



Factsheet – Surveys, Sources

OASI statistics

Description: The OASI statistics provide information on the finances of the OASI and on recipients of bene-fits broken down by different variables such as age, gender, civil status or canton.

Available since:
1975, in increasing detail

Characteristics recorded:
Persons: Persons receiving a pension. Total number in Switzerland and abroad

All elements used to calculate pensions:
Socio-demographic characteristics (age, gender, nationality, place of residence)
Technical characteristics needed to calculate pensions

Methodology: Exhaustive survey
Evaluation of OASI administrative registers

Degree of regionalisation:
Swiss cantons, abroad

Periodicity:
Annual

Reference period:
December

Quality of statistical information:
Data are harmonised and comparable.

Revision:
Last revision December 2009

Legal bases: Federal Act of 20 December 1946 on the Old-Age and Survivors Insurance (OASIA), (SR 831.10), Art. 72, para. 5.

Organization: Federal Social Insurance Office (FSIO)

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