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6.1 Senior citizens benefits, recipients and federal payments,¹ selected years²

Province or territory	Old age security (OAS) average number of recipients					
	1967	1972	1977	1980	1981	1982
Newfoundland	21,876	32,464	37,129	41,493	42,959	44,206
Prince Edward Island	9,086	12,361	13,314	14,337	14,626	14,850
Nova Scotia	51,393	72,501	80,522	87,905	90,689	92,959
New Brunswick	38,047	54,557	61,045	66,972	69,262	71,075
Quebec	253,590	416,690	485,942	534,105	553,181	570,221
Ontario	417,800	642,960	728,659	812,279	834,312	857,468
Manitoba	67,338	96,409	106,574	115,587	119,251	121,716
Saskatchewan	67,905	94,579	102,708	110,534	113,382	116,184
Alberta	76,860	118,060	135,355	149,539	154,921	159,472
British Columbia	139,100	203,590	235,727	266,783	281,018	291,172
Yukon	305	502	576	677	689	704
Northwest Territories	513	848	1,071	1,193	1,205	1,249
Canada	1,143,800	1,745,500	1,988,606	2,201,497	2,276,159	2,342,480
	OAS federal payments (\$'000,000)					
	1967	1972	1977	1980	1981	1982
Newfoundland	19.7	31.2	61.9	88.3	100.3	115.9
Prince Edward Island	8.2	11.9	22.1	30.5	34.2	38.9
Nova Scotia	46.5	69.5	134.2	186.9	211.9	243.7
New Brunswick	34.4	53.0	103.5	143.0	162.1	186.6
Quebec	228.8	398.4	808.0	1,136.6	1,295.9	1,499.2
Ontario	377.6	620.9	1,215.4	1,723.5	1,950.1	2,245.0
Manitoba	60.8	92.3	177.8	245.5	277.6	318.2
Saskatchewan	61.5	91.9	172.0	234.8	264.7	304.4
Alberta	69.5	112.8	226.9	318.4	362.6	419.1
British Columbia	125.6	196.0	394.0	567.3	657.0	762.6
Yukon	0.3	0.5	1.0	1.5	1.6	1.9
Northwest Territories	0.5	0.8	1.9	2.6	2.9	3.5
Canada	1,033.4	1,679.3	3,318.9	4,679.0	5,322.1	6,140.6
	Guaranteed income supplement (GIS) average number of recipients					
	1967	1972	1977	1980	1981	1982
Newfoundland	18,037	27,312	30,250	33,422	34,634	35,785
Prince Edward Island	6,444	9,469	9,884	10,303	10,495	10,671
Nova Scotia	30,613	48,469	53,388	57,506	59,437	61,165
New Brunswick	21,937	36,712	39,684	44,253	45,716	47,067
Quebec	136,306	254,490	303,101	336,012	347,899	359,966
Ontario	128,639	302,720	336,231	358,174	367,523	377,960
Manitoba	35,633	56,784	61,658	63,353	64,276	65,304
Saskatchewan	33,132	55,905	56,237	59,229	60,069	60,813
Alberta	36,526	68,540	77,196	79,890	81,068	81,270
British Columbia	57,922	106,190	121,766	128,839	131,922	133,141
Yukon	26	306	325	361	349	346
Northwest Territories	25	732	815	947	929	944
Canada	505,240	967,620	1,090,534	1,172,289	1,204,594	1,234,823