

OLD AGE SECURITY

Type of benefit	January to March 2006		October 2005	
	Maximum rate	Income level cut-off	Number of benefits	Amount paid
Old Age Security pension	\$ 484.63	\$ <i>n.a.</i>	# 4,193,190	\$ M 1,914.9
Guaranteed Income Supplement				
• Single	593.97	14,256	933,028	363.2
• Spouse/Common-law partner of				
• a non-pensioner	593.97	34,368	80,524	31.2
• a pensioner	389.67	18,720	447,670	107.1
• an Allowance recipient	389.67	34,368*	62,388	19.7
Total			1,523,610	521.2
The Allowance				
• Regular	874.30	26,496	62,382	20.8
• Survivor	967.24	19,368	29,823	15.7
Total			92,205	36.5

* The Allowance stops being paid at \$26,496 while the GIS stops being paid at \$34,368
OAS pension repayment level in 2006 from \$62,144 to \$100,914

SELECTED FIGURES (2006)

	<u>CPP</u>	<u>QPP</u>
Year's Maximum Pensionable Earnings (YMPE)	\$ 42,100.00	\$ 42,100.00
Year's Basic Exemption	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 3,500.00
Employee/employer maximum contribution (4.95%)	\$ 1,910.70	\$ 1,910.70
Self-employed maximum contribution (9.9%)	\$ 3,821.40	\$ 3,821.40
Account balance (September 2005)	\$ 89,263 M	\$ 26,070 M
Contributions (2004-2005)	\$ 33,136 M	\$ 8,461 M
Number of contributors 2003	11.4 M	3.6 M
Indexation rate (January 2006)	2.3 %	2.3 %

FORECAST EXPENDITURES 2005-2006

(Expenditures millions \$)

<u>OAS</u>	<u>GIS</u>	<u>ALLOWANCE</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>CPP</u>	<u>QPP</u>
23,044	6,221	451	29,716	24,868	7,968

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