

# **War Pensions Quarterly Statistics**

## **December 2005**

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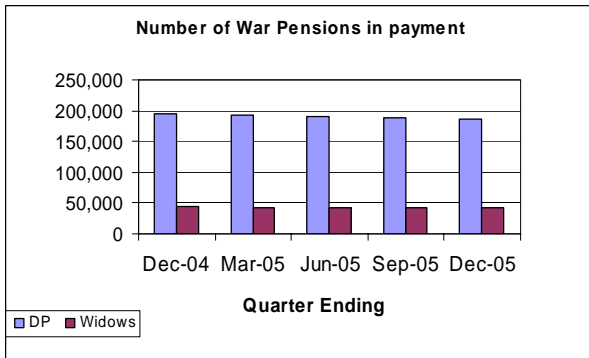
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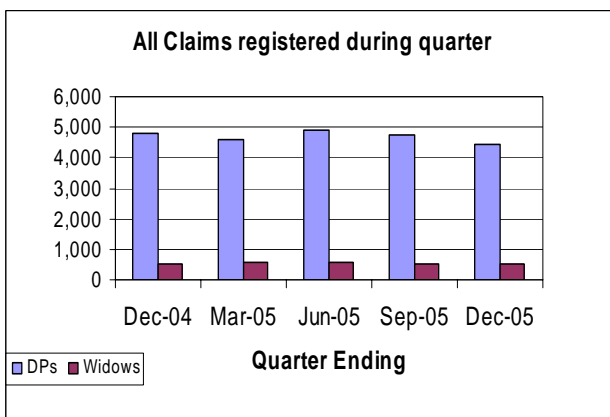
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## Main Findings

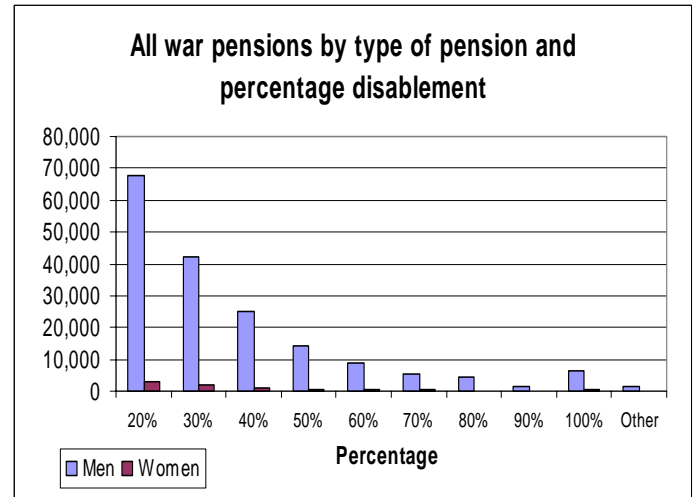
- The number of War Disablement Pensions in payment fell between the end of December 2004 and the end of December 2005, reducing from 195 thousand to 186 thousand. The number of War Widow(er)s also fell over the period from 44 to 41 thousand.



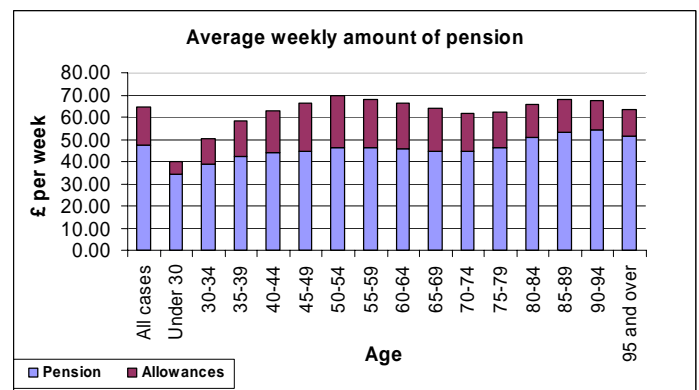
- The number of Disablement Pensioner first claims registered fell from 1,515 in the fourth quarter of 2004 to 1,475 in the fourth quarter of 2005 whereas the number of deterioration claims fell from 1,130 to 1,120 over the same period. The number of claims from widow(er)s decreased from 520 in quarter 4 of 2004 to 510 in quarter 4 of 2005.



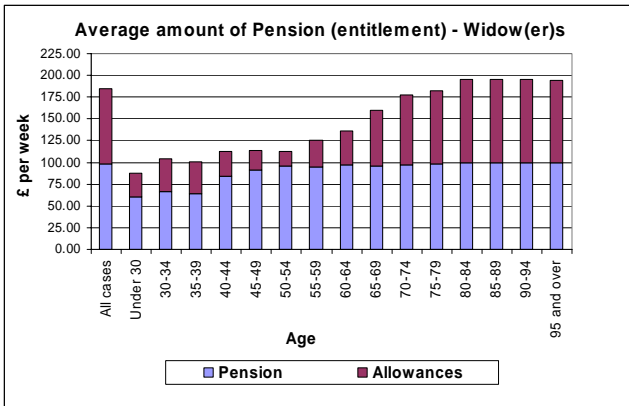
- Approximately 5 out of 6 Disablement Pensioners have pensions awarded at the 50% rate or less. The largest group are those at the 20% rate. Approximately 4% receive the 100% disablement rate.



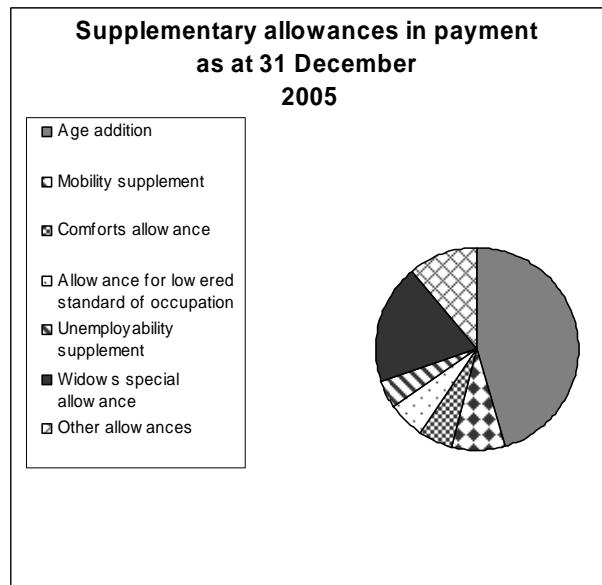
- The overall average weekly amount of war disablement pension and associated supplementary allowances is £64.51.



- The average weekly amount received by widow(er)s is £184.84. The actual War Widow(er)s portion of the pension makes up just over half the total, with the remainder being made up of Supplementary Allowances.



206 thousand at the end of December 2004 to 195 thousand by the end of December 2005. Age additions represented 46% of the allowances in payment in December 2005. Allowances for Widows Special Allowance (SPAL), Mobility Supplement (WPMS), Allowance for Lowered Standard of Occupation (ALSO), Comforts Allowance (COMF) and Unemployability Supplement (UNSUPP and Modified UNSUPP) represented the next most prolific allowances in payment.



- As the number of pensioners has reduced, so has the number of allowances in payment, falling from

## **Introduction**

Pensions, allowances or other payments may be awarded where disablement or death is a result of service in HM Forces, or of an injury sustained as a result of war-time service in the Naval Auxiliary Service, or the Mercantile Marine. Awards may also be made in respect of service in the Polish Forces under British command during World War Two. Whilst most payments are made to people living in Great Britain some recipients are from overseas.

Pensions, allowances or other payments may also be awarded where the disablement or death of a civilian or a member of a Civil defence organisation is the direct result of an injury sustained as a result of enemy action in World War Two.

### **Age Allowance**

This may be paid to a war disablement pensioner (man or woman) who is aged 65 or over and whose disablement is assessed at 40% or more.

### **Allowance for Lowered Standard of Occupation (ALSO)**

This may be paid if a pensioner's earning capacity is reduced because their pensioned disablement permanently prevents them following their regular occupation. To gain entitlement new claimants must be under age 65, with a service disablement of at least 40% when they make their claim. This allowance plus their basic War Disablement Pension cannot exceed the 100% disablement pension rate.

### **Clothing Allowance**

This may be paid if the disablement causes exceptional wear and tear on clothing.

### **Comforts Allowance (COMF)**

This may be paid to a severely disabled pensioner who is receiving Constant Attendance Allowance or Unemployability Supplement or both. It is intended to help with the extra expenses associated with severe disablement.

### **Constant Attendance Allowance (CAA)**

This may be paid to a pensioner who needs regular personal attention because of their pensioned disablement and that disablement is assessed at 80% or more. It is payable at one of four rates. The rate varies according to the level of attendance they need.

### **Disablement Pension (DP)**

This is paid at a rate which varies according to the degree of disablement. The degree of disablement is assessed on a percentage basis by the War Pension Agency medical advisors.

### **Elderly Widow's Age Allowance**

A war widow may receive an additional allowance at age 65 which is increased at age 70 and again at age 80.

**Exceptionally Severe Disablement Allowance (ESDA)**

This may be paid to a pensioner who is receiving Constant Attendance Allowance at one of the two highest rates, or would be receiving it if they were not in hospital.

**Funeral Expenses (FE)**

Funeral expenses may be paid if the pensioner died as a result of his service disablement, or died while having treatment for that disablement in hospital, or was entitled to Constant Attendance Allowance, or was at the time of his death 80% or more disabled and receiving Unemployability Supplement.

**Invalidity Allowance (IVA)**

This may be paid to a pensioner receiving Unemployability Supplement. The rate varies according to the age at which unemployability began.

**Modified Over Age Infirm Allowance (MOIA)**

Compensation/Allowances (including that paid to children living in the Irish Republic or Overseas) due to infirmity are taken into account when calculating an award of OAIA and adjustments are made if necessary. (See OAIA below)

**Modified Unemployability Supplement (MSUP)**

The basic conditions of eligibility to UNSUPP for a pensioner living abroad (including the Irish Republic and the Channel Islands) are the same as for the UK, however, if they become eligible for Retirement Pension or other benefit payable out of the public funds of that country then UNSUPP may be adjusted with that benefit, or paid at a nominal rate to allow continued payment of comforts allowance.

**Orphan's Pension**

This may be payable to a child who has lost both parents.

**Over Age Infirm Allowance (OAIA)**

Over Age Infirm Allowance for children of deceased pensioners unable to support themselves dates back to the 1914 War. The allowance can be awarded or continued beyond the normal age limits on the grounds of infirmity if the ailment is of a nature which is likely to prevent the person from earning a living either permanently or for a prolonged period and infirmity commenced before age 16. The person is still referred to as a child even though they may be quite elderly.

**Rent Allowance (RENT)**

A war widow with a child or children may be eligible for a rent allowance.

**Severe Disablement Occupational Allowance (SDOA)**

This may be paid to a pensioner who is entitled to Constant Attendance Allowance at one of the two highest rates, but who still normally has a gainful occupation.

**Temporary Allowance for Widows (TAW)**

This may be paid to a widow, irrespective of the cause of her husband's death, if he was awarded Unemployability Supplement or Constant Attendance Allowance or both. The allowance is approximately equal to the disablement pension and allowances paid to her late husband. It is paid for the first 26 weeks of widowhood.

**Treatment Allowance (TA)**

This is equivalent to a disablement pension paid at the 100% rate. It may be paid instead of a disablement pension to a pensioner who incurs a loss of earnings as a result of receiving treatment for their pensioned disablement.

**Unemployability Supplement (UNSUPP)**

This may be paid to a pensioner who is unemployable or virtually unemployable as a result of the war pensioned disablement. To gain entitlement, new claimants must be under age 65, with a pensioned disablement assessed at 60% or more when they make their claim. Additional allowances may be paid for a spouse and a child or children.

**War Pensioner's Mobility Supplement (WPMS)**

This is intended to help with the mobility costs of a pensioner who is unable to walk, or virtually unable to walk. New claimants must have a service disablement of at least 40%. It is paid to double amputees and to those pensioners who need help getting about because they are both deaf and blind as a result of their pensioned disablement.

**War Widow's Pension (WWP)**

The standard rate of pension may be paid if the widow has a dependant child, or is over 40, or is incapable of self-support.

The lower rate is paid to childless widows under the age of 40. If the husband was receiving Constant Attendance Allowance, or at the time of his death was 80% or more disabled and receiving Unemployability Supplement, a War Widows Pension is awarded automatically irrespective of the cause of death.

**War Widow's Special Allowance**

This is a Supplementary Pension payable to "pre-1973 war widows" (the widows of servicemen who died or left the services before 31<sup>st</sup> March 1973, and who did not benefit from the improvements made from that date to the MOD's Armed Forces Pension Scheme).

## **Glossary of terms and conventions**

### ***Adult Dependant***

Adult relatives, i.e. sister, brother, aunt or uncle etc, for whom the service person was financially responsible.

### ***Appeal***

An appeal provides a person with an impartial re-examination of the decision under appeal.

### ***Child Allowance Only***

There is a Child Allowance Only Pension in payment, i.e. no award has been given to War Widows Pension but her child has been awarded.

### ***Cleared***

Where the work by the Veterans Agency (VA) on a specific task has been fully completed.

### ***Conditional List Review***

Conditional List Review cases arise because Veterans Agency Medical Services have previously made an interim assessment for a limited period because the level of disablement was likely to change. A review date is calculated so that disablement can be reassessed before the given period expires.

### ***Current Invaliding***

Personnel invalided from the Forces and their case referred direct to the VA by Ministry of Defence for War Pensions consideration.

### ***Gratuity***

A single payment where war disablement has been accepted, but the disablement has been assessed at less than 20%.

### ***NISHL***

Noise Induced Sensorineural Hearing Loss.

### ***Not Paid***

Where a NISHL claim has been accepted but where the level of disablement has been awarded below 20%.

### ***Outcome***

The final decision on a claim or action.

### ***PAT***

Pensions Appeal Tribunal.

### ***Provision of Treatment***

The reimbursement of Treatment/Medical expenses for War Pensioners living abroad.

### **Received**

When a claim, appeal or piece of correspondence has been received by the Veterans Agency.

### **Registered**

When the case or claim is registered on the War Pension Computer System.

### ***Restored Widow***

A war widow whose War Widows Pension was withdrawn on her remarriage and who subsequently re-claims the pension on becoming widowed again, legally separated, or divorced.

### ***Unmarried Dependant***

Partner who lived with the ex-service person for at least 6 months before his enlistment, was maintained by him and who has borne his child.

### ***War***

1914 War	Disabled due to service between 4 August 1914 and 30 September 1921.
Inter War	Disabled due to service between 1 October 1921 and 2 September 1939.
1939 Onwards	Disabled due to service from 3 September 1939 to date.

### ***War Orphan***

Child of deceased service person who has no surviving mother or father. Child whose mother was divorced from a service person at the time of death. Child who is not in the care of the surviving parent.

### ***War Parent***

Parent of the deceased service person.

### ***Widow***

Spouse of ex-service person whose death was whilst in service or related to a disablement due to service from 4 August 1914 to date.

From 8 April 2002 a change in the law governing the War Pensions Scheme means that the provisions for war widowers have been equalised to align with those available to war widows. This change in the war pension law applies from the 8 April 2002 onwards and means that war widowers are now entitled, as appropriate, to the same basic pension, supplementary pension and allowances (e.g. in respect of any dependant children) as war widows. In particular, the means-testing element previously applied to war widowers' claims and pensions has been removed.

## Conventions

	In order to maintain anonymity of claimants, all 100% figures have been rounded to the nearest 5. Totals may not add due to rounding.
..	Not available
.	Not applicable
-	Nil
~	Negligible (less than 5)
<i>r</i>	Revised
Q1	1 <sup>st</sup> January to 31 <sup>st</sup> March
Q2	1 <sup>st</sup> April to 30 <sup>th</sup> June
Q3	1 <sup>st</sup> July to 30 <sup>th</sup> September
Q4	1 <sup>st</sup> October to 31 <sup>st</sup> December

Figures are based on 100 % data from the Veterans Agency Computer System. Since Mar 2003 data have been produced by DASA, there have been some methodological changes to tables 1.6 & 1.7.

The figures in this publication have been produced using slightly different methodology to those previously produced by the Veterans Agency, therefore direct comparisons should not be made.

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**Table 1.1 Number of War Pensions in payment by type of pension and principal scheme**

	Awards in payment at:				
	31-Dec-04	31-Mar-05	30-Jun-05	30-Sep-05	31-Dec-05
<b>TOTAL IN PAYMENT</b>	<b>238,850</b>	<b>235,235</b>	<b>232,340</b>	<b>229,795</b>	<b>227,125</b>
<b>Disablement pensioners</b>	<b>195,025</b>	<b>192,150</b>	<b>189,850</b>	<b>187,925</b>	<b>185,810</b>
1914 war	~	~	~	~	~
Inter-war	100	95	90	85	80
1939 war onwards	190,635	187,860	185,650	183,820	181,800
Civilian	2,145	2,090	2,050	2,020	1,985
Polish	1,005	980	960	930	900
Mercantile marine	1,140	1,115	1,090	1,065	1,040
Not known	~	5	10	10	~
<b>Other pensioners</b>	<b>43,825</b>	<b>43,090</b>	<b>42,490</b>	<b>41,870</b>	<b>41,315</b>
War widows pension	43,265	42,525	41,925	41,330	40,765
War widower pension	50	55	55	55	55
War orphans pension	40	35	35	35	35
War parents pension	50	50	50	45	45
Adult dependant pension	15	15	15	15	15
Unmarried dependant pension	~	~	~	~	~
Child allowance only	400	405	410	390	405

**Table 1.2 Supplementary allowances in payment by type of allowance**

Allowance type	Awards in payment at:				
	31-Dec-04	31-Mar-05	30-Jun-05	30-Sep-05	31-Dec-05
<b>Total</b>	<b>206,380</b>	<b>202,735</b>	<b>199,875</b>	<b>197,090</b>	<b>194,645</b>
Age 80 addition (NI) (Disablement & Widow)	2,255	2,150	2,100	2,080	2,030
Age addition - Disablement	54,000	52,765	51,750	50,940	50,025
Age addition – Widows	39,200	38,505	37,920	37,395	36,860
Allowance for lowered standard of occupation	11,525	11,465	11,425	11,445	11,460
Clothing allowance	5,040	4,930	4,855	4,780	4,715
Comforts allowance	10,410	10,285	10,175	10,085	9,995
Constant attendance allowance	3,720	3,660	3,625	3,585	3,535
Exceptionally severe disablement allowance	645	645	645	635	635
Severe disablement occupational allowance	10	10	10	10	10
Invalidity allowance	7,380	7,305	7,255	7,210	7,175
Mobility supplement	17,340	17,130	16,945	16,795	16,625
Over age infirm child allowance	355	350	350	345	345
Modified over age infirm child allowance	15	15	15	15	15
Unemployability supplement	9,125	9,015	8,925	8,855	8,780
Modified unemployability supplement	40	45	40	40	40
Additional allowance spouse	2,230	2,170	2,125	2,090	2,050
Modified allowance for spouse	280	270	265	255	255
Additional allowance dependant	~	~	~	~	~
Additional allowance child <sup>(1)</sup>	1,285	1,320	1,325	1,175	1,260
Child allowance <sup>(1) (2)</sup>	1,100	1,135	1,175	1,000	1,050
Temporary allowance widow	195	170	185	175	165
Widows rent allowance	585	520	530	545	550
Widows special allowance	39,630	38,870	38,230	37,635	37,060

Notes: (1) Until the June 05 quarter, the split of Child Allowance cases into Additional Allowance Child and Widows' Child Allowance was being calculated incorrectly. This has now been corrected, and the figures have been revised. This has resulted in some minor changes to the total number of allowances in payment. A complete back series of this table back to the March 01 quarter is available on request.

(2) The Child Allowance category replaces the Widows' Child Allowance category, which was being incorrectly calculated. It includes both Widows' Child Allowance and Child Allowance Only cases.

**Table 1.3 War Pensions in payment by pension type, percentage disablement and age band at 31 December 2005**

**Men and women**

Age	Disablement pensioners												Not known (1)	War Widow/widower	Other Pensioners (2)
	All pensioners	All DP's	20%	30%	40%	50%	60%	70%	80%	90%	100%				
<b>ALL</b>	<b>227,125</b>	<b>185,810</b>	<b>70,475</b>	<b>44,170</b>	<b>26,115</b>	<b>14,700</b>	<b>9,375</b>	<b>5,770</b>	<b>4,780</b>	<b>1,760</b>	<b>6,890</b>	<b>1,770</b>	<b>40,820</b>	<b>500</b>	
Under 30	1,550	1,400	710	300	130	50	25	10	15	~	20	135	30	120	
30-34	4,100	4,010	1,950	935	465	225	115	60	45	5	65	145	90	~	
35-39	6,565	6,370	2,795	1,585	835	420	245	135	100	15	135	100	190	5	
40-44	8,250	7,955	3,415	1,895	990	560	360	185	125	40	245	135	285	10	
45-49	9,605	9,155	3,720	2,205	1,265	690	395	225	170	60	290	135	430	20	
50-54	8,505	7,980	3,090	1,920	1,135	590	415	215	200	45	260	105	485	40	
55-59	11,400	10,555	4,310	2,460	1,405	775	495	325	235	90	380	85	785	60	
60-64	12,520	11,295	4,705	2,530	1,490	820	545	350	270	100	365	120	1,150	75	
65-69	19,020	17,165	7,550	4,080	2,075	1,180	685	425	380	115	530	145	1,800	55	
70-74	22,855	19,890	8,465	4,900	2,605	1,330	805	505	425	135	550	165	2,930	30	
75-79	25,850	20,430	8,030	4,915	2,910	1,580	975	575	480	175	675	120	5,410	15	
80-84	48,445	37,655	12,415	8,985	5,850	3,270	2,200	1,380	1,165	505	1,685	205	10,775	15	
85-89	36,460	25,840	7,590	6,015	4,020	2,615	1,690	1,100	950	380	1,340	130	10,600	20	
90-94	10,370	5,525	1,540	1,305	855	550	380	250	195	90	315	35	4,830	15	
95 and over	1,630	590	185	140	80	45	40	30	20	5	30	15	1,030	10	

**Men**

Age	Disablement pensioners												Not known (1)	War widowers	Other Pensioners (2)
	All pensioners	All DP's	20%	30%	40%	50%	60%	70%	80%	90%	100%				
<b>ALL</b>	<b>178,170</b>	<b>177,885</b>	<b>67,645</b>	<b>42,380</b>	<b>25,015</b>	<b>14,080</b>	<b>8,965</b>	<b>5,495</b>	<b>4,540</b>	<b>1,685</b>	<b>6,500</b>	<b>1,570</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>225</b>	
Under 30	1,245	1,185	595	255	110	45	20	10	10	~	20	115	-	60	
30-34	3,515	3,515	1,695	825	410	200	100	55	40	5	60	130	-	~	
35-39	5,825	5,815	2,545	1,445	750	390	225	130	90	15	130	95	~	5	
40-44	7,485	7,475	3,210	1,790	925	535	335	170	115	40	230	130	-	5	
45-49	8,800	8,785	3,600	2,130	1,205	650	370	215	160	55	270	130	~	15	
50-54	7,740	7,715	2,995	1,855	1,105	570	395	210	185	45	250	100	-	25	
55-59	10,335	10,300	4,225	2,400	1,365	760	485	315	225	85	355	85	~	35	
60-64	11,065	11,025	4,620	2,470	1,455	800	530	335	260	95	345	115	~	40	
65-69	16,870	16,850	7,450	4,005	2,030	1,160	675	410	370	105	505	140	~	20	
70-74	19,540	19,525	8,345	4,820	2,560	1,300	785	490	415	135	525	155	5	10	
75-79	19,700	19,690	7,810	4,755	2,805	1,505	925	540	450	165	635	100	10	~	
80-84	35,330	35,305	11,600	8,435	5,530	3,075	2,080	1,290	1,100	480	1,570	145	15	~	
85-89	24,855	24,840	7,285	5,800	3,875	2,515	1,635	1,065	915	365	1,285	100	15	~	
90-94	5,330	5,330	1,500	1,265	825	530	370	245	185	90	295	30	-	-	
95 and over	535	535	170	125	75	45	35	25	20	~	25	10	~	~	

**Table 1.3 (continued)**

**Women**

Age	Disablement pensioners												Not known (1)	War widows	Other Pensioners (2)
	All pensioners	All DP's	20%	30%	40%	50%	60%	70%	80%	90%	100%				
<b>ALL</b>	<b>48,960</b>	<b>7,925</b>	<b>2,830</b>	<b>1,790</b>	<b>1,095</b>	<b>620</b>	<b>415</b>	<b>275</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>40,765</b>	<b>270</b>	
Under 30	305	215	120	40	20	5	5	~	5	-	~	15	30	60	
30-34	585	495	255	110	60	25	15	5	5	-	~	15	90	~	
35-39	745	555	250	140	85	30	20	5	10	~	5	10	185	~	
40-44	770	475	205	100	70	25	30	15	10	-	20	5	285	5	
45-49	805	370	120	75	60	40	25	15	10	~	15	5	430	10	
50-54	765	265	100	65	30	20	20	5	10	~	10	~	485	15	
55-59	1,065	255	85	55	40	15	15	10	10	5	25	~	785	25	
60-64	1,455	270	85	60	35	20	15	10	10	~	25	5	1,150	40	
65-69	2,150	315	100	75	45	20	10	15	10	10	25	5	1,795	35	
70-74	3,310	370	120	80	45	30	20	15	15	~	30	10	2,925	20	
75-79	6,145	740	215	160	105	75	50	35	30	10	40	20	5,395	10	
80-84	13,115	2,350	810	550	320	195	120	90	65	25	110	60	10,760	10	
85-89	11,605	1,000	300	220	145	100	55	35	40	15	55	30	10,585	20	
90-94	5,040	195	40	40	30	15	10	10	15	~	20	10	4,830	15	
95 and over	1,095	55	15	10	5	~	5	~	~	~	5	~	1,030	10	

Notes: (1) Disablement pension in payment but no DP component information recorded or DP recorded but percentage missing.

(2) Includes: War orphans, War parents, Adult dependant, Unmarried dependant, Juvenile dependant & Child allowance only pensions.

**Table 1.4 Disablement pensions in payment by assessment  
at 31 December 2005**

**Men and women**

Degree of disablement (percentage)								
	Total	1914 war	Inter war	1939 War onwards	Civilian	Polish	Mercantile marine	Not known
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>185,810</b>	~	<b>80</b>	<b>181,800</b>	<b>1,985</b>	<b>900</b>	<b>1,040</b>	~
20	70,475	-	20	69,495	425	230	300	~
30	44,170	-	20	43,220	420	230	280	~
40	26,115	~	10	25,450	335	150	170	-
50	14,700	-	5	14,310	205	80	100	-
60	9,375	-	5	9,135	125	55	60	-
70	5,770	-	~	5,590	105	35	40	-
80	4,780	-	~	4,615	85	45	35	-
90	1,760	-	~	1,700	40	10	10	-
100	6,890	-	5	6,570	210	60	40	-
Not Known	1,770	-	~	1,715	35	10	10	-

**Men**

Degree of disablement (percentage)								
	Total	1914 war	Inter war	1939 War onwards	Civilian	Polish	Mercantile marine	Not known
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>177,885</b>	~	<b>80</b>	<b>175,115</b>	<b>775</b>	<b>875</b>	<b>1,040</b>	~
20	67,645	-	20	66,955	155	215	300	~
30	42,380	-	20	41,700	155	225	280	~
40	25,015	~	10	24,540	155	145	170	-
50	14,080	-	5	13,820	75	80	100	-
60	8,965	-	5	8,795	55	50	60	-
70	5,495	-	~	5,375	45	35	40	-
80	4,540	-	~	4,420	35	45	35	-
90	1,685	-	~	1,650	15	10	10	-
100	6,500	-	5	6,310	85	60	40	-
Not Known	1,570	-	~	1,550	5	10	10	-

**Women**

Degree of disablement (percentage)								
	Total	1914 war	Inter war	1939 War onwards	Civilian	Polish	Mercantile marine	Not known
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>7,925</b>	-	-	<b>6,685</b>	<b>1,210</b>	<b>30</b>	-	-
20	2,830	-	-	2,545	275	15	-	-
30	1,790	-	-	1,520	265	5	-	-
40	1,095	-	-	910	180	~	-	-
50	620	-	-	490	130	-	-	-
60	415	-	-	340	75	~	-	-
70	275	-	-	215	60	~	-	-
80	240	-	-	190	50	-	-	-
90	75	-	-	50	25	-	-	-
100	385	-	-	260	125	~	-	-
Not Known	195	-	-	165	30	~	-	-

**Table 1.5 All Pensions in payment by type of pension and age at 31 December 2005**

**Men and women**

Age band	ALL	Disablement	War Widows pension	War Widower pension	War Orphans pension	War Parents pension	Adult Dependant pension	Unmarried Dependant pension	Child Allowance only
<b>ALL</b>	<b>227,125</b>	<b>185,810</b>	<b>40,765</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>~</b>	<b>405</b>
Under 30	1,550	1,400	30	-	5	-	-	-	115
30-34	4,100	4,010	90	-	~	-	-	-	-
35-39	6,565	6,370	185	~	-	-	-	-	5
40-44	8,250	7,955	285	-	-	-	-	~	10
45-49	9,605	9,155	430	~	-	-	-	-	20
50-54	8,505	7,980	485	-	-	-	-	-	40
55-59	11,400	10,555	785	~	~	-	-	-	55
60-64	12,520	11,295	1,150	~	~	~	~	-	70
65-69	19,020	17,165	1,795	~	10	-	-	-	50
70-74	22,855	19,890	2,925	5	~	~	~	-	25
75-79	25,850	20,430	5,395	10	~	~	-	-	5
80-84	48,445	37,655	10,760	15	~	5	~	-	~
85-89	36,460	25,840	10,585	15	~	15	5	-	-
90-94	10,370	5,525	4,830	-	-	10	~	-	~
95 and over	1,630	590	1,030	~	~	10	~	-	~

**Men**

Age band	ALL	Disablement	War Widows pension	War Widower pension	War Orphans pension	War Parents pension	Adult Dependant pension	Unmarried Dependant pension	Child Allowance only
<b>ALL</b>	<b>178,170</b>	<b>177,885</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>~</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>210</b>
Under 30	1,245	1,185	-	-	~	-	-	-	60
30-34	3,515	3,515	-	-	~	-	-	-	-
35-39	5,825	5,815	-	~	-	-	-	-	5
40-44	7,485	7,475	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
45-49	8,800	8,785	-	~	-	-	-	-	15
50-54	7,740	7,715	-	-	-	-	-	-	25
55-59	10,335	10,300	-	~	~	-	-	-	30
60-64	11,065	11,025	-	~	~	-	-	-	35
65-69	16,870	16,850	-	~	~	-	-	-	20
70-74	19,540	19,525	-	5	~	-	-	-	10
75-79	19,700	19,690	-	10	-	-	-	-	~
80-84	35,330	35,305	-	15	~	-	-	-	~
85-89	24,855	24,840	-	15	-	-	~	-	-
90-94	5,330	5,330	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
95 and over	535	535	-	~	-	-	-	-	~

**Table 1.5 (continued)**

**Women**

Age band	ALL	Disablement	War Widows pension	War Widower pension	War Orphans pension	War Parents pension	Adult Dependant pension	Unmarried Dependant pension	Child Allowance only
<b>ALL</b>	<b>48,960</b>	<b>7,925</b>	<b>40,765</b>	-	<b>20</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>15</b>	~	<b>195</b>
Under 30	<b>305</b>	215	30	-	~	-	-	-	55
30-34	<b>585</b>	495	90	-	~	-	-	-	-
35-39	<b>745</b>	555	185	-	-	-	-	-	~
40-44	<b>770</b>	475	285	-	-	-	-	~	~
45-49	<b>805</b>	370	430	-	-	-	-	-	10
50-54	<b>765</b>	265	485	-	-	-	-	-	15
55-59	<b>1,065</b>	255	785	-	~	-	-	-	25
60-64	<b>1,455</b>	270	1,150	-	~	~	~	-	35
65-69	<b>2,150</b>	315	1,795	-	5	-	-	-	30
70-74	<b>3,310</b>	370	2,925	-	-	~	~	-	15
75-79	<b>6,145</b>	740	5,395	-	~	~	-	-	~
80-84	<b>13,115</b>	2,350	10,760	-	-	5	~	-	~
85-89	<b>11,605</b>	1,000	10,585	-	~	15	5	-	-
90-94	<b>5,040</b>	195	4,830	-	-	10	~	-	~
95 and over	<b>1,095</b>	55	1,030	-	~	10	~	-	-

**Table 1.6 Average weekly amounts of pension entitlement, by type, percentage disablement and age bands at 31 December 2005**

**Men and Women**

Age	Disablement pension										Not Known (1)	War widows/ Widowers
	All DP's	20%	30%	40%	50%	60%	70%	80%	90%	100%		
<b>PENSION &amp; ALLOWANCES</b>												
<b>All cases</b>	64.51	27.39	42.61	70.81	91.01	119.35	140.15	178.00	195.40	268.01	10.61	184.84
Under 30	40.24	26.12	39.08	68.47	83.03	120.90	98.72	163.03	~	266.58	1.12	87.76
30-34	50.14	27.16	40.48	74.01	95.48	121.73	170.74	189.88	226.33	289.40	12.89	103.87
35-39	58.16	27.45	43.16	74.54	98.99	137.03	157.48	209.55	222.93	300.68	14.46	100.53
40-44	62.79	28.12	43.62	75.17	101.13	137.38	159.93	213.52	232.13	290.87	17.39	113.07
45-49	66.18	28.53	45.28	77.61	104.64	143.75	159.94	212.98	219.91	293.43	19.76	113.88
50-54	69.73	28.98	45.70	76.75	107.27	142.26	171.86	211.13	234.97	298.20	25.33	112.63
55-59	68.17	28.07	44.85	74.77	100.66	141.93	160.60	201.84	235.81	298.41	16.31	124.98
60-64	66.10	27.95	45.03	71.91	98.13	132.92	164.36	209.19	220.21	282.90	13.97	136.33
65-69	63.86	27.42	43.69	77.12	99.67	137.24	167.84	209.05	232.25	303.21	7.23	159.80
70-74	61.53	27.31	43.09	74.56	95.39	127.80	154.26	200.59	224.89	292.84	9.65	177.85
75-79	62.17	26.97	41.97	70.03	91.37	115.46	135.08	179.05	201.68	277.71	4.64	182.56
80-84	65.69	26.74	41.02	66.50	82.76	106.07	123.83	160.16	180.87	255.76	4.92	195.24
85-89	67.99	26.91	40.90	65.51	81.31	103.41	121.05	148.11	170.27	235.64	3.45	195.94
90-94	67.64	26.95	41.02	65.15	80.53	99.28	118.49	144.80	157.01	216.22	0.22	195.88
95 and over	63.54	27.27	40.53	65.50	78.84	106.93	114.82	147.53	159.90	206.82	-	194.59
<b>PENSION ONLY</b>												
<b>All cases</b>	47.41	26.24	39.37	52.50	65.64	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	0.23	98.22
Under 30	34.42	26.11	39.21	51.70	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	~	131.30	-	60.93
30-34	38.69	26.09	39.35	52.38	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	66.58
35-39	42.22	26.21	39.35	52.46	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	63.95
40-44	43.81	26.19	39.25	52.52	65.53	78.78	91.84	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	83.50
45-49	44.85	26.20	39.35	52.52	65.57	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	91.13
50-54	46.13	26.23	39.35	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	1.27	95.95
55-59	46.25	26.24	39.37	52.49	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	95.25
60-64	45.91	26.26	39.39	52.48	65.63	78.80	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	97.56
65-69	44.36	26.24	39.40	52.49	65.68	78.78	92.00	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	96.29
70-74	44.38	26.25	39.38	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	0.89	97.26
75-79	46.50	26.25	39.39	52.50	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	98.28
80-84	50.58	26.25	39.38	52.51	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	0.64	98.92
85-89	53.20	26.26	39.39	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	99.38
90-94	54.10	26.26	39.39	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	99.64
95 and over	51.18	26.26	39.11	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	99.23
<b>ALLOWANCES ONLY (including Widows special allowance)</b>												
<b>All cases</b>	17.11	1.15	3.23	18.31	25.36	40.57	48.23	72.96	77.23	136.71	10.38	86.62
Under 30	5.82	0.01	-	16.77	17.38	42.12	6.81	57.99	~	135.28	1.12	26.83
30-34	11.45	1.07	1.13	21.63	29.83	42.95	78.83	84.84	108.16	158.10	12.89	37.29
35-39	15.94	1.23	3.81	22.08	33.34	58.25	65.57	104.51	104.76	169.38	14.46	36.58
40-44	18.98	1.93	4.37	22.65	35.59	58.60	68.09	108.48	113.96	159.57	17.39	29.57
45-49	21.33	2.33	5.93	25.09	39.07	64.97	68.03	107.94	101.74	162.13	19.76	22.75
50-54	23.60	2.74	6.35	24.23	41.62	63.48	79.95	106.09	116.80	166.90	24.06	16.68
55-59	21.92	1.83	5.48	22.28	35.01	63.15	68.69	96.80	117.64	167.11	16.31	29.73
60-64	20.19	1.69	5.64	19.43	32.49	54.12	72.45	104.15	102.04	151.60	13.97	38.77
65-69	19.49	1.18	4.29	24.62	33.99	58.46	75.84	104.01	114.08	171.91	7.23	63.51
70-74	17.14	1.06	3.71	22.04	29.74	49.02	62.35	95.55	106.72	161.54	8.77	80.60
75-79	15.67	0.72	2.58	17.53	25.72	36.68	43.17	74.01	83.51	146.41	4.64	84.29
80-84	15.11	0.50	1.64	13.98	17.11	27.29	31.92	55.12	62.70	124.46	4.29	96.32
85-89	14.79	0.66	1.51	12.99	15.66	24.63	29.14	43.07	52.10	104.34	3.45	96.56
90-94	13.54	0.69	1.63	12.63	14.88	20.50	26.58	39.76	38.84	84.92	0.22	96.25
95 and over	12.36	1.01	1.42	12.98	13.19	28.15	22.91	42.49	41.73	75.52	-	95.36

**Table 1.6 (continued)**

**Men**

Age	Disablement pension											Not Known (1)	War Widowers
	All DP's	20%	30%	40%	50%	60%	70%	80%	90%	100%			
<b>PENSION &amp; ALLOWANCES</b>													
<b>All cases</b>	64.42	27.40	42.62	70.78	90.98	119.38	140.26	178.17	195.94	269.00	11.59	178.65	
Under 30	40.33	26.22	39.08	68.61	81.71	110.99	75.86	180.57	~	281.21	1.28	-	
30-34	50.34	27.13	40.27	73.60	95.04	119.14	172.91	183.93	226.33	290.16	13.24	-	
35-39	58.44	27.44	43.24	73.68	98.51	137.41	156.90	208.91	233.31	299.41	13.72	~	
40-44	62.37	28.11	43.56	74.87	101.02	136.79	156.94	212.93	232.13	290.37	17.82	-	
45-49	65.63	28.52	45.24	77.45	104.42	143.57	160.56	211.88	218.22	294.31	19.46	~	
50-54	69.48	29.02	45.59	76.88	106.51	141.16	171.72	210.51	234.10	298.97	25.58	-	
55-59	67.51	28.04	44.90	74.54	100.04	141.99	159.75	201.95	232.33	296.18	16.90	~	
60-64	65.60	27.95	44.91	72.01	98.00	133.10	163.96	207.96	218.07	283.70	14.59	~	
65-69	63.60	27.42	43.71	77.06	99.73	137.54	168.33	209.85	237.03	306.31	7.49	~	
70-74	61.25	27.32	43.12	74.62	95.44	128.17	155.36	201.23	224.37	293.15	10.15	186.16	
75-79	61.87	26.97	41.98	70.16	91.44	116.27	135.35	180.48	204.36	279.20	5.52	180.23	
80-84	65.96	26.76	41.02	66.54	82.92	106.16	123.67	160.42	181.79	257.31	6.95	186.83	
85-89	68.09	26.92	40.90	65.44	81.30	103.36	121.31	148.03	170.30	236.55	4.47	196.56	
90-94	67.23	26.97	41.08	65.05	80.26	99.00	118.75	144.17	157.44	215.20	0.29	-	
95 and over	62.70	27.34	40.46	65.79	79.03	104.14	112.08	148.64	~	211.48	-	~	
<b>PENSION ONLY</b>													
<b>All cases</b>	47.35	26.24	39.37	52.50	65.64	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	0.26	92.90	
Under 30	34.38	26.22	39.08	51.56	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	~	131.30	-	-	
30-34	38.85	26.08	39.31	52.36	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	-	
35-39	42.39	26.21	39.34	52.45	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	~	
40-44	43.70	26.19	39.24	52.52	65.53	78.78	91.83	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	-	
45-49	44.63	26.20	39.35	52.52	65.57	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	~	
50-54	46.05	26.23	39.35	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	1.29	-	
55-59	46.07	26.24	39.37	52.49	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	~	
60-64	45.72	26.26	39.39	52.48	65.63	78.80	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	~	
65-69	44.19	26.24	39.40	52.49	65.68	78.78	92.01	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	~	
70-74	44.23	26.25	39.38	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	0.93	99.74	
75-79	46.26	26.25	39.39	52.50	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	99.68	
80-84	50.70	26.24	39.38	52.51	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	0.90	87.79	
85-89	53.25	26.26	39.39	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	99.59	
90-94	53.95	26.26	39.39	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	-	
95 and over	50.75	26.26	39.08	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	~	131.30	-	~	
<b>ALLOWANCES ONLY</b>													
<b>All cases</b>	17.07	1.16	3.25	18.28	25.34	40.60	48.35	73.13	77.77	137.70	11.33	85.75	
Under 30	5.94	-	-	17.05	16.06	32.21	-	75.53	~	149.91	1.28	-	
30-34	11.49	1.05	0.96	21.24	29.39	40.36	81.00	78.89	108.16	158.86	13.24	-	
35-39	16.05	1.23	3.89	21.23	32.86	58.63	64.99	103.87	115.14	168.11	13.72	~	
40-44	18.68	1.92	4.32	22.35	35.49	58.01	65.11	107.89	113.96	159.07	17.82	-	
45-49	21.00	2.32	5.88	24.93	38.85	64.79	68.65	106.84	100.05	163.01	19.46	~	
50-54	23.43	2.78	6.25	24.36	40.86	62.38	79.81	105.47	115.93	167.67	24.29	-	
55-59	21.44	1.80	5.52	22.05	34.39	63.21	67.84	96.91	114.16	164.88	16.90	~	
60-64	19.88	1.69	5.52	19.52	32.36	54.29	72.05	102.92	99.90	152.40	14.59	~	
65-69	19.41	1.18	4.31	24.56	34.04	58.76	76.32	104.81	118.86	175.01	7.49	~	
70-74	17.02	1.07	3.74	22.10	29.79	49.39	63.45	96.19	106.20	161.85	9.22	86.42	
75-79	15.60	0.72	2.60	17.66	25.79	37.49	43.44	75.44	86.19	147.90	5.52	80.55	
80-84	15.26	0.52	1.64	14.03	17.27	27.38	31.76	55.38	63.62	126.01	6.05	99.04	
85-89	14.83	0.66	1.51	12.92	15.65	24.58	29.40	42.99	52.13	105.25	4.47	96.97	
90-94	13.28	0.71	1.69	12.53	14.61	20.22	26.84	39.13	39.27	83.90	0.29	-	
95 and over	11.95	1.08	1.38	13.27	13.38	25.36	20.17	43.60	~	80.18	-	~	

**Table 1.6 (continued)**  
**Women**

Age	Disablement pension											War widows
	All DP's	20%	30%	40%	50%	60%	70%	80%	90%	100%	Not Known (1)	
<b>PENSION &amp; ALLOWANCES</b>												
<b>All cases</b>	66.64	27.13	42.28	71.34	91.49	118.69	137.94	174.70	183.39	251.42	2.72	184.85
Under 30	39.78	25.64	39.09	67.67	94.91	160.56	~	120.94	-	~	-	87.76
30-34	48.73	27.37	42.02	76.89	98.96	140.45	153.98	236.27	-	~	9.90	103.87
35-39	55.22	27.53	42.35	82.15	105.03	132.71	168.18	216.03	~	333.51	22.01	100.66
40-44	69.30	28.37	44.58	79.21	103.43	144.36	191.49	220.29	-	297.11	8.25	113.07
45-49	79.28	28.88	46.50	81.11	108.24	146.20	149.76	232.53	~	278.56	27.51	114.15
50-54	77.11	27.73	48.63	72.12	126.97	164.09	176.78	220.69	~	273.87	~	112.63
55-59	95.11	29.71	42.96	83.16	131.84	139.44	193.72	198.62	295.03	333.10	~	124.93
60-64	86.92	27.71	50.01	67.97	103.92	125.76	176.86	238.46	~	271.58	-	136.31
65-69	77.46	26.97	42.59	79.61	96.61	118.95	153.58	182.44	181.60	237.82	-	159.81
70-74	76.23	26.68	41.15	71.59	93.27	114.34	120.38	181.60	~	286.96	-	177.84
75-79	70.32	26.94	41.60	66.44	90.02	100.26	130.76	156.89	158.02	253.93	-	182.57
80-84	61.70	26.50	41.05	65.79	80.19	104.41	126.06	155.80	163.22	234.01	-	195.26
85-89	65.51	26.74	40.74	67.36	81.62	105.05	113.56	149.95	169.36	214.68	-	195.94
90-94	79.08	26.26	39.39	67.87	89.41	108.03	111.38	153.70	~	231.27	-	195.88
95 and over	71.58	26.57	41.27	61.32	~	125.28	~	~	~	190.19	~	194.59
<b>PENSION ONLY</b>												
<b>All cases</b>	48.70	26.21	39.42	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	98.22
Under 30	34.63	25.59	40.03	52.52	65.65	78.78	~	105.04	-	~	-	60.93
30-34	37.56	26.16	39.63	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	-	~	-	66.58
35-39	40.41	26.26	39.39	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	~	131.30	-	63.98
40-44	45.49	26.26	39.39	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	-	131.30	-	83.50
45-49	50.17	26.26	39.39	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	~	131.30	-	91.35
50-54	48.36	26.26	39.39	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	~	131.30	~	95.95
55-59	53.66	26.26	39.39	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	~	95.25
60-64	53.74	26.26	39.39	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	~	131.30	-	97.56
65-69	53.56	26.00	39.39	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	96.28
70-74	52.41	26.26	39.39	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	~	131.30	-	97.25
75-79	52.73	26.26	39.39	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	98.27
80-84	48.84	26.26	39.39	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	98.94
85-89	51.84	26.26	39.39	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	118.17	131.30	-	99.38
90-94	58.38	26.26	39.39	52.52	65.65	78.78	91.91	105.04	~	131.30	-	99.64
95 and over	55.33	26.26	39.39	52.52	~	78.78	~	~	~	131.30	~	99.23
<b>ALLOWANCES ONLY (including Widows special allowance)</b>												
<b>All cases</b>	17.95	0.91	2.86	18.82	25.84	39.91	46.03	69.66	65.22	120.12	2.72	86.62
Under 30	5.15	0.05	-	15.15	29.26	81.78	~	15.90	-	~	-	26.83
30-34	11.16	1.21	2.39	24.37	33.31	61.67	62.07	131.23	-	~	9.90	37.29
35-39	14.81	1.27	2.96	29.63	39.38	53.93	76.27	110.99	~	202.21	22.01	36.69
40-44	23.81	2.11	5.19	26.69	37.78	65.58	99.58	115.25	-	165.81	8.25	29.57
45-49	29.11	2.62	7.11	28.59	42.59	67.42	57.85	127.49	~	147.26	27.51	22.80
50-54	28.75	1.47	9.24	19.60	61.32	85.31	84.87	115.65	~	142.57	~	16.68
55-59	41.45	3.45	3.57	30.64	66.19	60.66	101.81	93.58	176.86	201.80	~	29.68
60-64	33.18	1.45	10.62	15.45	38.27	46.98	84.95	133.42	~	140.28	-	38.75
65-69	23.90	0.97	3.20	27.09	30.96	40.17	61.67	77.40	63.43	106.52	-	63.53
70-74	23.82	0.42	1.76	19.07	27.62	35.56	28.47	76.56	~	155.66	-	80.59
75-79	17.59	0.68	2.21	13.92	24.37	21.48	38.85	51.85	39.85	122.63	-	84.29
80-84	12.86	0.24	1.66	13.27	14.54	25.63	34.15	50.76	45.05	102.71	-	96.32
85-89	13.68	0.48	1.35	14.84	15.97	26.27	21.65	44.91	51.19	83.38	-	96.56
90-94	20.70	-	-	15.35	23.76	29.25	19.47	48.66	~	99.97	-	96.25
95 and over	16.24	0.31	1.88	8.80	~	46.50	~	~	~	58.89	~	95.36

Note: (1) Disablement pension in payment but no DP component information recorded or DP recorded but percentage missing.

**Table 1.7 Pensions by type of pension, principal scheme (DP's) and Government Office Region at 31 December 2005**

**Men and women**

	Disablement pensions									
	Total	1914 war	Inter war	1939 War onwards	Civilian	Polish	Mercantile marine	Not known	War Widows/widower	Other Pensioners
<b>Total</b>	<b>227,125</b>	~	<b>80</b>	<b>181,800</b>	<b>1,985</b>	<b>900</b>	<b>1,040</b>	~	<b>40,820</b>	<b>500</b>
North East	14,845	-	~	12,935	65	15	115	-	1,690	25
North West	26,890	-	5	21,840	285	75	255	~	4,380	50
Yorkshire & Humberside	16,610	-	~	13,340	65	60	35	-	3,065	40
East Midlands	13,755	-	5	11,190	55	60	15	-	2,400	20
West Midlands	13,495	-	~	10,630	95	65	15	-	2,660	25
East	16,400	-	10	12,495	210	35	35	-	3,590	25
London	9,850	-	5	6,790	305	105	20	-	2,590	30
South East	29,505	-	15	22,595	365	55	75	-	6,340	65
South West	27,450	-	10	22,275	220	60	50	~	4,780	50
Scotland	22,450	-	~	18,950	90	70	150	~	3,135	50
Wales	12,935	-	~	10,580	65	30	70	-	2,160	25
Northern Ireland & Overseas (1)	21,005	~	10	16,750	140	260	200	-	3,550	90
Not Known	1,945	-	-	1,425	25	10	~	~	475	~
<b>Men</b>										
<b>Total</b>	<b>178,170</b>	~	<b>80</b>	<b>175,115</b>	<b>775</b>	<b>875</b>	<b>1,040</b>	~	<b>55</b>	<b>225</b>
North East	12,665	-	~	12,495	30	15	115	-	~	15
North West	21,675	-	5	21,215	105	70	255	~	~	20
Yorkshire & Humberside	13,020	-	~	12,865	30	60	35	-	5	20
East Midlands	10,910	-	5	10,800	20	60	15	-	~	10
West Midlands	10,420	-	~	10,280	40	65	15	-	~	10
East	12,170	-	10	11,990	85	35	35	-	5	10
London	6,755	-	5	6,505	105	100	20	-	~	15
South East	21,985	-	15	21,660	140	50	75	-	15	30
South West	21,620	-	10	21,375	90	60	50	~	5	25
Scotland	18,615	-	~	18,335	35	70	150	~	~	20
Wales	10,415	-	~	10,265	30	30	70	-	~	15
Northern Ireland & Overseas (1)	16,525	~	10	15,950	65	255	200	-	~	40
Not Known	1,395	-	-	1,370	10	10	~	~	-	~
<b>Women</b>										
<b>Total</b>	<b>48,960</b>	-	-	<b>6,685</b>	<b>1,210</b>	<b>30</b>	-	-	<b>40,765</b>	<b>270</b>
North East	2,175	-	-	440	35	-	-	-	1,690	15
North West	5,210	-	-	620	180	~	-	-	4,375	30
Yorkshire & Humberside	3,590	-	-	475	35	~	-	-	3,060	20
East Midlands	2,845	-	-	390	40	~	-	-	2,400	15
West Midlands	3,075	-	-	345	55	~	-	-	2,660	15
East	4,230	-	-	505	125	~	-	-	3,585	10
London	3,095	-	-	285	200	5	-	-	2,585	15
South East	7,525	-	-	935	225	~	-	-	6,325	35
South West	5,830	-	-	895	130	~	-	-	4,775	25
Scotland	3,835	-	-	615	55	-	-	-	3,135	30
Wales	2,520	-	-	315	35	-	-	-	2,160	10
Northern Ireland & Overseas (1)	4,480	-	-	800	75	5	-	-	3,550	50
Not Known	550	-	-	60	15	-	-	-	475	~

Note: (1) Includes Isle of Man and Channel Islands.

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**Table 2.1 All claims registered during quarter by claim type**

Claim type	Claims registered during:				
	Q4-2004	Q1-2005	Q2-2005	Q3-2005	Q4-2005
<b>Disablement claims</b>	<b>4,795</b>	<b>4,600</b>	<b>4,885</b>	<b>4,765</b>	<b>4,415</b>
Current invaliding	460	460	495	490	410
First	1,515	1,540	1,535	1,570	1,475
Further conditions	845	805	935	910	840
Deterioration	1,130	1,125	1,295	1,205	1,120
Departmental reviews	105	105	85	60	45
Conditional list review	740	565	545	530	530
<b>Widows claims</b>	<b>520</b>	<b>590</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>510</b>
Widows/Widowers	485	545	535	470	470
Restored widows	30	45	35	30	35
Review widows	~	-	~	~	5

**Table 2.2 Supplementary allowance claims received by allowance**

Allowance type	Claims received during:				
	Q4-2004	Q1-2005	Q2-2005	Q3-2005	Q4-2005
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,330</b>	<b>1,360</b>	<b>1,530</b>	<b>1,490</b>	<b>1,270</b>
Allowance for lowered standard of occupation	150	130	155	145	135
Clothing allowance	35	30	70	55	30
Constant attendance allowance	105	115	150	130	105
Mobility supplement	270	245	265	290	220
Unemployability supplement	60	60	65	65	60
Additional allowance spouse	25	25	20	25	30
Additional allowance dependant	~	~	~	-	-
Additional allowance child	15	10	15	20	15
Child allowance only	15	10	5	~	5
Widows child allowances	5	~	~	~	-
Widows rent allowance	65	40	85	90	60
Temporary allowance widow	95	100	100	100	90
Funeral expenses	495	585	585	565	520

**Table 2.3 Supplementary allowance reviews by allowance type**

Allowance type	Reviews during:				
	Q4-2004	Q1-2005	Q2-2005	Q3-2005	Q4-2005
<b>Total</b>	<b>910</b>	<b>1,175</b>	<b>870</b>	<b>820</b>	<b>800</b>
Allowance for lowered standard of occupation	420	480	355	330	370
Constant attendance allowance	50	50	55	50	50
Mobility supplement	75	75	80	75	75
Unemployability supplement	155	180	155	120	115
Additional allowance spouse	95	335	65	75	75
Additional allowance dependant	-	~	-	-	-
Additional allowance child	65	35	70	80	55
Widows child allowance	45	25	90	90	60

*Note: Reviews of allowances which involve rates of pay are traditionally held in the first quarter of the year.*

**Table 2.4 Deafness Only claims (All types) received by outcome and Percentage awarded**

	Claims received during:				
	Q4-2004	Q1-2005	Q2-2005	Q3-2005	Q4-2005
Claims received	<b>305</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>275</b>
Claims cleared	225	290	285	215	245
Claims rejected	10	5	5	10	~
<b>Total claims accepted</b>					
<b>Paid</b>					
20 – 100%	5	10	15	5	5
Gratuity paid (Hearing loss other than NISHL)	20	20	25	15	15
<b>Not Paid</b>					
NISHL assessments less than 20%	115	145	135	110	115
Nil %	80	105	115	80	115

**Table 2.5 War Pension claims by outcome**

	Claims cleared during:				
	Q4-2004	Q1-2005	Q2-2005	Q3-2005	Q4-2005
<b>First claims</b>					
<b>Awards</b>					
1 - 19% (1)	825	840	815	950	910
20 – 100%	385	435	420	430	440
Rejections	205	210	185	230	185
<b>Second/Subsequent claims</b>					
<b>Awards</b>					
1 - 19% (1)	15	10	10	15	10
20 – 100%	10	10	10	15	15
Increased assessments	1,070	935	860	855	740
Maintained assessments	1,680	1,505	1,475	1,400	1,175
Reduced assessments	85	100	95	80	75
Rejections	135	100	115	135	130
<b>Widows</b> (Includes restored widows)					
Awards	245	265	250	200	215
Rejections	285	280	330	270	250

*Note: (1) These are paid gratuities only, unpaid gratuities & nil assessments are not included.*

**Table 2.6 First awards to supplementary allowances by allowance type (1)**

Allowance type	First awards made during:				
	Q4-2004	Q1-2005	Q2-2005	Q3-2005	Q4-2005
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,225</b>	<b>1,215</b>	<b>1,205</b>	<b>1,255</b>	<b>1,170</b>
Age – 80 addition (NI) (Disablement & Widow) (2)	~	~	5	20	15
Age – disablement	185	210	220	210	220
Age – widows	175	215	175	180	180
Allowance for lowered standard of occupation	125	95	110	130	110
Clothing allowance	25	15	25	20	15
Comforts allowance (2)	~	~	10	10	5
Constant attendance allowance	50	50	60	65	55
Exceptionally severe disablement allowance	10	15	15	15	15
Severe disablement occupational allowance	-	-	-	-	-
Invalidity allowance (2)	~	~	10	10	5
Mobility supplement	190	150	150	160	155
Unemployability supplement	45	45	35	45	45
Additional allowance spouse	15	15	15	20	20
Additional allowance dependant	-	~	-	-	-
Additional allowance child	15	10	10	15	10
Child allowance only	10	10	5	~	5
Widows child allowances	~	~	~	~	-
Widows rent allowance	15	15	15	25	5
Temporary allowance widow	100	95	105	95	100
Funeral expenses	250	255	235	230	205

*Note: (1) Awards processed in the quarter. First payment may be backdated to a previous quarter.*

*(2) These figures may be a slight under estimate of the number of first awards.*

**Table 2.7 Appeals received by type**

Appeals received	Appeals received during:				
	Q4-2004	Q1-2005	Q2-2005	Q3-2005	Q4-2005
<b>Total</b>	<b>665</b>	<b>675</b>	<b>660</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>610</b>
Entitlement - Disablement	225	240	230	220	185
Entitlement - Widows	40	40	55	50	40
Assessment	400	390	370	335	385

**Table 2.8 Appeals cleared (to Pensions Appeal Tribunal or during preparation) by type**

Appeals cleared	Appeals cleared during:				
	Q4-2004	Q1-2005	Q2-2005	Q3-2005	Q4-2005
<b>Total</b>	<b>740</b>	<b>740</b>	<b>800</b>	<b>655</b>	<b>640</b>
Entitlement - Disablement	255	255	290	225	240
Entitlement - Widows	75	45	40	80	50
Assessment	415	440	470	350	350

**Table 2.9 Pensions Appeal Tribunal decisions by claim**

	Decisions made during:				
	Q4-2004	Q1-2005	Q2-2005	Q3-2005	Q4-2005
<u>All Decisions on entitlements</u>	<b>265</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>225</b>
Disablement - allowed	65	70	70	65	55
Widows - allowed	10	15	10	5	5
Disablement - disallowed	145	140	125	120	120
Widows - disallowed	45	45	35	15	45
<u>Percentage allowed of total entitlements heard</u>	%	%	%	%	%
Disablement	31	33	36	34	31
Widows	21	22	21	32	12
Overall	29	31	33	34	27
<u>All Decisions on assessments</u>	<b>340</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>335</b>	<b>260</b>	<b>275</b>
Increased	125	130	135	85	105
Upheld	210	195	190	170	165
Reduced	~	5	5	5	5
	%	%	%	%	%
<u>Percentage increased of total assessments heard</u>	37	39	41	33	38

**Table 2.10 Medical examinations issued or returned by type of examination**

Type of examination	Examinations during:				
	Q4-2004	Q1-2005	Q2-2005	Q3-2005	Q4-2005
<b>Medical boards DBC only</b>					
Issued in quarter	3,665	4,010	3,890	3,810	4,125
Returned in quarter	3,600	3,395	3,355	3,495	3,645
<b>Medical Boards and Special Reports together</b>					
Issued in quarter	-	-	-	-	-
Returned in quarter	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Specialists reports only (1)</b>					
Issued in quarter	1,105	1,045	960	1,005	965
Returned in quarter	945	945	870	835	845
<b>Consultants reports</b>					
Issued in quarter	10	10	10	5	5
Returned in quarter	~	10	10	5	5

*Note: (1) Includes overseas reports.*

**Table 2.11 Medical expenses 1st claims received by type**

Type of medical expenses	Claims received during:				
	Q4-2004	Q1-2005	Q2-2005	Q3-2005	Q4-2005
<b>Total</b>	<b>845</b>	<b>925</b>	<b>1,215</b>	<b>1,180</b>	<b>1,030</b>
Appliance	10	15	10	10	5
Chiropody	15	~	5	~	10
Convalescence	25	35	35	40	25
Dental	25	30	35	15	25
Hearing aid	25	40	35	30	25
Home nursing equipment	25	20	30	30	10
Hospital travel expenses	55	50	40	55	45
House adaptation grant	55	35	60	55	55
Prescription	15	25	15	20	20
Priority treatment	~	-	190	270	225
Private treatment	20	25	30	30	25
Provision of treatment	240	275	340	270	240
Remedial treatment	255	290	295	260	265
Skilled nursing care	15	10	15	15	10
Spectacles	35	40	45	35	20
Treatment allowance (inc. loss of earnings)	30	35	35	50	25

*Note: Excludes figures from Eire and Northern Ireland.*

**Table 2.12 Medical expenses awarded by allowance type**

Type of medical expenses	Awards during:				
	Q4-2004	Q1-2005	Q2-2005	Q3-2005	Q4-2005
<b>Total</b>	<b>620</b>	<b>685</b>	<b>685</b>	<b>605</b>	<b>580</b>
Appliance	~	~	~	~	~
Chiropody	~	~	~	~	5
Convalescence	20	20	20	15	20
Dental	10	10	10	10	10
Hearing aid	~	~	-	~	~
Home nursing equipment	15	5	15	15	5
Hospital travel expenses	45	60	45	50	50
House adaptation grant	30	20	40	30	35
Prescription	10	25	10	15	25
Provision of treatment	170	210	225	155	145
Remedial treatment	270	285	270	250	250
Skilled nursing care	5	~	10	~	~
Spectacles	20	25	20	20	10
Treatment allowance (inc. loss of earnings)	20	25	15	35	20

*Note: Excludes figures from Eire and Northern Ireland.*

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	<b>All</b>	<b>Under 30</b>	<b>30 to 34</b>	<b>35 to 39</b>	<b>40 to 44</b>	<b>45 to 49</b>	<b>50 to 54</b>	<b>55 to 59</b>	<b>60 to 64</b>	<b>65 to 69</b>	<b>70 to 74</b>	<b>75 to 79</b>	<b>80 to 84</b>	<b>85 to 89</b>	<b>90 to 94</b>	<b>95 and over</b>	<b>Not known</b>
Jul 03	<b>525</b>	85	50	20	55	30	25	35	30	35	30	45	55	15	~	-	10
Aug 03	<b>420</b>	85	30	25	55	25	20	25	20	20	25	35	35	10	~	-	~
Sep 03	<b>430</b>	85	30	20	50	25	10	30	30	40	20	35	35	15	~	-	~
Oct 03	<b>435</b>	85	30	25	55	25	20	25	25	35	20	30	40	20	~	-	~
Nov 03	<b>430</b>	85	30	15	65	30	20	25	20	35	20	35	40	10	~	-	5
Dec 03	<b>400</b>	90	35	25	45	15	15	20	5	30	35	40	35	10	~	-	~
Jan 04	<b>490</b>	85	35	30	55	35	15	35	15	35	35	40	45	15	~	-	10
Feb 04	<b>435</b>	75	40	25	60	25	10	20	15	35	25	30	40	20	~	-	10
Mar 04	<b>500</b>	110	40	35	55	35	15	35	15	40	20	35	45	20	~	-	10
Apr 04	<b>440</b>	85	30	20	60	20	15	25	25	45	35	20	40	20	~	-	5
May 04	<b>415</b>	95	30	15	60	25	15	20	15	30	25	30	35	15	-	~	~
Jun 04	<b>470</b>	120	35	20	55	25	20	25	25	25	25	30	40	10	5	-	10
Jul 04	<b>465</b>	70	35	20	60	30	20	30	20	35	30	35	55	15	~	-	10
Aug 04	<b>445</b>	60	40	30	70	15	20	30	20	35	30	30	40	20	5	-	~
Sep 04	<b>470</b>	90	30	25	75	20	20	25	15	40	30	35	45	15	~	-	5
Oct 04	<b>445</b>	90	35	20	55	25	20	25	25	20	30	25	45	20	5	~	5
Nov 04	<b>415</b>	65	35	35	60	30	15	25	15	30	25	30	35	10	~	-	5
Dec 04	<b>355</b>	50	25	25	45	20	10	25	15	30	25	25	40	15	~	-	~
Jan 05	<b>455</b>	85	25	30	50	30	15	25	20	30	30	30	50	20	5	-	10
Feb 05	<b>405</b>	70	25	20	50	25	10	25	15	30	30	35	50	15	~	-	5
Mar 05	<b>440</b>	75	30	20	55	20	20	25	20	25	30	35	55	30	~	-	~
Apr 05	<b>405</b>	60	25	20	60	20	15	30	15	25	25	35	45	20	~	-	10
May 05	<b>470</b>	75	35	20	45	35	15	25	25	25	35	30	70	30	~	-	5
Jun 05	<b>430</b>	70	20	20	55	25	20	20	15	30	30	35	55	25	5	-	5
Jul 05	<b>395</b>	50	25	10	55	25	15	20	15	25	25	20	65	20	5	~	5
Aug 05	<b>450</b>	80	45	25	60	30	15	30	20	20	20	20	45	20	5	-	5
Sep 05	<b>505</b>	125	30	30	65	25	20	10	30	20	45	25	55	25	~	-	5
Oct 05	<b>480</b>	85	40	25	75	25	20	25	10	20	30	30	50	25	5	-	5
Nov 05	<b>465</b>	65	30	30	70	30	20	20	20	30	45	30	45	20	5	-	~
Dec 05	<b>380</b>	50	20	20	50	20	15	25	20	20	35	30	50	20	~	-	5

**Table 3.2 Number of successful gratuity & nil percentage awards cleared by month**

**Men and women**

Month	Total	01-05%	06-14%	15-19%	NIL%
Jul 03	525	125	170	25	205
Aug 03	420	110	140	25	145
Sep 03	430	110	140	15	160
Oct 03	435	100	135	25	180
Nov 03	430	100	120	25	185
Dec 03	400	100	140	15	145
Jan 04	490	100	155	30	205
Feb 04	435	90	150	25	165
Mar 04	500	125	180	30	165
Apr 04	440	100	155	20	165
May 04	415	95	150	25	145
Jun 04	470	125	175	30	135
Jul 04	465	105	175	20	165
Aug 04	445	110	170	30	135
Sep 04	470	110	190	20	145
Oct 04	445	145	155	25	125
Nov 04	415	105	170	20	120
Dec 04	355	80	125	10	135
Jan 05	455	100	170	30	155
Feb 05	405	90	155	20	140
Mar 05	440	105	165	20	155
Apr 05	405	110	120	25	145
May 05	470	100	175	15	180
Jun 05	430	100	140	35	155
Jul 05	395	110	145	15	120
Aug 05	450	130	185	20	115
Sep 05	505	135	185	40	145
Oct 05	480	140	185	25	130
Nov 05	465	110	165	25	160
Dec 05	380	105	155	15	110