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Bipartisan Tax Fairness and Simplification Act of 2010 ("Wyden-Gregg") vs. Current Policy Baseline Static Impact on Individual, Corporate, and Payroll Tax Liability (\$ billions), 2011-20 1

	Fiscal Years											
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2011-15	2011-20
Individual Income Tax Provisions ²												
Three rates of 15, 25, and 35 percent	37.6	53.5	56.3	58.2	60.2	62.4	64.6	66.7	68.6	70.7	265.8	598.7
Increase in basic standard deduction to \$30,000/\$22,500/\$15,000	-102.0	-145.2	-151.9	-155.3	-158.6	-163.3	-168.1	-173.1	-177.1	-181.8	-713.0	-1,576.5
Elimination of miscellaneous itemized deductions	2.1	10.8	11.5	12.5	13.5	14.4	15.2	16.1	17.0	17.9	50.4	130.9
35-percent exclusion for capital gains and qualified dividends ³	13.2	36.0	41.4	43.8	46.2	48.5	50.9	53.4	55.8	58.3	180.5	447.4
Nonrefundable personal credit for interest on state and local bonds ⁴	0.2	0.7	1.4	2.1	3.0	3.9	4.9	6.0	7.2	8.5	7.4	37.9
Repeal of alternative minimum tax	-10.6	-26.2	-26.5	-28.3	-30.0	-31.6	-33.3	-35.1	-37.0	-39.3	-121.7	-297.9
Change CPI measure used for indexation ⁵	0.0	0.0	1.5	5.1	7.3	10.5	13.5	16.4	20.9	25.3	13.8	100.4
Repeal exclusion of Section 125 cafeteria plan benefits	43.4	46.6	50.1	52.6	55.3	58.0	60.8	63.7	66.8	70.0	248.0	567.2
Other individual income tax provisions	17.8	21.0	20.9	21.4	22.0	24.0	24.2	24.4	24.7	24.8	103.1	225.1
Total for individual income tax provisions	1.8	-2.8	4.6	12.1	18.6	26.7	32.7	38.3	47.0	54.2	34.2	233.2
Corporate Income and Other Business Tax Provisions												
Corporate flat tax at 24 percent rate	-53.0	-105.1	-105.1	-101.7	-104.8	-103.8	-103.5	-104.2	-102.9	-106.2	-469.6	-990.3
Other corporate and business tax provisions	17.7	49.0	76.8	90.2	95.0	93.6	90.4	88.4	85.5	81.5	328.8	768.2
Total for corporate and business tax provisions	-35.2	-56.1	-28.3	-11.4	-9.7	-10.2	-13.2	-15.8	-17.4	-24.7	-140.8	-222.0
Internet Gambling Provisions	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.5	3.8	10.5
Total for all provisions	-33.0	-58.3	-22.9	1.5	9.9	17.6	20.8	23.9	31.1	31.0	-102.8	21.7

Sources: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model (version 0509-4); Joint Committee on Taxation, Estimates of Federal Tax Expenditures for Fiscal Years 2009-2013 (JCS-1-10), January 11, 2010; JCT Letter to Rep. McDermott, October 23, 2009; CBO Budget Options Volume 2, August 2009; and TPC calculations.

⁽¹⁾ Proposal is effective 01/01/11.

⁽²⁾ Includes impact of provisions on payroll tax liability.

⁽³⁾ Taxpayers could exclude from gross income 35 percent of all long-term capital gains plus 35 percent of up to \$500,000 of gains on assets held between 6 months and 1 year. Preferential rates on capital gains and dividends would be repealed.

⁽⁴⁾ Interest on state and local bonds would be included in gross income; taxpayers could claim a nonrefundable personal credit equal to 25 percent of the amount of interest earned.

⁽⁵⁾ The chained CPI-U would be used to index the tax system, effective 01/01/13.