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Repeal AMT and Implement 4% Surtax on AGI Above \$100,000/\$200,000

Distribution of Federal Tax Change by Cash Income Percentile, 2010¹

Cash Income Percentile ^{2,3}	Percent of Tax Units ⁴		Percent Change in	Share of Total Federal Tax	Average Federal Tax Change		Share of Federal Taxes		Average Federal Tax Rate ⁶	
	With Tax Cut	With Tax Increase	After-Tax Income ⁵	Change	Dollars	Percent	Change (% Points)	Under the Proposal	Change (% Points)	Under the Proposal
Lowest Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.0	3.6
Second Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	-2	-0.1	0.0	2.3	0.0	7.9
Middle Quintile	2.8	0.0	0.0	1.2	-16	-0.3	0.1	7.8	0.0	14.8
Fourth Quintile	24.3	0.1	0.4	18.3	-249	-1.8	0.0	17.5	-0.3	19.1
Top Quintile	73.2	10.7	0.7	80.3	-1,096	-1.9	-0.1	71.8	-0.5	25.3
All	20.1	2.2	0.5	100.0	-273	-1.7	0.0	100.0	-0.4	21.4
Addendum										
Top 10 Percent	78.6	16.2	0.4	33.5	-916	-1.0	0.4	56.3	-0.3	26.8
Top 5 Percent	75.0	21.6	-0.1	-8.9	487	0.4	0.9	44.1	0.1	28.0
Top 1 Percent	30.7	67.0	-2.4	-86.0	23,464	5.8	1.9	26.7	1.7	30.7
Top 0.5 Percent	17.3	80.7	-3.1	-85.7	46,786	7.2	1.8	21.8	2.1	31.9
Top 0.1 Percent	10.1	89.5	-3.7	-58.2	158,908	8.0	1.2	13.5	2.5	33.9

Baseline Distribution of Income and Federal Taxes by Cash Income Percentile, 2010^1

Cash Income	Tax Units ⁴		Average	Average Federal Tax	Average After-	Average Federal Tax	Share of Pre- Tax Income	Share of Post- Tax Income	Share of Federal Taxes
Percentile ^{2,3}	Number (thousands)	Percent of Total	(Dollars)	Burden (Dollars)	Tax Income ⁵ (Dollars)	Rate ⁶	Percent of Total	Percent of Total	Percent of Total
Lowest Quintile	30,349	19.6	9,317	338	8,978	3.6	2.5	3.0	0.4
Second Quintile	30,951	20.0	23,511	1,853	21,658	7.9	6.3	7.5	2.3
Middle Quintile	30,935	20.0	41,886	6,221	35,665	14.9	11.3	12.3	7.7
Fourth Quintile	30,943	20.0	72,976	14,214	58,762	19.5	19.6	20.2	17.6
Top Quintile	30,945	20.0	225,458	58,215	167,243	25.8	60.7	57.5	71.9
All	154,718	100.0	74,322	16,192	58,130	21.8	100.0	100.0	100.0
Addendum									
Top 10 Percent	15,472	10.0	334,549	90,461	244,088	27.0	45.0	42.0	55.9
Top 5 Percent	7,734	5.0	502,540	139,993	362,547	27.9	33.8	31.2	43.2
Top 1 Percent	1,547	1.0	1,384,540	401,942	982,598	29.0	18.6	16.9	24.8
Top 0.5 Percent	774	0.5	2,181,481	647,927	1,533,553	29.7	14.7	13.2	20.0
Top 0.1 Percent	155	0.1	6,319,084	1,983,017	4,336,066	31.4	8.5	7.5	12.3

Source: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model (version 1006-1).

Number of AMT Taxpayers (millions). Baseline:

32.4 Proposal:

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⁽¹⁾ Calendar year. Baseline is current law. Proposal repeals the individual alternative minimum tax and implements a 4 percent surtax on adjusted gross incomes above \$200,000 for joint tax units and \$100,000 for other filing statuses. Values are presented in 2007 dollars and indexed for inflation.

⁽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⁾ For the income levels at each quintile and the top income percentiles used in this table, see http://www.taxpolicycenter.org/TaxModel/percentiles.cfm

⁽⁴⁾ Includes both filing and non-filing units but excludes those that are dependents of other tax units.

⁽⁵⁾ 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.

⁽⁶⁾ 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.