Table 5. **Average Monthly Household Participation in Means-Tested and Nonmeans-Tested Government Programs —SIPP Panels: First Quarter 1984 to Third Quarter 1992**

(In thousands)

Panel, year and quarter	All households	Received government benefits	Received means-tested benefits	Received AFDC or other non SSI public assistance	Received SSI	Received full or reduced price school meals	Received food stamps	Covered by Medicaid	Lived in public or subsidized housing	Received nonmeans-tested benefits	Received Social Security or Railroad Retirement	Received unemployment compensation
1984 Panel												
1984: 1st quarter...	83,643	39,050	16,052	3,870	2,880	5,896	6,462	7,593	3,615	30,578	23,479	2,659
2nd quarter..	84,002	37,712	14,460	3,832	2,975	3,689	6,303	7,559	3,669	29,973	23,525	2,047
3rd quarter ..	84,609	36,674	13,188	3,565	3,002	1,859	5,989	7,242	3,670	29,747	23,475	1,784
4th quarter ..	84,945	38,347	15,276	3,585	3,008	5,653	6,107	7,211	3,584	30,308	23,559	2,240
1985: 1st quarter...	84,948	39,158	15,403	3,763	3,020	5,553	6,230	7,458	3,546	31,238	23,821	2,944
2nd quarter..	85,614	37,725	13,921	3,651	3,085	3,499	5,955	7,264	3,486	30,485	23,955	2,062
3rd quarter ..	86,249	37,143	13,013	3,598	3,036	1,889	5,886	7,370	3,502	30,339	23,938	1,757
4th quarter ..	86,585	38,547	15,274	3,622	3,064	5,739	5,839	7,461	3,583	30,379	23,864	1,824
1985 Panel												
1985: 1st quarter...	85,228	(NA)	(NA)	3,536	2,990	(NA)	5,999	7,277	3,751	(NA)	23,559	2,872
2nd quarter..	85,875	(NA)	(NA)	3,554	3,116	(NA)	5,808	7,460	3,778	(NA)	23,781	2,232
3rd quarter ..	86,561	(NA)	(NA)	3,526	3,211	(NA)	5,624	7,501	3,844	(NA)	23,838	1,883
4th quarter ..	86,832	(NA)	(NA)	3,499	3,200	(NA)	5,676	7,517	3,889	(NA)	23,929	2,075
1986: 1st quarter...	86,911	(NA)	(NA)	3,591	3,114	(NA)	5,800	7,589	3,868	(NA)	24,145	2,617
2nd quarter..	86,940	(NA)	(NA)	3,502	3,168	(NA)	5,617	7,456	3,847	(NA)	24,130	2,112
3rd quarter ..	87,180	(NA)	(NA)	3,462	3,201	(NA)	5,573	7,499	3,813	(NA)	24,150	2,037
4th quarter ..	87,607	(NA)	(NA)	3,516	3,181	(NA)	5,641	7,575	3,710	(NA)	24,264	2,206
1986 Panel												
1986: 1st quarter...	87,134	40,711	16,422	3,753	3,107	6,278	6,588	7,593	4,172	31,702	24,013	2,443
2nd quarter..	87,192	40,125	16,034	3,858	3,270	(NA)	6,524	7,901	4,347	31,272	24,102	2,001
3rd quarter ..	87,313	39,427	14,999	3,680	3,290	(NA)	6,180	7,879	4,239	31,448	24,310	2,062
4th quarter ..	87,721	40,620	16,418	3,780	3,270	6,484	6,212	8,041	4,199	31,697	24,523	1,985
1987: 1st quarter...	88,118	41,243	16,654	3,885	3,347	6,429	6,340	8,265	4,172	32,268	24,567	2,356
2nd quarter..	88,367	39,781	15,123	3,848	3,395	4,144	6,218	8,278	4,179	31,619	24,612	1,720
3rd quarter ..	88,645	39,358	14,975	3,794	3,482	(NA)	5,900	8,288	4,204	31,067	24,572	1,442
4th quarter ..	89,058	40,846	16,431	3,718	3,399	6,348	5,789	8,189	4,160	31,532	24,747	1,579
1987 Panel												
1987: 1st quarter...	88,131	40,543	15,793	3,717	3,075	5,924	6,230	7,707	3,883	32,216	24,529	2,616
2nd quarter..	88,237	39,345	14,857	3,597	3,222	3,790	6,142	7,795	3,979	31,470	24,702	1,869
3rd quarter ..	88,601	38,681	13,605	3,485	3,208	2,057	5,881	7,759	3,861	31,670	25,198	1,624
4th quarter ..	89,067	40,395	15,748	3,425	3,194	6,011	5,833	7,818	3,941	32,073	25,150	2,179
1988: 1st quarter...	89,719	40,853	15,921	3,607	3,172	5,950	5,916	7,919	4,053	32,282	25,410	1,996
2nd quarter..	89,963	39,418	14,527	3,534	3,159	3,841	5,824	7,986	4,006	31,615	25,403	1,448
3rd quarter ..	90,401	38,201	13,285	3,382	3,150	2,021	5,706	7,909	4,001	31,279	24,947	1,296
4th quarter ..	90,481	40,102	15,314	3,329	3,186	6,106	5,813	7,876	4,012	31,952	25,228	1,495
1988 Panel												
1988: 1st quarter...	89,858	41,438	16,741	3,318	3,496	6,855	5,996	7,882	4,488	32,334	25,399	2,164
2nd quarter..	90,066	40,078	15,160	3,356	3,747	4,361	5,948	8,265	4,557	32,012	25,456	1,655
3rd quarter ..	90,488	39,634	14,320	3,375	3,793	2,233	5,851	8,530	4,515	32,262	25,641	1,593
4th quarter ..	90,517	41,316	16,860	3,417	3,790	6,811	6,038	8,556	4,563	32,297	25,573	1,540
1989: 1st quarter...	91,144	41,775	16,829	3,477	3,682	6,694	6,133	8,405	4,746	32,796	25,762	2,087
2nd quarter..	91,614	40,740	15,272	3,362	3,624	4,310	5,892	8,274	4,716	32,753	25,959	1,565
3rd quarter ..	91,841	39,866	14,142	3,275	3,645	2,286	5,856	8,455	4,556	32,549	25,975	1,380
4th quarter ..	92,103	42,048	16,380	3,265	3,721	6,774	6,108	8,730	4,252	32,579	26,369	1,382
1989 Panel												
1989: 1st quarter...	91,394	41,101	16,408	3,744	3,388	6,825	5,787	8,104	4,575	32,470	25,621	1,907
2nd quarter..	91,819	40,160	15,078	3,604	3,522	4,450	5,725	8,190	4,563	32,510	25,890	1,631
3rd quarter ..	92,083	39,496	13,878	3,597	3,620	2,283	5,640	8,299	4,441	32,505	26,154	1,473
1990 Panel												
1990: 1st quarter...	91,776	42,687	16,690	3,523	3,239	6,841	5,939	8,348	4,576	33,472	26,257	2,407
2nd quarter..	92,308	41,827	15,303	3,696	3,315	4,497	6,184	8,607	4,470	33,397	26,412	2,011
3rd quarter ..	92,722	41,419	14,397	3,711	3,354	2,375	6,254	8,871	4,452	33,686	26,745	1,921
4th quarter ..	92,421	43,554	17,130	3,722	3,369	7,244	6,334	9,014	4,431	33,939	26,529	2,288

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(In thousands)

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1991: 1st quarter...	93,058	44,708	17,776	3,879	3,482	7,603	6,631	9,326	4,502	34,922	26,702	3,354
2nd quarter..	93,278	43,316	16,230	4,004	3,418	4,914	6,664	9,462	4,490	34,434	26,732	2,818
3rd quarter ..	93,443	42,568	15,212	4,150	3,475	2,530	6,750	9,853	4,513	34,364	26,705	2,681
4th quarter ..	93,289	44,975	17,921	4,045	3,516	7,830	6,857	10,015	4,452	34,944	26,642	3,183
1992: 1st quarter...	93,879	46,292	18,448	4,089	3,744	8,129	7,152	10,339	4,504	36,286	26,943	4,244
1991 Panel												
1991: 1st quarter...	93,313	44,115	18,203	4,051	3,593	7,461	6,814	9,652	4,836	34,047	26,189	3,120
2nd quarter..	93,545	43,439	17,131	4,152	3,799	4,841	6,945	9,996	4,845	34,103	26,299	2,861
3rd quarter ..	93,774	42,903	16,149	4,003	3,936	2,657	6,975	10,313	4,830	34,214	26,369	2,714
4th quarter ..	93,649	45,301	18,677	3,927	3,902	8,156	7,055	10,281	4,706	34,846	26,456	3,236
1992: 1st quarter...	94,157	46,455	18,962	4,057	3,957	7,982	7,358	10,533	4,871	36,180	26,685	4,502
2nd quarter..	94,588	44,958	17,557	4,062	4,173	5,110	7,248	10,678	4,772	35,509	26,591	4,076
3rd quarter ..	94,095	43,665	16,556	3,987	4,152	2,664	7,199	10,813	4,621	34,902	26,533	3,550
1992 Panel												
1991: 4th quarter ..	92,932	44,691	18,746	3,958	3,597	8,057	7,060	9,818	4,294	33,884	26,099	3,164
1992: 1st quarter...	93,473	45,925	19,063	4,171	3,723	7,989	7,573	10,224	4,446	35,291	26,195	4,630

NA Not available.