	0.069	0.337	0.244	0.017	0.031	.	.	0.292	0.629
3 June 1963	0.298	0.017	0.069	0.383	0.298	0.021	0.031	.	.	0.350	0.733
29 March 1965 ..	0.360	0.021	0.069	0.450	0.398	0.021	0.031	.	.	0.450	0.900
5 September 1966 ..	0.360	0.021	0.069	0.450	0.398	0.021	0.031	.	0.625	1.075	1.525
30 October 1967 ..	0.415	0.021	0.069	0.504	0.460	0.021	0.031	.	0.625	1.138	1.642
6 May 1968	0.433	0.021	0.079	0.533	0.475	0.021	0.033	.	0.625	1.154	1.687
2 September 1968 ..	0.433	0.021	0.079	0.533	0.475	0.021	0.033	.	0.937	1.467	2.000
7 July 1969	0.433	0.021	0.079	0.533	0.475	0.021	0.033	.	1.200	1.729	2.262
3 November 1969 ..	0.471	0.021	0.079	0.571	0.513	0.021	0.033	.	1.200	1.767	2.338
6 July 1970	0.471	0.021	0.079	0.571	0.513	0.021	0.083	.	1.200	1.817	2.388
15 February 1971 ..	0.47	0.021	0.079	0.57	0.516	0.021	0.083	.	1.20	1.82	2.39
5 July 1971	0.47	0.021	0.079	0.57	0.516	0.021	0.083	.	0.60	1.22	1.79
20 September 1971 ..	0.461	0.03	0.079	0.57	0.507	0.03	0.083	.	0.60	1.22	1.79
2 October 1972	0.461	0.03	0.079	0.57	0.587	0.03	0.083	.	0.60	1.30	1.87
2 April 1973	0.461	0.03	0.079	0.57	0.587	0.03	0.083	.	.	0.70	1.27
1 October 1973	0.461	0.03	0.079	0.57	0.707	0.04	0.083	.	.	0.83	1.40
21 January 1974 ..	0.461	0.03	0.079	0.57	0.707	0.04	0.083	.	.	0.83	1.40
5 August 1974	0.461	0.03	0.079	0.57	0.987	0.05	0.083	.	.	1.12	1.69
(4) Girls under 18:											
From											
5 July 1948	0.090	0.008	0.019	0.117	0.081	0.008	0.006	.	.	0.096	0.213
1 October 1951 ..	0.094	0.008	0.019	0.121	0.085	0.008	0.006	.	.	0.100	0.221
6 October 1952 ..	0.110	0.008	0.019	0.137	0.102	0.008	0.006	.	.	0.117	0.254
6 June 1955	0.135	0.008	0.019	0.162	0.127	0.008	0.006	.	.	0.142	0.304
2 September 1957 ..	0.135	0.008	0.035	0.179	0.127	0.008	0.015	.	.	0.150	0.329
3 February 1958 ..	0.177	0.012	0.035	0.225	0.165	0.012	0.015	.	.	0.192	0.417
7 July 1958	0.177	0.012	0.044	0.233	0.165	0.012	0.023	.	.	0.200	0.433
3 April 1961	0.202	0.008	0.044	0.254	0.190	0.012	0.023	.	.	0.225	0.479
3 July 1961	0.202	0.008	0.069	0.279	0.190	0.012	0.031	.	.	0.233	0.512
3 June 1963	0.235	0.012	0.069	0.317	0.235	0.012	0.031	.	.	0.279	0.596
29 March 1965 ..	0.294	0.012	0.069	0.375	0.327	0.017	0.031	.	.	0.375	0.750
5 September 1966 ..	0.294	0.012	0.069	0.375	0.327	0.017	0.031	.	0.400	0.775	1.150
30 October 1967 ..	0.340	0.012	0.069	0.421	0.381	0.017	0.031	.	0.400	0.829	1.250
6 May 1968	0.354	0.012	0.079	0.446	0.392	0.017	0.033	.	0.400	0.842	1.288
2 September 1968 ..	0.354	0.012	0.079	0.446	0.392	0.017	0.033	.	0.600	1.042	1.488
7 July 1969	0.354	0.012	0.079	0.446	0.392	0.017	0.033	.	0.800	1.242	1.688
3 November 1969 ..	0.388	0.012	0.079	0.479	0.425	0.017	0.033	.	0.800	1.275	1.754
6 July 1970	0.388	0.012	0.079	0.479	0.425	0.017	0.083	.	0.800	1.325	1.804
15 February 1971 ..	0.389	0.012	0.079	0.48	0.43	0.017	0.083	.	0.80	1.33	1.81
5 July 1971	0.389	0.012	0.079	0.48	0.43	0.017	0.083	.	0.40	0.93	1.41
20 September 1971 ..	0.381	0.02	0.079	0.48	0.417	0.03	0.083	.	0.40	0.93	1.41
2 October 1972	0.381	0.02	0.079	0.48	0.497	0.03	0.083	.	0.40	1.01	1.49
2 April 1973	0.381	0.02	0.079	0.48	0.497	0.03	0.083	.	.	0.61	1.09
1 October 1973	0.381	0.02	0.079	0.48	0.557	0.03	0.083	.	.	0.67	1.15
21 January 1974 ..	0.381	0.02	0.079	0.48	0.607	0.03	0.083	.	.	0.72	1.20
5 August 1974	0.381	0.02	0.079	0.48	0.847	0.04	0.083	.	.	0.97	1.45

Note: (a) Between 5 July 1948 and 15 February 1971 the decimal rates shown have been calculated from the £.s.d. rates which applied.

CONTRIBUTIONS: TABLE 40.02

WEEKLY FLAT-RATE CONTRIBUTIONS (a): SELF-EMPLOYED PERSON

Date	National Insurance	National Health Service	Total	National Insurance	National Health Service	Total
	Men over 18			Women over 18		
	£	£	£	£	£	£
From						
5 July 1948	0.267	0.042	0.308	0.221	0.033	0.254
1 October 1951	0.283	0.042	0.325	0.238	0.033	0.271
6 October 1952	0.329	0.042	0.371	0.275	0.033	0.308
6 June 1955	0.379	0.042	0.421	0.325	0.033	0.358
2 September 1957	0.379	0.083	0.462	0.325	0.067	0.392
3 February 1958	0.492	0.083	0.575	0.417	0.067	0.483
7 July 1958	0.492	0.108	0.600	0.417	0.083	0.500
3 April 1961	0.567	0.108	0.675	0.467	0.083	0.550
3 July 1961	0.567	0.142	0.708	0.467	0.108	0.575
3 June 1963	0.667	0.142	0.808	0.550	0.108	0.658
29 March 1965	0.792	0.142	0.933	0.658	0.108	0.767
30 October 1967	0.908	0.142	1.050	0.754	0.108	0.862
6 May 1968	0.942	0.167	1.108	0.783	0.133	0.917
3 November 1969	1.075	0.167	1.242	0.900	0.133	1.033
15 February 1971	1.073	0.167	1.24	0.897	0.133	1.03
20 September 1971	1.333	0.167	1.50	1.117	0.133	1.25
2 October 1972	1.513	0.167	1.68	1.267	0.133	1.40
1 October 1973	1.763	0.167	1.93	1.477	0.133	1.61
21 January 1974	1.823	0.167	1.99	1.537	0.133	1.67
5 August 1974	2.243	0.167	2.41	1.877	0.133	2.01
	Boys under 18			Girls under 18		
From						
5 July 1948	0.154	0.025	0.179	0.129	0.025	0.154
1 October 1951	0.163	0.025	0.188	0.138	0.025	0.163
6 October 1952	0.192	0.025	0.217	0.163	0.025	0.188
6 June 1955	0.217	0.025	0.242	0.188	0.025	0.213
2 September 1957	0.217	0.050	0.267	0.188	0.050	0.238
3 February 1958	0.279	0.050	0.329	0.238	0.050	0.288
7 July 1958	0.279	0.058	0.337	0.238	0.058	0.296
3 April 1961	0.321	0.058	0.379	0.263	0.058	0.321
3 July 1961	0.321	0.075	0.396	0.263	0.075	0.338
3 June 1963	0.379	0.075	0.454	0.313	0.075	0.388
29 March 1965	0.450	0.075	0.525	0.375	0.075	0.450
30 October 1967	0.517	0.075	0.592	0.429	0.075	0.504
6 May 1968	0.537	0.088	0.625	0.446	0.088	0.533
3 November 1969	0.612	0.088	0.700	0.512	0.088	0.600
15 February 1971	0.612	0.088	0.70	0.512	0.088	0.60
20 September 1971	0.762	0.088	0.85	0.642	0.088	0.73
2 October 1972	0.862	0.088	0.95	0.722	0.088	0.81
1 October 1973	1.002	0.088	1.09	0.842	0.088	0.93
21 January 1974	1.062	0.088	1.15	0.902	0.088	0.99
5 August 1974	1.272	0.088	1.36	1.072	0.088	1.16

Note: (a) Between 5 July 1948 and 15 February 1971 the decimal rates shown have been calculated from £.s.d. rates which applied.

CONTRIBUTIONS: TABLE 40.08

GRADUATED CONTRIBUTIONS: EMPLOYEE NOT CONTRACTED-OUT OF GRADUATED PENSION SCHEME

1. FROM 6 APRIL 1961 TO 14 FEBRUARY 1971 (a)

Weekly scale					Monthly scale				
Gross pay (b)	Employee's contribution (c)				Gross pay (b)	Employee's contribution (c)			
	From 6.4.61 to 31.5.63	From 1.6.63 to 4.10.66	From 5.10.66 to 2.11.69	From 3.11.69 to 14.2.71		From 6.4.61 to 31.5.63	From 1.6.63 to 4.10.66	From 5.10.66 to 2.11.69	From 3.11.69 to 14.2.71
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
9.01	0.004	0.004	0.004	0.004	39.025	0.021	0.021	0.025	0.025
9.25	0.017	0.017	0.017	0.017	40.00	0.063	0.063	0.096	0.096
9.50	0.025	0.025	0.037	0.037	41.00	0.104	0.104	0.096	0.096
9.75	0.037	0.037	0.037	0.037	42.00	0.150	0.150	0.192	0.192
10.00	0.046	0.046	0.058	0.058	43.00	0.192	0.192	0.192	0.192
10.25	0.058	0.058	0.058	0.058	44.00	0.233	0.233	0.283	0.283
10.50	0.071	0.071	0.083	0.083	45.00	0.275	0.275	0.283	0.283
10.75	0.079	0.079	0.083	0.083	46.00	0.317	0.317	0.379	0.379
11.00	0.092	0.092	0.108	0.108	47.00	0.363	0.363	0.379	0.379
11.25	0.100	0.100	0.108	0.108	48.00	0.404	0.404	0.475	0.475
11.50	0.113	0.113	0.129	0.129	49.00	0.446	0.446	0.475	0.475
11.75	0.121	0.121	0.129	0.129	50.00	0.487	0.487	0.571	0.571
12.00	0.133	0.133	0.154	0.154	51.00	0.529	0.529	0.571	0.571
12.25	0.142	0.142	0.154	0.154	52.00	0.575	0.575	0.667	0.667
12.50	0.154	0.154	0.179	0.179	53.00	0.617	0.617	0.667	0.667
12.75	0.167	0.167	0.179	0.179	54.00	0.658	0.658	0.758	0.758
13.00	0.175	0.175	0.200	0.200	55.00	0.700	0.700	0.758	0.758
13.25	0.187	0.187	0.200	0.200	56.00	0.742	0.742	0.854	0.854
13.50	0.196	0.196	0.225	0.225	57.00	0.787	0.787	0.854	0.854
13.75	0.208	0.208	0.225	0.225	58.00	0.829	0.829	0.950	0.950
14.00	0.217	0.217	0.250	0.250	59.00	0.871	0.871	0.950	0.950
14.25	0.229	0.229	0.250	0.250	60.00	0.913	0.913	1.046	1.046
14.50	0.237	0.237	0.275	0.275	61.00	0.954	0.954	1.046	1.046
14.75	0.250	0.250	0.275	0.275	62.00	1.000	1.000	1.142	1.142
15.00	0.254	0.258	0.296	0.296	63.00	1.042	1.042	1.142	1.142
15.25	0.254	0.271	0.296	0.296	64.00	1.083	1.083	1.233	1.233
15.50	0.254	0.283	0.321	0.321	65.00	1.104	1.125	1.233	1.233
15.75	0.254	0.292	0.321	0.321	66.00	1.104	1.167	1.329	1.329
16.00	0.254	0.304	0.346	0.346	67.00	1.104	1.213	1.329	1.329
16.25	0.254	0.313	0.346	0.346	68.00	1.104	1.254	1.425	1.425
16.50	0.254	0.325	0.367	0.367	69.00	1.104	1.296	1.425	1.425
16.75	0.254	0.333	0.367	0.367	70.00	1.104	1.337	1.521	1.521
17.00	0.254	0.346	0.392	0.392	71.00	1.104	1.379	1.521	1.521
17.25	0.254	0.354	0.392	0.392	72.00	1.104	1.425	1.617	1.617
17.50	0.254	0.367	0.417	0.417	73.00	1.104	1.467	1.617	1.617
17.75	0.254	0.379	0.417	0.417	74.00	1.104	1.508	1.708	1.708
18.00	0.254	0.383	0.433	0.442	75.00	1.104	1.550	1.708	1.708
19.00	0.254	0.383	0.433	0.475	76.00	1.104	1.592	1.804	1.804
20.00	0.254	0.383	0.433	0.508	77.00	1.104	1.637	1.804	1.804
21.00	0.254	0.383	0.450	0.542	78.00	1.104	1.658	1.858	1.917
22.00	0.254	0.383	0.450	0.575	80.00	1.104	1.658	1.887	1.917
23.00	0.254	0.383	0.450	0.604	82.00	1.104	1.658	1.887	2.046
24.00	0.254	0.383	0.450	0.637	86.00	1.104	1.658	1.887	2.179
25.00	0.254	0.383	0.467	0.671	90.00	1.104	1.658	1.937	2.308
26.00	0.254	0.383	0.467	0.704	94.00	1.104	1.658	1.937	2.437
27.00	0.254	0.383	0.479	0.737	98.00	1.104	1.658	1.937	2.567
28.00	0.254	0.383	0.479	0.767	100.00	1.104	1.658	1.987	2.567
29.00	0.254	0.383	0.479	0.800	102.00	1.104	1.658	1.987	2.696
30.00					106.00	1.104	1.658	1.987	2.829
and over	0.254	0.383	0.487	0.817	110.00	1.104	1.658	2.037	2.958
					114.00	1.104	1.658	2.037	3.087
					118.00	1.104	1.658	2.037	3.217
					120.00	1.104	1.658	2.087	3.217
					122.00	1.104	1.658	2.087	3.346
					126.00	1.104	1.658	2.087	3.479
					130.00				
					and over	1.104	1.658	2.113	3.542

CONTRIBUTIONS: TABLE 40.08 (continued)

GRADUATED CONTRIBUTIONS: EMPLOYEE NOT CONTRACTED-OUT OF GRADUATED PENSION SCHEME

2. FROM 15 FEBRUARY 1971 TO 30 SEPTEMBER 1973

Weekly scale				Monthly scale			
Gross pay (b)	Employee's contribution (c)			Gross pay (b)	Employee's contribution (c)		
	From 15.2.71 to 20.9.71	From 21.9.71 to 1.10.72	From 2.10.72 to 30.9.73		From 15.2.71 to 20.9.71	From 21.9.71 to 1.10.72	From 2.10.72 to 30.9.73
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
9.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	39.02	0.02	0.02	0.02
9.25	0.02	0.02	0.02	40.00	0.09	0.09	0.09
9.50	0.04	0.04	0.04	42.00	0.19	0.19	0.19
10.00	0.06	0.06	0.06	44.00	0.28	0.28	0.28
10.50	0.08	0.08	0.08	46.00	0.38	0.38	0.38
11.00	0.11	0.11	0.11	48.00	0.47	0.47	0.47
11.50	0.13	0.13	0.13	50.00	0.57	0.57	0.57
12.00	0.15	0.15	0.15	52.00	0.66	0.66	0.66
12.50	0.18	0.18	0.18	54.00	0.76	0.76	0.76
13.00	0.20	0.20	0.20	56.00	0.85	0.85	0.85
13.50	0.23	0.23	0.23	58.00	0.95	0.95	0.95
14.00	0.25	0.25	0.25	60.00	1.04	1.04	1.04
14.50	0.27	0.27	0.27	62.00	1.14	1.14	1.14
15.00	0.30	0.30	0.30	64.00	1.23	1.23	1.23
15.50	0.32	0.32	0.32	66.00	1.33	1.33	1.33
16.00	0.34	0.34	0.34	68.00	1.42	1.42	1.42
16.50	0.37	0.37	0.37	70.00	1.52	1.52	1.52
17.00	0.39	0.39	0.39	72.00	1.61	1.61	1.61
17.50	0.42	0.42	0.42	74.00	1.71	1.71	1.71
18.00	0.44	0.45	0.45	76.00	1.80	1.80	1.80
19.00	0.48	0.49	0.50	78.00	1.92	1.94	1.95
20.00	0.51	0.54	0.55	82.00	2.05	2.11	2.14
21.00	0.54	0.58	0.59	86.00	2.18	2.29	2.33
22.00	0.57	0.62	0.64	90.00	2.31	2.46	2.52
23.00	0.61	0.67	0.69	94.00	2.44	2.64	2.71
24.00	0.64	0.71	0.74	98.00	2.57	2.81	2.90
25.00	0.67	0.75	0.78	102.00	2.70	2.98	3.09
26.00	0.70	0.80	0.83	106.00	2.83	3.16	3.28
27.00	0.74	0.84	0.88	110.00	2.96	3.33	3.47
28.00	0.77	0.88	0.93	114.00	3.09	3.51	3.66
29.00	0.80	0.93	0.97	118.00	3.22	3.68	3.85
30.00	0.82	0.97	1.02	122.00	3.35	3.85	4.08
31.00	0.82	1.01	1.07	126.00	3.48	4.03	4.23
32.00	0.82	1.06	1.12	130.00	3.54	4.20	4.42
33.00	0.82	1.10	1.16	134.00	3.54	4.38	4.61
34.00	0.82	1.15	1.21	138.00	3.54	4.55	4.80
35.00	0.82	1.19	1.26	142.00	3.54	4.72	4.99
36.00	0.82	1.23	1.31	146.00	3.54	4.90	5.18
37.00	0.82	1.28	1.35	150.00	3.54	5.07	5.37
38.00	0.82	1.32	1.40	154.00	3.54	5.25	5.56
39.00	0.82	1.36	1.45	158.00	3.54	5.42	5.75
40.00	0.82	1.41	1.50	162.00	3.54	5.59	5.94
41.00	0.82	1.45	1.54	166.00	3.54	5.77	6.13
42.00	0.82	1.47	1.59	170.00	3.54	5.94	6.32
43.00	0.82	1.47	1.64	174.00	3.54	6.12	6.51
44.00	0.82	1.47	1.69	178.00	3.54	6.29	6.70
45.00	0.82	1.47	1.73	182.00	3.54	6.38	6.89
46.00	0.82	1.47	1.78	186.00	3.54	6.38	7.08
47.00	0.82	1.47	1.83	190.00	3.54	6.38	7.27
48.00				194.00	3.54	6.38	7.46
and over	0.82	1.47	1.85	198.00	3.54	6.38	7.65
				202.00	3.54	6.38	7.84
				206.00	3.54	6.38	7.98
				208.00			
				and over	3.54	6.38	8.03

CONTRIBUTIONS: TABLE 40.08 (continued)

GRADUATED CONTRIBUTIONS: EMPLOYEE NOT CONTRACTED-OUT OF GRADUATED PENSION SCHEME

3. FROM 1 OCTOBER 1973

Weekly scale			Gross pay (b)	Monthly scale	
Gross pay (b)	Employee's contribution (c)			Employee's contribution (c)	
	From 1.10.73 to 4.8.74	From 5.8.74		From 1.10.73 to 4.8.74	From 5.8.74
£	£	£	£	£	£
9.01	0.01	0.01	39.03	0.03	0.03
9.25	0.02	0.02	40.00	0.10	0.11
9.50	0.04	0.04	42.00	0.20	0.22
10.00	0.06	0.07	44.00	0.30	0.33
10.50	0.09	0.10	46.00	0.40	0.44
11.00	0.11	0.12	48.00	0.50	0.55
11.50	0.14	0.15	50.00	0.60	0.66
12.00	0.16	0.18	52.00	0.70	0.77
12.50	0.19	0.21	54.00	0.80	0.88
13.00	0.21	0.23	56.00	0.90	0.99
13.50	0.24	0.26	58.00	1.00	1.10
14.00	0.26	0.29	60.00	1.10	1.21
14.50	0.29	0.32	62.00	1.20	1.32
15.00	0.31	0.34	64.00	1.30	1.43
15.50	0.34	0.37	66.00	1.40	1.54
16.00	0.36	0.40	68.00	1.50	1.65
16.50	0.39	0.43	70.00	1.60	1.76
17.00	0.41	0.45	72.00	1.70	1.87
17.50	0.44	0.48	74.00	1.80	1.98
18.00	0.47	0.52	76.00	1.90	2.09
19.00	0.52	0.58	78.00	2.05	2.25
20.00	0.57	0.63	82.00	2.25	2.47
21.00	0.62	0.69	86.00	2.45	2.69
22.00	0.67	0.74	90.00	2.65	2.91
23.00	0.72	0.80	94.00	2.85	3.13
24.00	0.77	0.85	98.00	3.05	3.35
25.00	0.82	0.91	102.00	3.25	3.57
26.00	0.87	0.96	106.00	3.45	3.79
27.00	0.92	1.02	110.00	3.65	4.01
28.00	0.97	1.07	114.00	3.85	4.23
29.00	1.02	1.13	118.00	4.05	4.45
30.00	1.07	1.18	122.00	4.25	4.67
31.00	1.12	1.24	126.00	4.45	4.89
32.00	1.17	1.29	130.00	4.65	5.11
33.00	1.22	1.35	134.00	4.85	5.33
34.00	1.27	1.40	138.00	5.05	5.55
35.00	1.32	1.46	142.00	5.25	5.77
36.00	1.37	1.51	146.00	5.45	5.99
37.00	1.42	1.57	150.00	5.65	6.21
38.00	1.47	1.62	154.00	5.85	6.43
39.00	1.52	1.68	158.00	6.05	6.65
40.00	1.57	1.73	162.00	6.25	6.87
41.00	1.62	1.79	166.00	6.45	7.09
42.00	1.67	1.84	170.00	6.65	7.31
43.00	1.72	1.90	174.00	6.85	7.53
44.00	1.77	1.95	178.00	7.05	7.75
45.00	1.82	2.01	182.00	7.25	7.97
46.00	1.87	2.06	186.00	7.45	8.19
47.00	1.92	2.12	190.00	7.65	8.41
48.00	1.97	2.17	194.00	7.85	8.63
49.00	2.02	2.23	198.00	8.05	8.85
50.00	2.07	2.28	202.00	8.25	9.07
51.00	2.12	2.34	206.00	8.45	9.29
52.00	2.17	2.39	210.00	8.65	9.51
53.00	2.22	2.45	214.00	8.85	9.73
54.00	2.25	2.50	218.00	9.05	9.95
55.00	2.25	2.56	222.00	9.25	10.17
56.00	2.25	2.61	226.00	9.45	10.39
57.00	2.25	2.67	230.00	9.65	10.61
58.00	2.25	2.72	234.00	9.75	10.83
59.00	2.25	2.78	238.00	9.75	11.05
60.00	2.25	2.83	242.00	9.75	11.27
61.00	2.25	2.89	246.00	9.75	11.49
62.00			250.00	9.75	11.71
and over	2.25	2.91	254.00	9.75	11.93
			258.00	9.75	12.15
			262.00	9.75	12.37
			266.00	9.75	12.56
			268.67		
			and over	9.75	12.63

Notes: (a) From 6 April 1961 to 14 February 1971 the decimal rates shown have been calculated from the £.s.d. rates which applied.
 (b) Where the gross pay lies between two figures shown, the contribution is that opposite the smaller of them.
 (c) The employer's contribution is always equal in amount to the employee's contribution.

CONTRIBUTIONS: TABLE 40.09

GRADUATED CONTRIBUTIONS: EMPLOYEE CONTRACTED-OUT OF GRADUATED PENSION SCHEME (a)

1. FROM 5 OCTOBER 1966 TO 14 FEBRUARY 1971 (b)

Weekly scale			Monthly scale		
Gross pay (c)	Employee's contribution (d)		Gross pay (c)	Employee's contribution (d)	
	From 5.10.66 to 2.11.69	From 3.11.69 to 14.2.71		From 5.10.66 to 2.11.69	From 3.11.69 to 14.2.71
£	£	£	£	£	£
9.01	0.004	0.004	39.01	0.004	0.004
10.00	0.008	0.004	40.00	0.029	0.029
12.00	0.021	0.021	50.00	0.079	0.079
15.00	0.037	0.037	60.00	0.129	0.129
18.00	0.054	0.063	70.00	0.179	0.175
19.00	0.054	0.092	78.00	0.179	0.258
20.00	0.054	0.125	80.00	0.229	0.258
21.00	0.067	0.158	82.00	0.229	0.392
22.00	0.067	0.192	86.00	0.229	0.521
23.00	0.067	0.225	90.00	0.279	0.650
24.00	0.083	0.254	94.00	0.279	0.779
25.00	0.083	0.287	98.00	0.279	0.908
26.00	0.083	0.321	100.00	0.329	0.908
27.00	0.096	0.354	102.00	0.329	1.042
28.00	0.096	0.387	106.00	0.329	1.171
29.00	0.096	0.417	110.00	0.379	1.300
30.00			114.00	0.379	1.429
and over	0.104	0.433	118.00	0.379	1.558
			120.00	0.429	1.558
			122.00	0.429	1.692
			126.00	0.429	1.820
			130.00		
			and over	0.454	1.883

CONTRIBUTIONS: TABLE 40.09 (continued)

GRADUATED CONTRIBUTIONS: EMPLOYEE CONTRACTED-OUT OF GRADUATED PENSION SCHEME (a)

2. FROM 15 FEBRUARY 1971 TO 30 SEPTEMBER 1973

Weekly scale				Monthly scale			
Gross pay (c)	Employee's contribution (d)			Gross pay (c)	Employee's contribution (d)		
	From 15.2.71 to 20.9.71	From 21.9.71 to 1.10.72	From 2.10.72 to 30.9.73		From 15.2.71 to 20.9.71	From 21.9.71 to 1.10.72	From 2.10.72 to 30.9.73
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
9.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	39.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
12.00	0.02	0.02	0.02	40.00	0.03	0.03	0.03
15.00	0.04	0.04	0.04	50.00	0.08	0.08	0.08
18.00	0.06	0.07	0.07	60.00	0.13	0.13	0.13
19.00	0.09	0.11	0.12	70.00	0.17	0.17	0.17
20.00	0.13	0.15	0.16	78.00	0.26	0.28	0.29
21.00	0.16	0.20	0.21	82.00	0.39	0.46	0.48
22.00	0.19	0.24	0.26	86.00	0.52	0.63	0.67
23.00	0.22	0.28	0.31	90.00	0.65	0.80	0.86
24.00	0.26	0.33	0.35	94.00	0.78	0.98	1.05
25.00	0.29	0.37	0.40	98.00	0.91	1.15	1.24
26.00	0.32	0.41	0.45	102.00	1.04	1.33	1.43
27.00	0.35	0.46	0.50	106.00	1.17	1.50	1.62
28.00	0.39	0.50	0.54	110.00	1.30	1.67	1.81
29.00	0.42	0.55	0.59	114.00	1.43	1.85	2.00
30.00	0.43	0.59	0.64	118.00	1.56	2.02	2.19
31.00	0.43	0.63	0.69	122.00	1.69	2.20	2.38
32.00	0.43	0.68	0.73	126.00	1.82	2.37	2.57
33.00	0.43	0.72	0.78	130.00	1.88	2.54	2.76
34.00	0.43	0.76	0.83	134.00	1.88	2.72	2.95
35.00	0.43	0.81	0.88	138.00	1.88	2.89	3.14
36.00	0.43	0.85	0.92	142.00	1.88	3.07	3.33
37.00	0.43	0.89	0.97	146.00	1.88	3.24	3.52
38.00	0.43	0.94	1.02	150.00	1.88	3.41	3.71
39.00	0.43	0.98	1.07	154.00	1.88	3.59	3.90
40.00	0.43	1.02	1.11	158.00	1.88	3.76	4.09
41.00	0.43	1.07	1.16	162.00	1.88	3.94	4.28
42.00	0.43	1.08	1.21	166.00	1.88	4.11	4.47
43.00	0.43	1.08	1.26	170.00	1.88	4.28	4.66
44.00	0.43	1.08	1.30	174.00	1.88	4.46	4.85
45.00	0.43	1.08	1.35	178.00	1.88	4.63	5.04
46.00	0.43	1.08	1.40	182.00	1.88	4.72	5.23
47.00	0.43	1.08	1.45	186.00	1.88	4.72	5.42
48.00				190.00	1.88	4.72	5.61
and over	0.43	1.08	1.47	194.00	1.88	4.72	5.80
				198.00	1.88	4.72	5.99
				202.00	1.88	4.72	6.18
				206.00	1.88	4.72	6.32
				208.00			
				and over	1.88	4.72	6.37

CONTRIBUTIONS: TABLE 40.09 (continued)

GRADUATED CONTRIBUTIONS: EMPLOYEE CONTRACTED-OUT OF GRADUATED PENSION SCHEME (a)

3. FROM 1 OCTOBER 1973

Weekly scale			Monthly scale		
Gross pay (c)	Employee's contribution (d)		Gross pay (c)	Employee's contribution (d)	
	From 1.10.73 to 4.8.74	From 5.8.74		From 1.10.73 to 4.8.74	From 5.8.74
£	£	£	£	£	£
9.01	0.01	0.01	39.01	0.01	—
10.00	0.01	0.02	39.02	0.01	0.02
11.00	0.01	0.03	40.00	0.04	0.02
12.00	0.03	0.04	42.00	0.04	0.06
13.00	0.03	0.06	46.00	0.04	0.11
14.00	0.03	0.07	50.00	0.12	0.16
15.00	0.06	0.08	54.00	0.12	0.21
16.00	0.06	0.09	58.00	0.12	0.26
17.00	0.06	0.11	60.00	0.19	0.26
18.00	0.09	0.14	62.00	0.19	0.31
19.00	0.14	0.19	66.00	0.19	0.36
20.00	0.19	0.25	70.00	0.26	0.41
21.00	0.24	0.30	74.00	0.26	0.46
22.00	0.29	0.36	78.00	0.39	0.60
23.00	0.34	0.41	82.00	0.59	0.82
24.00	0.39	0.47	86.00	0.79	1.04
25.00	0.44	0.52	90.00	0.99	1.26
26.00	0.49	0.58	94.00	1.19	1.48
27.00	0.54	0.63	98.00	1.39	1.70
28.00	0.59	0.69	102.00	1.59	1.92
29.00	0.64	0.74	106.00	1.79	2.14
30.00	0.69	0.80	110.00	1.99	2.36
31.00	0.74	0.85	114.00	2.19	2.58
32.00	0.79	0.91	118.00	2.39	2.80
33.00	0.84	0.96	122.00	2.59	3.02
34.00	0.89	1.02	126.00	2.79	3.24
35.00	0.94	1.07	130.00	2.99	3.46
36.00	0.99	1.13	134.00	3.19	3.68
37.00	1.04	1.18	138.00	3.39	3.90
38.00	1.09	1.24	142.00	3.59	4.12
39.00	1.14	1.29	146.00	3.79	4.34
40.00	1.19	1.35	150.00	3.99	4.56
41.00	1.24	1.40	154.00	4.19	4.78
42.00	1.29	1.46	158.00	4.39	5.00
43.00	1.34	1.51	162.00	4.59	5.22
44.00	1.39	1.57	166.00	4.79	5.44
45.00	1.44	1.62	170.00	4.99	5.66
46.00	1.49	1.68	174.00	5.19	5.88
47.00	1.54	1.73	178.00	5.39	6.10
48.00	1.59	1.79	182.00	5.59	6.32
49.00	1.64	1.84	186.00	5.79	6.54
50.00	1.69	1.90	190.00	5.99	6.76
51.00	1.74	1.95	194.00	6.19	6.98
52.00	1.79	2.01	198.00	6.39	7.20
53.00	1.84	2.06	202.00	6.59	7.42
54.00	1.87	2.12	206.00	6.79	7.64
55.00	1.87	2.17	210.00	6.99	7.86
56.00	1.87	2.23	214.00	7.19	8.08
57.00	1.87	2.28	218.00	7.39	8.30
58.00	1.87	2.34	222.00	7.59	8.52
59.00	1.87	2.39	226.00	7.79	8.74
60.00	1.87	2.45	230.00	7.99	8.96
61.00	1.87	2.50	234.00	8.09	9.18
62.00	1.87	2.50	238.00	8.09	9.40
or more	1.87	2.53	242.00	8.09	9.62
			246.00	8.09	9.84
			250.00	8.09	10.06
			254.00	8.09	10.28
			258.00	8.09	10.50
			262.00	8.09	10.72
			266.00	8.09	10.90
			268.67	8.09	10.97
			or more	8.09	10.97

Notes: (a) From 6 April 1961 to 4 October 1966, no graduated contributions were payable if the employee was contracted out.
 (b) From 5 October 1966 to 14 February 1971, the decimal rates shown have been calculated from the £ s d rates which applied.
 (c) Where the gross pay lies between two of the figures shown, the contribution is that opposite the smaller of them.
 (d) The employer's contribution is always equal in amount to the employee's contribution.

CONTRIBUTIONS: TABLE 40.12

AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS FOR WHOM FLAT-RATE CONTRIBUTIONS WERE PAID OR EXCUSED

Millions

	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972
Men:											
Employed (a):											
Contributing themselves ..	14.97	15.00	15.09	15.11	15.05	14.93	14.82	14.68	14.56	14.41	14.38
Only employer contributing (b)	0.20	0.21	0.19	0.21	0.21	0.20	0.20	0.21	0.20	0.19	0.18
Self-employed (a)	1.31	1.32	1.32	1.33	1.35	1.39	1.43	1.49	1.50	1.52	1.53
Non-employed (c)	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.11
Married women:											
Employed (a):											
Contributing themselves ..	1.14	1.12	1.14	1.14	1.13	1.14	1.13	1.16	1.18	1.21	1.28
Only employer contributing (b)	3.11	3.15	3.30	3.44	3.57	3.55	3.68	3.77	3.70	3.73	3.76
Self-employed (a)	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02
Non-employed (c)	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02
Other women:											
Employed (a):											
Contributing themselves ..	3.36	3.35	3.34	3.31	3.24	3.15	3.06	2.97	2.88	2.77	2.73
Only employer contributing (b)	0.31	0.32	0.34	0.36	0.36	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.32	0.32	0.32
Self-employed (a)	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.06
Non-employed (c)	0.11	0.11	0.10	0.09	0.11	0.10	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.06

Source: 2 per cent sample of insured persons.

Notes: (a) Including persons excused contributions during unemployment or absence from work due to sickness, injury or maternity.

(b) Married women and certain widows who have chosen not to pay full flat-rate contributions, men aged 65 to 69 and women aged 60 to 64 who are regarded as retired and all men aged 70 and over and women aged 65 and over.

(c) Excluding those persons under age 18 and still under full-time education or training and widows who were credited with contributions as non-employed persons.

FINANCE: TABLE 44.01

EXPENDITURE ON NON-CONTRIBUTORY BENEFITS

£ millions

	Year ended 31 March									
	1963/64	1964/65	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73
Consolidated Fund payment in respect of:										
Attendance allowances .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	23
Old persons' retirement pensions .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	23	27
Lump sum payments for retirement and supplementary pensioners .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	81
Family allowances	140	143	146	149	160	297	339	339	344	339
Family income supplements .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	10
Supplementary pensions and allowances (a)	217	223	246	298	386	429	471	524	643	690
War pensions etc (b)	110	110	121	118	121	125	125	128	137	150
Administration	34	36	39	44	50	54	64	69	93	98

Notes: (a) Assistance grants and non-contributory old age pensions before 28 November 1966.

(b) Includes Northern Ireland.

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS OF THE NATIONAL INSURANCE FUND: FINANCIAL YEARS

£ Thousands

	Period 5 July 1948 to 31 March 1949	Year ended 31 March								
		1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958
Receipts										
Flat-rate contributions from employers and insured persons	286,059	400,647	400,699	417,137	447,604	480,528	489,324	570,290	587,935	588,544
Exchequer contributions—										
Supplement [Section 7(1)]	66,572	95,746	95,750	80,500	65,326	70,000	71,000	92,000	96,300	100,880
Additional sums	26,613	40,000	44,000	24,000	—	—	—	—	—	—
Income from investments—										
Interest received	1,881	5,769	8,300	12,565	9,142	7,023	8,403	9,203	8,814	11,243
Transfer from National Insurance (Reserve) Fund [Section 84(3)]	15,468	20,429	23,020	19,220	27,193	35,541	43,192	38,255	40,357	40,379
Other receipts	4,421	5,741	5,165	4,059	4,917	1,747	91	838	10	769
Total receipts	401,014	568,332	576,934	557,481	554,182	594,839	612,010	710,586	733,416	741,815
Payments										
Benefit (b)—										
(1) Unemployment	15,235	19,209	17,027	14,795	26,783	22,158	15,662	15,655	20,896	25,374
(2) Sickness	43,489	65,532	68,581	63,301	79,163	84,942	84,456	99,642	96,700	111,351
(3) Invalidity										
(4) Maternity	5,900	8,500	8,600	8,400	8,700	10,500	13,000	14,000	14,900	16,000
(5) Widow's	15,700	21,300	21,700	24,000	28,000	30,500	32,000	35,700	38,200	43,800
(6) Guardian's allowance (including orphan's pension and individual child's allowance)	450	700	560	480	460	390	330	350	320	340
(7) Child's special allowance										2
(8) Retirement pension	176,448	248,944	248,638	275,200	315,512	334,083	348,112	432,504	447,870	482,081
(9) Death grant		1,590	2,552	2,546	2,734	2,803	3,043	3,248	3,329	3,943
Total benefits	257,222	365,775	367,658	388,722	461,352	485,376	496,603	601,099	622,215	682,891
Contribution to National Health Service (c)	27,790	39,969	40,489	41,122	40,013	40,347	40,289	40,413	40,796	18,140
Administration expenses	19,121	23,865	22,279	24,065	26,679	26,423	26,570	27,650	31,247	32,855
Transfer to Northern Ireland National Insurance Fund [Section 104(2) (a)]	—	—	—	4,937	2,376	6,023	3,000	2,618	4,910	4,436
Other payments	1,457	486	679	1,257	611	542	626	2,210	521	1,067
Total payments (d)	305,590	430,095	431,105	460,103	531,031	558,711	567,088	673,990	699,689	739,389
Excess of receipts over payments for period or year ended 31 March	95,424	138,237	145,829	97,378	23,151	36,128	44,922	36,596	33,727	2,426
Excess of payments over receipts for year ended 31 March	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

FINANCE: TABLE 44.02 (continued)

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS OF THE NATIONAL INSURANCE FUND: FINANCIAL YEARS

£ Thousands

	Year ended 31 March							
	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966
Receipts								
Flat-rate contributions from employers and insured persons	694,363	708,440	713,005	766,989	769,159	876,115	919,613	1,170,621
Exchequer contributions—								
Supplement [Section 7(1)]	124,172	122,500	126,433	187,381	188,640	212,000	219,000	281,788
Additional sums	39,000	46,000	43,567	—	—	—	—	—
Graduated contributions from employers and insured persons	—	—	—	147,018	176,999	222,034	269,741	295,312
Payments in lieu of contributions	—	—	—	1,002	4,729	7,074	8,296	9,484
Income from investments—								
Interest received	11,702	12,244	14,896	10,415	10,663	9,011	8,115	8,690
Transfer from National Insurance (Reserve) Fund [Section 84(3)]	40,369	41,206	38,704	35,665	43,608	38,760	28,187	48,522
Other receipts	307	390	391	387	933	1,885	1,131	1,706
Total receipts	909,913	930,780	936,996	1,148,857	1,194,731	1,366,879	1,454,083	1,816,123
Payments								
Benefit (b)—								
(1) Unemployment	49,428	41,911	30,177	36,265	64,453	64,640	44,907	49,172
(2) Sickness	133,463	130,649	135,000	154,570	161,480	191,360	200,870	248,468
(3) Invalidity	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
(4) Maternity	19,700	20,000	20,600	24,500	25,500	29,500	31,500	36,000
(5) Widow's	57,500	61,500	65,500	80,000	84,000	99,000	108,000	136,000
(6) Guardian's allowance (including orphan's pension and individual child's allowance)	450	430	420	480	450	490	480	520
(7) Child's special allowance	9	10	11	17	20	25	35	40
(8) Retirement pension	617,397	656,971	676,949	783,919	807,072	958,831	1,014,747	1,237,767
(9) Death grant	5,042	5,201	5,806	6,160	6,704	6,865	7,308	7,960
Total benefits	882,989	916,672	934,463	1,085,911	1,149,679	1,350,711	1,407,847	1,715,927
Administration expenses	35,940	38,987	38,135	42,522	47,646	53,053	53,560	59,081
Transfer to Northern Ireland National Insurance Fund [Section 104(2) (a)]	5,860	6,767	4,766	6,369	8,356	8,743	10,957	12,974
Other payments	878	915	806	910	1,760	3,027	2,470	3,091
Total payments	925,667	963,341	978,170	1,135,712	1,207,441	1,415,534	1,474,834	1,791,073
Excess of receipts over payments for year ended 31 March	—	—	—	13,145	—	—	—	25,050
Excess of payments over receipts for year ended 31 March	15,754	32,561	41,174	—	12,710	48,655	20,751	—

FINANCE: TABLE 44.02 (continued)
RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS OF THE NATIONAL INSURANCE FUND: FINANCIAL YEARS

£ Thousands

	Year ended 31 March						
	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Receipts							
Flat-rate contributions from employers and insured persons	1,165,337	1,242,401	1,396,691	1,416,220	1,459,604	1,480,291	1,533,659
Supplement from the Consolidated Fund [Section 7(1)]	287,000	300,000	342,261	353,522	401,979	492,000	556,000
Graduated contributions from employers and insured persons	346,355	405,147	429,250	526,240	774,175	1,042,971	1,474,431
Payments in lieu of contributions	10,961	12,235	13,579	14,927	14,873	16,544	17,568
Income from investments—							
Interest received	10,691	12,447	3,919	15,235	10,216	11,095	13,739
Transfer from National Insurance (Reserve) Fund [Section 84(3)]	42,649	49,545	50,580	38,571	38,576	38,611	38,621
Other receipts	532	597	1,776	131	18	14	21
Total receipts	1,863,525	2,022,372	2,238,056(e)	2,364,846	2,699,441	3,081,526	3,634,039
Payments							
Benefits (b)—							
(1) Unemployment	78,322	121,695	123,256	127,117	150,425	239,357	209,130
(2) Sickness	261,809	322,865	348,369	382,680	373,710	322,661	290,623
(3) Invalidity						91,000	196,000
(4) Maternity	37,000	36,500	37,500	38,000	40,000	42,000	42,000
(5) Widow's	141,000	148,000	154,000	162,000	168,000	196,000	220,000
(6) Guardian's allowance	510	520	580	600	600	700	800
(7) Child's special allowance	45	50	60	60	70	90	110
(8) Retirement pension	1,271,551	1,384,581	1,543,333	1,626,895	1,777,770	2,045,251	2,368,554
(9) Death grant	7,984	9,494	10,861	11,896	11,002	13,405	13,109
Total benefits	1,798,221	2,023,705	2,217,959	2,349,247	2,521,577	2,950,464	3,340,326
Administration expenses	61,676	71,178	74,133	85,473	97,992	114,735	124,724(f)
Transfer to Northern Ireland National Insurance Fund [Section 104(2) (a)]	14,547	16,890	13,335	14,701	14,023	21,732	21,766
Payments to the Post Office [Section 51(1) of the Post Office Act 1969]				2,750	5,200	3,050	4,750
Other payments	1,909	2,045	4,720	3,001	3,177	4,589	6,000
Total payments	1,876,353	2,113,818	2,310,147	2,455,173	2,641,969	3,094,570	3,497,566
Excess of receipts over payments for year ended 31 March	—	—	—	—	57,472	—	136,473
Excess of payments over receipts for year ended 31 March	12,828	91,446	72,091	90,327	—	13,044	—

Notes: (a) References to Sections relate to the National Insurance Act 1965, except where otherwise stated.

(b) In the case of benefits (3)–(8) the division of the total payments within each year is estimated.

(c) From 2 September 1957, separate National Health Service contributions became payable.

(d) The total payments for the year ended 31 March 1953 and 31 March 1956 exclude the sums of £300 million and £100 million of investments (at cost) which were transferred during those years to the National Insurance (Reserve) Fund at market value.

(e) The total receipts for the year ended 31 March 1969 exclude the capital payment of £200 million made from the National Insurance (Reserve) Fund during that year.

(f) £78 million was paid to the Vote for the Department of Health and Social Security (including Post Office charges of £26 million), £16 million to the Vote for the Department of Employment and Productivity and £31 million to the Votes for other Government Departments.

FINANCE: TABLE 44.03

NATIONAL INSURANCE FUNDS (a)

£ Millions

	National Insurance Fund	National Insurance (Reserve) Fund	Total balances
Amount of fund at:			
1948	100	786	886
1949	195	786	981
1950	334	786	1,120
1951	479	787	1,266
1952	577	783	1,360
1953	300	1,068	1,368
1954	336	1,068	1,404
1955	381	1,069	1,450
1956	318	1,167	1,485
1957	351	1,167	1,518
1958	354	1,168	1,522
1959	338	1,168	1,506
1960	306	1,168	1,474
1961	264	1,168	1,432
1962	277	1,168	1,445
1963	265	1,168	1,433
1964	216	1,168	1,384
1965	195	1,168	1,363
1966	220	1,168	1,388
1967	207	1,169	1,376
1968	116	1,169	1,285
1969	244	886	1,130
1970	154	886	1,040
1971	211	886	1,097
1972	198	886	1,084
1973	335	886	1,221

Note: (a) At 5 July 1948 and thereafter at 31 March.

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS OF THE INDUSTRIAL INJURIES FUND: FINANCIAL YEARS

£ Thousands

	Period 5 July 1948 to 31 March 1949	Year ended 31 March								
		1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958
Receipts										
Contributions from employers and insured persons	20,450	30,204	29,524	30,369	31,532	34,146	33,374	39,789	42,076	44,258
Exchequer contributions— [Section 2(1)(b) of the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act 1965]	4,071	6,018	6,000	6,039	6,250	6,650	6,700	8,100	8,300	9,039
Income from investments	98	744	1,338	2,028	2,742	3,352	4,198	4,528	5,211	5,898
Other receipts (a)	27	5	4	4	16	2	3	6	325	8
Total receipts	24,646	36,971	36,866	38,440	40,540	44,150	44,275	52,423	55,912	59,203
Payments										
Benefit (b)										
(1) Injury	5,388	9,162	8,830	8,689	10,159	11,042	10,551	12,753	12,755	12,501
(2) Disablement	250	2,766	5,043	6,983	9,755	12,174	13,174	16,807	18,693	19,632
(3) Death	37	205	357	541	795	1,015	1,180	1,600	1,865	2,200
(4) Allowances under the workmen's com- pensation supplementation scheme made under the Industrial Injuries and Diseases (Old Cases) Act 1967, as amended (or under corresponding earlier schemes)	—	—	—	107	170	170	170	170	160	150
(5) Allowances and death benefit under the industrial diseases benefit scheme made under the Industrial Injuries and Diseases (Old Cases) Act 1967, as amended (or under corresponding earlier schemes)	—	—	—	5	390	395	463	733	741	769
(6) Allowances under the Workmen's Com- pensation and Benefit (Supplemen- tation) Act 1956, as amended	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	245	400
Total benefits	5,675	12,133	14,230	16,325	21,269	24,796	25,538	32,063	34,459	35,652
Administration expenses	2,694	1,936	2,696	3,036	3,718	4,212	4,448	4,436	5,109	5,539
Other payments	—	14	—	10	15	20	21	21	21	20
Total payments	8,369	14,083	16,926	19,371	25,002	29,028	30,007	36,520	39,589	41,211
Excess of receipts over payments for period or year ended 31 March	16,277	22,888	19,940	19,069	15,538	15,122	14,268	15,903	16,323	17,992
Amount of Industrial Injuries Fund at 31 March	16,277	39,165	59,105	78,174	93,712	108,834	123,102	139,005	155,328	173,320

FINANCE: TABLE 44.04 (continued)

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS OF THE INDUSTRIAL INJURIES FUND: FINANCIAL YEARS

£ Thousands

	Year ended 31 March							
	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966
Receipts								
Contributions from employers and insured persons	63,087	66,512	65,473	57,398	58,156	66,327	67,956	76,138
Exchequer contributions— [Section 2(1)(b) of the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act 1965]	12,690	12,700	13,000	11,981	11,600	13,200	13,700	15,415
Income from investments	6,963	8,580	10,956	12,117	13,131	13,998	14,406	15,187
Other receipts (a)	9	12	7	649	7	19	20	1,108
Total receipts	82,749	87,804	89,436	82,145	82,894	93,544	96,082	107,848
Payments								
Benefit (b)								
(1) Injury	17,389	18,032	17,098	20,399	20,021	25,830	27,581	34,553
(2) Disablement	24,340	26,380	27,553	32,901	33,366	39,758	42,076	49,542
(3) Death	2,850	3,060	3,260	4,000	4,200	5,000	5,650	6,750
(4) Allowances under the workmen's compensation supple- mentation scheme made under the Industrial Injuries and Diseases (Old Cases) Act 1967, as amended (or under corresponding earlier schemes)	145	135	125	130	250	400	430	600
(5) Allowances and death benefit under the industrial diseases benefit scheme made under the Industrial Injuries and Diseases (Old Cases) Act 1967, as amended (or under corresponding earlier schemes)	753	722	698	691	754	919	910	985
(6) Allowances under the Workmen's Compensation and Benefit (Supplementation) Act 1956, as amended	360	330	310	335	495	850	840	930
Total benefits	45,837	48,659	49,044	58,456	59,086	72,757	77,487	93,360
Administration expenses	5,398	6,242	6,787	6,844	7,330	7,614	8,542	8,980
Other payments	23	27	22	22	35	41	43	63
Total payments	51,258	54,928	55,853	65,322	66,451	80,412	86,072	102,403
Excess of receipts over payments for year ended 31 March	31,491	32,876	33,583	16,823	16,443	13,132	10,010	5,445
Amount of Industrial Injuries Fund at 31 March	204,811	237,687	271,270	288,093	304,536	317,668	327,678	333,123

FINANCE: TABLE 44.04 (continued)

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS OF THE INDUSTRIAL INJURIES FUND: FINANCIAL YEARS

£ Thousands

	Year ended 31 March						
	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Receipts							
Contributions from employers and insured persons ..	76,636	80,465	83,580	86,593	90,498	102,438	113,774
Supplement from the Consolidated Fund [Section 2(1)(b) of the National Insurance Industrial Injuries) Act 1965]	15,527	15,693	16,916	17,200	18,398	19,800	22,200
Income from investments	15,686	15,956	15,928	16,021	18,064	19,144	20,455
Other Receipts (a)	22	28	33	17	1,168	5	6
Total receipts	107,871	112,142	116,457	119,831	128,128	141,387	156,435
Payments							
Benefit (b)							
(1) Injury	32,233	34,709	34,167	33,381	32,598	30,867	32,347
(2) Disablement	51,051	54,113	58,376	60,580	64,627	70,702	78,101
(3) Death	6,900	7,400	8,000	8,500	9,250	10,200	11,700
(4) Allowances and benefit under schemes made under the Industrial Injuries and Diseases (Old Cases) Act 1967 (or under corresponding earlier schemes)	2,987	2,969	3,031	2,919	2,836	2,866	2,947
Total benefits	93,171	99,191	103,574	105,380	109,311	114,635	125,095
Administration expenses	9,844	10,071	9,992	11,932	11,800	14,354	15,100(c)
Payments to the Post Office [Section 51(2) of the Post Office Act 1969] ..				250	237	13	190
Other payments	71	72	102	75	75	115	115
Total payments	103,086	109,334	113,668	117,637	121,423	129,117	140,510
Excess of receipts over payments for year ended 31 March	4,785	2,808	2,789	2,194	6,705	12,270	15,925
Amount of Industrial Injuries Fund at 31 March ..	337,908	340,716	343,505	345,699	352,404	364,674	380,599

- Notes: (a) Includes sums transferred from the Northern Ireland Industrial Injuries Fund under Section 83(2)(a) of the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act 1965 of £318,000 in the year ended 31 March 1957, £639,000 in the year ended 31 March 1962, £1,090,000 in the year ended 31 March 1966, and £1,163,000 in the year ended 31 March 1971.
- (b) In the case of benefits (2)–(6) [(2)–(4) from 1967] the division of the total payments within each year is estimated.
- (c) Approximately £12 million was paid to the Vote for the Department of Health and Social Security (including Post Office charges of £1½ million) and approximately £3 million to the Votes for other Government Departments.

FINANCE: TABLE 44.10

EXPENDITURE ON PRINCIPAL BENEFITS, ANALYSED BY REGION IN FINANCIAL YEAR 1971/72

	Total (a)	National insurance benefits								Supple- mentary benefits	Family allow- ances	War pensions	Home (res- ident) popula- tion percent- age of Great Britain at mid- 1971
		Retire- ment pension (b)	Sickness benefit and invalidity benefit	Widow's benefit (c)	Unem- ploy- ment benefit	Mater- nity benefit	Death grant	Disable- ment benefit (d)	Injury benefit				
Annual expenditure Great Britain (£ million)	4191	2049	414	195	239	42	13	84	31	643	344	127	
Estimated regional distribution (e) (percentage)													
England	83.7	85.6	80.0	82.7	79.3	84.9	84.5	79.0	76.0	82.5	84.5	85.3	85.3
North	6.8	5.9	8.6	6.6	8.3	5.8	6.2	12.2	11.2	7.9	6.3	6.6	6.1
Yorkshire and Humberside	9.2	8.8	10.9	8.9	9.4	9.1	9.2	11.2	13.8	9.5	9.0	8.0	8.9
East Midlands	5.8	5.9	5.7	5.2	6.3	6.5	6.0	5.6	6.9	5.0	6.5	6.0	6.3
East Anglia	2.9	3.3	2.1	2.5	2.6	3.1	3.0	2.2	2.0	2.4	3.1	3.0	3.1
South East	29.7	32.8	22.2	29.9	20.5	31.0	30.7	18.7	15.8	28.7	30.5	32.8	31.9
South West	7.1	8.2	5.9	6.2	5.5	6.3	7.5	4.2	4.6	6.3	6.7	7.5	7.0
West Midlands	8.7	8.2	8.7	9.3	10.7	9.7	8.5	9.9	8.0	8.7	9.6	7.6	9.5
North West	13.5	12.5	15.9	14.1	16.0	13.4	13.4	15.0	13.7	14.0	12.8	13.8	12.5
Wales	5.8	5.2	8.7	5.8	5.4	4.9	5.5	12.3	10.7	6.0	4.7	4.9	5.0
Scotland	10.4	9.2	11.4	11.4	15.3	10.2	10.0	8.7	13.3	11.4	10.8	9.9	9.7
Estimated regional expenditure (f) (£ million)													
England	3500	1753	331	161	190	36	11	67	22	529	291	109	
North	285	120	35	13	20	2	1	10	3	51	22	8	
Yorkshire and Humberside	386	181	45	17	23	4	1	9	4	61	31	10	
East Midlands	244	122	24	10	15	3	1	5	2	32	22	8	
East Anglia	122	68	9	5	6	1	—	2	1	15	11	4	
South East	1239	671	92	58	49	13	4	16	5	184	105	42	
South West	298	168	24	12	13	3	1	4	1	40	23	9	
West Midlands	362	168	36	18	26	4	1	8	2	56	33	10	
North West	564	255	66	28	38	6	2	13	4	90	44	18	
Wales	244	107	36	11	13	2	1	10	3	39	16	6	
Scotland	434	188	47	22	37	4	1	7	4	74	37	13	

Notes: (a) Two benefits not listed are family income supplement and attendance allowance. The expenditure was £3.7 million for family income supplement and £6 million for attendance allowance. These sums have been included in the Great Britain expenditure total, but have not been distributed regionally due to the small amount involved.

(b) Retirement pensions include old persons pensions.

(c) Widows benefit includes guardian's allowances and child's special allowance.

(d) Disablement benefit includes payments made under the pre-1948 schemes and industrial death benefit.

(e) Regional distributions for Great Britain have been estimated from the following data: retirement pensions, widows benefit, maternity benefit, death grant, disablement benefit and family allowances have been based mainly on the distribution of claimants and populations: sickness/invalidity and injury benefit have been based upon total days of incapacity per region: unemployment benefit, war pensions and supplementary benefits have been based upon an analysis of payments.

(f) Estimates of regional expenditure in Great Britain have been produced by applying the above estimated regional distributions to the Great Britain annual expenditure and particular components may differ marginally from estimates published elsewhere. The sum of components sometimes differs from the total due to rounding.

PRICES AND EARNINGS: TABLE 46.01

PERCENTAGE INCREASES IN THE STANDARD RATE OF RETIREMENT PENSION AND PERCENTAGE INCREASES IN RETAIL PRICES AND IN AVERAGE EARNINGS OF MALE MANUAL WORKERS

Date	Standard rate of retirement pension for man or woman on own insurance		Retail Prices (a)		Average gross weekly earnings of male manual workers (b)			
	Percentage increase		Percentage increase		Percentage increase			
	Over previous rate	Since July 1948	Since previous date	Since July 1948	Since previous date	Since July 1948		
July 1948 ..								
October 1951 ..	15.4	15.4	19.3	19.3	22.1	22.1		
October 1952 ..	8.3	25.0	6.9	27.5	7.5	31.3		
April 1955 ..	23.1	53.8	6.6	35.9	21.8	59.9		
January 1958 ..	25.0	92.3	12.9	53.5	16.1	85.5		
April 1961 ..	15.0	121.2	4.8	60.9	19.2	121.3		
May 1963 ..	17.4	159.6	7.8	73.4	7.9	138.7		
March 1965 ..	18.5	207.7	5.8	83.4	15.5	175.8		
October 1967 ..	12.5	246.2	8.9	99.8	13.8	214.0		
November 1969 ..	11.1	284.6	11.5	122.8	16.9	267.0		
	Under age 80	Aged 80 and over	Under age 80	Aged 80 and over				
September 1971 ..	20.0	25.0	361.5	380.8	16.5	159.5	22.8	350.8
October 1972 ..	12.5	12.0	419.2	438.5	8.5	181.5	16.7	425.9
October 1973 ..	14.8	14.2	496.2	515.4	9.9	209.4	14.2	500.8

Notes: (a) The percentages shown are estimates made by the Department of Health and Social Security based on the current General Index of Retail Prices and previous Indexes, as published by the Department of Employment.

(b) The percentages shown are estimates made by the Department of Health and Social Security based on the average gross weekly earnings of full-time adult male manual workers in manufacturing industries and some of the principal non-manufacturing industries, as published by the Department of Employment.

PRICES AND EARNINGS: TABLE 46.02

PERCENTAGE INCREASES IN THE SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT SCALE RATE AND PERCENTAGE INCREASES IN RETAIL PRICES, EXCLUDING HOUSING COSTS, AND IN AVERAGE EARNINGS OF MALE MANUAL WORKERS

Date	Supplementary benefit scale rate— single householder (a)		Retail Prices, excluding housing costs (b)		Average gross weekly earnings of male manual workers (c)	
	Percentage increase		Percentage increase (decrease where indicated)		Percentage increase	
	Over previous rate	Since July 1948	Since previous date	Since July 1948	Since previous date	Since July 1948
July 1948 ..	.	.	.	.	.	.
June 1950 ..	8.3	8.3	5.4	5.4	8.5	8.5
September 1951 ..	15.4	25.0	13.5	19.6	11.9	21.3
June 1952 ..	16.7	45.8	8.0	29.2	6.2	28.9
February 1955 ..	7.1	56.3	5.7	36.5	21.6	56.7
January 1956 ..	6.7	66.7	5.2	43.6	7.5	68.5
January 1958 ..	12.5	87.5	7.2	53.9	10.1	85.5
September 1959 ..	11.1	108.3	-0.3	53.4	6.7	98.1
April 1961 ..	7.0	122.9	3.9	59.4	11.7	121.3
September 1962 ..	7.5	139.6	5.0	67.4	5.0	132.4
May 1963 ..	10.4	164.6	2.4	71.3	2.7	138.7
March 1965 ..	19.7	216.7	5.4	80.6	15.5	175.8
November 1966 ..	6.6	237.5	6.9	93.0	8.4	198.9
October 1967 ..	6.2	258.3	0.9	94.9	5.0	214.0
October 1968 ..	5.8	279.2	5.8	106.2	7.6	237.8
November 1969 ..	5.5	300.0	5.7	117.9	8.7	267.0
November 1970 ..	8.3	333.3	7.7	134.7	13.2	315.5
September 1971 ..	11.5	383.3	8.1	153.7	8.2	350.8
October 1972 ..	12.9	445.8	7.6	172.9	16.7	425.9
October 1973 ..	9.2	495.8	10.0	200.2	14.2	500.8

Notes: (a) Basic scale rate not including any of the various additions which may be payable.

(b) The percentages shown are estimates made by the Department of Health and Social Security based on the current General Index of Retail Prices (excluding housing costs) and previous Indexes, as published by the Department of Employment.

(c) The percentages shown are estimates made by the Department of Health and Social Security based on the average gross weekly earnings of full-time adult male manual workers in manufacturing industries and some of the principal non-manufacturing industries, as published by the Department of Employment.

PRICES AND EARNINGS: TABLE 46.05

AVERAGE EARNINGS OF MALE MANUAL WORKERS AND INCOME WHEN EMPLOYED COMPARED WITH BENEFIT INCOME WHEN SICK OR UNEMPLOYED

October each year	Average weekly earnings (a)	Net income after deducting tax and NI contributions	Standard rate of sickness or unemployment benefit plus ERS(b)	Benefit in column (4) as percentage of gross income in column (2)	Benefit in column (4) as percentage of net income in column (3)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
	£	£	£	%	%
Single Man					
1963	16.75	13.15	3.37	20.1	25.6
1964	18.11	14.03	3.37	18.6	24.0
1965	19.59	14.82	4.00	20.4	27.0
1966	20.30	15.25	7.75	38.2	50.8
1967	21.38	15.87	8.55	40.0	53.9
1968	23.00	16.93	8.95	38.9	52.9
1969	24.82	18.15	9.45	38.1	52.1
1970	28.05	19.98	10.65	38.0	53.3
1971	30.93	22.18	12.75	41.2	57.5
1972	35.82	26.31	13.75	38.4	52.3
1973	40.92	29.67	14.35	35.1	48.4
Married couple with no children					
1963	16.75	14.04	5.45	32.5	38.8
1964	18.11	14.92	5.45	30.1	36.5
1965	19.59	15.77	6.50	33.2	41.2
1966	20.30	16.21	10.25	50.5	63.2
1967	21.38	16.82	11.35	53.1	67.5
1968	23.00	17.88	11.75	51.1	65.7
1969	24.82	19.10	12.25	49.4	64.1
1970	28.05	21.09	13.75	49.0	65.2
1971	30.93	23.22	16.45	53.2	70.8
1972	35.82	27.36	17.90	50.0	65.4
1973	40.92	30.71	18.90	46.2	61.5
Married couple with two children					
	-plus family allowance		-plus family allowance	X	X
1963	17.15	15.73	7.45	43.4	47.4
1964	18.51	16.72	7.45	40.2	44.6
1965	19.99	17.74	8.75	43.8	49.3
1966	20.70	18.23	12.50	60.4	68.6
1967	21.78	18.92	13.85	63.6	73.2
1968	23.90	19.98	14.55	60.9	72.8
1969	25.72	21.20	15.05	58.5	71.0
1970	28.95	23.19	16.85	58.2	72.7
1971	31.83	25.85	20.15	63.3	77.9
1972	36.72	29.98	22.10	60.2	73.7
1973	41.82	33.30	23.50	56.2	70.6

Notes: (a) Average earnings of full-time adult male manual workers in manufacturing industries and some of the principal non-manufacturing industries, as published by the Department of Employment. In the case of a married couple it has been assumed that only the husband is in employment.

(b) Earnings-related supplement begun on 6 October 1966. The rate of supplement depends on the claimant's reckonable earnings in an earlier tax-year (see table 1.2). The amount of supplement included in column (4) is calculated on the assumption that the average weekly earnings for October in the relevant earlier tax-year represent the average for the whole of that year.

PRICES AND EARNINGS: TABLE 46.10

AVERAGE GROSS ANNUAL EARNINGS IN THE INCOME TAX YEAR: PERSONS (a) WITH AT LEAST 48 CLASS 1 CONTRIBUTIONS PAID IN CONTRIBUTION YEAR

Age at 30 September	1964/65	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Men (age 18-64):									
All ages	1,028	1,108	1,163	1,244	1,323	1,436	1,632	1,805	2,044
18-19	541	575	618	653	688	754	869	956	1,098
20-24	777	835	895	943	1,005	1,089	1,271	1,402	1,560
25-29	973	1,053	1,120	1,201	1,269	1,368	1,571	1,737	1,961
30-34	1,075	1,150	1,232	1,316	1,402	1,533	1,753	1,925	2,178
35-39	1,131	1,205	1,283	1,386	1,470	1,605	1,822	2,013	2,287
40-44	1,143	1,224	1,295	1,391	1,498	1,615	1,834	2,023	2,303
45-49	1,145	1,229	1,311	1,398	1,460	1,598	1,787	1,982	2,254
50-54	1,122	1,199	1,260	1,349	1,447	1,556	1,768	1,967	2,199
55-59	1,073	1,142	1,191	1,292	1,364	1,504	1,676	1,827	2,074
60-64	972	1,046	1,114	1,173	1,255	1,315	1,464	1,660	1,877
Single women (age 18-59):									
All ages	588	637	668	712	758	817	938	1,063	1,184
18-19	420	445	472	503	530	576	650	727	794
20-24	511	551	589	621	657	705	822	931	1,030
25-29	635	702	748	790	830	900	1,027	1,141	1,277
30-34	673	746	798	860	921	992	1,144	1,316	1,461
35-39	712	777	811	857	949	1,000	1,161	1,345	1,541
40-44	704	774	834	883	955	1,078	1,151	1,271	1,420
45-49	694	853	875	922	968	1,006	1,118	1,332	1,498
50-54	661	801	869	933	973	1,043	1,185	1,348	1,483
55-59	609	761	782	856	955	989	1,118	1,276	1,431

Source: 1/2 per cent sample of insured persons who are subject to P.A.Y.E. deductions.

Note: (a) Figures for married women and widows are not given because they would not be representative. Many employed married women and widows have low earnings which do not bring them within the scope of the P.A.Y.E. arrangements for income tax.

PRICES AND EARNINGS: TABLE 46.11

AVERAGE GROSS ANNUAL EARNINGS IN THE INCOME TAX YEAR: PERSONS (a) WITH AT LEAST ONE CONTRIBUTION ACTUALLY PAID AND AT LEAST 48 CONTRIBUTIONS PAID OR CREDITED IN CONTRIBUTION YEAR

Age at 30 September	1964/65	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Men (age 18-64):									
All ages	994	1,062	1,119	1,189	1,260	1,365	1,553	1,715	1,904
18-19	535	568	611	644	678	741	852	925	1,064
20-24	768	823	879	926	982	1,066	1,238	1,348	1,504
25-29	956	1,031	1,092	1,163	1,229	1,319	1,516	1,677	1,891
30-34	1,049	1,124	1,194	1,270	1,344	1,468	1,679	1,837	2,078
35-39	1,096	1,171	1,239	1,329	1,405	1,530	1,739	1,918	2,179
40-44	1,106	1,188	1,247	1,330	1,424	1,539	1,743	1,930	2,200
45-49	1,105	1,185	1,254	1,325	1,386	1,502	1,697	1,889	2,141
50-54	1,072	1,151	1,205	1,276	1,364	1,462	1,663	1,859	2,072
55-59	1,017	1,084	1,128	1,214	1,276	1,399	1,573	1,716	1,948
60-64	903	968	1,025	1,062	1,130	1,199	1,343	1,513	1,701
Single women (age 18-59):									
All ages	571	620	650	691	736	792	909	1,032	1,150
18-19	412	439	462	493	522	563	636	704	773
20-24	500	539	577	605	643	691	801	908	1,003
25-29	618	682	734	764	812	878	1,004	1,105	1,236
30-34	649	719	776	838	891	972	1,103	1,294	1,421
35-39	682	751	787	829	912	968	1,126	1,307	1,501
40-44	684	749	812	855	915	1,022	1,117	1,234	1,371
45-49	673	821	851	889	933	950	1,087	1,282	1,452
50-54	642	773	820	885	920	988	1,132	1,309	1,439
55-59	586	732	752	826	884	936	1,046	1,206	1,367

Source: ½ per cent sample of insured persons who are subject to P.A.Y.E. deductions.

Note: (a) Figures for married women and widows are not given because they would not be representative. Many employed married women and widows have low earnings which do not bring them within the scope of the P.A.Y.E. arrangements for income tax.

UNITED KINGDOM: TABLE 50.01

UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT: NUMBER IN PAYMENT AT A DATE (a) EACH YEAR

Thousands

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All persons:										
Great Britain	172	166	276	318	294	279	302	459	352	197
Northern Ireland	18	19	20	27	23	20	21	25	19	14
Males:										
Great Britain	132	133	231	268	255	242	260	393	293	166
Northern Ireland	12	13	14	17	17	14	15	18	12	9
Females:										
Great Britain	40	33	45	50	39	38	43	66	59	31
Northern Ireland	6	6	6	10	6	6	6	7	7	5

Source: Great Britain—100 per cent count.
Northern Ireland—20 per cent sample.

Note: (a) Great Britain—at the first Monday in November.
Northern Ireland—at the second Monday in September, up to 1972, and the second Monday in November thereafter

UNITED KINGDOM: TABLE 50.03

SICKNESS BENEFIT: AVERAGE WEEKLY INTAKE OF NEW CLAIMS (a)

Thousands

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Annual weekly average:										
Great Britain	173	184	206	193	204	219	204	169	184	193
Northern Ireland	4	5	6	5	5	6	6	5	6	6
United Kingdom	177	189	212	198	209	225	210	174	190	199
January										
Great Britain	237	244	262	249	372	288	504	235	256	317
Northern Ireland	5	6	8	7	7	7	16	7	8	11
United Kingdom	242	250	270	256	379	295	520	242	264	328
February										
Great Britain	215	213	360	215	251	294	224	176	227	217
Northern Ireland	5	5	17	6	7	9	7	5	8	7
United Kingdom	220	218	377	221	258	303	231	181	235	224
March										
Great Britain	195	232	271	186	253	329	206	206	188	210
Northern Ireland	5	5	9	5	6	10	6	6	5	6
United Kingdom	200	237	280	191	259	339	212	212	193	216
April										
Great Britain	183	179	190	191	177	210	207	163	153	171
Northern Ireland	5	4	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
United Kingdom	188	183	195	196	182	215	212	168	158	176
May										
Great Britain	147	173	163	178	173	174	172	160	154	174
Northern Ireland	4	4	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
United Kingdom	151	177	168	183	178	179	177	165	159	179
June										
Great Britain	145	153	161	171	158	171	149	147	152	169
Northern Ireland	4	4	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
United Kingdom	149	157	166	176	163	176	154	152	157	174
July										
Great Britain	135	145	151	153	149	156	146	141	146	157
Northern Ireland	3	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
United Kingdom	138	148	155	157	153	160	150	145	150	161
August										
Great Britain	125	139	143	145	153	151	147	130	139	154
Northern Ireland	3	4	4	4	4	5	5	5	5	5
United Kingdom	128	143	147	149	157	156	152	135	144	159
September										
Great Britain	151	167	165	176	163	173	166	152	157	157
Northern Ireland	4	4	4	5	5	5	5	5	5	6
United Kingdom	155	171	169	181	168	178	171	157	162	163
October										
Great Britain	193	191	211	207	208	203	202	181	191	217
Northern Ireland	4	5	6	6	5	5	6	5	6	6
United Kingdom	197	196	217	213	213	208	208	186	197	223
November										
Great Britain	203	197	220	216	220	201	196	179	198	201
Northern Ireland	5	5	6	6	5	6	6	5	6	6
United Kingdom	208	202	226	222	225	207	202	184	204	207
December										
Great Britain	158	177	187	234	191	295	166	164	244	166
Northern Ireland	4	5	5	5	4	5	6	5	6	5
United Kingdom	162	182	192	239	195	300	172	169	250	171

Source: 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) A "new claim" means a claim submitted at the beginning of a spell of incapacity for work. If a person has several separate spells of incapacity for work during the year, each spell is counted as a "new claim". The figures include a relatively small number of claims which did not result in the payment of benefit.

UNITED KINGDOM: TABLE 50.11

WIDOW'S BENEFIT (EXCLUDING WIDOW'S ALLOWANCE) IN PAYMENT AT 31 DECEMBER

Thousands

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All widow's benefit:										
Great Britain	596	594	580	568	560	551	543	564	556	530
Northern Ireland(a)	16	16	16	16	17	17	17	18	18	18
United Kingdom	612	610	596	584	577	568	560	582	574	548
Widowed mother's allowance —with dependent children:										
Great Britain	106	104	100	99	99	99	100	100	98	99
Northern Ireland(a)	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
United Kingdom	111	109	105	104	104	104	105	105	103	104
Widowed mother's allowance —without dependent children:										
Great Britain	51	50	44	41	38	37	35	35	35	29
Northern Ireland(a)	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
United Kingdom	52	52	45	42	39	38	36	36	36	30
Widow's pension:										
Great Britain	362	363	360	354	348	338	332	329	320	300
Northern Ireland(a)	9	9	9	9	10	10	10	10	10	10
United Kingdom	371	372	369	363	358	348	342	339	330	310
Age-related widow's pension:										
Great Britain .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	94	98	98
Northern Ireland(a) .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	2
United Kingdom .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	96	100	100
Widow's basic pension:										
Great Britain	77	76	76	75	75	77	76	7	6	4
Northern Ireland(a)	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	—	—	—
United Kingdom	78	77	77	76	76	78	77	7	6	4

Source: Great Britain — 10 per cent sample; Northern Ireland — 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) Estimated figures for 1973.

UNITED KINGDOM: TABLE 50.13

RETIREMENT PENSION AND OLD PERSON'S PENSION IN PAYMENT AT 31 DECEMBER

Thousands

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All retirement pension:										
Great Britain	6,158	6,357	6,540	6,769	6,973	7,170	7,363	7,515	7,668	7,688
Northern Ireland (a)	129	135	139	144	149	154	158	162	165	169
United Kingdom	6,287	6,492	6,679	6,913	7,122	7,324	7,521	7,677	7,833	7,857
Men:										
Great Britain	2,048	2,121	2,192	2,291	2,373	2,462	2,554	2,591	2,654	2,672
Northern Ireland (a)	47	49	51	53	55	56	58	59	60	62
United Kingdom	2,095	2,170	2,243	2,344	2,428	2,518	2,612	2,650	2,714	2,734
Women on own insurance:										
Great Britain	1,654	1,724	1,788	1,858	1,917	1,960	1,999	2,021	2,024	1,986
Northern Ireland (a)	37	39	40	42	44	45	47	47	48	49
United Kingdom	1,691	1,763	1,828	1,900	1,961	2,005	2,046	2,068	2,072	2,035
Wives on husband's insurance:										
Great Britain	1,124	1,167	1,209	1,258	1,306	1,351	1,396	1,453	1,494	1,506
Northern Ireland (a)	22	23	24	25	26	27	27	28	29	30
United Kingdom	1,146	1,190	1,233	1,283	1,332	1,378	1,423	1,481	1,523	1,536
Widows on husband's insurance:										
Great Britain	1,332	1,345	1,352	1,362	1,377	1,395	1,415	1,450	1,496	1,524
Northern Ireland (a)	23	23	24	24	25	25	26	27	28	28
United Kingdom	1,355	1,368	1,376	1,386	1,402	1,420	1,441	1,477	1,524	1,552
All old person's pension:										
Great Britain .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	123	132	125	112
Northern Ireland (a) .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	7	7	6
United Kingdom .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	128	139	132	118
Men:										
Great Britain .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	13	20	16	16
Northern Ireland (a) .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	2	1
United Kingdom .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	14	22	18	17
Women:										
Great Britain .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	110	112	109	96
Northern Ireland (a) .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	5	5	5
United Kingdom .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	114	117	114	101

Source: Great Britain — 5 per cent sample; Northern Ireland — 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) Estimated figures for 1973.

UNITED KINGDOM: TABLE 50.20

INDUSTRIAL INJURY BENEFIT: AVERAGE WEEKLY INTAKE OF NEW CLAIMS(a)

Thousands

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Annual weekly average:										
Great Britain	17.3	18.4	18.5	18.8	18.0	17.9	15.8	14.0	13.4	14.3
Northern Ireland	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1
United Kingdom	17.6	18.7	18.8	19.1	18.3	18.2	16.1	14.2	13.6	14.4
January										
Great Britain	16.4	17.5	17.8	19.7	18.1	17.7	14.4	13.7	12.4	13.6
Northern Ireland	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1
United Kingdom	16.7	17.8	18.1	20.0	18.4	18.0	14.7	13.9	12.6	13.7
February										
Great Britain	18.3	19.4	19.3	20.6	19.6	20.1	17.9	14.1	12.5	14.8
Northern Ireland	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2
United Kingdom	18.6	19.7	19.6	21.0	19.9	20.4	18.2	14.3	12.7	15.0
March										
Great Britain	17.6	19.9	20.1	19.5	19.6	18.5	16.9	15.2	13.8	15.9
Northern Ireland	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2
United Kingdom	17.9	20.2	20.4	19.8	19.9	18.8	17.2	15.4	14.0	16.1
April										
Great Britain	17.4	17.4	17.2	19.0	16.3	16.0	16.3	13.0	12.8	13.9
Northern Ireland	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1
United Kingdom	17.7	17.7	17.5	19.3	16.5	16.2	16.6	13.2	13.0	14.0
May										
Great Britain	17.1	19.8	19.4	19.1	18.4	17.9	16.7	15.3	14.3	14.3
Northern Ireland	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2
United Kingdom	17.4	20.1	19.7	19.4	18.7	18.2	17.0	15.6	14.5	14.5
June										
Great Britain	17.7	17.9	18.9	18.7	17.6	18.2	15.4	13.4	13.4	14.5
Northern Ireland	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
United Kingdom	18.0	18.2	19.2	19.0	17.9	18.5	15.6	13.6	13.6	14.7
July										
Great Britain	16.5	17.7	18.5	18.1	17.1	18.2	15.5	14.3	13.4	13.9
Northern Ireland	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1
United Kingdom	16.7	17.9	18.7	18.3	17.3	18.5	15.7	14.5	13.5	14.0
August										
Great Britain	14.3	16.0	16.1	16.2	16.3	16.2	13.9	12.1	12.1	12.7
Northern Ireland	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1
United Kingdom	14.5	16.3	16.4	16.5	16.6	16.5	14.2	12.3	12.3	12.8
September										
Great Britain	18.4	18.7	18.7	19.0	18.0	18.2	16.2	14.5	13.8	14.8
Northern Ireland	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1
United Kingdom	18.7	19.0	19.0	19.3	18.3	18.5	16.5	14.7	14.0	14.9
October										
Great Britain	19.0	19.9	20.0	20.3	20.5	20.0	17.4	15.2	14.8	15.4
Northern Ireland	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1
United Kingdom	19.3	20.3	20.4	20.6	20.8	20.3	17.7	15.4	15.0	15.5
November										
Great Britain	18.5	19.6	19.6	19.8	19.5	19.0	16.0	15.0	15.4	15.6
Northern Ireland	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1
United Kingdom	18.8	19.9	20.0	20.1	19.8	19.4	16.3	15.2	15.6	15.7
December										
Great Britain	15.9	17.3	16.8	16.6	15.9	15.2	13.4	12.5	11.9	12.0
Northern Ireland	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1
United Kingdom	16.2	17.6	17.1	16.9	16.1	15.4	13.6	12.7	12.0	12.1

Source: 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) A "new claim" means a claim submitted at the beginning of a spell of incapacity for work. If a person has several separate spells of incapacity for work during the year, each spell is counted as a "new claim". The figures include a relatively small number of claims which did not result in the payment of benefit.

UNITED KINGDOM: TABLE 50.30

FAMILY ALLOWANCE: NUMBER OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES RECEIVING ALLOWANCE (a)

Thousands

	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972
Total children in families receiving allowances:										
Great Britain	9,844	10,074	10,292	10,500	10,741	10,958	11,095	11,204	11,327	11,339
Northern Ireland	389	399	409	418	430	437	437	444	448	443
United Kingdom	10,233	10,473	10,701	10,918	11,171	11,395	11,532	11,648	11,775	11,782
Children attracting allowances:										
Great Britain	6,128	6,279	6,423	6,556	6,704	6,834	6,906	6,955	7,004	6,977
Northern Ireland	270	278	285	291	299	304	303	306	308	303
United Kingdom	6,398	6,557	6,708	6,847	7,003	7,138	7,209	7,261	7,312	7,280
Families receiving allowances:										
Great Britain	3,716	3,794	3,869	3,944	4,037	4,124	4,189	4,249	4,323	4,362
Northern Ireland	119	121	124	127	131	133	134	138	140	140
United Kingdom	3,835	3,915	3,993	4,071	4,168	4,257	4,323	4,387	4,463	4,502

Source: Great Britain — 4 per cent sample; Northern Ireland — 100 per cent count up to 1967 and 50 per cent sample thereafter.

Note: (a) Great Britain — at 31 January in the following year up to 1963 and at 31 December thereafter.

Northern Ireland — at 31 January in the following year up to 1967 and at 31 December thereafter.

TABLE 50.32

FAMILY INCOME SUPPLEMENT: AWARDS CURRENT AT END OF DECEMBER, ANALYSED BY TYPE OF FAMILY, WITH AVERAGE AMOUNT

Thousands

	1971	1972	1973
All families:			
Great Britain	72	84	95
Northern Ireland	8	11	11
United Kingdom	80	95	106
Two-parent families:			
Great Britain	48	49	50
Northern Ireland	7	10	10
United Kingdom	55	59	60
One-parent families headed by a man:			
Great Britain	1	1	1
Northern Ireland	—	—	—
United Kingdom	1	1	1
One-parent families headed by a woman:			
Great Britain	23	34	43
Northern Ireland	1	1	1
United Kingdom	24	35	44
Average amount of supplement:	£	£	£
Great Britain	1.73	2.07	2.55
Northern Ireland	2.13	2.61	3.58

Source: Great Britain — 20 per cent sample; Northern Ireland — 30 per cent sample.

UNITED KINGDOM: TABLE 50.34

SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT: REGULAR WEEKLY PAYMENTS, ANALYSED BY TYPE OF BENEFICIARY (a)

Thousands

	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
All supplementary benefits:										
Great Britain	1,961	1,997	2,495	2,559	2,637	2,688	2,739	2,909	2,929	2,675
Northern Ireland	58	60	85	91	99	100	105	106	104	97
United Kingdom	2,019	2,057	2,580	2,650	2,736	2,788	2,844	3,015	3,033	2,772
Supplementary pensions:										
Great Britain	1,384	1,420	1,819	1,806	1,860	1,875	1,902	1,919	1,909	1,844
Northern Ireland	30	32	53	55	57	57	59	58	57	56
United Kingdom	1,414	1,452	1,872	1,861	1,917	1,932	1,961	1,977	1,966	1,900
Supplementary allowances:										
Great Britain	578	577	676	753	777	813	836	990	1,020	831
Northern Ireland	28	28	32	36	42	43	46	49	47	41
United Kingdom	606	605	708	789	819	856	882	1,039	1,067	872

Source: 100 per cent count.

Note: (a) Great Britain—at December each year to 1966 and November thereafter.
Northern Ireland—at December each year to 1971 and November thereafter.

TABLE 50.44

PART 1: NATIONAL INSURANCE FUNDS: RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

£ Thousands

	Year ended 31 March									
	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Total receipts:										
Great Britain	1,366,879	1,454,083	1,816,123	1,863,525	2,022,372	2,238,056	2,364,846	2,699,441	3,081,526	3,634,039
Northern Ireland (a)	28,254	30,845	37,904	39,335	43,892	48,158	32,018	58,218	64,639	73,060
United Kingdom	1,395,133	1,484,928	1,854,027	1,902,860	2,066,264	2,286,214	2,416,864	2,757,659	3,146,165	3,707,099
Total payment of benefit:										
Great Britain	1,350,711	1,407,847	1,715,927	1,798,221	2,023,705	2,217,959	2,349,248	2,521,577	2,950,463	3,340,326
Northern Ireland	37,540	39,104	48,152	50,588	57,040	61,308	64,028	68,439	79,607	90,951
United Kingdom	1,388,251	1,446,951	1,764,079	1,848,809	2,080,745	2,279,267	2,413,276	2,590,016	3,030,070	3,431,277
Administrative expenses and other payments:										
Great Britain (a)	56,080	56,030	62,172	63,585	73,223	78,853	91,224	106,369	122,374	135,474
Northern Ireland	2,088	2,440	2,645	2,913	3,066	3,306	3,442	3,991	4,984	5,737
United Kingdom	58,168	58,470	64,817	66,498	76,289	82,159	94,666	110,360	127,358	141,211
Total expenditure:										
Great Britain	1,406,791	1,463,877	1,778,099	1,861,806	2,096,928	2,296,812	2,440,472	2,627,946	3,072,838	3,475,800
Northern Ireland	39,628	41,544	50,797	53,501	60,106	64,614	67,470	72,430	84,592	96,688
United Kingdom	1,446,419	1,505,421	1,828,896	1,915,307	2,157,034	2,361,426	2,507,942	2,700,376	3,157,430	3,572,488

Notes: (a) Excludes sums transferred from Great Britain National Insurance Fund to Northern Ireland National Insurance Fund.
(b) The total receipts for the year ended 31 March 1969 exclude the capital payment of £200 million made from the National Insurance (Reserve) Fund during that year.
(c) The total receipts for the year ended 31 March 1970 exclude the capital payment of £5 million made from the Northern Ireland National Insurance (Reserve) Fund during that year.

UNITED KINGDOM: TABLE 50.44 (continued)

PART 2: INDUSTRIAL INJURIES FUNDS: RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

£ Thousands

	Year ended 31 March									
	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Total receipts:										
Great Britain	93,544	96,082	106,758 (a)	107,871	112,142	116,457	119,831	126,965 (a)	141,388	156,435
Northern Ireland	1,947	2,118	2,354	2,357	2,426	2,746	2,820	2,858	3,180	4,112
United Kingdom	95,491	98,200	109,112	110,228	114,568	119,203	122,651	129,823	144,568	160,547
Total payment of benefit:										
Great Britain	72,757	77,487	93,360	93,171	99,191	103,574	105,380	109,311	114,635	125,095
Northern Ireland	1,225	1,335	1,643	1,775	1,941	2,034	2,092	2,199	2,450	2,663
United Kingdom	73,982	78,822	95,003	94,946	101,132	105,608	107,472	111,510	117,085	127,758
Administrative expenses and other payments:										
Great Britain	7,655	8,585	9,043	9,915	10,143	10,094	12,257	12,112	14,482	15,415
Northern Ireland	154	205	233 (a)	222	213	232	268	274 (a)	330	467
United Kingdom	7,809	8,790	9,276	10,137	10,356	10,326	12,525	12,386	14,812	15,882
Total expenditure:										
Great Britain	80,412	86,072	102,403	103,086	109,334	113,668	117,637	121,423	129,117	140,510
Northern Ireland	1,379	1,540	1,876	1,997	2,154	2,266	2,360	2,473	2,780	3,130
United Kingdom	81,791	87,612	104,279	105,083	111,488	115,934	119,997	123,896	131,897	143,640

Note: (a) Excludes sums transferred from Northern Ireland Industrial Injuries Fund to Great Britain Industrial Injuries Fund.

APPENDIX 1

DESCRIPTION OF BENEFITS AND CONTRIBUTIONS

Appendix 1 gives a brief description of the main features of the various social security benefits and contributions covered in each section of this volume, as they currently apply. It does not purport to cover all the conditions for entitlement to benefit or payment of contributions, nor does it give a history of the various changes which have occurred over the years. If more information is required on a particular subject, a copy of the appropriate explanatory leaflet can be consulted and a list of these leaflets is given in Appendix 2.

1. UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT

1.1 Flat-Rate Unemployment Benefit. To establish entitlement to National Insurance unemployment benefit, a claimant must be unemployed, capable of and available for employment and free from certain grounds for disallowance or disqualification. For example, benefit is not payable for a day for which the claimant receives wages in lieu of notice; or he may be disqualified for benefit for up to six weeks if he left his former employment voluntarily without just cause, or if he lost it through misconduct, or if he refuses suitable employment without good cause. A claimant must also satisfy the contribution conditions for unemployment benefit which depend on contributions paid as an employed person (class 1). Claims for unemployment benefit are dealt with by the Department of Employment as agents for the Department of Health and Social Security.

1.2 If the contribution conditions are satisfied in full, flat-rate unemployment benefit is normally payable at the standard rate shown in table 1.01. An increase of benefit can be paid for an adult dependant and for each dependent child. If the contribution conditions are only partly satisfied the rate of benefit is reduced. Certain widows (generally speaking, those not entitled to widow's pension and not covered for full benefit on their own contribution records) may be helped by special rules to qualify for benefit if they are unemployed following the end of widow's allowance or widowed mother's allowance.

1.3 Flat-rate unemployment benefit is payable after three waiting days for up to 312 days in any period of interruption of employment. After benefit has been paid for 312 days, it cannot be drawn again until the claimant has requalified.

1.4 Earnings-Related Supplement. This is payable to a claimant who is between the age of 18 and 65 for a man, or 60 for a woman, and is entitled to flat-rate unemployment benefit and has reckonable earnings of sufficient amount. It is subject to an initial 12 waiting days and is then payable for up to 156 days in a period of interruption of employment. The weekly rate of the supplement is calculated according to the claimant's earnings as shown in table 1.02. If the total benefit due, including flat-rate benefit, amounts to more than 85% of the claimant's average weekly earnings the supplement is reduced to bring the total down to that figure. The flat-rate benefit is not reduced.

3. SICKNESS BENEFIT

3.1 Flat-rate Sickness Benefit. The main conditions for entitlement to National Insurance flat-rate sickness benefit are that the claimant is incapable of work because of illness or disablement (which is usually established by medical certificates obtained by the claimant from his doctor or hospital) and that he satisfies the contribution conditions, which depend on contributions paid as an employed person (class 1) or a self-employed person (class 2).

3.2 The standard rate of flat-rate sickness benefit is shown in table 3.01. An increase of benefit can be paid for an adult dependant and for each dependent child. If the contribution conditions are only partly satisfied the rate of benefit is reduced. Earnings-related supplement can be claimed on the same basis as for unemployment benefit (paragraph 1.4).

3.3 At the beginning of a period of interruption of employment flat-rate sickness benefit is subject to three waiting days. It is normally replaced by invalidity benefit after it has been paid for 168 days in any period of interruption of employment. A person who does not qualify for invalidity benefit may continue to receive sickness benefit for up to 312 days in any period of interruption of employment. After that he must requalify before he can obtain further benefit.

4. INVALIDITY BENEFIT

4.1 A claimant who has paid at least 156 contributions as an employed person (class 1) or self-employed person (class 2) qualifies for invalidity pension if his incapacity continues after he has been entitled to sickness benefit for 168 days in any period of interruption of employment. An increase of invalidity pension can be paid for an adult dependant and for each dependent child. The rates are shown in table 4.01.

4.2 Invalidity allowance may be paid in addition to invalidity pension. There are three weekly rates of invalidity allowance and the rate payable depends on the claimant's age when his incapacity began (table 4.02).

5. ATTENDANCE ALLOWANCE

5.1 Attendance allowance is a non-contributory benefit (table 5.01) which is payable to a person who is severely disabled, physically or mentally, and requires frequent attention or continual supervision. There are tests for residence and presence in Great Britain. Claims are assessed by the Attendance Allowance Board.

7. MATERNITY BENEFIT

7.1 Maternity Grant. This is a National Insurance benefit paid as a lump sum (table 7.01) and the contribution conditions can be satisfied on the insurance of the mother or on the insurance of her husband.

7.2 Maternity Allowance. This allowance (table 7.01) is payable for 18 weeks, normally starting 11 weeks before

the baby is due, to a mother who has in recent months been working and paying full National Insurance contributions, and who stays away from work to have her baby.

8. DEATH GRANT

8.1 Death grant is a National Insurance benefit which is paid as a lump sum (table 8.01) on death and the contribution conditions can be satisfied on the insurance of the dead person, or on the insurance of a living husband or wife or a husband or wife who died earlier. For a child, or a young disabled person, the conditions can be satisfied by a parent or by certain other people as prescribed.

9. GUARDIAN'S ALLOWANCE AND CHILD'S SPECIAL ALLOWANCE

9.1 **Guardian's Allowance.** This is a National Insurance benefit (table 9.01) paid to a person who provides a home for, or maintains, a child both of whose parents are dead. One of the parents must have been insured. Special rules apply in certain cases, e.g. for an adopted child, or an illegitimate child, or a child of divorced parents.

9.2 **Child's Special Allowance.** This allowance (table 9.01) can be paid under National Insurance to a divorced woman when her former husband dies if she has a child and he was contributing, or was liable to contribute, towards the child's maintenance. There are conditions which apply to the insurance of the former husband.

11. WIDOW'S BENEFIT

11.1 A woman who is widowed is entitled to National Insurance widow's benefit if her late husband satisfied the contribution conditions. If the contribution conditions are satisfied in full the appropriate widow's benefit is payable at the standard rate shown in table 11.01. If the conditions are only partly satisfied the rate of benefit is reduced. There are several different types of N.I. widow's benefit, each with its own qualifications.

11.2 **Widow's Allowance.** This is an especially high rate of benefit which is payable for the first 26 weeks of widowhood, provided that the widow is under pensionable age (age 60) or, if she is over that age, provided that her husband was not entitled to retirement pension. An increase of widow's allowance can be paid for each dependent child. An earnings-related widow's supplementary allowance may be paid in addition to widow's allowance if the late husband had not retired and his reckonable earnings in the relevant income tax year were of sufficient amount.

11.3 **Widowed Mother's Allowance.** When widow's allowance ends (or if it is not payable) then widowed mother's allowance is payable as long as the widow has a son or daughter under 19 living with her or dependent on her. Increases are payable for dependent children.

11.4 **Widow's Pension.** When widow's allowance or widowed mother's allowance is not payable, or ceases to be payable, then widow's pension is payable if the widow is over age 40. The standard rate of widow's pension applies if the widow was over 50 when her husband

died, or when her entitlement to widowed mother's allowance ended. If she was between 40 and 50 the rates range in 7% steps, from 93% of the standard rate for the widow who was 49 at that time to 30% for the widow who was then 40 (table 11.02).

11.5 **Widow's Basic Pension.** Under transitional regulations made in 1948 to preserve rights acquired under earlier legislation, a widow who does not qualify for widowed mother's allowance or widow's pension may qualify instead for a widow's basic pension if she was married before 5 July 1948 and her husband was insured immediately before that date under the old Contributory Pensions Act.

13. RETIREMENT PENSION

13.1 **Retirement Pension.** The three main conditions for National Insurance retirement pension are that the claimant has satisfied the contribution conditions, has reached pensionable age, and can be treated as retired from regular employment. Retirement pension took the place of the former contributory old age pension, which is still payable in a certain limited type of case (see paragraph 13.9). In 1970 a further type of pension was introduced, known as old person's pension. This is quite distinct from retirement pension and is described in paragraph 13.10 below.

13.2 Satisfaction of the contribution conditions in full is required to obtain retirement pension at the standard rate, which is shown in table 13.01. If the contribution conditions are only partly satisfied the rate of pension is reduced.

13.3 Pensionable age is 65 for a man and 60 for a woman. Between age 65 and 70 for a man, or 60 and 65 for a woman, it is necessary for a claimant to show that he can be treated as retired from regular employment. At age 70 for a man, or 65 for a woman, a claimant is deemed to be retired even though he may still be fully employed.

13.4 A retirement pensioner who takes work between age 65 and 70 for a man, or 60 and 65 for a woman, has his pension reduced if his earnings exceed a specified amount. After age 70 for a man, or 65 for a woman, the pension is not affected by earnings.

13.5 A married woman can claim on her own insurance, if qualified, or she can claim on her husband's insurance when they have both reached pensionable age and can be treated as retired. A pensioner can also claim an increase for his dependent wife under age 60, or a dependent child.

13.6 **Increments.** A claimant who defers retirement until after pensionable age (65 for a man or 60 for a woman) can qualify for increments payable with pension on his or her own insurance on eventual retirement or on reaching age 70 man, or age 65 woman. Increments for deferred retirement depend on the number of contributions actually paid while employed or self-employed after pensionable age and the amount of each increment and the number of contributions required for each increment varies according to when the contributions were paid (table 13.02). A wife entitled to pension on her husband's insurance may also have increments at a

lower rate based on contributions paid by him after they have both reached pensionable age. If she is widowed the increments are reassessed at the rate applicable to her husband.

13.7 Graduated Pension. A person who has paid graduated contributions can qualify for graduated pension payable with his retirement pension. The weekly rate of graduated pension is calculated on the basis of 2½p for each "unit of graduated contributions" paid by the claimant. Each £7.50 which a man pays in graduated contributions, or each £9 which a woman pays, makes up a unit. In addition to the graduated contributions actually paid, a person who defers retirement beyond pensionable age (65 for a man; 60 for a woman) is credited with an added contribution for each week from pensionable age to eventual retirement at half the weekly rate of graduated pension which would have been payable had the person retired at pensionable age. When calculating the number of units of graduated contributions an odd half unit or more is counted as a whole unit. A widow can receive graduated pension at the weekly rate of 2½p for each 5p, or part of 5p, of the weekly rate of graduated pension for which her late husband had qualified.

13.8 Invalidity Allowance. A person who was entitled to invalidity allowance as an increase of invalidity pension in respect of any day within the period of 13 weeks and 1 day before the day on which pensionable age was attained, will have the weekly rate of his retirement pension increased by an amount equal to the weekly rate of the invalidity allowance to which there was title at pensionable age.

13.9 Contributory Old Age Pension. When a widow in receipt of widow's basic pension (see paragraph 11.5) reaches pensionable age that pension is replaced by contributory old age pension.

13.10 Old Person's Pension. This is a non-contributory pension which was introduced in November 1970. It was first applied to a person who was excluded from the National Insurance scheme because he was over pensionable age on 5 July 1948. A pension was also provided for a wife or widow, including the widow of a man already dead, if he was alive and over pensionable age on 5 July 1948. The weekly rates of these pensions are shown in table 13.03. From September 1971 old person's pension has been extended to any person reaching 80 years of age who satisfies the residence test and who either failed to qualify for a contributory retirement pension or qualified for one at a lower rate than the rate of old person's pension. A married woman over age 80 can qualify for this old person's pension, but not a married woman under age 80.

20. INDUSTRIAL INJURY

20.1 The Industrial Injuries Act provides benefits for incapacity for work, or disablement, or death, caused by injury due to an industrial accident, or caused by a prescribed industrial disease. The scheme applies to a person in insurable employment and contributions are payable, although benefits do not depend on contribution conditions.

20.2 Injury Benefit. Injury benefit is a weekly benefit paid up to a maximum period of six months to a person who is incapable of work as a result of an industrial injury or prescribed disease (table 20.01). Injury benefit can be increased by an earnings-related supplement (paragraph 1.4) if the claimant satisfies the contribution conditions for sickness benefit. Injury benefit is not paid to claimants suffering from pneumoconiosis or byssinosis, disablement benefit being paid instead from the date of development of the disease.

21. INDUSTRIAL DISABLEMENT BENEFIT

21.1 This is a benefit for disablement due to an industrial injury or disease. It normally follows a period of injury benefit. The basic benefit depends on a medical assessment of the degree of disablement due to the injury or disease which is expressed as a percentage. Except where the disablement is due to pneumoconiosis or byssinosis, the benefit for an assessment of less than 20% normally takes the form of a lump sum gratuity, the amount depending on the degree and the period of the assessment. For 20% or more a disablement pension is payable, the rate of pension varying according to the percentage disablement (table 21.01).

21.2 The assessment of disablement takes no account of the claimant's occupation or any loss of earnings, but allowances can be added to the basic benefit (table 21.02). Where appropriate, the benefits of the main National Insurance scheme, including sickness benefit or invalidity benefit or retirement pension, can be payable in addition to disablement benefit and its increases, except when unemployment supplement is payable.

21.3 Hospital Treatment Allowance. This is an allowance which brings disablement benefit up to the 100% rate during treatment in hospital for the industrial injury or disease. The allowance may be increased for dependants.

21.4 Unemployability Supplement. The supplement is payable to a disablement pensioner who, as a result of his disablement, is incapable of work and likely to remain so permanently. Increases are payable for dependants and also an increase according to his age as for National Insurance invalidity benefit. The supplement cannot be paid with sickness benefit or invalidity benefit or retirement pension.

21.5 Constant Attendance Allowance. This allowance is paid to a 100% disablement pensioner who needs someone to attend to him regularly.

21.6 Exceptionally Severe Disablement Allowance. The allowance is payable to a pensioner who is likely to be permanently entitled to constant attendance allowance at a very high rate.

21.7 Special Hardship Allowance. This allowance can be paid in certain circumstances to a claimant who, because of the relevant injury or disease, is unable to follow his regular occupation or one of an equivalent standard. The amount of the allowance is the difference between the standard of remuneration in the claimant's regular occupation and that in any suitable occupation which he is capable of following, subject to a specified maximum.

22. INDUSTRIAL DEATH BENEFIT

22.1 Death benefit takes the form of a pension, a gratuity, or a weekly allowance which is for a limited period (table 22.01). The widow of a man who dies from an industrial accident or disease receives a pension. For the first 26 weeks a high rate is payable, in the same way as for N.I. widow's allowance. Thereafter the rate of pension depends upon the age or other circumstances of the widow. Allowances are paid for each child of the deceased's family. Subject to limitations on the form and amount of benefit payable for any one death, parents, certain dependent relatives, and a woman looking after a child or children of the deceased may also qualify for death benefit.

23. WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION SUPPLEMENTATION SCHEME

23.1 This scheme provides for certain allowances to be awarded to a man who is currently entitled to compensation under the Workmen's Compensation Acts in respect of an injury or disease incurred before 5 July 1948.

24. PNEUMOCONIOSIS, BYSSINOSIS AND MISCELLANEOUS DISEASES BENEFIT SCHEME

24.1 This scheme provides benefits for disablement or death caused by one of the diseases specified if it arose out of employment before 5 July 1948 and if nothing is payable under the Workmen's Compensation Acts or the Industrial Injuries Acts.

30. FAMILY ALLOWANCE

30.1 Family allowance is payable to a family with two or more children below the age limits. The basic age limit is the upper limit of compulsory school age which was 15 and is now 16. For a child continuing at school or college, or a child who is an apprentice with low earnings, the age limit is extended to 19. The rates of family allowance are shown in table 30.01. Family allowance is a non-contributory benefit.

32. FAMILY INCOME SUPPLEMENT

32.1 Family income supplement is a non-contributory benefit payable to a family with one or more children where the head of the family is in full-time work but the income of the family is low. The method of calculation of the rate of the supplement is shown in table 32.01.

32.2 Entitlement to family income supplement carries automatic entitlement to certain other welfare benefits, namely, free prescriptions, free dental treatment, free optical treatment, free welfare milk and vitamins, free school meals, and refund of fares for attending hospital for treatment.

34. SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT

34.1 Supplementary benefit can be claimed by a person who is in Great Britain and is aged 16 or over and is not

in full-time work, if his resources if any, are less than his requirements. The supplementary benefit scheme is operated under the control of the Supplementary Benefits Commission and is non-contributory.

34.2 A claimant who is below pensionable age, which is 65 for a man and 60 for a woman, can qualify for supplementary allowance and if he is able to work he will normally be required to register at an Employment Exchange as a condition of receiving the allowance. A claimant over pensionable age can qualify for supplementary pension.

34.3 Supplementary benefit can be paid for one person, or a husband and wife living together, or a couple living as man and wife, and benefit is given for dependent children. The resources and requirements of couples and families are assessed as a whole and one combined allowance or pension is awarded to cover them. In these cases benefit is normally claimed by and awarded to the man, or to the woman in the case of a woman and dependent children alone.

34.4 Benefit cannot be awarded to a person in full-time work, other than a self-employed disabled person whose earning capacity is substantially less than that of other persons similarly occupied. Nor can it be given to a person undergoing full-time education of a kind given in schools, but a young person still at school can be treated as a dependant in the calculation of his parent's supplementary benefit. Benefit is not payable for a person involved in a trade dispute although it can be paid for his dependants. There is, however, an over-riding power to award benefit in cases of urgency even if a person is affected by one of these exclusions.

34.5 **Rate of Benefit.** Broadly, the amount of benefit payable is the amount needed to bring a claimant's resources up to his requirements.

34.6 **Requirements.** The basic requirements of a claimant are specified by prescribed rates which are shown in table 34.1. These are modified as explained in the following paragraphs.

34.7 If the claimant, or his wife, is a householder his basic requirements are increased by the net rent payable, or such part of it as is considered reasonable in the circumstances. The amount will normally be reduced by the proportionate share attributable to any other person in the household not dependent on the claimant, except where either the claimant or his wife is blind. For a tenant "net rent" is defined as the weekly rent and rates less any amount included for services (e.g. lighting, heating) and less also any proceeds from sub-letting. Where a rent rebate or rent allowance was granted under Housing Finance legislation this is also deducted. For an owner occupier "net rent" is defined as the weekly outgoings on the property (including rates, an allowance towards expenditure on repairs and insurance, and mortgage interest but not repayments of mortgage capital) less any proceeds from sub-letting.

34.8 The requirements of a person in a local authority home are the total of the amounts prescribed for the minimum charge for the accommodation and for personal requirements.

34.9 The requirements of a person in hospital consist of an amount allowed for personal requirements plus any commitments such as continuing home rent. For married couples, one of whom enters hospital, requirements remain unaltered for eight weeks and are then reduced.

34.10 The requirements of a person living as a boarder are based on the amount he pays for board and lodging, if it is reasonable, plus an amount for personal expenses.

34.11 **Resources.** The resources of a claimant consist of his total income, subject to the modifications mentioned in the following paragraphs.

34.12 If a claimant does some work his net weekly earnings, after deducting reasonable expenses, are calculated and then a specified amount of his earnings is disregarded. The remainder is counted as resources. A similar rule applies to earnings of a wife or dependent child.

34.13 The main National Insurance pensions and benefits, industrial injury benefit, and family allowances are taken into account in full as resources. Other benefits are subject to a partial disregard, i.e. war disablement pension, industrial disablement pension, workmen's compensation, war widow's pension, industrial widow's pension and part of the children's allowance included in National Insurance widow's pension or war widow's pension.

34.14 Maintenance payments are counted in full as resources. Other income is also counted subject to a partial disregard e.g. sick pay from an employer, payments received from charities, superannuation and annuities. The annuity paid to the holder of a Victoria Cross or a George Cross is wholly disregarded.

34.15 If a claimant has capital assets (e.g. savings, investments, or property not personally occupied) a certain amount is wholly disregarded. Any capital above this amount is treated as producing a weekly income according to a prescribed tariff. This income counts as other income as in the previous paragraph and can be subject to the disregard mentioned there. The capital value of an owner-occupied house is entirely disregarded.

34.16 **Exceptional Circumstances Addition.** The amount of benefit arrived at by deducting resources from requirements may be increased where there are exceptional expenses, for example, for extra heating, or a special diet, or domestic assistance. If the long term scale rate is applicable the exceptional circumstances addition may be limited to the amount by which the expenses exceeds 50p of that scale rate (75p if long term (higher) scale rate).

34.17 **Wage—Stop.** If a person has to register for employment as a condition of receiving supplementary allowance his benefit is restricted, unless there are unusual circumstances, so that his total income when unemployed is not greater than it would be if he were in full-time work in his normal occupation. A similar restriction may be imposed where by reason only of temporary circumstances, e.g. short-term sickness, the condition of registration for work is inappropriate. If the claimant would be entitled to family income supplement when

working (paragraph 32.1) this is added to the assumed weekly earnings before the wage-stop deduction is calculated.

34.18 **Liable Relatives.** A man is liable to maintain his wife and children and a woman is liable to maintain her husband and children. The Supplementary Benefits Commission can apply for a maintenance order against a husband whose wife and children are drawing supplementary benefit, and they can apply for an affiliation order against the alleged father of an illegitimate child. Furthermore the Commission can take criminal proceedings against a person who persistently refuses or neglects to maintain himself, or any person he is liable to maintain, as a result of which supplementary benefit is paid.

36. WAR PENSION

36.1 Pensions, allowances or other payments may be awarded for disablement or death due to service in H.M. Forces. Benefit can also be paid for injury incurred in the course of war service in the Naval Auxiliary Service, or in the Mercantile Marine, or in a fishing fleet, or in the Civil Defence services.

36.2 **Disablement Pension.** This is paid to a disabled person and the rate (tables 36.01 and 36.02) varies according to his rank and his percentage disablement as assessed by a medical board. Allowances are payable for a wife and children with, in some cases, an education allowance.

36.3 **Treatment Allowance.** Treatment allowances equivalent to disablement pension and dependants' allowances at the 100% rate are paid in place of pension where a pensioner receives treatment for his war disablement and the treatment prevents him from working. If the pensioner does not qualify for full flat-rate National Insurance sickness benefit he can in certain circumstances receive, as an additional war pension treatment allowance, the difference between the amount of sickness benefit for which he qualifies and the full flat-rate. If he has a wife and/or children, he may receive additional allowances for them, bringing the total payable for them up to the standard rate of sickness benefit dependency increases. Similar provisions apply in relation to National Insurance invalidity benefit, and the higher rates of dependency increases for children which are payable with the benefit.

36.4 **Unemployability Supplement.** This is an allowance for the pensioner whose disablement is so severe as to make him unemployable or virtually so. The allowances which a pensioner receives with his disablement pension for a wife and children are also increased when unemployability supplement is awarded.

36.5 **Invalidity Allowance.** This may be paid to a pensioner receiving unemployability supplement and the rate varies according to the age at which unemployability or sickness began.

36.6 **Constant Attendance Allowance.** This allowance is paid to a pensioner who, although he is not in hospital, needs regular personal attendance mainly because of his pensioned disablement. The amount awarded varies according to the extent of the attendance needed.

36.7 Severe Disablement Occupational Allowance. This is paid to a pensioner who is entitled to constant attendance allowance and is severely disabled but nevertheless normally has a gainful occupation.

36.8 Exceptionally Severe Disablement Allowance. This is paid to a pensioner who is receiving constant attendance allowance at a high rate, or would be receiving it if he were not in hospital or a home.

36.9 Allowance for Lowered Standard of Occupation. If a pensioner is unable to follow his pre-service occupation, or one of equivalent standard, and his assessment is less than 100% he can be awarded an allowance for lowered standard of occupation. The amount actually paid is related to the loss of earnings and is subject to a maximum. The allowance and the basic pension together must not exceed the 100% pension rate.

36.10 Age Allowance. This is paid to a pensioner who is aged 65 or over and has a disablement assessed at 40% or more.

36.11 Clothing Allowance. If the disablement causes exceptional wear and tear on clothing, an allowance for this may be paid.

36.12 Comforts Allowance. This is intended for the provision of comforts for a severely disabled pensioner.

36.13 War Widow's Pension. A special temporary allowance, irrespective of the cause of death, is paid for the first 26 weeks of widowhood to the widow of a severely disabled war pensioner who when he died was eligible for either unemployability supplement or constant attendance allowance or both. The allowance is equal to the husband's pension and main allowances (except for any wife's additional allowance payable with unemployability supplement or treatment allowances) and takes the place of any ordinary war widow's pension during the period for which it is paid.

36.14 The standard rate of pension for a war widow whose husband's death was attributable to his disablement or to his service is payable if she has a dependent child of the deceased, or is over age 40, or is incapable of self-support. The rate varies according to the rank of the deceased and allowances are payable for children, including possibly an education allowance.

36.15 Rent Allowance. A war widow with dependent children is eligible for rent allowance if her rent and rates exceed a specified amount.

36.16 Elderly Widow. A war widow receives an additional allowance at age 65 and this is again increased at age 70.

36.17 Parent's or other Dependant's War Pension. This is a pension assessed according to need and intended to replace, subject to a specified maximum, the contribution the deceased might have made towards the maintenance of his parent, or other relative, if he had lived.

36.18 War Orphan's Pension. This is payable for an orphan child and the rate varies according to the rank of the deceased and the age of the child.

36.19 Funeral Grant. When a disablement pensioner dies from his disablement a grant can be paid towards the funeral expenses. The grant is reduced by the amount of any death grant paid under the National Insurance scheme. If the relatives prefer, the Department of Health and Social Security arranges the funeral without cost to them.

40. CONTRIBUTIONS

40.1 Contributions are paid by a person who is insured under the National Insurance scheme and/or the Industrial Injuries scheme. Under the National Insurance scheme a person may be insured as an employed person (class 1), or as a self-employed person (class 2), or as a non-employed person (class 3). The Industrial Injuries scheme applies in general only to employed persons (class 1). In the case of an employed person contributions are paid by the employer as well as by the employee.

40.2 There are two types of contributions, known as flat-rate contributions and graduated contributions. The flat-rate contributions are paid by persons in class 1, 2 or 3, as above, and the rates are given in tables 40.01, 40.02, 40.03. The rates vary according to insurance class, sex, age and whether or not contracted-out (see paragraph 40.5 below). Also a married woman in employment can choose whether to pay the full contribution or a reduced contribution which excludes her share of National Insurance.

40.3 The full flat-rate contributions for an employed person covers National Insurance and Industrial Injuries and also includes amounts collected on behalf of the National Health Service and, in the employer's share, the Redundancy Payments Scheme. The contributions for a self-employed person or a non-employed person cover National Insurance and include an amount for the National Health Service.

40.4 Graduated contributions are payable by a person who is insured as an employed person and is covered by the PAYE income-tax system. They are not payable by a person under age 18 or a person who has been treated as retired for pension purposes. Contributions of the same amount are also paid by the employer. Graduated contributions are collected along with PAYE, quite separately from flat-rate contributions, and they bring entitlement to graduated pension (see paragraph 13.7).

40.5 The rates of graduated contributions are given in table 40.08. The rate depends on the gross pay of the employee and there is a minimum pay level below which contributions are not due and a maximum pay level beyond which contributions do not increase. The rate also varies depending on whether or not the employee is contracted-out. Employees may be contracted-out if they have an occupational pension scheme which achieves certain specified standards, and graduated contributions are then payable only at a low rate. Employees who are not contracted-out pay graduated contributions at the full rate.

40.6 While an insured person is in receipt of sickness benefit or unemployment benefit, or in certain other circumstances, and consequently is not paying contribu-

tions, he is given credits of the appropriate class in order to maintain his flat-rate contribution record. Credits are not given in place of graduated contributions.

APPENDIX 2

LIST OF LEAFLETS ABOUT SOCIAL SECURITY

The list below gives the reference numbers and subjects of explanatory leaflets concerning social security which are published by the Department of Health and Social Security in order to assist claimants, contributors and employers and to give information in answer to enquiries. Most of the leaflets are available at local offices of the Department and copies of individual leaflets as required may be obtained on request. Some of the leaflets are only available at certain offices and this is shown in the list where applicable. In addition, the list of publications given in the last part of Appendix 3 may also be of assistance.

Unemployment Benefit

- NI 12 Unemployment benefit.
- NI 55 Unemployment benefit for seasonal workers.
- NI 155A How your earnings-related benefit is worked out.
- NI 145 Employer's guide to the earnings-related short-term benefit scheme.

Sickness Benefit and Invalidity Benefit

- NI 16/16A Sickness and invalidity benefit.

Attendance Allowance

- NI 197 Attendance allowance: guide for doctors.
- NI 205 Attendance allowance for adults and children.

Maternity Benefit

- NI 17A Maternity benefits.

Death Grant

- NI 49 Death grant.

Guardian's Allowance and Child's Special Allowance

- NI 14 Guardian's allowance.
- NI 93 Child's special allowance.

Widow's Benefit

- NI 13 Widow's benefit under National Insurance.
- NI 13B Lower age limits for widow's pension.

Retirement Pension

- NI 15 Retirement pensions.
- NI 15A Retirement pensions for widows.
- NI 15B Retirement benefits for married women.
- NI 92 Cancelling retirement and earning an increased pension.
- NI 184 Pensions for people over 80.
- NI 105 Retirement pensions, widow's benefits: four weekly and quarterly payments.

Injury Benefit

- NI 5 Injury benefit for accidents at work.
- NI 2 Prescribed industrial diseases.

Industrial Disablement Benefit

- NI 6 Disablement benefit and increases paid with it.
- NI 3 Pneumoconiosis and byssinosis.

Industrial Death Benefit

- NI 10 Industrial death benefit for widows and other dependants.

Workmen's Compensation Supplementation Scheme

- WS 1 Supplements to workmen's compensation.

Pneumoconiosis, Byssinosis and Miscellaneous Diseases Benefit Scheme

- PN 1 Disablement and death benefits for uncompensated cases of pneumoconiosis, byssinosis and miscellaneous diseases.

Family Allowance

- FAM 1 Guide to family allowances.
- FAM 33 Children absent from their families.
- FAM 34 Children over school-leaving age.
- FAM 32 Families entering Great Britain.
- FAM 32A Families leaving Great Britain.
- FAM 1A European Economic Community. Family allowances.

Family Income Supplement

- FIS 1 Family income supplement.

Supplementary benefit

- SB 1 Supplementary pensions and allowances.
 - SL 8 Supplementary allowance for unemployed people.
 - SL 5 Supplementary allowance for women and dependent children.
 - SL 3 Supplementary allowance for handicapped people—information for parents.
 - SL 11 Supplementary benefits—treatment of savings and other capital.
 - SB 2 Supplementary benefits and trade disputes.
- (See also the publications about supplementary benefit referred to in the last part of Appendix 3).

War Pension

(These leaflets can be obtained from War Pension Offices of the Department of Health and Social Security).

- MPL 151/74 Rates from July 1974.
- MPL 150 War disablement—officers.
- MPL 149 War disablement—other ranks and civilians.
- MPL 147 War widows—officers.
- MPL 148 War widows of other ranks and civilians.
- MPL 120 Advice for war pensioners going abroad.
- MPL 110 Treatment allowances for war disabled.
- NI 50 National Insurance. A guide for war pensioners.

Contributions

- NI 208 New National Insurance contributions from 5th August 1974
- NI 32 Agents paid by commission or otherwise.
- NI 209 New rates of Social Security benefits and contributions.

- NI 51C Age-related widows' pensions: the contribution choice.
- NI 33 Caretakers and other persons in charge of premises.
- NI 35 Company directors.
- NI 39 Contract of service.
- R 1 Contracting-out of the graduated pension scheme.
- NI 125 Contributions during training for further employment.
- NI 11 Domestic workers.
- NI 40 Employed persons.
- NI 114 Employer's guide: contracted-out employment.
- NI 20 Employer's guide to flat-rate National Insurance contributions.
- NI 116 Employer's guide to graduated National Insurance contributions.
- NI 36 Employment at places of worship.
- NI 34 Employment in or about places of public entertainment.
- NI 43 Excusals and credits.
- NI 132 Guidance to employers of people working abroad.
- NI 48 Late paid or unpaid contributions: their effect on benefits.
- NI 56 Liability for contributions when credits cannot be given.
- NI 1 Married women.
- NI 62A Occasional employment in agriculture.
- NI 42 Non-employed persons.
- NI 46 Nurses and midwives.
- NI 192 Persons employed through agencies.
- NI 27 Persons with small income.
- NI 24 Seafarers.
- NI 41 Self-employed persons.
- NI 47 Share fishermen.
- NI 25 Shipowners and masters.
- NI 44 Stamp impressing machines.
- NI 22 Stamping and return of contribution cards.
- NI 23 Stamping contribution cards for payment of wages.
- NI 51 Widows. National Insurance guide.
- NI 1B Will you be entitled to maternity allowances?

General and Miscellaneous

- NI 196/74 National Insurance and Industrial Injury Benefit rates from July 1974.
- Family benefits and pensions.
- NI 31 Apprentices.
- NI 29A Leaving school—a guide to National Insurance.
- NI 29 National Insurance for young people.
- NI 30 Students.

- NI 30A Students and National Insurance.
- NI 53 Information for men and women leaving HM Forces.
- NI 9 The effect on benefits of a long stay in hospital.
- NI 95 Women whose marriage is ended by divorce or annulment.
- NI 38 National Insurance for people abroad.
- NP1 Social Security Act 1973: Contributions—First advice to employers.
- PC 11 National Health Service prescription charges. Free prescriptions or refund of charges on income grounds.
- EC 91 National Health Service prescription charges—Exemptions and refunds.
- F 11 Dental and optical charges: how to claim exemption or help.
- W 11 Your right to free milk and vitamins.
- SA 28 Medical treatment for holiday makers and other temporary visitors to countries of the European Economic Community.

Reciprocal Agreements with Other Countries

(These leaflets are obtainable from Overseas Group, Department of Health and Social Security, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, NE98 1YX).

- SA 5 Australia.
- SA 25 Austria.
- SA 10 Belgium.
- SA 23 Bermuda.
- SA 20 Canada.
- SA 12 Cyprus.
- SA 18 Denmark.
- SA 13 Federal Republic of Germany.
- SA 19 Finland.
- SA 1 France.
- SA 21 Irish Republic.
- SA 14 Israel.
- SA 3 Italy.
- SA 27 Jamaica.
- SA 4 Jersey and Guernsey.
- SA 15 Luxembourg.
- SA 11 Malta.
- SA 7 Netherlands.
- SA 8 New Zealand.
- SA 16 Norway.
- SA 9 Sweden.
- SA 6 Switzerland.
- SA 22 Turkey.
- SA 17 Yugoslavia.
- SA 29 Social security arrangements for people moving within the E.E.C.

APPENDIX 3

SOURCES OF STATISTICS

1. The tables given in this publication are, in general, derived from tables which are produced within the Department of Health and Social Security for the purposes of administration. However, some of the tables include statistics produced by other Departments and, where applicable, this is shown at the foot of the table. Thus, for example, the tables in section 46 about Prices and Earnings involve statistics published by the Department of Employment.

2. In the Department of Health and Social Security, the responsibility for social security applies to the whole of Great Britain and so all the statistics given in this publication relate to Great Britain, except in section 50—see below. In some tables statistics are given only for Great Britain as a whole and in others separate figures are given for the English Regions and Wales and Scotland. The Regional analyses are based on the Department's Social Security Administrative Regions or on Standard Regions, as indicated at the foot of the table. These Regions are described in Appendix 4.

3. In Northern Ireland, the Ministry of Health and Social Services is responsible for social security. A selection of tables representing combined figures for the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland is given in section 50.

4. The following abbreviations are used in the tables:—

- Number nil or negligible
- .. Not available
- . Not applicable

Notes on Samples

5. In each table, the size of the sample or count on which the statistics are based is given at the foot of the table. Further general notes about the most common samples used for the various sections are given below.

1. Unemployment benefit. Statistics are based on 100 per cent counts taken on certain dates, and on detailed returns for 5 per cent samples of current beneficiaries taken on two occasions each year. The sample covers persons whose National Insurance number ends in the digits 04, 24, 44, 64, 84.

3. Sickness benefit and 4. Invalidity benefit. A 100 per cent count is made of claims. Detailed analyses are based on a 2½ per cent sample consisting of beneficiaries whose National Insurance number ends in the digit 4 with the suffix B. The following groups are excluded:—

- (a) Men aged 65–69 and women aged 60–64 who are retirement pensioners; and all men over age 70 and women over age 65.
- (b) Members of the Armed Forces.
- (c) Mariners while at sea.
- (d) Most non-industrial civil servants and Post Office employees (who do not normally claim sickness benefit until an illness has lasted six months).
- (e) Married women and certain widows who have chosen not to be insured for sickness benefit (about three-quarters of all married women in employment choose not to pay flat-rate contributions).

Short spells of illness lasting less than four days may not be reported to the Department because they would generally count as "waiting days" for which benefit would not be paid.

The population at risk means the number of men and women who, if they were incapacitated, would be able to qualify for benefit or credits and this is estimated from a ½ per cent sample of insured persons. The groups listed above are excluded.

5. Attendance allowance. Statistics are based on a 100 per cent collection.

7. Maternity benefit. Statistics are now based on a 2½ per cent sample taken from payment orders. They were formerly based on a 1 in 24 sample.

8. Death grant. Statistics are now based on a 5 per cent sample for claims paid at the maximum rate, and on a 10 per cent sample for claims paid at lower rates. The sample is taken from payment orders. Statistics were formerly based on a 1 in 12 sample.

9. Guardian's allowance and child's special allowance. Statistics are based on a 100 per cent collection.

11. Widow's benefit. Statistics are based on a combination of samples:—

- (a) A 10 per cent sample of widow beneficiaries whose payment order books are issued by ADP, consisting of beneficiaries whose pension number ends in the digit 4. Nearly all widow beneficiaries are paid by ADP.
- (b) The small group of widow beneficiaries whose payments are issued by other methods are covered by a 1 per cent sample.

13. Retirement pension. Statistics from 1971 onwards are based on a combination of samples:—

- (a) A 10 per cent sample of retirement pensioners whose payment order books are issued by ADP. The sample consists of pensioners whose pension number ends in the digit 4. This covers about three-quarters of the total.
- (b) A sample of about 1 in 160 retirement pensioners who are in receipt of supplementary pension and who are paid by a combined order book, covering both retirement pension and supplementary pension, issued by local offices. About one-fifth of retirement pensioners are paid by this method.
- (c) A 1 per cent sample of the remaining retirement pensioners whose payments are issued by other methods.

In 1970 and 1969 statistics were based on a 2 per cent sample. In 1968 and earlier years the sample was 5 per cent.

20. Injury benefit. Analyses are based on samples collected in the same way as for sickness benefit and invalidity benefit. Groups (b), (c) and (d) in the paragraph about sickness benefit and invalidity benefit, are also excluded from injury benefit. Self-employed persons are also excluded as they are not insured for industrial injury.

21. Industrial disablement benefit. Statistics are based on a 10 per cent sample consisting of disablement beneficiaries whose National Insurance number ends in the digit 4.

22. Industrial death benefit. Statistics are based on a 100 per cent collection.

23. Workmen's compensation supplementation scheme. Statistics are based on a 100 per cent collection.

24. Pneumoconiosis, byssinosis and miscellaneous diseases benefit scheme. Statistics are based on a 100 per cent collection.

30. Family allowance. Statistics are based on a 4 per cent sample consisting of beneficiaries whose family allowance number ends in the digits 17, 37, 67 and 87.

32. Family income supplement. Statistics are based on a 20 per cent sample consisting of beneficiaries whose National Insurance number ends in the digit 4 or 8. From January 1974 the sample has been reduced to 10 per cent consisting of beneficiaries whose national insurance number ends in the digit 4.

34. Supplementary benefit. Statistics are derived from three main sources:—

- (a) 100 per cent counts of claims, decisions, etc. maintained in local offices and summarised monthly.
- (b) 100 per cent counts each quarter of beneficiaries receiving supplementary allowance or pension.
- (c) Detailed analysis each year in November of a sample of 1 in 40 beneficiaries in receipt of supplementary allowance and 1 in 160 beneficiaries receiving supplementary pension.

36. War pension. Statistics are based on a 100 per cent collection.

40. Contributions. Statistics are based on a 2 per cent sample consisting of contributors whose National Insurance number ends in the digits 14 or 84.

Sampling Error

6. As the majority of statistics shown in this publication are based on samples, the figures are subject to sampling error. The customary method of measuring this is first to calculate the standard error associated with an estimate based on a sample. The standard error of the estimated number with a particular characteristic is obtained from the formula $g\sqrt{npq}$, where n is the size of the sample, p is the proportion with the characteristic, $q = (1 - p)$ and g is the grossing-up factor for the sample, that is, the reciprocal of the sampling fraction. The estimated number in the population with a particular characteristic is equal to gnp and, in the case of large samples, there is a 1 in 20 chance that this will differ from the true value by more than $1.96 g\sqrt{npq}$. The limits $\pm 1.96 g\sqrt{npq}$ are usually referred to as the 95 per cent confidence limits of the population estimate. When the number in the sample is small, that is $np < 15$, the calculation of the 95 per cent confidence limits is slightly more complicated.

7. In the following table, specimen sample numbers of beneficiaries are shown and the range within which it is expected with 95 per cent confidence the number of beneficiaries will lie. To use this table the figures shown have to be grossed up by the factor g , which is the ratio of the target population to the sample size as indicated at the foot of the table giving the statistics. Where the sample size is expressed as a percentage the factor g is the ratio of 100 to the percentage sample size. For example, if the sample size is 2½ per cent the factor g is 40.

8. This table is appropriate to samples with a large value of n and small values of p in which case the value \sqrt{npq} is approximately equal to the square root of the number of cases in the sample. This applies to the majority of the samples. The main exceptions are supplementary benefit, retirement pension, maternity benefit and death grant and in these cases for the larger values of np the ranges will be slightly more approximate.

9. The above method of estimation of the standard error associated with numbers of beneficiaries is not appropriate to the estimation of the sampling error associated

Number of beneficiaries in the sample with a particular characteristic (np)	Sample standard error	Range within which it is expected with 95 per cent confidence the number of beneficiaries will lie	
		Lower limit	Upper limit
0	0	0	4
5	2.2	2	12
10	3.2	5	18
25	5.0	15	35
50	7.1	36	64
100	10	80	120
250	16	219	281
500	22	456	544
1,000	32	938	1,062
2,500	50	2,402	2,598
5,000	71	4,861	5,139
10,000	100	9,804	10,196
25,000	158	24,690	25,310
50,000	224	49,562	50,438

with averages such as average weekly rate of allowances. The standard errors of such figures are dependent not only on the size of the sample but also on the variability of the values averaged.

Publications

10. A list is given below of official publications which are obtainable from H.M.S.O. and which include among their contents some information or statistics about social security, or have a related interest.

Department of Health and Social Security Annual Report. This gives an account each year of the work of the Department and of changes in legislation.

Report on War Pensioners. This is an annual publication for the Department of Health and Social Security dealing in detail with war pensioners.

Accounts of the National Insurance Fund, the National Insurance (Reserve) Fund and the Industrial Injuries Fund for the year; together with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon. This is published for each financial year.

Health and Personal Social Services Statistics. This is an annual publication for the Department of Health and Social Security which gives comprehensive statistics about the medical services, hospitals, health and welfare services.

On the State of the Public Health. This is the annual report of the Chief Medical Officer of the Department of Health and Social Security and includes some statistics about sickness benefit and causes of incapacity; attendance allowance; injury benefit; disablement benefit; prescribed diseases.

Social Trends. This is an annual publication of the Central Statistical Office and includes various tables involving the main National Insurance and Industrial Injury benefits; supplementary benefit; family allowance; family income supplement; attendance allowance; certified incapacity.

Annual Abstract of Statistics. This publication for the Central Statistical Office contains a section about social security which includes a selection of tables referring to the National Insurance and Industrial Injuries Funds; NI and II contributors; NI and II beneficiaries; retirement pensioners by age; NI contribution rates and rates of benefit; family allowances; family income supplement; supplementary pensions and allowances; war pensions; days of incapacity for sickness benefit.

Monthly Digest of Statistics. This publication for the Central Statistical Office contains a section giving tables about National Insurance benefits; family allowances; family income supplement; attendance allowance; supplementary pensions and allowances.

Abstract of Regional Statistics. This annual publication for the Central Statistical Office gives various analyses by Regions covering the estimated expenditure on the main benefits; sickness benefit claims and days of incapacity; supplementary benefit; earnings of insured contributors in employment.

Digest of Welsh Statistics. This is published annually for the Welsh Office and contains tables giving figures for Wales about sickness and invalidity benefit; injury

benefit; unemployment benefit; retirement pensions; war pensions; widow's benefit and guardian's allowance; industrial disablement pension; supplementary benefit; family allowances.

Scottish Abstract of Statistics. This is published annually for the Scottish Office and includes tables giving figures for Scotland about sickness and invalidity benefit; injury benefit; disablement benefit; maternity benefit; unemployment benefit; retirement pension; widow's benefit; family allowance; supplementary benefit; war pensions; earnings of insured contributors in employment.

Digest of Statistics Northern Ireland. This is an annual publication for the Departments of the Government of Northern Ireland and includes tables giving figures for Northern Ireland for family allowances; supplementary pensions and allowances; sickness benefit and injury benefit; retirement pensions and widow's benefit.

Digest of Pneumoconiosis Statistics. This is an annual publication for the Department of Trade and Industry and deals with medical boards for pneumoconiosis; industries involving the disease; deaths; disablement benefit.

Registrar General's Quarterly Return for England and Wales. This is published for the Office of Population Censuses and Surveys and includes a table showing the number of people absent from work for certified sickness or industrial injury or disease, analysed by Regions.

Registrar General's Weekly Return for England and Wales. This is published for the Office of Population Censuses and Surveys and includes a table showing the number of new claims for sickness benefit and injury benefit, analysed by Regions.

Quarterly Return of the Registrar General Scotland. This includes a reference to the number of new claims for sickness benefit in Scotland each quarter.

Weekly Return of the Registrar General Scotland. This includes the number of new claims for sickness benefit each week in Scotland.

Handbook for Industrial Injuries Medical Boards, including Supplements No.1 and 2. This was published for the Department of Health and Social Security and is a guide to members of medical boards.

Notes of the diagnosis of occupational diseases. This deals with diseases prescribed under the Industrial Injuries Act, other than pneumoconiosis and allied occupational chest diseases. First published in 1950; fifth edition in 1972.

Administration of the Wage Stop. Report by the Supplementary Benefits Commission to the Minister of Social Security. Published in 1967 and reprinted in 1972.

Supplementary Benefits Handbook. This was published for the Supplementary Benefits Commission and the Department of Health and Social Security and explains the provisions for supplementary benefit. First published in 1970; third edition published in November 1972.

Cohabitation. The Administration of the Relevant Provisions of the Ministry of Social Security Act 1966. Report by the Supplementary Benefits Commission to the Secretary of State for Social Services. Published in 1971.

Two-Parent Families: A Study of their resources and needs in 1968, 1969 and 1970. Department of Health and Social Security Statistical Report Series No. 14. Published in 1971.

Occupational Pensions Schemes 1971. Fourth Survey by the Government Actuary. Published in 1972.

Families receiving Supplementary Benefit: A study comparing the circumstances of some fatherless families and families of the long-term sick and unemployed. Department of Health and Social Security Statistical and Research Report Series No. 1. Published in 1972.

Office of Population Censuses and Surveys. Social Survey Division. Handicapped and Impaired in Great Britain – and enquiry in three parts.

Part I. Handicapped and Impaired in Great Britain. Published in 1971.

Part II. Work and Housing of Impaired persons in Great Britain. Published in 1971.

Part III. Income and Entitlement to Supplementary Benefit of Impaired People in Great Britain. Published in 1972.

Report of the Committee on Abuse of Social Security Benefits. Cmnd 5228. The "Fisher Report". Published in 1973.

Exceptional Needs Payments. Report by the Supplementary Benefits Commission on the administration of section 7 of the Ministry of Social Security Act 1966. Published in 1973.

Training of staff. This describes the training which is given to staff dealing with supplementary benefit. Published in 1973.

Office of Population Censuses and Surveys. Social Survey Division. Families and their needs with particular reference to one-parent families. Two volumes. Published in 1973.

Report of the Committee on One-Parent Families. Cmnd 5629. Two volumes. The "Finer Report". Published in 1974.

National Superannuation and Social Insurance. Proposals for Earnings-Related Social Security. Cmnd 3883. Published in 1969. This explains the proposals of the Labour Government at that time for a system of earnings-related pensions and other benefits.

Social Insurance. Proposals for Earnings-Related Short-Term and Invalidity Benefits. Cmnd 4124. Published in 1969.

National Superannuation. Terms for partial contracting out of the National Superannuation Scheme. Cmnd 4195. Published in 1969.

Explanatory Memorandum on the National Superannuation and Social Insurance Bill 1969. Cmnd 4222. Published in 1969. This explains the provisions of the Bill following the proposals in the Papers referred to above. The Labour Government ended in 1970 before the Bill could be enacted.

National Superannuation and Social Insurance Bill 1969. Report by the Government Actuary on the Financial Provisions of the Bill. Cmnd 4223. Published in 1969.

Strategy for Pensions. The Future Development of State and Occupational Provision. Cmnd. 4755. Published in 1971. This explains the proposals of the Conservative Government at that time for a new system for pensions.

Explanatory Memorandum on the Social Security Bill 1972. Cmnd 5142. Published in 1972. This explains the main provisions of the Bill following the proposals in "Strategy for Pensions" referred to above. The Bill was enacted but the Reserve Pension Scheme and the arrangements for contracting-out for recognised occupational pension schemes were withheld from operation by the subsequent Labour Government in 1974.

Social Security Bill 1972. Report by the Government Actuary on the Financial Provisions of the Bill relating to Great Britain. Cmnd 5143. Published in 1972.

Proposals for a Tax-Credit System. Cmnd 5116. Published in 1972. This explains the proposals of the Conservative Government at that time to reform personal tax collection and to improve income support for poor people.

APPENDIX 4

DESCRIPTION OF REGIONS UP TO 31 MARCH 1974

SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATIVE REGIONS

NORTHERN

- Cumberland — except those Parishes of Millom Rural District covered by North Western, Merseyside
- Durham
- Northumberland
- Westmorland
- Yorkshire North Riding — except those areas covered by Yorkshire and Humberside
- Yorkshire West Riding — only Sedburgh Rural District

YORKSHIRE AND HUMBERSIDE

- Derbyshire — only the Parishes of Hope Woodlands, Derwent, Bamford, Thornhill, Aston, Hope, Castleton, Edale, Brough and Shatton in the Chapel en le Frith Rural District of the High Peak, and the Parishes of Outseats, Offerton, Hathersage, Nether Padley, Eyam Woodlands, Highlow, Abney and Abney Grange and Bradwell in the Bakewell Rural District
- Lincolnshire — only the area of the Parts of Lindsey north of and including Mablethorpe and Sutton Urban District and the Rural Districts of Louth, Caistor and Gainsborough
- Nottinghamshire — only the Parish of Harworth in the Worksop Rural District, and the Parishes of Finningley and Misson in the East Retford Rural District
- Yorkshire East Riding
- Yorkshire North Riding — only the Urban District of Malton, the Rural Districts of Easingwold, Flaxton, Malton and Wath, and the detached part of Thirsk Rural District
- Yorkshire West Riding — except those areas covered by Northern and North Western, Manchester

EAST MIDLANDS AND EAST ANGLIA

- Cambridgeshire and Isle of Ely
- Derbyshire — except those areas covered by Yorkshire and Humberside, North Western, Manchester, and West Midlands
- Huntingdonshire and Peterborough
- Leicestershire
- Lincolnshire — except the northern area of the Parts of Lindsey covered by Yorkshire and Humberside
- Norfolk
- Northamptonshire — except the area covered by London West
- Nottinghamshire — except the area covered by Yorkshire and Humberside
- Rutland
- Suffolk

LONDON NORTH

- Bedfordshire
- Essex
- Greater London — only the Boroughs of Barking, Barnet, Enfield, Hackney, Haringey, Havering, Islington, Newham, Redbridge, Tower Hamlets, Waltham Forest
- Hertfordshire

LONDON SOUTH

- Greater London — only the Boroughs of Bexley, Bromley, Croydon, Greenwich, Kingston-upon-Thames, Lambeth, Lewisham, Merton, Southwark, Sutton, Wandsworth
- Kent
- Surrey — except the area covered by London West
- Sussex

LONDON WEST

- Berkshire
- Buckinghamshire
- Greater London — only the Boroughs of Brent, Camden, City of London, City of Westminster, Ealing, Harrow, Hammersmith, Hillingdon, Hounslow, Kensington and Chelsea, Richmond-upon-Thames
- Hampshire
- Isle of Wight
- Northamptonshire — only the Brackley Rural District, Brackley Municipal Borough and the Parishes of Yardley Gobion, Cosgrove, Putterspury, Old Stratford, Deanshanger and Wicken in Towcester Rural District
- Oxfordshire
- Surrey — only the Urban Districts of Farnham, Staines, Sunbury-on-Thames, Frimley and Camberley and the Parishes of Ash, Seale and Tongham in Guildford Rural District

SOUTH WESTERN

- Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly
- Devon
- Dorset
- Gloucestershire
- Somerset
- Wiltshire

WEST MIDLANDS

- Derbyshire — only the Urban District of Repton and Swadlincote
- Herefordshire
- Shropshire
- Staffordshire
- Warwickshire
- Worcestershire

NORTH WESTERN, MANCHESTER

- Cheshire — only the area east of a line drawn from north to south including the Rural Districts of Bucklow and Macclesfield and Congleton Municipal Borough
- Derbyshire — only the following areas in the High Peak District; Buxton and Glossop Municipal Boroughs, New Mills and Whaley Bridge Urban Districts and the parishes of Wormhill, Green Fairfield, King Sterndale, Hartington Upper Quarter, Charlesworth, Chisworth, Hayfield, Chinley, Buxworth and Brownside, Chapel en le Frith, Peak Forest in the Chapel en le Frith Rural District
- Lancashire — only the area east of a line drawn from north to south including Blackburn Rural District, The Urban Districts of Withnell, Turton, Horwich, Blackrod and Westhoughton, Leigh Municipal Borough and The Urban Districts of Golborne and Irlam
- Yorkshire West Riding — only Bowland Rural District and Saddleworth Urban District

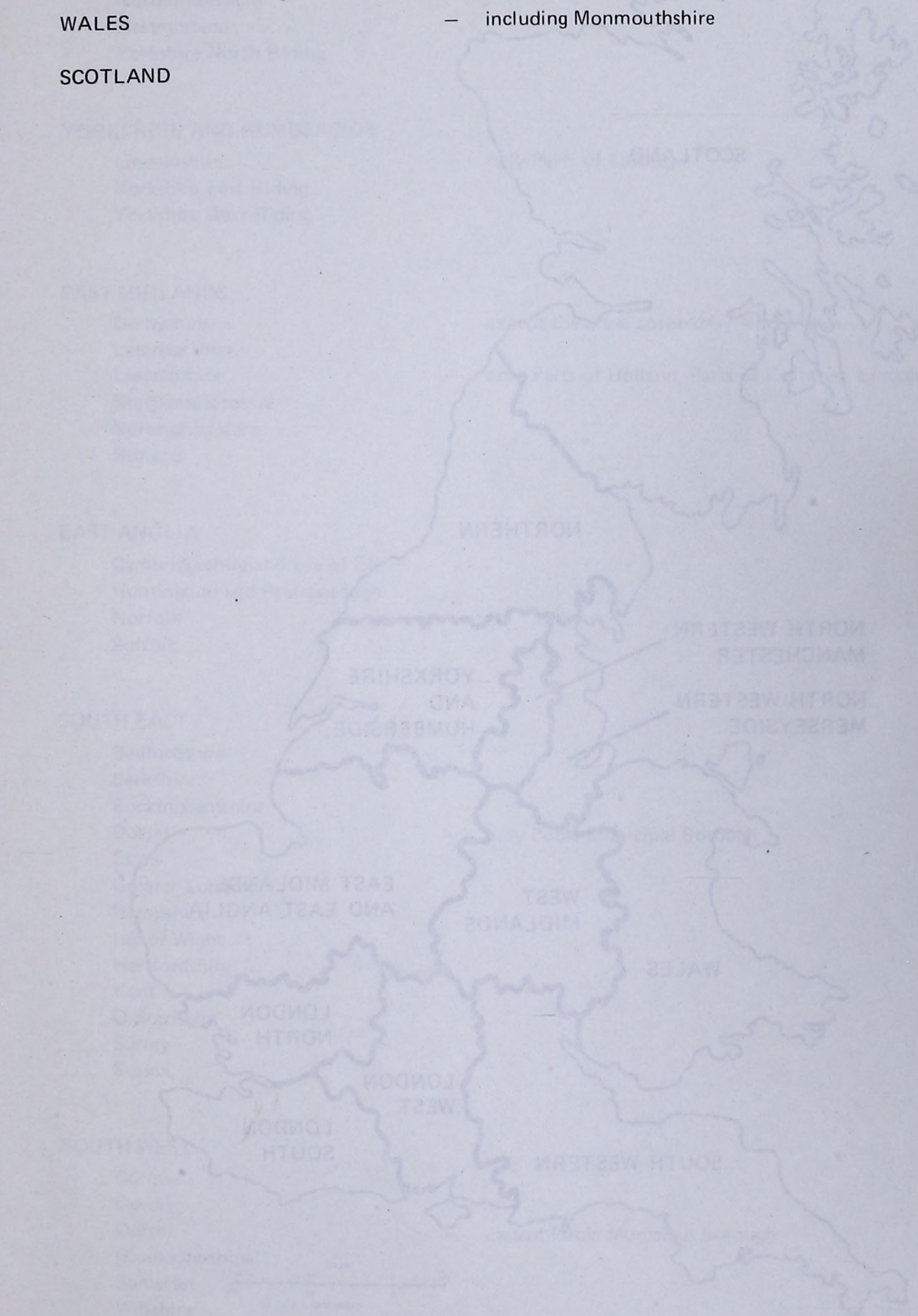
NORTH WESTERN, MERSEYSIDE

- Cumberland — only the parishes of Ulpha, Whicham, Millom Without and Millom, in the Millom Rural District
- Cheshire — only the area west of the area covered by North Western, Manchester
- Lancashire — only the area west of the area covered by North Western, Manchester

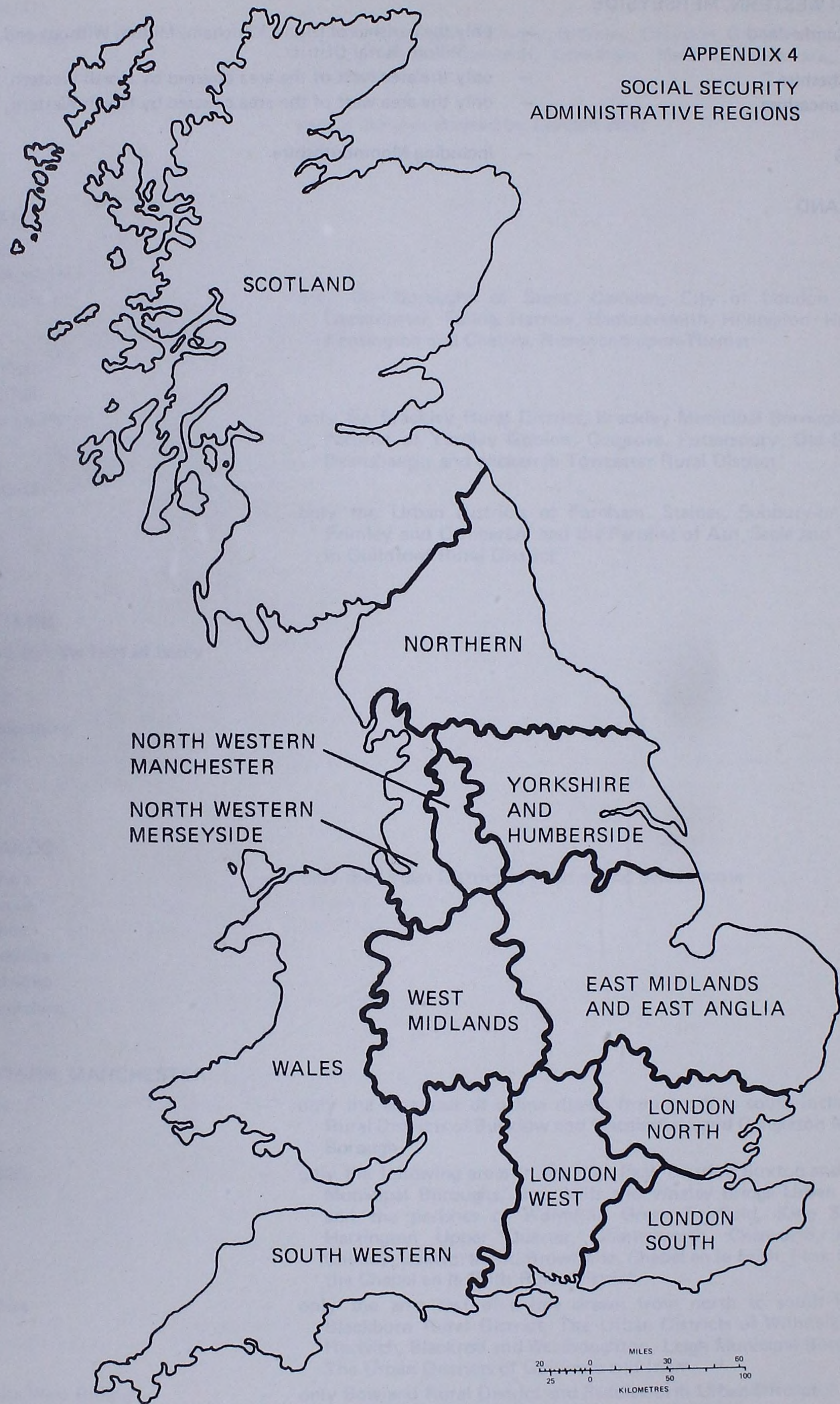
WALES

- including Monmouthshire

SCOTLAND



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SOCIAL SECURITY
ADMINISTRATIVE REGIONS



STANDARD REGIONS UP TO 31 MARCH 1974

NORTH

Cumberland
Durham
Northumberland
Westmorland
Yorkshire North Riding

YORKSHIRE AND HUMBERSIDE

Lincolnshire — only Parts of Lindsey
Yorkshire East Riding
Yorkshire West Riding

EAST MIDLANDS

Derbyshire — except the areas covered by North West
Leicestershire
Lincolnshire — only Parts of Holland, Parts of Kesteven, Lincoln County Borough
Northamptonshire
Nottinghamshire
Rutland

EAST ANGLIA

Cambridgeshire and Isle of Ely
Huntingdon and Peterborough
Norfolk
Suffolk

SOUTH EAST

Bedfordshire
Berkshire
Buckinghamshire
Dorset — only Poole Municipal Borough
Essex
Greater London
Hampshire
Isle of Wight
Hertfordshire
Kent
Oxfordshire
Surrey
Sussex

SOUTH WEST

Cornwall
Devon
Dorset — except Poole Municipal Borough
Gloucestershire
Somerset
Wiltshire

WEST MIDLANDS

- Herefordshire
- Shropshire
- Staffordshire
- Warwickshire
- Worcestershire

NORTH WEST

- Cheshire
- Derbyshire

— only Buxton Municipal Borough, Glossop Municipal Borough, New Mills Urban District, Whaley Bridge Urban District, Chapel en le Frith Rural District

Lancashire

WALES

— including Monmouthshire

SCOTLAND

APPENDIX 4
STANDARD REGIONS

