Click on PDF or Excel link above for additional tables containing more detail and breakdowns by filing status and demographic groups.

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Replace Mortgage Interest Deduction with a 20 Percent Non-Refundable Credit Limit Mortgages Eligible for Credit to \$500,000 on Primary Residences Only

Baseline: Current Law Distribution of Federal Tax Change by Cash Income Level, 2015 Summary Table

| Cash Income Level | Percent of 1 | Γax Units ³ | Percent Change | Share of Total | Average | Average Fed | eral Tax Rate⁵ |
|---------------------------------------------|--------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| (thousands of 2009 dollars) ² | With Tax Cut | With Tax Increase | in After-Tax Income ⁴ | Federal Tax Change | Federal Tax Change (\$) | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal |
| Less than 10 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 5.9 |
| 10-20 | 5.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | -0.8 | -10 | -0.1 | 5.1 |
| 20-30 | 13.2 | 0.0 | 0.2 | -3.2 | -46 | -0.2 | 10.0 |
| 30-40 | 24.4 | 0.3 | 0.4 | -6.0 | -113 | -0.3 | 14.3 |
| 40-50 | 30.5 | 2.3 | 0.4 | -6.2 | -149 | -0.3 | 17.3 |
| 50-75 | 27.5 | 14.0 | 0.2 | -5.7 | -78 | -0.1 | 20.0 |
| 75-100 | 14.8 | 34.6 | -0.2 | 7.7 | 164 | 0.2 | 22.4 |
| 100-200 | 4.7 | 55.5 | -0.6 | 49.2 | 659 | 0.5 | 25.7 |
| 200-500 | 0.2 | 61.0 | -0.9 | 46.9 | 1,974 | 0.6 | 28.5 |
| 500-1,000 | 0.3 | 48.6 | -0.6 | 12.2 | 3,140 | 0.4 | 30.0 |
| More than 1,000 | 0.9 | 32.3 | -0.1 | 5.8 | 2,851 | 0.1 | 34.9 |
| All | 13.4 | 16.6 | -0.3 | 100.0 | 193 | 0.2 | 24.7 |

Source: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model (version 0509-7).

Number of AMT Taxpayers (millions). Baseline: 25.7

Proposal: 28.7

- (1) Calendar year. Baseline is current law. Proposal: replaces the mortgage interest deduction with a 20 percent non-refundable credit; and limits mortgages eligible for the credit to \$500,000 on primary residences only. We approximate the \$500,000 limit on mortgages with a limit on mortgage interest eligible for the credit of \$25,000. The 20 percent credit is designed to raise \$30 billion relative to current law.
- (2) Tax units with negative cash income are excluded from the lowest income class but are included in the totals. For a description of cash income, see http://www.taxpolicycenter.org/TaxModel/income.cfm
- (3) Includes both filing and non-filing units but excludes those that are dependents of other tax units.
- (4) After-tax income is cash income less: individual income tax net of refundable credits; corporate income tax; payroll taxes (Social Security and Medicare); and estate tax.
- (5) Average federal tax (includes individual and corporate income tax, payroll taxes for Social Security and Medicare, and the estate tax) as a percentage of average cash income.

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Baseline: Current Law

Distribution of Federal Tax Change by Cash Income Level, 2015 1 Detail Table

| Cash Income Level | Percent of 1 | Γax Units ³ | Percent Change in After-Tax | Share of Total | Average Fede | ral Tax Change | Share of Federal Taxes | | Average Federal Tax Rate ⁵ | |
|---------------------------------------------|--------------|------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|----------------|------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| (thousands of 2009 dollars) ² | With Tax Cut | With Tax Increase | In After-Tax | Federal Tax Change | Dollars | Percent | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal |
| Less than 10 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 5.9 |
| 10-20 | 5.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | -0.8 | -10 | -1.2 | 0.0 | 0.6 | -0.1 | 5.1 |
| 20-30 | 13.2 | 0.0 | 0.2 | -3.2 | -46 | -1.7 | 0.0 | 1.7 | -0.2 | 10.0 |
| 30-40 | 24.4 | 0.3 | 0.4 | -6.0 | -113 | -2.1 | -0.1 | 2.6 | -0.3 | 14.3 |
| 40-50 | 30.5 | 2.3 | 0.4 | -6.2 | -149 | -1.7 | -0.1 | 3.2 | -0.3 | 17.3 |
| 50-75 | 27.5 | 14.0 | 0.2 | -5.7 | -78 | -0.6 | -0.1 | 8.9 | -0.1 | 20.0 |
| 75-100 | 14.8 | 34.6 | -0.2 | 7.7 | 164 | 0.8 | 0.0 | 9.1 | 0.2 | 22.4 |
| 100-200 | 4.7 | 55.5 | -0.6 | 49.2 | 659 | 1.8 | 0.2 | 26.0 | 0.5 | 25.7 |
| 200-500 | 0.2 | 61.0 | -0.9 | 46.9 | 1,974 | 2.3 | 0.3 | 19.0 | 0.6 | 28.5 |
| 500-1,000 | 0.3 | 48.6 | -0.6 | 12.2 | 3,140 | 1.4 | 0.0 | 7.8 | 0.4 | 30.0 |
| More than 1,000 | 0.9 | 32.3 | -0.1 | 5.8 | 2,851 | 0.3 | -0.1 | 20.8 | 0.1 | 34.9 |
| All | 13.4 | 16.6 | -0.3 | 100.0 | 193 | 0.9 | 0.0 | 100.0 | 0.2 | 24.7 |

Baseline Distribution of Income and Federal Taxes by Cash Income Level, 2015 ¹

| Cash Income Level (thousands of 2009 | Тах | Units ³ | Average Income | Average Federal Tax Burden | Average After- Tax Income ⁴ | Average Federal | Share of Pre- Tax Income | Share of Post- Tax Income | Share of Federal Taxes |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|----------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|
| dollars) ² | Number (thousands) | Percent of Total | (Dollars) | (Dollars) | (Dollars) | Tax Rate ⁵ | Percent of Total | Percent of Total | Percent of Total |
| Less than 10 | 15,866 | 9.7 | 5,737 | 338 | 5,399 | 5.9 | 0.7 | 0.8 | 0.2 |
| 10-20 | 24,726 | 15.1 | 16,244 | 835 | 15,409 | 5.1 | 2.9 | 3.6 | 0.6 |
| 20-30 | 21,658 | 13.2 | 26,982 | 2,753 | 24,230 | 10.2 | 4.2 | 5.0 | 1.7 |
| 30-40 | 16,904 | 10.3 | 37,756 | 5,508 | 32,248 | 14.6 | 4.6 | 5.1 | 2.7 |
| 40-50 | 13,207 | 8.1 | 48,701 | 8,557 | 40,144 | 17.6 | 4.6 | 5.0 | 3.3 |
| 50-75 | 23,012 | 14.0 | 66,940 | 13,464 | 53,476 | 20.1 | 11.0 | 11.6 | 9.0 |
| 75-100 | 14,893 | 9.1 | 94,195 | 20,928 | 73,267 | 22.2 | 10.0 | 10.3 | 9.1 |
| 100-200 | 23,618 | 14.4 | 147,944 | 37,417 | 110,527 | 25.3 | 24.9 | 24.6 | 25.8 |
| 200-500 | 7,504 | 4.6 | 307,192 | 85,561 | 221,631 | 27.9 | 16.4 | 15.7 | 18.7 |
| 500-1,000 | 1,227 | 0.8 | 737,554 | 217,836 | 519,718 | 29.5 | 6.5 | 6.0 | 7.8 |
| More than 1,000 | 647 | 0.4 | 3,192,870 | 1,110,372 | 2,082,498 | 34.8 | 14.7 | 12.7 | 20.9 |
| All | 163,952 | 100.0 | 85,596 | 20,909 | 64,687 | 24.4 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

Source: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model (version 0509-7).

Number of AMT Taxpayers (millions). Baseline: 25.7

Proposal: 28.7

Note: Estimates assume that individuals pay down their mortgage in response to a smaller tax benefit for mortgage interest.

(1) Calendar year. Baseline is current law. Proposal: replaces the mortgage interest deduction with a 20 percent non-refundable credit; and limits mortgages eligible for the credit to \$500,000 on primary residences only. We approximate the \$500,000 limit on mortgages with a limit on mortgage interest eligible for the credit of \$25,000. The 20 percent credit is designed to raise \$30 billion relative to current law.

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Replace Mortgage Interest Deduction with a 20 Percent Non-Refundable Credit Limit Mortgages Eligible for Credit to \$500,000 on Primary Residences Only

Baseline: Current Law

Distribution of Federal Tax Change by Cash Income Level, 2015 ¹ Detail Table - Single Tax Units

| Cash Income Level | Percent of 1 | Γax Units ³ | Percent Change | Share of Total | Average Fede | ral Tax Change | Share of Fe | deral Taxes | Average Fede | eral Tax Rate⁵ |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------------|----------------|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| thousands of 2009 dollars) ² | With Tax Cut | With Tax Increase | in After-Tax Income 4 | Federal Tax Change | Dollars | Percent | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal |
| Less than 10 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 8.5 |
| 10-20 | 6.4 | 0.0 | 0.1 | -5.8 | -13 | -0.9 | 0.0 | 2.5 | -0.1 | 8.4 |
| 20-30 | 11.2 | 0.0 | 0.2 | -12.7 | -35 | -1.0 | -0.1 | 5.0 | -0.1 | 13.0 |
| 30-40 | 19.2 | 0.1 | 0.2 | -16.6 | -68 | -1.0 | -0.1 | 6.4 | -0.2 | 17.3 |
| 40-50 | 25.2 | 1.0 | 0.2 | -16.3 | -90 | -0.9 | -0.1 | 7.1 | -0.2 | 20.3 |
| 50-75 | 18.7 | 17.3 | -0.1 | 8.6 | 30 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 17.8 | 0.1 | 23.7 |
| 75-100 | 10.1 | 35.3 | -0.4 | 30.4 | 239 | 1.0 | 0.1 | 12.6 | 0.3 | 26.7 |
| 100-200 | 3.9 | 40.0 | -0.5 | 69.3 | 564 | 1.4 | 0.2 | 19.9 | 0.4 | 28.1 |
| 200-500 | 0.1 | 35.2 | -0.5 | 30.4 | 1,031 | 1.1 | 0.1 | 10.8 | 0.3 | 29.5 |
| 500-1,000 | 0.0 | 27.8 | -0.4 | 8.4 | 1,700 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 4.7 | 0.2 | 32.6 |
| More than 1,000 | 1.0 | 19.0 | -0.1 | 4.5 | 1,660 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 12.4 | 0.1 | 37.5 |
| All | 10.8 | 7.3 | -0.1 | 100.0 | 46 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 100.0 | 0.1 | 23.6 |

Baseline Distribution of Income and Federal Taxes by Cash Income Level, 2015 ¹

| Cash Income Level (thousands of 2009 | Тах | Units ³ | Average Income | Average Federal Tax Burden | Average After- Tax Income ⁴ | Average Federal | Share of Pre- Tax Income | Share of Post- Tax Income | Share of Federa Taxes |
|-----------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|----------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| dollars) ² | Number (thousands) | Percent of Total | (Dollars) | (Dollars) | (Dollars) | Tax Rate ⁵ | Percent of Total | Percent of Total | Percent of Total |
| Less than 10 | 11,469 | 15.7 | 5,758 | 491 | 5,267 | 8.5 | 1.8 | 2.2 | 0.7 |
| 10-20 | 15,679 | 21.4 | 16,121 | 1,368 | 14,754 | 8.5 | 7.1 | 8.4 | 2.6 |
| 20-30 | 12,148 | 16.6 | 26,870 | 3,521 | 23,349 | 13.1 | 9.1 | 10.4 | 5.1 |
| 30-40 | 8,238 | 11.3 | 37,654 | 6,592 | 31,063 | 17.5 | 8.7 | 9.3 | 6.5 |
| 40-50 | 6,093 | 8.3 | 48,644 | 9,957 | 38,687 | 20.5 | 8.3 | 8.6 | 7.2 |
| 50-75 | 9,580 | 13.1 | 66,220 | 15,651 | 50,570 | 23.6 | 17.7 | 17.7 | 17.9 |
| 75-100 | 4,284 | 5.9 | 93,094 | 24,582 | 68,512 | 26.4 | 11.1 | 10.7 | 12.5 |
| 100-200 | 4,144 | 5.7 | 144,387 | 40,003 | 104,384 | 27.7 | 16.7 | 15.8 | 19.7 |
| 200-500 | 994 | 1.4 | 308,993 | 90,149 | 218,844 | 29.2 | 8.6 | 7.9 | 10.7 |
| 500-1,000 | 166 | 0.2 | 726,397 | 235,170 | 491,227 | 32.4 | 3.4 | 3.0 | 4.7 |
| More than 1,000 | 91 | 0.1 | 3,067,902 | 1,148,977 | 1,918,925 | 37.5 | 7.8 | 6.4 | 12.5 |
| All | 73,231 | 100.0 | 48,892 | 11,473 | 37,419 | 23.5 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

Source: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model (version 0509-7).

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Baseline: Current Law

Distribution of Federal Tax Change by Cash Income Level, 2015 ¹
Detail Table - Married Tax Units Filing Jointly

| Cash Income Level | Percent of 1 | Tax Units ³ | Percent Change | Share of Total | Average Fede | ral Tax Change | Share of Fe | deral Taxes | Average Fede | eral Tax Rate ⁵ |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------------|----------------|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|
| thousands of 2009 dollars) ² | With Tax Cut | With Tax Increase | in After-Tax Income 4 | Federal Tax Change | Dollars | Percent | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal |
| Less than 10 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 6.6 |
| 10-20 | 1.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -3 | -0.5 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 3.6 |
| 20-30 | 17.9 | 0.0 | 0.3 | -1.3 | -76 | -3.8 | 0.0 | 0.4 | -0.3 | 7.0 |
| 30-40 | 28.6 | 0.6 | 0.5 | -2.7 | -170 | -4.4 | 0.0 | 0.7 | -0.5 | 9.8 |
| 40-50 | 36.0 | 1.8 | 0.6 | -3.4 | -234 | -3.7 | -0.1 | 1.0 | -0.5 | 12.4 |
| 50-75 | 38.4 | 6.5 | 0.4 | -7.6 | -229 | -2.1 | -0.1 | 4.1 | -0.3 | 15.8 |
| 75-100 | 18.6 | 31.9 | -0.1 | 2.8 | 86 | 0.5 | -0.1 | 7.0 | 0.1 | 19.9 |
| 100-200 | 5.0 | 58.9 | -0.6 | 44.5 | 667 | 1.8 | 0.2 | 29.0 | 0.5 | 25.1 |
| 200-500 | 0.3 | 65.3 | -1.0 | 49.0 | 2,111 | 2.5 | 0.3 | 23.4 | 0.7 | 28.3 |
| 500-1,000 | 0.4 | 52.2 | -0.7 | 12.8 | 3,404 | 1.6 | 0.0 | 9.5 | 0.5 | 29.6 |
| More than 1,000 | 0.9 | 35.0 | -0.2 | 6.0 | 3,075 | 0.3 | -0.2 | 24.6 | 0.1 | 34.4 |
| All | 15.3 | 30.4 | -0.4 | 100.0 | 435 | 1.2 | 0.0 | 100.0 | 0.3 | 25.9 |

Baseline Distribution of Income and Federal Taxes by Cash Income Level, 2015 ¹

| Cash Income Level | Тах | Units ³ | Average Income | Average Federal Tax Burden | Average After- Tax Income ⁴ | - Average Federal Tax Rate ⁵ | Share of Pre- Tax Income | Share of Post- Tax Income | Share of Federa Taxes |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|----------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| dollars) ² | Number (thousands) | Percent of Total | (Dollars) | (Dollars) | (Dollars) | Tax Rate 5 | Percent of Total | Percent of Total | Percent of Total |
| Less than 10 | 2,060 | 3.3 | 4,792 | 315 | 4,477 | 6.6 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 |
| 10-20 | 3,558 | 5.7 | 16,842 | 615 | 16,227 | 3.7 | 0.7 | 0.9 | 0.1 |
| 20-30 | 4,571 | 7.4 | 27,168 | 1,977 | 25,191 | 7.3 | 1.4 | 1.7 | 0.4 |
| 30-40 | 4,291 | 6.9 | 37,909 | 3,879 | 34,030 | 10.2 | 1.8 | 2.2 | 0.7 |
| 40-50 | 3,967 | 6.4 | 48,817 | 6,287 | 42,530 | 12.9 | 2.2 | 2.5 | 1.1 |
| 50-75 | 8,948 | 14.4 | 67,956 | 10,979 | 56,977 | 16.2 | 6.8 | 7.6 | 4.3 |
| 75-100 | 8,607 | 13.9 | 94,924 | 18,843 | 76,081 | 19.9 | 9.1 | 9.8 | 7.0 |
| 100-200 | 18,038 | 29.0 | 149,444 | 36,891 | 112,553 | 24.7 | 30.0 | 30.3 | 28.9 |
| 200-500 | 6,273 | 10.1 | 306,699 | 84,807 | 221,892 | 27.7 | 21.4 | 20.8 | 23.1 |
| 500-1,000 | 1,018 | 1.6 | 739,899 | 215,476 | 524,423 | 29.1 | 8.4 | 8.0 | 9.5 |
| More than 1,000 | 530 | 0.9 | 3,153,293 | 1,080,797 | 2,072,495 | 34.3 | 18.6 | 16.4 | 24.9 |
| All | 62,127 | 100.0 | 144,829 | 37,127 | 107,702 | 25.6 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

Source: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model (version 0509-7).

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Baseline: Current Law

Distribution of Federal Tax Change by Cash Income Level, 2015 1 Detail Table - Head of Household Tax Units

| Cash Income Level | Percent of | Γax Units ³ | Percent Change | Share of Total | Average Fede | ral Tax Change | Share of Federal Taxes | | Average Federal Tax Rate⁵ | |
|---------------------------------------------|--------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|----------------|------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| (thousands of 2009 dollars) ² | With Tax Cut | With Tax Increase | in After-Tax Income ⁴ | Federal Tax Change | Dollars | Percent | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal |
| Less than 10 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -0.5 | 0.0 | -6.9 |
| 10-20 | 1.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -2.9 | -4 | 0.5 | 0.0 | -1.7 | 0.0 | -4.3 |
| 20-30 | 11.5 | 0.0 | 0.2 | -30.2 | -42 | -3.2 | -0.1 | 2.8 | -0.2 | 4.8 |
| 30-40 | 28.6 | 0.5 | 0.4 | -89.7 | -141 | -2.9 | -0.3 | 9.0 | -0.4 | 12.5 |
| 40-50 | 33.7 | 3.6 | 0.4 | -74.7 | -174 | -2.1 | -0.3 | 10.5 | -0.4 | 16.8 |
| 50-75 | 25.1 | 20.1 | 0.1 | -21.0 | -34 | -0.3 | -0.1 | 24.8 | -0.1 | 20.2 |
| 75-100 | 8.4 | 43.8 | -0.4 | 73.8 | 281 | 1.3 | 0.2 | 17.2 | 0.3 | 23.5 |
| 100-200 | 2.2 | 58.5 | -0.8 | 156.7 | 817 | 2.3 | 0.4 | 21.0 | 0.6 | 26.4 |
| 200-500 | 0.5 | 59.1 | -1.1 | 69.8 | 2,452 | 3.0 | 0.2 | 7.3 | 0.8 | 27.6 |
| 500-1,000 | 0.0 | 49.2 | -0.5 | 12.0 | 2,479 | 1.3 | 0.0 | 2.9 | 0.3 | 27.8 |
| More than 1,000 | 1.6 | 30.0 | -0.2 | 6.2 | 2,960 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 6.7 | 0.1 | 35.4 |
| All | 14.9 | 9.6 | -0.1 | 100.0 | 25 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 100.0 | 0.1 | 17.6 |

Baseline Distribution of Income and Federal Taxes by Cash Income Level, 2015 ¹

| Cash Income Level (thousands of 2009 | Тах | Units ³ | Average Income | Average Federal Tax Burden | Tax Income 4 | Average Federal | Share of Pre- Tax Income | Share of Post- Tax Income | Share of Federa Taxes |
|-----------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|----------------|-------------------------------|--------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| dollars) ² | Number (thousands) | Percent of Total | (Dollars) | (Dollars) | (Dollars) | Tax Rate ⁵ | Percent of Total | Percent of Total | Percent of Total |
| Less than 10 | 2,214 | 8.5 | 6,521 | -452 | 6,972 | -6.9 | 1.2 | 1.5 | -0.5 |
| 10-20 | 5,235 | 20.0 | 16,206 | -692 | 16,898 | -4.3 | 6.9 | 8.8 | -1.7 |
| 20-30 | 4,634 | 17.7 | 27,054 | 1,329 | 25,725 | 4.9 | 10.2 | 11.8 | 2.9 |
| 30-40 | 4,091 | 15.7 | 37,746 | 4,861 | 32,884 | 12.9 | 12.6 | 13.3 | 9.3 |
| 40-50 | 2,761 | 10.6 | 48,622 | 8,340 | 40,282 | 17.2 | 11.0 | 11.0 | 10.7 |
| 50-75 | 3,985 | 15.3 | 66,274 | 13,407 | 52,867 | 20.2 | 21.6 | 20.9 | 24.9 |
| 75-100 | 1,688 | 6.5 | 93,241 | 21,629 | 71,612 | 23.2 | 12.9 | 12.0 | 17.0 |
| 100-200 | 1,232 | 4.7 | 139,028 | 35,902 | 103,126 | 25.8 | 14.0 | 12.6 | 20.6 |
| 200-500 | 183 | 0.7 | 309,851 | 83,202 | 226,649 | 26.9 | 4.6 | 4.1 | 7.1 |
| 500-1,000 | 31 | 0.1 | 719,019 | 197,316 | 521,704 | 27.4 | 1.8 | 1.6 | 2.9 |
| More than 1,000 | 14 | 0.1 | 2,995,273 | 1,057,505 | 1,937,768 | 35.3 | 3.3 | 2.6 | 6.7 |
| All | 26,118 | 100.0 | 46,858 | 8,208 | 38,650 | 17.5 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

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Baseline: Current Law

Distribution of Federal Tax Change by Cash Income Level, 2015 ¹ Detail Table - Tax Units with Children

| Cash Income Level | Percent of 1 | Tax Units ³ | Percent Change | Share of Total | Average Fede | ral Tax Change | Share of Federal Taxes | | Average Federal Tax Rate ⁵ | |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------------|----------------|------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| thousands of 2009 dollars) ² | With Tax Cut | With Tax Increase | in After-Tax Income 4 | Federal Tax Change | Dollars | Percent | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal |
| Less than 10 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -0.1 | 0.0 | -10.9 |
| 10-20 | 0.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -1 | 0.1 | 0.0 | -0.5 | 0.0 | -8.0 |
| 20-30 | 8.6 | 0.0 | 0.1 | -0.7 | -28 | -2.9 | 0.0 | 0.4 | -0.1 | 3.5 |
| 30-40 | 26.4 | 0.9 | 0.4 | -2.8 | -124 | -2.7 | -0.1 | 1.6 | -0.3 | 11.8 |
| 40-50 | 34.8 | 4.7 | 0.5 | -3.6 | -199 | -2.5 | -0.1 | 2.3 | -0.4 | 16.2 |
| 50-75 | 30.2 | 17.9 | 0.2 | -3.4 | -99 | -0.8 | -0.2 | 6.9 | -0.2 | 19.1 |
| 75-100 | 8.8 | 51.3 | -0.4 | 8.1 | 317 | 1.5 | 0.0 | 8.6 | 0.3 | 22.3 |
| 100-200 | 2.1 | 71.8 | -0.8 | 42.6 | 900 | 2.4 | 0.2 | 29.1 | 0.6 | 26.1 |
| 200-500 | 0.2 | 78.0 | -1.3 | 43.7 | 2,749 | 3.2 | 0.3 | 22.6 | 0.9 | 29.3 |
| 500-1,000 | 0.2 | 65.5 | -0.9 | 11.2 | 4,657 | 2.1 | 0.0 | 8.8 | 0.6 | 31.2 |
| More than 1,000 | 0.9 | 43.8 | -0.2 | 5.0 | 4,359 | 0.4 | -0.3 | 20.3 | 0.1 | 35.8 |
| All | 12.3 | 30.0 | -0.5 | 100.0 | 436 | 1.6 | 0.0 | 100.0 | 0.4 | 25.4 |

Baseline Distribution of Income and Federal Taxes by Cash Income Level, 2015 ¹

| Cash Income Level (thousands of 2009 | Тах | Units ³ | Average Income | Average Federal Tax Burden | Average After- | Average Federal | Share of Pre- Tax Income | Share of Post- Tax Income | Share of Federal Taxes |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|----------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|
| dollars) ² | Number (thousands) | Percent of Total | (Dollars) | (Dollars) | (Dollars) | Tax Rate ⁵ | Percent of Total | Percent of Total | Percent of Total |
| Less than 10 | 2,574 | 5.1 | 6,243 | -679 | 6,922 | -10.9 | 0.3 | 0.4 | -0.1 |
| 10-20 | 5,365 | 10.7 | 16,408 | -1,318 | 17,726 | -8.0 | 1.6 | 2.3 | -0.5 |
| 20-30 | 5,534 | 11.1 | 27,039 | 960 | 26,079 | 3.6 | 2.8 | 3.6 | 0.4 |
| 30-40 | 4,955 | 9.9 | 37,825 | 4,588 | 33,237 | 12.1 | 3.5 | 4.1 | 1.7 |
| 40-50 | 3,934 | 7.9 | 48,736 | 8,105 | 40,632 | 16.6 | 3.5 | 3.9 | 2.4 |
| 50-75 | 7,427 | 14.8 | 67,323 | 12,948 | 54,375 | 19.2 | 9.2 | 10.0 | 7.1 |
| 75-100 | 5,589 | 11.2 | 94,752 | 20,802 | 73,950 | 22.0 | 9.8 | 10.2 | 8.6 |
| 100-200 | 10,335 | 20.6 | 148,467 | 37,885 | 110,582 | 25.5 | 28.3 | 28.2 | 28.9 |
| 200-500 | 3,472 | 6.9 | 305,913 | 86,859 | 219,054 | 28.4 | 19.6 | 18.7 | 22.3 |
| 500-1,000 | 523 | 1.0 | 738,730 | 226,119 | 512,610 | 30.6 | 7.1 | 6.6 | 8.7 |
| More than 1,000 | 249 | 0.5 | 3,141,398 | 1,121,293 | 2,020,105 | 35.7 | 14.4 | 12.4 | 20.6 |
| All | 50,095 | 100.0 | 108,069 | 27,056 | 81,013 | 25.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

Source: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model (version 0509-7).

Note: Tax units with children are those claiming an exemption for children at home or away from home. Estimates assume that individuals pay down their mortgage in response to a smaller tax benefit for mortgage interest.

⁽¹⁾ Calendar year. Baseline is current law. Proposal: replaces the mortgage interest deduction with a 20 percent non-refundable credit; and limits mortgages eligible for the credit to \$500,000 on primary residences only. We approximate the \$500,000 limit on mortgages with a limit on mortgage interest eligible for the credit of \$25,000. The 20 percent credit is designed to raise \$30 billion relative to current law.

⁽²⁾ Tax units with negative cash income are excluded from the lowest income class but are included in the totals. For a description of cash income, see

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⁽³⁾ Includes both filing and non-filing units but excludes those that are dependents of other tax units.

⁽⁴⁾ After-tax income is cash income less: individual income tax net of refundable credits; corporate income tax; payroll taxes (Social Security and Medicare); and estate tax.

⁽⁵⁾ Average federal tax (includes individual and corporate income tax, payroll taxes for Social Security and Medicare, and the estate tax) as a percentage of average cash income.

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Replace Mortgage Interest Deduction with a 20 Percent Non-Refundable Credit Limit Mortgages Eligible for Credit to \$500,000 on Primary Residences Only

Baseline: Current Law

Distribution of Federal Tax Change by Cash Income Level, 2015 1 Detail Table - Elderly Tax Units

| Cash Income Level | Percent of 1 | Γax Units ³ | Percent Change | Share of Total | Average Fede | ral Tax Change | Share of Fe | deral Taxes | Average Fede | eral Tax Rate ⁵ |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------------|----------------|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|
| thousands of 2009 dollars) ² | With Tax Cut | With Tax Increase | in After-Tax Income 4 | Federal Tax Change | Dollars | Percent | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal |
| Less than 10 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 3.4 |
| 10-20 | 3.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 89.6 | -7 | -1.7 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 2.4 |
| 20-30 | 11.5 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 387.8 | -35 | -3.0 | 0.0 | 1.2 | -0.1 | 4.3 |
| 30-40 | 20.2 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 656.9 | -94 | -3.8 | -0.1 | 1.5 | -0.3 | 6.3 |
| 40-50 | 22.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 369.2 | -82 | -2.0 | 0.0 | 1.7 | -0.2 | 8.2 |
| 50-75 | 28.5 | 1.9 | 0.2 | 918.4 | -121 | -1.6 | -0.1 | 5.3 | -0.2 | 11.2 |
| 75-100 | 21.9 | 9.0 | 0.1 | 439.2 | -82 | -0.6 | 0.0 | 7.3 | -0.1 | 15.8 |
| 100-200 | 8.1 | 19.2 | -0.1 | -967.9 | 140 | 0.5 | 0.1 | 20.0 | 0.1 | 21.0 |
| 200-500 | 0.2 | 20.7 | -0.2 | -1,150.3 | 461 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 19.2 | 0.2 | 26.5 |
| 500-1,000 | 0.6 | 17.4 | -0.1 | -341.2 | 675 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 10.2 | 0.1 | 29.3 |
| More than 1,000 | 0.7 | 15.6 | -0.1 | -301.7 | 990 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 32.9 | 0.0 | 35.5 |
| All | 12.8 | 4.2 | 0.0 | 100.0 | -2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 100.0 | 0.0 | 20.7 |

Baseline Distribution of Income and Federal Taxes by Cash Income Level, 2015 ¹

| Cash Income Level (thousands of 2009 dollars) ² | Tax Units ³ | | Average Income | Average Federal Tax Burden | Average After- | Average Federal | Share of Pre- Tax Income | Share of Post- Tax Income | Share of Federal Taxes |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------|----------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|
| | Number (thousands) | Percent of Total | (Dollars) | (Dollars) | (Dollars) | Tax Rate 5 | Percent of Total | Percent of Total | Percent of Total |
| Less than 10 | 2,100 | 6.3 | 6,178 | 211 | 5,966 | 3.4 | 0.5 | 0.6 | 0.1 |
| 10-20 | 6,834 | 20.6 | 16,593 | 409 | 16,185 | 2.5 | 4.1 | 5.0 | 0.5 |
| 20-30 | 5,901 | 17.8 | 26,757 | 1,184 | 25,573 | 4.4 | 5.7 | 6.9 | 1.2 |
| 30-40 | 3,706 | 11.2 | 37,624 | 2,457 | 35,167 | 6.5 | 5.0 | 5.9 | 1.6 |
| 40-50 | 2,376 | 7.2 | 48,711 | 4,064 | 44,647 | 8.3 | 4.2 | 4.8 | 1.7 |
| 50-75 | 4,043 | 12.2 | 67,491 | 7,659 | 59,832 | 11.4 | 9.9 | 11.0 | 5.4 |
| 75-100 | 2,829 | 8.5 | 93,810 | 14,926 | 78,883 | 15.9 | 9.6 | 10.2 | 7.4 |
| 100-200 | 3,682 | 11.1 | 148,269 | 30,984 | 117,285 | 20.9 | 19.7 | 19.7 | 20.0 |
| 200-500 | 1,324 | 4.0 | 313,263 | 82,397 | 230,866 | 26.3 | 15.0 | 13.9 | 19.1 |
| 500-1,000 | 268 | 0.8 | 741,450 | 216,456 | 524,994 | 29.2 | 7.2 | 6.4 | 10.2 |
| More than 1,000 | 162 | 0.5 | 3,283,256 | 1,163,173 | 2,120,082 | 35.4 | 19.2 | 15.6 | 32.9 |
| All | 33,251 | 100.0 | 83,172 | 17,199 | 65,974 | 20.7 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

Source: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model (version 0509-7).

Note: Elderly tax units are those with either head or spouse (if filling jointly) age 65 or older. Estimates assume that individuals pay down their mortgage in response to a smaller tax benefit for mortgage interest.

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