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Total Government Revenues as a Percentage of Personal Income, 1977-2018

Year	State and Local			State [1]				Local				*Exhibit:*
		Intergovernmental	Own-		Intergovernmental		Own-		Intergovernmental		Own-	Personal Income [5]
	Total [2]	from Federal	Source [3]	Total	Federal	Local	Source [3]	Total	Federal	State [4]	Source [3]	(Millions)
1977	20.8	3.8	16.9	12.6	2.8	0.2	9.6	12.1	1.0	3.7	7.4	1,626,621
1978	20.3	3.8	16.5	12.3	2.8	0.2	9.4	11.7	1.1	3.5	7.1	1,830,836
1979	19.7	3.7	16.1	12.1	2.7	0.1	9.3	11.4	1.0	3.6	6.8	2,052,037
1980	19.7	3.6	16.1	12.1	2.7	0.1	9.3	11.3	0.9	3.5	6.8	2,292,903
1981	19.7	3.5	16.2	12.1	2.6	0.1	9.4	11.2	0.9	3.5	6.9	2,572,070
1982	19.9	3.2	16.7	12.0	2.4	0.1	9.5	11.4	0.8	3.5	7.2	2,757,048
1983	20.2	3.1	17.1	12.2	2.4	0.1	9.7	11.5	0.7	3.3	7.4	2,941,857
1984	20.0	3.0	17.0	12.2	2.3	0.2	9.7	11.2	0.6	3.2	7.4	3,256,048
1985	20.7	3.0	17.6	12.7	2.4	0.2	10.1	11.6	0.6	3.3	7.6	3,482,520
1986	21.3	3.1	18.2	13.1	2.5	0.2	10.4	11.8	0.6	3.4	7.8	3,683,091
1987	21.6	2.9	18.6	13.3	2.4	0.2	10.6	12.0	0.5	3.5	8.0	3,909,771
1988	21.0	2.8	18.2	12.9	2.4	0.2	10.3	11.7	0.4	3.5	7.9	4,216,123
1989	21.0	2.8	18.2	13.0	2.4	0.2	10.4	11.7	0.4	3.5	7.9	4,541,996
1990	21.4	2.8	18.5	13.1	2.5	0.2	10.5	12.0	0.4	3.5	8.1	4,831,282
1991	21.6	3.1	18.5	13.2	2.7	0.2	10.3	12.2	0.4	3.6	8.2	5,013,484
1992	22.3	3.4	18.9	14.0	3.0	0.2	10.8	12.3	0.4	3.7	8.2	5,335,268
1993	22.9	3.6	19.3	14.5	3.2	0.2	11.1	12.3	0.4	3.7	8.2	5,558,374
1994	22.7	3.7	19.0	14.4	3.3	0.2	10.9	12.3	0.4	3.7	8.2	5,866,796
1995	22.9	3.7	19.2	14.7	3.3	0.2	11.2	12.2	0.4	3.8	8.0	6,194,245
1996	23.0	3.6	19.4	14.7	3.2	0.2	11.4	12.2	0.4	3.7	8.1	6,584,404
1997	23.1	3.5	19.6	14.9	3.1	0.2	11.6	12.1	0.4	3.7	8.0	6,994,388
1998	22.9	3.4	19.5	14.7	3.0	0.2	11.5	12.1	0.4	3.7	8.0	7,519,327
1999	22.7	3.4	19.3	14.6	3.0	0.2	11.4	12.0	0.4	3.7	7.9	7,906,131
2000	22.7	3.4	19.3	14.8	3.0	0.2	11.6	11.9	0.4	3.7	7.8	8,554,866
2001	21.3	3.6	17.6	13.3	3.3	0.2	9.9	12.0	0.4	3.8	7.8	8,878,830
2002	20.0	4.0	16.0	12.2	3.5	0.2	8.4	12.0	0.5	3.9	7.6	9,054,702
2003	21.9	4.2	17.7	13.9	3.7	0.2	10.0	12.2	0.5	4.0	7.7	9,369,072
2004	24.5	4.3	20.3	16.0	3.8	0.2	12.1	12.6	0.5	3.8	8.2	9,928,790
2005	24.1	4.2	19.9	15.7	3.7	0.2	11.8	12.5	0.5	3.8	8.2	10,476,669
2006	24.4	4.0	20.3	15.8	3.5	0.2	12.1	12.5	0.5	3.7	8.3	11,256,516
2007	25.6	3.9	21.7	16.7	3.4	0.2	13.1	12.8	0.5	3.7	8.6	11,995,419
2008	21.0	3.8	17.2	12.7	3.4	0.2	9.1	12.3	0.5	3.7	8.1	12,492,705
2009	17.4	4.5	13.0	9.4	4.0	0.2	5.3	12.1	0.5	3.9	7.7	12,051,307
2010	25.4	5.0	20.4	16.3	4.4	0.2	11.7	13.0	0.5	3.8	8.7	12,541,995
2011	25.8	4.9	21.0	17.1	4.3	0.1	12.6	12.5	0.5	3.6	8.4	13,315,478
2012	21.4	4.1	17.2	13.4	3.7	0.1	9.6	11.5	0.5	3.3	7.7	13,998,383
2013	24.2	4.1	20.1	15.7	3.6	0.1	12.0	11.9	0.5	3.3	8.1	14,175,503
2014	24.2	4.0	20.2	15.8	3.6	0.1	12.1	11.8	0.4	3.2	8.1	14,982,715
2015	21.7	4.2	17.6	13.8	3.8	0.1	10.0	11.2	0.4	3.2	7.6	15,709,242
2016	21.2	4.3	16.8	13.3	3.9	0.1	9.3	11.2	0.4	3.2	7.5	16,111,636
2017	23.2	4.2	19.0	15.0	3.8	0.1	11.1	11.5	0.4	3.2	7.9	16,870,106
2018	22.9	4.2	18.8	14.8	3.8	0.1	10.9	11.3	0.4	3.0	7.9	17,813,036

[1] District of Columbia is excluded from state totals but included in local totals.

[2] Excludes duplicative intergovernmental transactions; it is less than the sum of the state and local totals in columns 4 and 8.

[3] Includes taxes, user charges, miscellaneous general revenue, utility revenue, liquor store revenue, and social insurance revenue. Own-source total revenue is calculated by subtracting intergovernmental revenue from total revenue. This figure should not be confused with own-source general revenue.

[4] Includes substantial but unknown amounts of federal grants to states that are "passed through" by the states to local governments.

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