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A. Policy — Table 1 — Blind¹ and Nonblind Individuals Before 1978

For Month(s):	“Countable earnings” of employees indicate SGA and “countable income” of the self-employed is “substantial” if the amount averages more per month than:
In calendar year 1977	\$240
In calendar year 1976	\$230
In calendar years before 1976	\$200

¹ SGA Earnings Guidelines apply to blind title II individuals only; blind individuals under title XVI are not subject to any SGA limitations.

B. Policy — Table 2 — Nonblind Individuals Only

For Month(s):	“Countable earnings” of employees indicate SGA and “countable income” of the self-employed is “substantial” if the amount averages more per month than:
In calendar year 2011	\$1000
In calendar year 2010	\$1000
In calendar year 2009	\$980
In calendar year 2008	\$940
In calendar year 2007	\$900
In calendar year 2006	\$860
In calendar year 2005	\$830

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For Month(s):	“Countable earnings” of employees indicate SGA and “countable income” of the self-employed is “substantial” if the amount averages more per month than:
In calendar year 2004	\$810
In calendar year 2003	\$800
In calendar year 2002	\$780
In calendar year 2001	\$740
In July 1999 – December 2000	\$700
In January 1990 - June 1999	\$500
In calendar year 1980-1989	\$300
In calendar year 1979	\$280
In calendar year 1978	\$260

C. Policy — Table 3 — Blind¹ Individuals Only

For Calendar Years:	“Countable earnings” of employees indicate SGA and “countable income” of the self-employed is “substantial” if the amount averages more per month than:
2011	\$1640
2010	\$1640
2009	\$1640
2008	\$1570
2007	\$1500
2006	\$1450
2005	\$1380
2004	\$1350
2003	\$1330
2002	\$1300
2001	\$1240
2000	\$1170
1999	\$1110
1998	\$1050
1997	\$1000
1996	\$960

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For Calendar Years:	“Countable earnings” of employees indicate SGA and “countable income” of the self-employed is “substantial” if the amount averages more per month than:
1995	\$940
1994	\$930
1993	\$880
1992	\$850
1991	\$810
1990	\$780
1989	\$740
1988	\$700
1987	\$680
1986	\$650
1985	\$610
1984	\$580
1983	\$550
1982	\$500
1981	\$459
1980	\$417
1979	\$375
1978	\$334

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