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Table T08-0178
Senator Obama's Tax Proposals as Described by his Economic Advisors, Tax Cuts Extended Baseline
Distribution of Federal Tax Change by Cash Income Percentile, 2012

Summary Table

| | Percent of T | Tax Units ⁴ | Percent Change in | Share of Total | Average | Average Fede | eral Tax Rate ⁶ |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|
| Cash Income Percentile ^{2,3} | With Tax Cut | With Tax Increase | After-Tax Income ⁵ | Federal Tax Change | Federal Tax Change (\$) | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal |
| Lowest Quintile | 67.8 | 7.7 | 5.4 | -35.1 | -617 | -5.2 | -0.4 |
| Second Quintile | 85.6 | 8.4 | 3.4 | -45.9 | -950 | -3.1 | 8.0 |
| Middle Quintile | 90.2 | 8.2 | 2.0 | -42.9 | -970 | -1.7 | 15.5 |
| Fourth Quintile | 81.8 | 15.3 | 1.0 | -28.0 | -755 | -0.8 | 18.9 |
| Top Quintile | 52.4 | 43.8 | -3.4 | 251.7 | 7,727 | 2.5 | 27.5 |
| All | 76.2 | 14.6 | -0.7 | 100.0 | 454 | 0.6 | 21.6 |
| Addendum | | | | | | | |
| 80-90 | 74.5 | 22.7 | 0.4 | -7.1 | -433 | -0.3 | 21.7 |
| 90-95 | 44.8 | 48.8 | -0.3 | 3.8 | 481 | 0.2 | 23.3 |
| 95-99 | 17.4 | 78.1 | -2.0 | 36.2 | 5,587 | 1.5 | 26.5 |
| Top 1 Percent | 4.6 | 95.2 | -9.3 | 218.7 | 133,383 | 6.7 | 35.1 |
| Top 0.1 Percent | 0.5 | 99.5 | -12.4 | 131.2 | 788,959 | 8.6 | 39.0 |

 $Source: \ Urban-Brookings\ Tax\ Policy\ Center\ Microsimulation\ Model\ (version\ 0308-6).$

Number of AMT Taxpayers (millions). Baseline: 6.1 Proposal:

⁽¹⁾ Calendar year. Baseline assumes the provisions in the 2001-06 tax cuts scheduled to sunset at the end of 2010 are made permanent and the 2007 AMT patch is extended and indexed for inflation. For a detailed discussion of the proposals see the Tax Policy Center's report A Preliminary Analysis of the 2008 Presidential Candidates' Tax Plans available on the TPC website. Assumes all proposals are fully phased in.

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⁽³⁾ The cash income percentile classes used in this table are based on the income distribution for the entire population and contain an equal number of people, not tax units. The breaks are (in 2008 dollars): 20% \$19,740, 40% \$38,980, 60% \$69,490, 80% \$117,535, 90% \$169,480, 95% \$237,040, 99% \$619,561, 99.9% \$2,832,449. (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.

Table T08-0178 Senator Obama's Tax Proposals as Described by his Economic Advisors, Tax Cuts Extended Baseline Distribution of Federal Tax Change by Cash Income Percentile, 2012 Detail Table

| | Percent of | Γax Units ⁴ | Percent Change | Share of Total | Average Feder | ral Tax Change | Share of Fe | deral Taxes | Average Fed | Average Federal Tax Rate ⁶ | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------|----------------|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| Cash Income Percentile ^{2,3} | With Tax Cut | With Tax Increase | - in After-Tax Income ⁵ | Federal Tax Change | Dollars | Percent | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal | |
| Lowest Quintile | 67.8 | 7.7 | 5.4 | -35.1 | -617 | -109.4 | -0.9 | -0.1 | -5.2 | -0.4 | |
| Second Quintile | 85.6 | 8.4 | 3.4 | -45.9 | -950 | -27.7 | -1.3 | 3.0 | -3.1 | 8.0 | |
| Middle Quintile | 90.2 | 8.2 | 2.0 | -42.9 | -970 | -9.8 | -1.4 | 10.1 | -1.7 | 15.5 | |
| Fourth Quintile | 81.8 | 15.3 | 1.0 | -28.0 | -755 | -3.9 | -1.2 | 17.5 | -0.8 | 18.9 | |
| Top Quintile | 52.4 | 43.8 | -3.4 | 251.7 | 7,727 | 10.1 | 4.7 | 69.4 | 2.5 | 27.5 | |
| All | 76.2 | 14.6 | -0.7 | 100.0 | 454 | 2.6 | 0.0 | 100.0 | 0.6 | 21.6 | |
| Addendum | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 80-90 | 74.5 | 22.7 | 0.4 | -7.1 | -433 | -1.3 | -0.5 | 13.8 | -0.3 | 21.7 | |
| 90-95 | 44.8 | 48.8 | -0.3 | 3.8 | 481 | 1.0 | -0.2 | 10.1 | 0.2 | 23.3 | |
| 95-99 | 17.4 | 78.1 | -2.0 | 36.2 | 5,587 | 5.9 | 0.5 | 16.4 | 1.5 | 26.5 | |
| Top 1 Percent | 4.6 | 95.2 | -9.3 | 218.7 | 133,383 | 23.6 | 4.9 | 29.0 | 6.7 | 35.1 | |
| Top 0.1 Percent | 0.5 | 99.5 | -12.4 | 131.2 | 788,959 | 28.5 | 3.0 | 15.0 | 8.6 | 39.0 | |

Baseline Distribution of Income and Federal Taxes by Cash Income Percentile, 2012 ¹

| G 1 X D 41 23 | Tax U | Jnits ⁴ | Average | Average Federal Tax | Average After- | Average Federal Tax | Share of Pre- Tax Income | Share of Post- Tax Income | Share of Federal Taxes |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|-----------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Cash Income 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 | 40,338 | 25.9 | 11,993 | 564 | 11,428 | 4.7 | 3.7 | 4.5 | 0.8 |
| Second Quintile | 34,253 | 22.0 | 31,130 | 3,429 | 27,701 | 11.0 | 8.2 | 9.3 | 4.3 |
| Middle Quintile | 31,371 | 20.1 | 57,716 | 9,940 | 47,775 | 17.2 | 14.0 | 14.7 | 11.4 |
| Fourth Quintile | 26,273 | 16.8 | 98,626 | 19,351 | 79,275 | 19.6 | 20.0 | 20.4 | 18.7 |
| Top Quintile | 23,076 | 14.8 | 305,124 | 76,314 | 228,810 | 25.0 | 54.3 | 51.6 | 64.6 |
| All | 156,009 | 100.0 | 83,049 | 17,465 | 65,583 | 21.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| Addendum | | | | | | | | | |
| 80-90 | 11,675 | 7.5 | 152,072 | 33,458 | 118,614 | 22.0 | 13.7 | 13.5 | 14.3 |
| 90-95 | 5,645 | 3.6 | 215,559 | 49,701 | 165,858 | 23.1 | 9.4 | 9.2 | 10.3 |
| 95-99 | 4,594 | 2.9 | 377,269 | 94,276 | 282,993 | 25.0 | 13.4 | 12.7 | 15.9 |
| Top 1 Percent | 1,162 | 0.7 | 1,992,972 | 565,234 | 1,427,737 | 28.4 | 17.9 | 16.2 | 24.1 |
| Top 0.1 Percent | 118 | 0.1 | 9,136,646 | 2,772,019 | 6,364,626 | 30.3 | 8.3 | 7.3 | 12.0 |

Source: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model (version 0308-6).

Number of AMT Taxpayers (millions). Baseline: 6.1 Proposal: 5.0

⁽¹⁾ Calendar year. Baseline assumes the provisions in the 2001-06 tax cuts scheduled to sunset at the end of 2010 are made permanent and the 2007 AMT patch is extended and indexed for inflation. For a detailed discussion of the proposals see the Tax Policy Center's report A Preliminary Analysis of the 2008 Presidential Candidates' Tax Plans available on the TPC website. Assumes all proposals are fully phased in.

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⁽³⁾ The cash income percentile classes used in this table are based on the income distribution for the entire population and contain an equal number of people, not tax units. The breaks are (in 2008 dollars): 20% \$19,740, 40% \$38,980, 60% \$69,490, 80% \$117,535, 90% \$169,480, 95% \$237,040, 99% \$619,561, 99.9% \$2,832,449.

⁽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.

Table T08-0178 Senator Obama's Tax Proposals as Described by his Economic Advisors, Tax Cuts Extended Baseline Distribution of Federal Tax Change by Cash Income Percentile Adjusted for Family Size, 2012 Detail Table

| | Percent of T | Γax Units ⁴ | Percent Change | Share of Total | Average Fede | ral Tax Change | Share of Fe | deral Taxes | Average Fed | eral Tax Rate ⁶ |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|----------------|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|
| Cash Income Percentile ^{2,3} | With Tax Cut | With Tax Increase | - in After-Tax Income ⁵ | Federal Tax Change | Dollars | Percent | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal |
| Lowest Quintile | 71.9 | 6.0 | 6.2 | -32.7 | -690 | -441.3 | -0.8 | -0.6 | -6.1 | -4.8 |
| Second Quintile | 78.5 | 9.2 | 3.6 | -42.2 | -926 | -36.1 | -1.2 | 1.9 | -3.3 | 5.8 |
| Middle Quintile | 90.5 | 6.9 | 2.4 | -44.1 | -1,025 | -12.6 | -1.4 | 7.8 | -2.0 | 13.9 |
| Fourth Quintile | 87.2 | 11.3 | 1.2 | -34.5 | -826 | -5.0 | -1.3 | 16.8 | -1.0 | 18.4 |
| Top Quintile | 53.5 | 41.7 | -3.1 | 253.1 | 6,091 | 9.5 | 4.7 | 74.1 | 2.4 | 27.3 |
| All | 76.2 | 14.6 | -0.7 | 100.0 | 454 | 2.6 | 0.0 | 100.0 | 0.6 | 21.6 |
| Addendum | | | | | | | | | | |
| 80-90 | 75.9 | 20.6 | 0.4 | -9.4 | -449 | -1.6 | -0.6 | 15.0 | -0.4 | 21.8 |
| 90-95 | 45.8 | 45.6 | -0.2 | 2.7 | 257 | 0.6 | -0.2 | 11.4 | 0.1 | 23.4 |
| 95-99 | 17.9 | 78.0 | -1.7 | 33.0 | 4,038 | 5.0 | 0.4 | 17.5 | 1.3 | 26.1 |
| Top 1 Percent | 5.1 | 94.6 | -9.2 | 226.8 | 114,493 | 23.5 | 5.1 | 30.2 | 6.6 | 34.8 |
| Top 0.1 Percent | 0.4 | 99.5 | -12.4 | 137.1 | 696,477 | 28.8 | 3.2 | 15.6 | 8.7 | 38.7 |

Baseline Distribution of Income and Federal Taxes by Cash Income Percentile Adjusted for Family Size, 2012 ¹

| | Tax U | Jnits ⁴ | Average | Average Federal Tax | Average After- | Average | Share of Pre- Tax Income | Share of Post- Tax Income | Share of Federal Taxes | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|-----------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|--|
| Cash Income Percentile ^{2,3} | Number (thousands) | Percent of Total | (Dollars) | Burden (Dollars) | Tax Income ⁵ (Dollars) | Federal Tax Rate ⁶ | Percent of Total | Percent of Total | Percent of Total | |
| Lowest Quintile | 33,519 | 21.5 | 11,234 | 156 | 11,077 | 1.4 | 2.9 | 3.6 | 0.2 | |
| Second Quintile | 32,264 | 20.7 | 28,140 | 2,566 | 25,574 | 9.1 | 7.0 | 8.1 | 3.0 | |
| Middle Quintile | 30,508 | 19.6 | 51,184 | 8,126 | 43,058 | 15.9 | 12.1 | 12.8 | 9.1 | |
| Fourth Quintile | 29,582 | 19.0 | 86,263 | 16,666 | 69,598 | 19.3 | 19.7 | 20.1 | 18.1 | |
| Top Quintile | 29,439 | 18.9 | 257,999 | 64,288 | 193,711 | 24.9 | 58.6 | 55.7 | 69.5 | |
| All | 156,009 | 100.0 | 83,049 | 17,465 | 65,583 | 21.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | |
| Addendum | | | | | | | | | | |
| 80-90 | 14,815 | 9.5 | 130,199 | 28,777 | 101,422 | 22.1 | 14.9 | 14.7 | 15.7 | |
| 90-95 | 7,431 | 4.8 | 183,801 | 42,742 | 141,060 | 23.3 | 10.5 | 10.2 | 11.7 | |
| 95-99 | 5,789 | 3.7 | 323,569 | 80,360 | 243,209 | 24.8 | 14.5 | 13.8 | 17.1 | |
| Top 1 Percent | 1,403 | 0.9 | 1,729,454 | 486,936 | 1,242,518 | 28.2 | 18.7 | 17.0 | 25.1 | |
| Top 0.1 Percent | 140 | 0.1 | 8,053,010 | 2,421,412 | 5,631,598 | 30.1 | 8.7 | 7.7 | 12.4 | |

Source: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model (version 0308-6).

Number of AMT Taxpayers (millions). Baseline: 6.1 Proposal:

⁽¹⁾ Calendar year. Baseline assumes the provisions in the 2001-06 tax cuts scheduled to sunset at the end of 2010 are made permanent and the 2007 AMT patch is extended and indexed for inflation. For a detailed discussion of the proposals see the Tax Policy Center's report A Preliminary Analysis of the 2008 Presidential Candidates' Tax Plans available on the TPC website. Assumes all proposals are fully phased in.

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⁽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.

Table T08-0178 Senator Obama's Tax Proposals as Described by his Economic Advisors, Tax Cuts Extended Baseline Distribution of Federal Tax Change by Cash Income Percentile Adjusted for Family Size, 2012 Detail Table - Single Tax Units

| | Percent of T | Γax Units ⁴ | Percent Change | Share of Total | Average Fede | ral Tax Change | Share of Fe | deral Taxes | Average Fed | eral Tax Rate ⁶ |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|----------------|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|
| Cash Income Percentile ^{2,3} | With Tax Cut | With Tax Increase | in After-Tax Income ⁵ | Federal Tax Change | Dollars | Percent | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal |
| Lowest Quintile | 63.3 | 7.1 | 6.3 | -116.9 | -502 | -87.9 | -1.4 | 0.2 | -5.9 | 0.8 |
| Second Quintile | 66.9 | 13.1 | 3.3 | -123.6 | -635 | -27.5 | -1.6 | 3.9 | -3.0 | 7.9 |
| Middle Quintile | 88.5 | 8.1 | 2.7 | -141.8 | -844 | -12.7 | -1.9 | 11.7 | -2.3 | 15.5 |
| Fourth Quintile | 85.8 | 12.6 | 1.2 | -82.7 | -593 | -4.5 | -1.3 | 21.1 | -1.0 | 20.3 |
| Top Quintile | 48.1 | 44.8 | -4.0 | 564.0 | 5,012 | 12.1 | 6.1 | 63.0 | 3.0 | 28.0 |
| All | 70.6 | 14.6 | -0.3 | 100.0 | 117 | 1.2 | 0.0 | 100.0 | 0.3 | 21.0 |
| Addendum | | | | | | | | | | |
| 80-90 | 71.8 | 23.2 | 0.2 | -10.2 | -171 | -0.8 | -0.3 | 15.7 | -0.2 | 23.5 |
| 90-95 | 27.1 | 57.1 | -0.6 | 16.9 | 601 | 1.9 | 0.1 | 11.0 | 0.5 | 24.8 |
| 95-99 | 16.3 | 80.6 | -2.5 | 87.4 | 4,317 | 7.9 | 0.9 | 14.3 | 1.9 | 26.2 |
| Top 1 Percent | 4.6 | 95.0 | -13.1 | 469.8 | 109,467 | 34.6 | 5.5 | 22.0 | 9.5 | 37.0 |
| Top 0.1 Percent | 0.1 | 99.9 | -18.2 | 276.3 | 735,919 | 42.1 | 3.2 | 11.2 | 12.7 | 42.9 |

Baseline Distribution of Income and Federal Taxes by Cash Income Percentile Adjusted for Family Size, 2012 ¹

| 23 | Tax U | Jnits ⁴ | Average | Average Federal Tax | Average After- | Average Federal Tax | Share of Pre- Tax Income | Share of Post- Tax Income | Share of Federal Taxes | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|-----------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|--|
| Cash Income 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 | 18,528 | 27.3 | 8,584 | 571 | 8,012 | 6.7 | 5.0 | 5.9 | 1.6 | |
| Second Quintile | 15,492 | 22.9 | 21,338 | 2,310 | 19,028 | 10.8 | 10.5 | 11.8 | 5.5 | |
| Middle Quintile | 13,373 | 19.7 | 37,507 | 6,657 | 30,850 | 17.8 | 15.9 | 16.5 | 13.6 | |
| Fourth Quintile | 11,093 | 16.4 | 61,944 | 13,169 | 48,774 | 21.3 | 21.8 | 21.6 | 22.3 | |
| Top Quintile | 8,952 | 13.2 | 166,465 | 41,552 | 124,913 | 25.0 | 47.2 | 44.7 | 56.9 | |
| All | 67,788 | 100.0 | 46,595 | 9,651 | 36,945 | 20.7 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | |
| Addendum | | | | | | | | | | |
| 80-90 | 4,758 | 7.0 | 92,893 | 22,030 | 70,863 | 23.7 | 14.0 | 13.5 | 16.0 | |
| 90-95 | 2,242 | 3.3 | 131,093 | 31,860 | 99,233 | 24.3 | 9.3 | 8.9 | 10.9 | |
| 95-99 | 1,611 | 2.4 | 224,327 | 54,390 | 169,937 | 24.3 | 11.4 | 10.9 | 13.4 | |
| Top 1 Percent | 341 | 0.5 | 1,150,729 | 316,603 | 834,126 | 27.5 | 12.4 | 11.4 | 16.5 | |
| Top 0.1 Percent | 30 | 0.0 | 5,787,688 | 1,747,218 | 4,040,471 | 30.2 | 5.5 | 4.8 | 8.0 | |

Source: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model (version 0308-6).

Number of AMT Taxpayers (millions). Baseline: 6.1 Proposal:

⁽¹⁾ Calendar year. Baseline assumes the provisions in the 2001-06 tax cuts scheduled to sunset at the end of 2010 are made permanent and the 2007 AMT patch is extended and indexed for inflation. For a detailed discussion of the proposals see the Tax Policy Center's report A Preliminary Analysis of the 2008 Presidential Candidates' Tax Plans available on the TPC website. Assumes all proposals are fully phased in.

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Detail Table - Married Tax Units Filing Jointly

| | Percent of | Γax Units ⁴ | Percent Change | Share of Total | Average Feder | ral Tax Change | Share of Federal Taxes | | Average Federal Tax Rate ⁶ | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------|----------------|------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Cash Income Percentile ^{2,3} | With Tax Cut | With Tax Increase | - in After-Tax Income ⁵ | Federal Tax Change | Dollars | Percent | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal |
| Lowest Quintile | 76.2 | 7.9 | 5.6 | -7.0 | -820 | -387.3 | -0.3 | -0.2 | -5.5 | -4.1 |
| Second Quintile | 83.1 | 9.3 | 3.7 | -13.6 | -1,220 | -38.9 | -0.6 | 0.9 | -3.4 | 5.3 |
| Middle Quintile | 89.2 | 8.3 | 2.3 | -18.1 | -1,282 | -13.4 | -1.0 | 4.8 | -1.9 | 12.6 |
| Fourth Quintile | 88.5 | 10.8 | 1.2 | -20.0 | -1,041 | -5.4 | -1.5 | 14.3 | -1.0 | 17.3 |
| Top Quintile | 57.0 | 40.1 | -2.9 | 158.6 | 6,655 | 8.8 | 3.3 | 80.2 | 2.2 | 27.1 |
| All | 76.7 | 18.9 | -1.2 | 100.0 | 1,294 | 4.3 | 0.0 | 100.0 | 0.9 | 22.9 |
| Addendum | | | | | | | | | | |
| 80-90 | 80.4 | 18.2 | 0.5 | -7.1 | -625 | -1.9 | -0.9 | 14.9 | -0.4 | 21.1 |
| 90-95 | 55.3 | 39.8 | -0.1 | 0.6 | 92 | 0.2 | -0.5 | 12.1 | 0.0 | 23.0 |
| 95-99 | 18.5 | 77.1 | -1.4 | 19.7 | 3,951 | 4.3 | 0.0 | 19.4 | 1.1 | 26.1 |
| Top 1 Percent | 5.3 | 94.4 | -8.4 | 145.5 | 114,552 | 21.3 | 4.8 | 33.8 | 6.0 | 34.3 |
| Top 0.1 Percent | 0.6 | 99.4 | -11.3 | 87.3 | 678,652 | 26.3 | 3.0 | 17.1 | 7.9 | 37.9 |

Baseline Distribution of Income and Federal Taxes by Cash Income Percentile Adjusted for Family Size, 2012 $^{\rm 1}$

| | Tax U | Jnits ⁴ | Average | Average Federal Tax | Average After- | Average Federal Tax | Share of Pre- Tax Income | Share of Post- Tax Income | Share of Federal Taxes | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|-----------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|--|
| Cash Income 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 | 6,761 | 11.1 | 14,790 | 212 | 14,579 | 1.4 | 1.2 | 1.5 | 0.1 | |
| Second Quintile | 8,813 | 14.5 | 36,067 | 3,132 | 32,934 | 8.7 | 3.8 | 4.4 | 1.5 | |
| Middle Quintile | 11,162 | 18.3 | 66,221 | 9,594 | 56,627 | 14.5 | 8.7 | 9.6 | 5.8 | |
| Fourth Quintile | 15,151 | 24.9 | 105,103 | 19,233 | 85,870 | 18.3 | 18.8 | 19.7 | 15.7 | |
| Top Quintile | 18,797 | 30.8 | 305,001 | 75,844 | 229,157 | 24.9 | 67.8 | 65.2 | 76.8 | |
| All | 60,954 | 100.0 | 138,787 | 30,441 | 108,347 | 21.9 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | |
| Addendum | | | | | | | | | | |
| 80-90 | 8,999 | 14.8 | 151,491 | 32,538 | 118,952 | 21.5 | 16.1 | 16.2 | 15.8 | |
| 90-95 | 4,873 | 8.0 | 209,583 | 48,006 | 161,577 | 22.9 | 12.1 | 11.9 | 12.6 | |
| 95-99 | 3,924 | 6.4 | 367,042 | 91,748 | 275,294 | 25.0 | 17.0 | 16.4 | 19.4 | |
| Top 1 Percent | 1,002 | 1.6 | 1,904,894 | 537,905 | 1,366,989 | 28.2 | 22.6 | 20.7 | 29.0 | |
| Top 0.1 Percent | 101 | 0.2 | 8,600,122 | 2,581,835 | 6,018,286 | 30.0 | 10.3 | 9.3 | 14.1 | |

Source: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model (version 0308-6).

Number of AMT Taxpayers (millions). Baseline: 6.1 Proposal:

(1) Calendar year. Baseline assumes the provisions in the 2001-06 tax cuts scheduled to sunset at the end of 2010 are made permanent and the 2007 AMT patch is extended and indexed for inflation. For a detailed discussion of the proposals see the Tax Policy Center's report A Preliminary Analysis of the 2008 Presidential Candidates' Tax Plans available on the TPC website. Assumes all proposals are fully phased in.

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Senator Obama's Tax Proposals as Described by his Economic Advisors, Tax Cuts Extended Baseline Distribution of Federal Tax Change by Cash Income Percentile Adjusted for Family Size, 2012 Detail Table - Head of Household Tax Units

| | Percent of | Γax Units ⁴ | Percent Change | Share of Total | l Average Federal Tax Change | | Share of Fe | deral Taxes | Average Federal Tax Rate ⁶ | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|---------|----------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Cash Income Percentile ^{2,3} | With Tax Cut | With Tax Increase | in After-Tax Income ⁵ | Federal Tax Change | Dollars | Percent | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal |
| Lowest Quintile | 87.7 | 1.8 | 6.7 | 40.5 | -1,026 | 115.1 | -6.5 | -10.9 | -7.1 | -13.3 |
| Second Quintile | 96.1 | 1.3 | 3.9 | 44.5 | -1,190 | -50.6 | -4.8 | 6.3 | -3.6 | 3.5 |
| Middle Quintile | 97.2 | 1.8 | 2.1 | 25.4 | -975 | -11.2 | 0.5 | 28.9 | -1.8 | 14.0 |
| Fourth Quintile | 85.5 | 9.6 | 0.9 | 8.2 | -616 | -3.6 | 3.0 | 31.7 | -0.7 | 19.4 |
| Top Quintile | 40.5 | 43.8 | -2.1 | -18.7 | 3,145 | 6.5 | 7.9 | 44.0 | 1.6 | 26.1 |
| All | 89.7 | 4.5 | 2.1 | 100.0 | -817 | -12.6 | 0.0 | 100.0 | -1.8 | 12.6 |
| Addendum | | | | | | | | | | |
| 80-90 | 49.7 | 32.4 | 0.2 | 0.7 | -175 | -0.6 | 1.9 | 15.7 | -0.1 | 22.9 |
| 90-95 | 30.5 | 53.9 | -0.2 | -0.3 | 305 | 0.8 | 0.9 | 6.4 | 0.2 | 24.1 |
| 95-99 | 18.2 | 73.1 | -1.5 | -2.7 | 3,300 | 4.6 | 1.5 | 9.0 | 1.1 | 25.1 |
| Top 1 Percent | 5.4 | 92.4 | -8.8 | -16.3 | 97,345 | 22.2 | 3.7 | 12.8 | 6.3 | 34.5 |
| Top 0.1 Percent | 0.5 | 99.4 | -12.2 | -9.6 | 667,001 | 28.2 | 2.0 | 6.3 | 8.5 | 38.8 |

Baseline Distribution of Income and Federal Taxes by Cash Income Percentile Adjusted for Family Size, 2012 ¹

| 23 | Tax U | Jnits ⁴ | Average | Average Federal Tax | Average After- | Average Federal Tax | Share of Pre- Tax Income | Share of Post- Tax Income | Share of Federal Taxes |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|-----------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Cash Income 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 | 7,961 | 32.2 | 14,430 | -891 | 15,321 | -6.2 | 10.3 | 12.8 | -4.4 |
| Second Quintile | 7,556 | 30.6 | 32,988 | 2,351 | 30,636 | 7.1 | 22.3 | 24.2 | 11.1 |
| Middle Quintile | 5,252 | 21.3 | 55,112 | 8,706 | 46,406 | 15.8 | 25.9 | 25.5 | 28.5 |
| Fourth Quintile | 2,696 | 10.9 | 84,953 | 17,125 | 67,828 | 20.2 | 20.5 | 19.1 | 28.7 |
| Top Quintile | 1,198 | 4.9 | 197,502 | 48,448 | 149,054 | 24.5 | 21.2 | 18.7 | 36.1 |
| All | 24,714 | 100.0 | 45,216 | 6,502 | 38,713 | 14.4 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| Addendum | | | | | | | | | |
| 80-90 | 774 | 3.1 | 124,547 | 28,720 | 95,827 | 23.1 | 8.6 | 7.8 | 13.8 |
| 90-95 | 222 | 0.9 | 169,438 | 40,478 | 128,960 | 23.9 | 3.4 | 3.0 | 5.6 |
| 95-99 | 168 | 0.7 | 299,897 | 71,857 | 228,040 | 24.0 | 4.5 | 4.0 | 7.5 |
| Top 1 Percent | 34 | 0.1 | 1,548,845 | 437,669 | 1,111,176 | 28.3 | 4.7 | 3.9 | 9.2 |
| Top 0.1 Percent | 3 | 0.0 | 7,820,896 | 2,363,421 | 5,457,476 | 30.2 | 2.0 | 1.7 | 4.3 |

Source: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model (version 0308-6).

Number of AMT Taxpayers (millions). Baseline: 6.1 Proposal: 5.0

(1) Calendar year. Baseline assumes the provisions in the 2001-06 tax cuts scheduled to sunset at the end of 2010 are made permanent and the 2007 AMT patch is extended and indexed for inflation. For a detailed discussion of the proposals see the Tax Policy Center's report A Preliminary Analysis of the 2008 Presidential Candidates' Tax Plans available on the TPC website. Assumes all proposals are fully phased in.

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

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⁽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.

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Senator Obama's Tax Proposals as Described by his Economic Advisors, Tax Cuts Extended Baseline Distribution of Federal Tax Change by Cash Income Percentile Adjusted for Family Size, 2012 Detail Table - Tax Units with Children

| | Percent of | Tax Units ⁴ | Percent Change | Share of Total | Average Federal Tax Change | | Share of Fe | deral Taxes | Average Federal Tax Rate ⁶ | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|---------|----------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Cash Income Percentile ^{2,3} | With Tax Cut | With Tax Increase | in After-Tax Income ⁵ | Federal Tax Change | Dollars | Percent | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal |
| Lowest Quintile | 93.7 | 0.7 | 7.1 | -228.0 | -1,199 | 97.0 | -1.1 | -2.2 | -7.6 | -15.4 |
| Second Quintile | 99.0 | 0.7 | 4.4 | -300.9 | -1,514 | -55.1 | -1.5 | 1.2 | -4.0 | 3.3 |
| Middle Quintile | 98.4 | 1.4 | 2.4 | -276.0 | -1,352 | -12.5 | -1.4 | 9.3 | -2.0 | 13.8 |
| Fourth Quintile | 94.2 | 4.4 | 1.2 | -210.9 | -1,126 | -5.0 | -1.1 | 19.3 | -1.0 | 18.7 |
| Top Quintile | 52.4 | 42.0 | -2.8 | 1,115.2 | 7,033 | 8.1 | 5.1 | 72.4 | 2.1 | 28.0 |
| All | 88.9 | 8.6 | -0.1 | 100.0 | 106 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 100.0 | 0.1 | 20.9 |
| Addendum | | | | | | | | | | |
| 80-90 | 76.2 | 18.6 | 0.5 | -56.5 | -680 | -1.7 | -0.4 | 15.5 | -0.4 | 22.3 |
| 90-95 | 39.3 | 51.5 | -0.1 | 4.6 | 121 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 10.7 | 0.1 | 23.9 |
| 95-99 | 16.1 | 80.5 | -1.6 | 154.1 | 5,063 | 4.4 | 0.7 | 17.6 | 1.2 | 27.5 |
| Top 1 Percent | 1.8 | 98.1 | -8.7 | 1,013.1 | 138,121 | 20.7 | 4.8 | 28.6 | 6.1 | 35.8 |
| Top 0.1 Percent | 0.0 | 100.0 | -11.4 | 584.9 | 828,596 | 25.4 | 2.8 | 14.0 | 7.9 | 38.8 |

Baseline Distribution of Income and Federal Taxes by Cash Income Percentile Adjusted for Family Size, 2012 $^{\rm 1}$

| Cash Income Percentile ^{2,3} | Tax Units ⁴ | | Average | Average Federal Tax | Average After- | Average | Share of Pre- Tax Income | Share of Post- Tax Income | Share of Federal Taxes |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|------------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|
| | Number (thousands) | Percent of Total | (Dollars) | Burden (Dollars) | Tax Income ⁵ (Dollars) | Federal Tax Rate ⁶ | Percent of Total | Percent of Total | Percent of Total |
| Lowest Quintile | 9,871 | 20.2 | 15,772 | -1,237 | 17,009 | -7.8 | 3.0 | 4.1 | -1.1 |
| Second Quintile | 10,311 | 21.1 | 37,449 | 2,751 | 34,698 | 7.4 | 7.5 | 8.8 | 2.7 |
| Middle Quintile | 10,593 | 21.7 | 68,197 | 10,792 | 57,404 | 15.8 | 14.1 | 15.0 | 10.7 |
| Fourth Quintile | 9,721 | 19.9 | 113,901 | 22,418 | 91,482 | 19.7 | 21.6 | 21.9 | 20.4 |
| Top Quintile | 8,230 | 16.8 | 336,992 | 87,352 | 249,640 | 25.9 | 54.1 | 50.6 | 67.3 |
| All | 48,864 | 100.0 | 105,014 | 21,866 | 83,148 | 20.8 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| Addendum | | | | | | | | | |
| 80-90 | 4,312 | 8.8 | 173,044 | 39,238 | 133,806 | 22.7 | 14.5 | 14.2 | 15.8 |
| 90-95 | 1,958 | 4.0 | 245,817 | 58,575 | 187,242 | 23.8 | 9.4 | 9.0 | 10.7 |
| 95-99 | 1,579 | 3.2 | 435,654 | 114,538 | 321,115 | 26.3 | 13.4 | 12.5 | 16.9 |
| Top 1 Percent | 381 | 0.8 | 2,253,531 | 667,524 | 1,586,007 | 29.6 | 16.7 | 14.9 | 23.8 |
| Top 0.1 Percent | 37 | 0.1 | 10,557,678 | 3,265,814 | 7,291,864 | 30.9 | 7.5 | 6.6 | 11.2 |

Source: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model (version 0308-6).

Number of AMT Taxpayers (millions). Baseline: 6.1 Proposal: 5.0

Note: Tax units with children are those claiming an exemption for children at home or away from home.

(1) Calendar year. Baseline assumes the provisions in the 2001-06 tax cuts scheduled to sunset at the end of 2010 are made permanent and the 2007 AMT patch is extended and indexed for inflation. For a detailed discussion of the proposals see the Tax Policy Center's report A Preliminary Analysis of the 2008 Presidential Candidates' Tax Plans available on the TPC website. Assumes all proposals are fully phased in.

- (3) The cash income percentile classes used in this table are based on the income distribution for the entire population and contain an equal number of people, not tax units. The incomes used are adjusted for family size by dividing by the square root of the number of people in the tax unit. The resulting percentile breaks are (in 2008 dollars): 20% \$13,571, 40% \$25,564, 60% \$44,195, 80% \$71,797, 90% \$102,543, 95% \$144,171, 99% \$370,252, 99.9% \$17,261,412
- (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.

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Table T08-0178 Senator Obama's Tax Proposals as Described by his Economic Advisors, Tax Cuts Extended Baseline Distribution of Federal Tax Change by Cash Income Percentile Adjusted for Family Size, 2012 Detail Table - Elderly Tax Units

| Cash Income Percentile ^{2,3} | Percent of Tax Units ⁴ | | Percent Change | Share of Total | Average Federal Tax Change | | Share of Federal Taxes | | Average Federal Tax Rate 6 | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|---------|------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| | With Tax Cut | With Tax Increase | in After-Tax Income ⁵ | Federal Tax Change | Dollars | Percent | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal | Change (% Points) | Under the Proposal |
| Lowest Quintile | 23.6 | 18.7 | 0.8 | -0.9 | -91 | -37.4 | -0.2 | 0.2 | -0.8 | 1.4 |
| Second Quintile | 38.7 | 26.8 | 0.9 | -2.7 | -205 | -21.4 | -0.6 | 1.2 | -0.9 | 3.2 |
| Middle Quintile | 61.7 | 28.3 | 1.4 | -4.4 | -590 | -19.0 | -1.0 | 2.4 | -1.3 | 5.5 |
| Fourth Quintile | 52.2 | 43.9 | 0.2 | -1.3 | -145 | -1.5 | -1.7 | 10.8 | -0.2 | 12.4 |
| Top Quintile | 26.2 | 71.1 | -5.5 | 109.1 | 11,470 | 19.3 | 3.4 | 85.3 | 4.3 | 26.5 |
| All | 39.3 | 37.3 | -3.0 | 100.0 | 2,079 | 14.5 | 0.0 | 100.0 | 2.5 | 19.8 |
| Addendum | | | | | | | | | | |
| 80-90 | 39.0 | 58.2 | -0.7 | 2.9 | 667 | 3.4 | -1.2 | 11.1 | 0.6 | 17.2 |
| 90-95 | 23.7 | 72.0 | -1.3 | 4.2 | 1,734 | 5.5 | -0.9 | 10.2 | 1.0 | 19.9 |
| 95-99 | 10.2 | 88.2 | -3.2 | 16.1 | 7,351 | 11.4 | -0.5 | 19.8 | 2.5 | 24.2 |
| Top 1 Percent | 4.6 | 95.0 | -12.0 | 85.9 | 135,473 | 32.6 | 6.0 | 44.3 | 8.8 | 35.6 |
| Top 0.1 Percent | 0.3 | 99.6 | -15.5 | 50.2 | 780,660 | 37.8 | 3.9 | 23.1 | 11.0 | 40.1 |

Baseline Distribution of Income and Federal Taxes by Cash Income Percentile Adjusted for Family Size, 2012 $^{\rm 1}$

| Cash Income Percentile ^{2,3} | 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 |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|-----------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|
| | 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 | 5,982 | 19.6 | 11,174 | 243 | 10,931 | 2.2 | 2.6 | 3.1 | 0.3 |
| Second Quintile | 8,200 | 26.9 | 23,916 | 963 | 22,953 | 4.0 | 7.8 | 9.0 | 1.8 |
| Middle Quintile | 4,773 | 15.6 | 45,520 | 3,109 | 42,412 | 6.8 | 8.6 | 9.7 | 3.4 |
| Fourth Quintile | 5,522 | 18.1 | 79,079 | 9,931 | 69,149 | 12.6 | 17.3 | 18.3 | 12.5 |
| Top Quintile | 6,034 | 19.8 | 267,452 | 59,459 | 207,993 | 22.2 | 63.8 | 60.0 | 81.9 |
| All | 30,530 | 100.0 | 82,817 | 14,348 | 68,469 | 17.3 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| Addendum | | | | | | | | | |
| 80-90 | 2,713 | 8.9 | 118,899 | 19,766 | 99,132 | 16.6 | 12.8 | 12.9 | 12.2 |
| 90-95 | 1,529 | 5.0 | 168,044 | 31,696 | 136,347 | 18.9 | 10.2 | 10.0 | 11.1 |
| 95-99 | 1,389 | 4.6 | 295,666 | 64,242 | 231,425 | 21.7 | 16.3 | 15.4 | 20.4 |
| Top 1 Percent | 403 | 1.3 | 1,548,708 | 415,875 | 1,132,833 | 26.9 | 24.7 | 21.8 | 38.2 |
| Top 0.1 Percent | 41 | 0.1 | 7,103,107 | 2,064,317 | 5,038,790 | 29.1 | 11.5 | 9.8 | 19.2 |

Source: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model (version 0308-6).

Number of AMT Taxpayers (millions). Baseline: 6.1 Proposal: 5.0

Note: Elderly tax units are those with either head or spouse (if filing jointly) age 65 or older.

(1) Calendar year. Baseline assumes the provisions in the 2001-06 tax cuts scheduled to sunset at the end of 2010 are made permanent and the 2007 AMT patch is extended and indexed for inflation. For a detailed discussion of the proposals see the Tax Policy Center's report A Preliminary Analysis of the 2008 Presidential Candidates' Tax Plans available on the TPC website. Assumes all proposals are fully phased in.

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