

## Chapter 7: Congressional Action on the Federal Budget

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Table 7-1 House Votes on Adoption of Budget Resolutions, by Party, FY1976-FY2019

Fiscal Year	Resolution	Total		Democrats		Republicans	
		Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
1976	First	200	196	197	68	3	128
	Second	225	191	214	67	11	124
1977	First	221	155	208	44	13	111
	Second	227	151	215	38	12	113
	Third	239	169	225	50	14	119
1978	First (first round)	84	320	82	185	2	135
	First (second round)	213	179	206	58	7	121
	Second	199	188	195	59	4	129
1979	First	201	197	198	61	3	136
	Second	217	178	215	42	2	136
1980	First	220	184	211	50	9	134
	Second (first round)	192	213	188	67	4	146
	Second (second round)	212	206	212	52	0	154
	Third <sup>a</sup>	241	174	218	45	23	129
1981	First	225	193	203	62	22	131
	Second	203	191	201	45	2	146
1982	First	270	154	84	153	186	1
	Second	206	200	70	150	136	50
1983	First	219	206	63	174	156	32
1984	First	229	196	225	36	4	160
1985	First	250	168	229	29	21	139
1986	First	258	170	234	15	24	155
1987	First	245	179	228	19	17	160
1988	First	215	201	212	34	3	167
1989	First	319	102	227	24	92	78
1990	First	263	157	157	96	106	61
1991	First	218	208	218	34	0	174
1992	First	239	181	231	25	8	155
1993	First	209	207	209	47	0	159
1994	First	243	183	242	11	0	172
1995	First	223	175	222	11	0	164
1996	First	238	194	8	191	230	1
1997	First	216	211	4	191	212	19
1998	First	333	99	132	72	201	26
1999	First <sup>b</sup>	216	204	3	194	213	9
2000	First	221	205	3	204	218	0
2001	First	220	208	6	202	213	5
2002	First	222	205	3	202	218	2
2003	First	221	209	1	206	219	2
2004	First	215	212	1	199	214	12
2005	First	215	212	0	201	215	10
2006	First	218	214	0	201	218	12
2007	First	218	210	0	197	218	12
2008	First	216	210	216	12	0	198
2009	First	212	207	212	16	0	191
2010	First	233	196	233	20	0	176
2011	First <sup>c</sup>	215	210	215	38	0	172
2012	First	235	193	0	189	235	4
2013	First	228	191	0	181	228	10
2014	First	221	207	0	197	221	10
2015	First	219	205	0	193	219	12
2016	First	228	199	0	182	228	17
2017	First <sup>d</sup>	227	198	0	189	227	9
2018	First	219	206	0	188	219	18
2019	First <sup>e</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-

Note: These votes are on passage of the resolutions in the House, not on adoption of the conference report. Beginning with the FY1983, Congress has adopted only one budget resolution each year, rather than the two originally prescribed by the Congressional Budget Act.

- a. The third resolution for FY1980 was part of the first resolution for the FY1981, but it was voted on separately in the House.
- b. Although both chambers passed a FY1999 budget resolution, the two different versions were so far apart that Congress never seriously attempted to reconcile the two bills, so that FY1999 was the first year under the Congressional Budget Act that Congress did not pass a budget resolution.
- c. The house passed a "budget enforcement resolution" in FY2011 to substitute for a traditional budget resolution.
- d. In January 2017, Congress adopted a "shell" budget resolution for FY2017 for the purposes of initiating the reconciliation process in FY2017.
- e. The House did not take a vote on a budget resolution for FY2019.

Source: Congressional Quarterly Almanac (Washington, D.C.: Congressional Quarterly, various years); Congressional Quarterly Weekly Report, various issues.

Most Recent Update Source: Clerk of the House, <http://clerk.house.gov>

Table 7-2 Senate Votes on Adoption of Budget Resolutions, by Party, FY1976-FY2019

Fiscal Year	Resolution	Total		Democrats		Republicans	
		Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
1976	First	69	22	50	4	19	18
	Second	69	23	50	8	19	15
1977	First	62	22	45	6	17	16
	Second	55	23	41	5	14	18
	Third	72	20	55	3	17	17
1978	First	56	31	41	14	15	17
	Second	63	21	46	8	17	13
1979	First	64	27	48	8	16	19
	Second	56	18	42	6	14	12
1980	First	64	20	44	5	20	15
	Second	62	36	45	14	17	22
1981	First	68	28	49	6	19	22
	Second	48	46	33	21	15	25
1982	First	78	20	28	18	50	2
	Second	49	48	2	44	47	4
1983	First	49	43	3	41	46	2
1984	First	50	49	29	17	21	32
1985	First	41	34	1	31	40	3
1986	First	50	49	1	45	49 <sup>a</sup>	4
1987	First	70	25	38	6	32	19
1988	First	53	46	50	3	3	43
1989	First	69	26	44	6	25	20
1990	First	68	31	38	17	30	14
1991	First <sup>b</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-
1992	First	57	41	49	7	8	34
1993	First	52	41	36	16	16	25
1994	First	54	45	54	2	0	43
1995	First	57	40	55	0	2	40
1996	First	57	42	3	42	54	0
1997	First	53	46	0	46	53	0
1998	First	78	22	37	8	41	14
1999	First <sup>c</sup>	57	41	3	44	54	0
2000	First	54	44	0	44	54	0
2001	First	50	48	0	44	50	4
2001	First	50	48	0	44	50	4
2002	First	65	35	15	35	50	0
2003 <sup>d</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2004	First	56	44	6	42	50	1
2005	First	51	45	1	43	50	1
2006	First	51	49	0	44	51	4
2007	First	51	49	1	43	50	5
2008 <sup>f</sup>	First	52	47	50	0	2	47
2009 <sup>f</sup>	First	51	44	49	1	2	43
2010 <sup>f</sup>	First	55	43	55	2	0	41
2011 <sup>d</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2012 <sup>d</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2013 <sup>d</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2014 <sup>g</sup>	First	50	49	50	4	0	45
2015 <sup>d</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2016 <sup>g</sup>	First	52	46	0	44	52	2

Note: These votes are on passage of the resolutions in the Senate, not on adoption of the conference report. Beginning with the FY1983, Congress has adopted only one budget resolution each year, rather than the two originally prescribed by the Congressional Budget Act.

- a. Vice President George Bush cast the deciding vote for the Republicans.
- b. The Senate Budget Resolution (S. Con. Res. 110) was approved by voice vote on June 14, 1990.
- c. Although both chambers adopted a FY1999 budget resolution, the two different versions were so far apart that Congress never seriously attempted to reconcile the two bills, so that FY1999 was the first year under the Congressional Budget Act that Congress did not adopt a budget resolution.
- d. The Senate did not adopt a budget resolution.
- e. In January 2017, Congress adopted a "shell" budget resolution for FY2017 for the purposes of initiating the reconciliation process in FY2017.
- f. Includes Bernie Sanders (I-VT) and Joseph Lieberman (ID-CT).
- g. Includes Bernie Sanders (I-VT) and Angus King (I-ME).

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Most Recent Update Source: Secretary of the Senate, <http://www.senate.gov/legislative/votes.htm>

Budgeted and Actual Revenues, Budget  
 Authority, Outlays, and Deficits, FY1976-FY2017  
 (billions of dollars)

Table 7-3

<i>Fiscal Year</i>	<i>Revenues</i>	<i>Budget authority</i>	<i>Budget outlays</i>	<i>Budget deficit/surplus</i>
<b>1976</b>				
President's budget	297.7	385.8	349.4	-51.7
First budget resolution	298.2	395.8	367.0	-68.8
Second budget resolution	300.8	408.0	374.9	-74.1
Second budget resolution	300.0	415.3	366.4	-66.4
<b>1977</b>				
President's budget	351.3	433.4	394.2	-42.9
First budget resolution	362.5	454.2	413.3	-50.8
Second budget resolution	362.5	451.6	413.1	-50.6
Third budget resolution	347.7	472.9	417.5	-69.8
Fourth budget resolution	356.6	470.2	409.2	-52.6
Actual	357.8	464.4	402.7	-44.9
<b>1978</b>				
Ford budget	393.0	480.4	440.0	-47.0
Carter budget	401.6	507.3	459.4	-57.8
First budget resolution	396.3	503.5	461.0	-64.7
Second budget resolution	397.0	500.1	458.3	-61.3
Actual	402.0	500.4	450.8	-48.8
<b>1979</b>				
President's budget	439.6	568.2	500.2	-60.6
First budget resolution	447.9	568.9	498.8	-50.9
Second budget resolution	448.7	555.7	487.5	-38.8
Third budget resolution	461.0	559.2	494.5	-33.5
Actual	465.9	556.7	493.6	-27.7
<b>1980</b>				
President's budget	502.6	615.5	531.6	-29.0
First budget resolution	509.0	604.4	532.0	-23.0
Second budget resolution	517.8	638.0	547.6	-29.8
Third budget resolution	525.7	658.9	572.7	-47.0
Actual	520.0	658.8	579.6	-59.6
<b>1981</b>				
President's budget	600.0	696.1	615.8	-15.8
Revised budget	628.0	691.3	611.5	16.5
First budget resolution	613.8	697.2	613.6	0.2
Second budget resolution	605.0	694.6	632.4	-27.4
Third budget resolution	603.3	717.5	661.4	-58.1
Actual	599.3	718.4	657.2	-57.9

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<b>1982</b>				
Carter budget	711.8	809.8	739.3	-27.5
Reagan budget	650.3	772.4	695.3	-45.0
Budget resolution	657.8	770.9	695.5	-37.7
Revised resolution	628.4	777.7	734.1	-105.7
Actual	617.8	779.9	728.4	-110.6
<b>1983</b>				
President's budget	666.1	801.9	757.6	-91.5
Budget resolution	665.9	822.4	769.8	-103.9
Actual	600.6	866.7	796.0	-195.4
<b>1984</b>				
President's budget	659.7	900.1	848.5	-188.8
Budget resolution <sup>a</sup>	679.6	919.5	849.5	-169.9
		928.7	858.9	-858.9
Revised resolution	672.9	918.9	845.6	-172.7
Actual	666.5	949.8	851.8	-185.3
<b>1985</b>				
President's budget	745.1	1,006.5	925.5	-180.4
Budget resolution	750.9	1,021.4	932.1	-181.2
Actual	734.1	1,074.1	946.3	-212.2
<b>1986</b>				
President's budget	793.7	1,060.0	973.7	-180.0
Budget resolution	795.7	1,069.7	967.6	-171.9
Actual	769.1	1,072.8	989.8	-220.7
<b>1987</b>				
President's budget	850.4	1,102.0	994.0	-143.6
Budget resolution	852.4	1,093.4	995.0	-142.6
Actual	854.1	1,099.9	1,003.8	-149.7
<b>1988</b>				
President's budget	916.6	1,142.2	1,024.4	-107.8
Budget resolution	921.6	1,153.2	1,055.5	-133.9
Actual	909.0	1,185.5	1,064.0	-155.0
<b>1989</b>				
President's budget	964.7	1,222.1	1,094.2	-129.5
Budget resolution	964.3	1,232.0	1,098.2	-133.9
Actual	990.7	1,309.9	1,144.1	-153.4
<b>1990</b>				
President's budget	1,059.3	1,331.2	1,151.8	-92.5
Budget resolution	1,065.5	1,350.9	1,165.3	-99.8
Actual	1,031.3	1,368.5	1,251.7	-220.4
<b>1991</b>				
President's budget	1,170.2	1,396.5	1,233.3	-63.1
Budget resolution	1,172.9	1,485.6	1,236.9	-64.0
Actual	1,054.3	1,398.2	1,323.0	-268.7

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<b>1992</b>				
President's budget	1,172.2	1,579.3	1,442.2	-270.0
Budget resolution	1,169.2	1,590.1	1,448.0	-278.8
Actual	1,091.7	1,469.2	1,381.9	-290.2
<b>1993</b>				
President's budget	1,171.2	1,516.8	1,503.0	-331.8
Budget resolution	1,173.4	1,516.4	1,500.0	-326.6
Actual	1,153.5	1,473.6	1,408.7	-255.2
<b>1994</b>				
President's budget	1,242.1	1,512.6	1,500.6	-258.5
Budget resolution	1,241.8	1,507.1	1,495.6	-253.8
Actual	1,257.7	1,528.4	1,460.9	-203.2
<b>1995</b>				
President's budget	1,353.8	1,537.0	1,518.9	-165.1 <sup>b</sup>
Budget resolution	1,338.2	1,540.7	1,513.6	-175.4
Actual	1,351.8	1,543.3	1,515.7	-163.9
<b>1996</b>				
President's budget	1,415.5	1,613.8	1,612.1	-196.6
Budget resolution	1,417.2	1,591.7	1,587.5	-170.3
Actual	1,453.1	1,581.1	1,560.3	-107.2
<b>1997</b>				
President's budget	1,495.2	1,638.4	1,635.3	-140.1
Budget resolution	1,469.0	1,633.0	1,622.0	-153.0
Actual	1,579.3	1,642.9	1,601.2	-21.9
<b>1998</b>				
President's budget	1,566.8	1,709.6	1,687.5	-120.7
Budget resolution	1,602.0	1,703.8	1,692.0	-90.0
Actual	1,721.8	1,692.3	1,652.6	69.2
<b>1999</b>				
President's budget <sup>c</sup>	1,742.7	1,751.0	1,733.2	9.5
Budget resolution <sup>d</sup>	-	-	-	-
Actual	1,827.5	1,766.7	1,702.9	124.6
<b>2000</b>				
President's budget <sup>c</sup>	1,883.0	1,781.1	1,765.7	117.3
Budget resolution	1,876.1	1,753.8	1,735.2	140.9
Actual	2,025.2	1,825.0	1,788.8	236.4

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<b>2001</b>				
President's budget	2,136.9	1,893.5	1,835.0	301.9
Budget resolution	2004.7	1869	1834.7	170
Actual	1,991.2	1,960.0	1,863.0	128.2
<b>2002</b>				
President's budget	2,191.7	2,004.6	1,960.6	231.1
Budget resolution	2170.5	2049.9	2020.5	150.0
Actual	1,853.2	2,090.0	2,011.0	-157.8
<b>2003</b>				
President's budget	1,836.0	2,154.0	2,140.0	-304.0
Budget resolution <sup>d</sup>	-	-	-	-
Actual	1,782.3	2,266.1	2,159.9	-377.6
<b>2004</b>				
President's budget	1,922.0	2,243.0	2,229.0	-307.0
Budget Resolution	1883.3	2247.9	2268.2	-384.9
Actual	1,880.3	2,293.0	2,292.2	-411.9
<b>2005</b>				
President's Budget	2,036.0	2,349.0	2,400.0	-364.0
Budget Resolution	2026.9	2405.2	2394.3	-367.4
Actual	2,153.9	2,582.9	2,472.2	-318.3
<b>2006</b>				
President's Budget	2,178.0	2,547.5	2,567.0	-389.0
Budget Resolution	2194.7	2562.4	2577.4	-382.7
Actual	2,407.3	2,841.7	2,655.4	-248.1
<b>2007</b>				
President's Budget	2,416.0	2,739.4	2,770.0	-354.0
Budget Resolution <sup>d</sup>	-	-	-	-
Actual	2,568.0	2,863.0	2,729.0	-160.7
<b>2008</b>				
President's Budget	2,662.0	2,941.0	2,902.0	-239.0
Budget Resolution	2684.9	2965.4	2936.5	-251.6
Actual	2,524.0	3,326.0	2,983.0	-458.6

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<i>Fiscal Year</i>	<i>Revenues</i>	<i>Budget authority</i>	<i>Budget outlays</i>	<i>Budget deficit/surplus</i>
<b>2009</b>				
President's Budget	2,700.0	3,026.0	3,107.0	-407.0
Budget Resolution	2725.5	3033.6	3065.9	-340.4
Actual	2,105.0	4,077.5	3,517.7	-1,412.7
<b>2010</b>				
President's Budget	2,333.0	3,425.0	3,591.0	-1,258.0
Budget Resolution	2321.9	3444.2	3554.6	-1232.7
Actual	2,162.7	3,484.6	3,456.2	-1,293.5
<b>2011</b>				
President's Budget	2,174.0	3,690.5	3,819.0	-1,645.0
Budget Resolution <sup>d</sup>	-	-	-	-
Actual	2,303.5	3,510.0	3,603.1	-1,299.6
<b>2012</b>				
President's Budget	2,627.0	3,685.0	3,729.0	-1,101.0
Budget Resolution <sup>d</sup>	-	-	-	-
Actual	2,450.0	3,576.2	3,537.0	-1,087.0
<b>2013</b>				
President's Budget	2,902.0	3,667.0	3,803.0	-901.0
Budget Resolution <sup>d</sup>	-	-	-	-
Actual	2,775.1	3,478.4	3,454.6	-679.5
<b>2014</b>				
President's Budget	3,034.0	3,796.0	3,778.0	-744.0
Budget Resolution <sup>d</sup>	-	-	-	-
Actual	3,021.5	3,619.0	3,506.1	-484.6
<b>2015</b>				
President's Budget	3,337.0	3,969.0	3,901.0	-564.0
Budget Resolution <sup>d</sup>	-	-	-	-
Actual	3,249.9	3,772.7	3,688.3	-438.4
<b>2016</b>				
President's Budget	3,525.0	4,066.0	3,999.0	-474.0
Budget Resolution	3,471.0	3,822.4	3,871.0	-400.0
Actual	3,268.0	3,972.90	3,853.0	-585.0
<b>2017</b>				
President's Budget	3644.0	4235.0	4147.0	-503.0
Budget Resolution <sup>e</sup>	3508.1			
Actual	3316.0	4154.0	3982.0	-666.0
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Prior to FY87, congressional budget resolutions did not contain unified (on- and off-budget) totals; all congressional figures from 1987 to the present are unified totals.

- a. Larger figures for authority, outlays, and deficit assumed enactment of programs in a reserve fund.
- b. This figure assumed enactment of the president's health care reforms.
- c. President Clinton indicated in his FY1999 and FY2000 budget proposals that the surplus would be reserved for the Social Security trust fund, pending a legislative solution. Thus, while the budget did not call the remainder a surplus, it is treated as such in this table.
- d. Congress did not adopt a budget resolution.
- e. Because the FY17 budget resolution was a "shell" intended to unlock the reconciliation process, the Budget Committees did not produce summary tables that included unified budget totals for outlays and revenues.

Source: Congressional Quarterly Almanac (Washington, D.C.: Congressional Quarterly, various years); President's Budget, Fiscal Years 2001-2008, US Government Printing Office (<http://www.gpoaccess.gov>).

Most Recent Update Source: "Historical Tables 1.1: Summary of Receipts, Outlays, and Surpluses or Deficits," "Summary Tables S-1: Budget Totals," and "Analytical Perspectives: Relationship of Budget Authority to Outlays," President's Budget, various years.

Table 7-4a Relatively Uncontrollable Federal Outlays under Present Law, FY1967-FY2011 (billions of dollars)

<i>Fiscal year</i>	<i>Social Security and other retirement</i>	<i>Medical care</i>	<i>Other direct payments to individuals</i>	<i>Net interest</i>	<i>All other uncontrollables</i>	<i>Total uncontrollables</i>	<i>Total Outlays</i>	<i>Percent budget uncontrollable</i>
1967	26.3	6.1	10.7	10.3	37.0	90.4	157.5	57.4
1968	29.1	9.0	11.4	11.1	42.3	102.9	178.1	57.8
1969	33.1	10.9	12.9	12.7	41.9	111.5	183.6	60.7
1970	36.9	12.1	15.4	14.4	41.5	120.3	195.6	61.5
1971	44.1	13.5	22.3	14.8	40.2	134.9	210.2	64.2
1972	49.7	16.2	25.8	15.5	39.2	146.4	230.7	63.5
1973	60.6	17.4	18.3	17.3	41.4	155.0	245.7	63.1
1974	69.4	20.4	21.4	21.4	46.0	178.6	269.4	66.3
1975	82.6	25.8	34.3	23.2	53.3	219.2	332.3	66.0
1976	92.6	31.6	43.5	26.7	53.7	248.1	371.8	66.7
1977	106.4	36.6	39.6	29.9	58.8	271.3	409.2	66.3
1978	117.1	41.3	36.9	35.5	76.9	307.7	458.7	67.1
1979	131.1	47.0	46.5	42.6	85.3	352.5	504.0	69.9
1980	150.2	55.3	47.0	52.5	103.2	408.2	590.9	69.1
1981	176.3	66.0	51.5	68.8	108.6	471.2	678.2	69.5
1982	195.9	74.0	53.2	85.0	121.5	529.6	745.7	71.0
1983	212.8	81.2	61.2	89.8	128.7	573.7	808.4	71.0
1984	221.7	88.0	49.2	111.1	145.3	615.3	851.9	72.2
1985	232.9	99.4	49.7	129.5	162.2	673.7	946.4	71.2
1986	245.5	106.1	52.0	136.0	181.3	720.9	990.4	72.8
1987	256.7	115.1	52.1	138.6	185.2	747.7	1,004.1	74.5
1988	271.6	123.4	53.7	151.8	186.8	787.3	1,064.5	74.0
1989	287.4	133.4	52.3	169.0	210.4	852.5	1,143.8	74.5
1990	305.8	155.8	57.4	184.3	231.6	934.9	1,253.1	74.6
1991	330.1	175.7	69.9	194.4	233.8	1,003.9	1,324.3	75.8
1992	350.7	208.5	84.7	199.3	233.8	1,077.0	1,381.6	78.0
1993	369.0	230.0	87.8	198.7	236.7	1,122.2	1,409.5	79.6
1994	387.8	251.9	75.0	202.9	228.2	1,145.8	1,461.9	78.4
1995	406.8	275.3	77.9	232.1	233.2	1,225.3	1,515.9	80.8
1996	423.0	293.6	76.9	241.1	227.9	1,262.5	1,560.6	80.9
1997	441.5	313.9	75.9	244.0	228.8	1,304.1	1,601.3	81.4
1998	457.3	324.3	77.0	241.1	228.0	1,327.7	1,652.7	80.3
1999	467.0	331.5	79.9	229.7	240.2	1,348.3	1,702.0	79.2
2000	491.8	351.6	76.8	222.9	253.6	1,396.8	1,789.2	78.1
2001	519.7	389.7	87.4	206.2	292.6	1,495.6	1,863.2	80.3
2002	545.1	427.4	123.8	170.9	312.5	1,579.8	2,011.2	78.5
2003	566.9	469.0	139.6	153.1	345.2	1,673.8	2,160.1	77.5
2004	590.9	509.5	132.9	160.2	368.5	1,762.1	2,293.0	76.8
2005	623.6	549.3	133.0	184.0	392.3	1,882.1	2,472.2	76.1
2006	651.4	582.6	148.2	226.6	425.0	2,033.8	2,655.4	76.6
2007	697.9	641.8	128.9	237.1	-17.9	1,687.8	2,728.7	61.9
2008	734.9	671.4	137.0	252.8	51.7	1,847.8	2,982.6	62.0
2009	809.3	764.4	295.2	186.9	224.1	2,279.9	3,517.7	64.8
2010	833.2	820.7	287.9	196.2	-29.0	2,109.0	3,001.3	70.3
2011	862.0	858.2	221.8	223.0	90.9	2,255.9	3,603.1	62.6

Note: Occasionally, the Office of Management and Budget reclassifies or redefines uncontrollables. Thus, the figures in this table may not be consistent with those published in some budget documents.

**This table is no longer updated. See errata for more details, including on methodology for previous data.**

Source: President's Budget, Fiscal Year 2011, Historical Tables.

Table 7-4b Mandatory and discretionary outlays under current law FY 1962-2017 (millions of dollars)

<i>Fiscal year</i>	<i>Social Security and Retirement</i>	<i>Medical Care</i>	<i>Direct Payments to Individuals</i>	<i>Other Mandatory Spending</i>	<i>Net Interest</i>	<i>Total Mandatory</i>	<i>Total Outlays</i>	<i>Percent Budget Mandatory</i>
1962	16,650	111	10,381	715	6,889	34,746	106,800	0.33
1963	18,311	169	10,570	-767	7,740	36,023	111,300	0.32
1964	19,464	225	10,393	1,111	8,199	39,392	118,500	0.33
1965	20,578	296	10,013	955	8,591	40,433	118,200	0.34
1966	24,284	808	9,774	136	9,386	44,388	134,500	0.33
1967	25,783	3,724	10,575	640	10,268	50,990	157,500	0.32
1968	28,476	6,257	11,635	2,698	11,090	60,156	178,100	0.34
1969	32,469	7,716	12,503	938	12,699	66,325	183,600	0.36
1970	36,172	8,613	15,004	1,226	14,380	75,395	195,600	0.39
1971	43,272	9,651	20,805	-928	14,841	87,641	210,200	0.42
1972	48,800	11,700	25,276	882	15,478	102,136	230,700	0.44
1973	59,610	12,402	23,166	2,786	17,349	115,313	245,700	0.47
1974	68,458	14,956	26,434	-145	21,449	131,152	269,400	0.49
1975	81,417	19,323	39,653	10,729	23,244	174,366	332,300	0.52
1976	91,122	24,015	49,130	5,220	26,727	196,214	371,800	0.53
1977	104,667	28,943	47,221	1,414	29,901	212,146	409,200	0.52
1978	115,343	33,062	46,179	9,995	35,458	240,037	458,700	0.52
1979	129,250	38,488	48,325	5,335	42,633	264,031	504,000	0.52
1980	148,349	45,708	62,203	5,823	52,533	314,616	590,900	0.53
1981	174,177	55,691	70,996	696	68,766	370,326	678,200	0.55
1982	193,354	63,774	74,239	3,392	85,032	419,791	745,700	0.56
1983	210,070	71,349	84,240	-412	89,808	455,055	808,400	0.56
1984	219,042	77,496	73,722	-9,004	111,102	472,358	851,800	0.55
1985	230,141	88,026	86,880	-3,972	129,478	530,553	946,300	0.56
1986	242,756	94,146	76,358	2,583	136,017	551,860	990,400	0.56
1987	253,897	102,703	76,826	-12,180	138,611	559,857	1,004,000	0.56
1988	268,503	109,238	80,097	-9,641	151,803	600,000	1,064,400	0.56
1989	284,676	118,035	85,034	-1,815	168,981	654,911	1,143,700	0.57
1990	303,084	138,639	91,541	34,804	184,347	752,415	1,253,000	0.60
1991	327,239	157,049	111,728	485	194,448	790,949	1,324,200	0.60
1992	347,645	187,699	132,390	-19,352	199,344	847,726	1,381,500	0.61
1993	365,836	207,652	140,824	-43,394	198,713	869,631	1,409,400	0.62
1994	384,581	228,429	136,119	-31,649	202,932	920,412	1,461,800	0.63
1995	403,711	250,258	141,999	-57,121	232,134	970,981	1,515,700	0.64
1996	419,832	268,045	143,332	-44,511	241,053	1,027,751	1,560,500	0.66
1997	438,013	288,314	145,561	-61,793	243,984	1,054,079	1,601,100	0.66
1998	453,709	296,764	144,092	-35,220	241,118	1,100,463	1,652,500	0.67
1999	463,465	301,765	148,965	-14,221	229,755	1,129,729	1,701,800	0.66
2000	487,868	318,697	154,719	-9,909	222,949	1,174,324	1,789,000	0.66
2001	515,584	353,137	159,181	-20,264	206,167	1,213,805	1,862,800	0.65
2002	540,639	384,782	204,784	-24,210	170,949	1,276,944	2,010,900	0.64
2003	562,124	421,007	226,272	-26,916	153,073	1,335,560	2,159,900	0.62
2004	586,302	457,276	223,295	-29,342	160,245	1,397,776	2,292,800	0.61
2005	618,538	494,401	239,557	-33,066	183,986	1,503,416	2,472,000	0.61
2006	646,257	526,271	262,959	-23,664	226,603	1,638,426	2,655,000	0.62
2007	692,649	584,777	239,374	-66,813	237,109	1,687,096	2,728,700	0.62
2008	729,407	612,367	299,675	-46,546	252,757	1,847,660	2,982,500	0.62
2009	803,492	702,829	361,218	225,700	186,902	2,280,141	3,517,700	0.65
2010	826,659	750,159	463,042	-126,141	196,194	2,109,913	3,457,100	0.61
2011	855,552	789,681	432,366	-51,633	229,962	2,255,928	3,603,100	0.63
2012	897,342	752,447	390,761	-10,094	220,408	2,250,864	3,537,000	0.64
2013	946,002	793,054	378,494	-85,916	220,885	2,252,519	3,454,600	0.65
2014	987,793	859,025	369,069	-117,403	228,956	2,327,440	3,506,100	0.66
2015	1,028,383	966,243	398,638	-96,705	223,181	2,519,740	3,688,300	0.68
2016	1,058,347	1,043,283	396,965	-71,285	240,033	2,667,343	3,852,600	0.69

2017	1085456	1064204	420264	-51080	262551	2781395	3981600	0.70
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Note: This table is meant to replace 7.4a, which is no longer updated. For more details on the two tables, see the errata.

Source: "Table 8.1: Outlays by Budget Enforcement Act Category, 1962-2021" (for total outlays) and "Table 8.5: Outlays for Mandatory and Related Programs: 1962-2021" (for outlays by category), President's Budget.

Table 7-5 Supplemental Appropriations, FY1970-FY2018

Fiscal year	Number of supplemental bills <sup>a</sup>	Amount of supplemental discretionary budget authority (millions of dollars)	Fiscal year	Number of supplemental bills <sup>a</sup>	Amount of supplemental discretionary budget authority (millions of dollars)
1970	2	5,993	1994	7	13,613
1971	4	9,870	1995	0	- <sup>c</sup>
1972	7	11,599	1996	4	903
1973	5	11,371	1997	1	9,163
1974	5	14,796	1998	1	6,006
1975	7	27,587	1999	2	13,367
1976	7	24,638	2000	2	17,387
1977	11	49,835	2001	2	28,979
1978	10	16,052	2002	2	46,554
1979	3	13,845	2003	3	81,110
1980	6	19,683	2004	3 <sup>d</sup>	99,858
1981	2	21,217	2005	6 <sup>e</sup>	177,190
1982	4	27,100	2006	3	128,456
1983	2	22,732	2007	1	120,918
1984	4	16,682	2008	2	138,972
1985	3	15,545	2009	2	196,760
1986	3	15,245	2010	3	43,017
1987	2	9,970	2011	0	-
1988	3	1,322	2012	0	-
1989	4	5,663	2013	1	50,507
1990	2	6,374	2014	1	225
1991	3	48,472	2015	0	-
1992	3	20,815	2016	1	1,608
1993	4 <sup>b</sup>	9,519	2017	1	10,075

- a. The number of supplemental bills includes all appropriations bills in which supplemental budget authority was provided.
- b. Excludes \$4B in mandatory supplemental appropriations for unemployment insurance because that additional funding was offset by the same amount of mandatory offsetting receipts.
- c. All FY1995 supplemental spending was offset.
- d. Includes \$10.275B from Public Law 108-324, enacted on October 13, 2004, but retroactive to FY2004.
- e. Includes Public Law 108-287, enacted on August 5, 2004. The President requested the funds for FY2005.

Source: Congressional Budget Office (<http://www.cbo.gov>).

Most Recent Update Source: "Supplemental Appropriations Budget Authority, 2000-present," Congressional Budget Office.

Table 7-6 Continuing Appropriations, FY1977-FY2019

Fiscal Year	Regular appropriation bills enacted by start of fiscal year <sup>a</sup>	Continuing resolutions enacted for fiscal year	Fiscal Year	Regular appropriation bills enacted by start of fiscal year <sup>a</sup>	Continuing resolutions enacted for fiscal year
1977	13	2 <sup>b</sup>	1999	1	6
1978	9	3	2000	4	7
1979	5	1	2001	2	21
1980	3	2	2002	0	8
1981	1	2	2003	0	8
1982	0	4	2004	3	5
1983	1	2	2005	1	3
1984	4	2	2006	2	3
1985	4	5	2007	1	4
1986	0	5	2008	0	4
1987	0	5	2009	0	1
1988	0	5	2010	1	2
1989	13 <sup>c</sup>	0	2011	0	8
1990	1	3	2012	0	5
1991	0	5	2013	0	2
1992	3	4	2014	0	7
1993	1	1	2015	0	3
1994	2	3	2016	0	3
1995	13	0	2017	0	3
1996	0	13	2018	0	5
1997	8 <sup>d</sup>	0	2019	5	5 <sup>e</sup>

- a. The number of possible regular appropriations bills has varied over time. Before FY2006, there were 13. In FY2006 and 2007, there were 11. Since FY2008, there have been 12.
- b. Although all 13 regular appropriations became law before the start of FY1977, the 2 CRs provided funding for activities the had not been included in the regular appropriation acts.
- c. Congress cleared and sent all bills to the president by the beginning of FY1989, but he did not sign all the bills until the following day.
- d. All of the appropriations bills were enacted by the beginning of FY1997, but not as 13 separate acts.
- e. The fiscal year has not yet finished. Data will be updated at the end of FY19.

Source: "Status of Appropriations Legislation," congress.gov. Jessica Tollestrup, "Continuing Resolutions: Overview of Components and Practices." Congressional Research Service. 16 July 2015.

Table 7-7

Budget-Related Roll Call Votes in the House, Selected Years, 1955-2014

Measure	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975	1980	1981	1983	1985	1987	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Authorizations	27	28	78	77	147	105	70	129	95	118	68	116	83	38	94	94	57
Appropriations	6	16	21	39	94	111	85	112	82	86	95	110	101	129	176	121	294
Tax legislation	3	3	3	1	48	14	7	9	11	0	0	0	11	21	6	6	20
Budget resolutions	0	0	0	0	12	30	13	4	10	8	7	8	9	10	8	9	23
Reconciliation bills	0	0	0	0	0	6	12	2	10	6	14	5	0	0	9	0	9
Debt ceilings	1	2	2	2	11	7	2	3	11	7	3	6	0	0	0	1	13
Miscellaneous	0	1	0	2	8	4	7	3	1	2	0	8	4	16	12	34	65
Total budget-related roll calls	37	50	104	121	320	277	196	262	220	227	187	253	208	214	305	265	481
Total roll calls	147	206	383	459	828	681	371	533	482	511	379	536	444	488	615	507	885
Percentage budget-related	25.2	24.3	27.2	26.4	38.6	40.7	52.8	49.2	45.6	44.4	49.3	47.2	46.8	43.9	49.6	52.3	54.4

Measure	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Authorizations	40	82	51	39	37	44	31	47	17	48	22	91	159	149	126	24	17
Appropriations	146	147	119	153	165	127	61	155	127	171	49	353	27	255	36	60	21
Tax legislation	18	9	15	10	48	25	26	73	28	11	13	29	34	11	39	12	17
Budget resolutions	8	10	4	15	12	11	5	9	13	12	7	12	12	12	0	3	7
Reconciliation bills	8	12	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	4	13	8	0	0	4	2	6
Debt ceilings	10	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	0	5	0	2	3	2	1
Miscellaneous	11	9	23	13	16	9	2	14	8	0	47	0	19	0	28	12	22
Total budget-related roll calls	241	269	212	230	278	222	127	298	196	246	151	498	251	429	234	115	91
Total roll calls	455	640	547	611	603	512	484	677	544	671	541	1186	690	991	664	949	659
Percentage budget-related	53.0	42.0	38.8	37.6	46.1	43.4	26.2	44.0	36.0	36.7	27.9	42.0	36.4	43.3	35.2	12.1	13.8

Measure	2013	2014
Authorizations	14	56
Appropriations	73	153
Tax legislation	1	33
Budget resolutions	3	10
Reconciliation bills	0	0
Debt ceilings	5	1
Miscellaneous	18	12
Total budget-related roll calls	114	265
Total roll calls	641	564
Percentage budget-related	17.8	47.0

Note: Classification of votes in table is done based on coding of vote descriptions provided in CQ Almanac. Data is subject to revision based on updates to coding scheme.

Source: Congressional Quarterly Roll Call Vote Index. Office of the Clerk, US House of Representatives, Roll Call Votes.

Most Recent Update Source: Tabulations based on CQ Almanac Floor Votes Tables.

Table 7-8

Budget-Related Roll Call Votes in the Senate, Selected Years, 1955-2014

Measure	1955	1960	1965	1970	1975	1980	1981	1983	1985	1987	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Authorizations	22	48	87	83	96	82	55	58	67	84	42	81	73	20	27	68	38
Appropriations	12	28	27	77	87	128	130	107	59	66	75	58	66	64	114	108	113
Tax legislation	2	10	10	6	48	10	56	13	7	0	5	0	5	41	27	3	27
Budget resolutions	0	0	0	0	8	50	26	34	39	17	8	1	12	14	46	15	56
Reconciliation bills	0	0	0	0	0	4	63	2	23	8	2	6	0	0	6	0	48
Debt ceilings	0	2	1	3	3	6	12	15	29	17	0	1	0	0	0	0	4
Miscellaneous	1	0	0	1	4	3	2	9	6	3	6	10	3	9	16	9	58
Total budget-related roll calls	37	88	125	170	246	283	344	238	230	195	138	157	159	148	236	203	344
Total roll calls	88	207	259	422	611	546	497	381	381	420	312	326	280	270	395	329	613
Percentage budget-related	42.0	42.5	48.3	40.3	40.3	51.8	69.2	62.5	60.4	46.4	44.2	48.2	56.8	54.8	59.7	61.7	56.1

Measure	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Authorizations	33	33	38	18	26	55	5	10	9	8	2	64	56	26	11	4	1
Appropriations	80	82	81	83	89	76	12	129	11	116	10	77	8	127	19	21	6
Tax legislation	10	18	37	9	47	10	8	52	24	12	10	28	23	12	70	9	9
Budget resolutions	42	22	34	12	31	23	1	13	11	38	11	26	50	30	0	4	5
Reconciliation bills	31	51	0	0	0	55	0	0	0	33	15	0	0	0	43	1	0
Debt ceilings	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	1	12	2	22
Miscellaneous	15	3	6	10	13	6	0	30	11	0	21	1	5	0	16	28	21
Total budget-related roll calls	213	209	196	132	206	225	27	234	68	207	70	196	142	196	171	69	64
Total roll calls	306	298	314	374	298	380	253	459	216	366	279	442	215	397	299	235	251
Percentage budget-related	69.6	70.1	62.4	35.3	69.1	59.2	10.7	51.0	31.5	56.6	25.1	44.3	66.0	49.4	57.2	29.4	25.5

Measure	2013	2014
Authorizations	0	24
Appropriations	7	10
Tax legislation	13	4
Budget resolutions	2	3
Reconciliation bills	3	0
Debt ceilings	3	2
Miscellaneous	31	0
Total budget-related roll calls	59	43
Total roll calls	291	366
Percentage budget-related	20.3	11.7

Note: Classification of votes in table is done based on coding of vote descriptions provided in CQ Almanac. Data is subject to revision based on updates to coding scheme.

Source: Congressional Quarterly Roll Call Vote Index. United States Senate, Roll Call Tables.

Most Recent Update Source: Tabulations based on CQ Almanac Floor Votes Tables.