

Table T09-0323
Make 2009 Estate Tax Law Permanent
Baseline: Current Law
Distribution of Federal Tax Change by Cash Income Percentile, 2012 ¹
Summary Table

Cash Income Percentile ^{2,3}	Percent of Tax Units ⁴		Percent Change in After-Tax Income ⁵	Share of Total Federal Tax Change	Average Federal Tax Change (\$)	Average Federal Tax Rate ⁶	
	With Tax Cut	With Tax Increase				Change (%) Points)	Under the Proposal
Lowest Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	-2	0.0	5.2
Second Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.6	-8	0.0	12.3
Middle Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.1	10.0	-55	-0.1	18.1
Fourth Quintile	0.1	0.0	0.2	18.2	-120	-0.1	21.4
Top Quintile	0.1	0.0	0.3	69.4	-522	-0.2	27.9
All	0.0	0.0	0.2	100.0	-111	-0.2	23.2
Addendum							
80-90	0.1	0.0	0.2	15.7	-235	-0.2	24.4
90-95	0.1	0.0	0.2	11.5	-351	-0.2	25.3
95-99	0.2	0.0	0.4	26.7	-1,005	-0.3	27.1
Top 1 Percent	0.4	0.0	0.2	15.5	-2,284	-0.1	32.5
Top 0.1 Percent	0.6	0.1	0.0	1.1	-1,530	0.0	35.6

Source: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model (version 0509-1).

Number of AMT Taxpayers (millions). Baseline: 18.2

Proposal: 18.2

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Baseline Distribution of Income and Federal Taxes
by Cash Income Percentile, 2012¹

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	Number (thousands)	Percent of Total							
Lowest Quintile	38,450	24.4	11,600	610	10,991	5.3	3.7	4.6	0.8
Second Quintile	34,947	22.2	28,852	3,544	25,308	12.3	8.4	9.6	4.4
Middle Quintile	31,868	20.3	52,224	9,499	42,725	18.2	13.9	14.8	10.8
Fourth Quintile	26,646	16.9	88,978	19,144	69,833	21.5	19.8	20.3	18.2
Top Quintile	23,298	14.8	280,229	78,784	201,445	28.1	54.5	51.1	65.6
All	157,348	100.0	76,169	17,790	58,378	23.4	100.0	100.0	100.0
Addendum									
80-90	11,720	7.5	138,385	34,024	104,361	24.6	13.5	13.3	14.3
90-95	5,734	3.6	196,549	50,063	146,485	25.5	9.4	9.1	10.3
95-99	4,655	3.0	345,574	94,783	250,791	27.4	13.4	12.7	15.8
Top 1 Percent	1,190	0.8	1,825,188	595,543	1,229,645	32.6	18.1	15.9	25.3
Top 0.1 Percent	120	0.1	8,367,274	2,978,103	5,389,171	35.6	8.4	7.0	12.8

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Lowest Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	-2	-0.7	0.0	0.3	0.0	2.2
Second Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8	-4	-0.2	0.0	3.3	0.0	10.9
Middle Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.1	5.2	-29	-0.4	0.0	8.8	-0.1	16.9
Fourth Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.1	8.0	-47	-0.3	0.1	17.4	-0.1	20.8
Top Quintile	0.1	0.0	0.3	85.4	-500	-0.8	-0.1	70.1	-0.2	27.7
All	0.0	0.0	0.2	100.0	-111	-0.6	0.0	100.0	-0.2	23.2
Addendum										
80-90	0.1	0.0	0.2	13.5	-157	-0.6	0.0	15.3	-0.1	24.1
90-95	0.1	0.0	0.2	11.9	-278	-0.7	0.0	11.5	-0.2	25.4
95-99	0.3	0.0	0.5	33.6	-990	-1.2	-0.1	16.9	-0.3	26.9
Top 1 Percent	0.6	0.0	0.3	26.4	-3,223	-0.6	0.0	26.3	-0.2	32.2
Top 0.1 Percent	0.8	0.1	0.1	2.5	-3,050	-0.1	0.1	13.3	0.0	35.3

Baseline Distribution of Income and Federal Taxes
by Cash Income Percentile Adjusted for Family Size, 2012¹

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Lowest Quintile	31,706	20.2	10,935	245	10,690	2.2	2.9	3.7	0.3
Second Quintile	32,349	20.6	26,208	2,848	23,360	10.9	7.1	8.2	3.3
Middle Quintile	31,237	19.9	46,322	7,856	38,467	17.0	12.1	13.1	8.8
Fourth Quintile	29,980	19.1	77,565	16,211	61,354	20.9	19.4	20.0	17.4
Top Quintile	29,936	19.0	235,547	65,618	169,930	27.9	58.8	55.4	70.2
All	157,348	100.0	76,169	17,790	58,378	23.4	100.0	100.0	100.0
Addendum									
80-90	15,019	9.6	117,658	28,521	89,137	24.2	14.7	14.6	15.3
90-95	7,540	4.8	167,170	42,711	124,459	25.6	10.5	10.2	11.5
95-99	5,940	3.8	294,212	80,227	213,985	27.3	14.6	13.8	17.0
Top 1 Percent	1,436	0.9	1,584,726	513,398	1,071,327	32.4	19.0	16.8	26.3
Top 0.1 Percent	142	0.1	7,360,192	2,599,378	4,760,814	35.3	8.7	7.4	13.2

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Detail Table - Single Tax Units

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Lowest Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	-2	-0.4	0.0	1.5	0.0	7.3
Second Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	-4	-0.2	0.1	5.4	0.0	11.8
Middle Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.2	5.8	-61	-1.0	0.2	12.7	-0.2	17.9
Fourth Quintile	0.1	0.0	0.2	8.1	-104	-0.9	0.3	20.7	-0.2	21.8
Top Quintile	0.3	0.0	1.2	85.3	-1,315	-3.0	-0.6	59.6	-0.9	27.8
All	0.1	0.0	0.6	100.0	-215	-2.1	0.0	100.0	-0.5	22.5
Addendum										
80-90	0.2	0.0	0.7	15.2	-445	-2.1	0.0	15.5	-0.5	24.8
90-95	0.3	0.0	0.9	12.8	-800	-2.5	0.0	10.9	-0.7	26.2
95-99	0.7	0.0	1.9	33.6	-2,766	-4.9	-0.4	14.2	-1.4	26.4
Top 1 Percent	1.4	0.0	1.4	23.7	-9,698	-2.7	-0.1	19.0	-0.9	33.6
Top 0.1 Percent	1.5	0.2	0.2	1.0	-4,761	-0.2	0.2	9.3	-0.1	38.0

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Lowest Quintile	16,972	24.6	8,380	617	7,763	7.4	4.7	5.7	1.5
Second Quintile	15,474	22.5	19,970	2,367	17,603	11.9	10.2	11.7	5.3
Middle Quintile	14,005	20.3	34,261	6,204	28,058	18.1	15.9	16.9	12.5
Fourth Quintile	11,543	16.8	55,833	12,288	43,545	22.0	21.3	21.6	20.4
Top Quintile	9,596	13.9	151,979	43,536	108,443	28.7	48.2	44.7	60.2
All	68,932	100.0	43,878	10,073	33,804	23.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Addendum									
80-90	5,066	7.4	84,037	21,282	62,755	25.3	14.1	13.6	15.5
90-95	2,373	3.4	119,032	31,989	87,043	26.9	9.3	8.9	10.9
95-99	1,795	2.6	204,548	56,672	147,876	27.7	12.1	11.4	14.7
Top 1 Percent	361	0.5	1,060,631	366,415	694,216	34.6	12.7	10.8	19.1
Top 0.1 Percent	32	0.1	5,243,107	1,998,766	3,244,340	38.1	5.5	4.4	9.1

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Second Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.3	-9	-0.2	0.0	1.7	0.0	10.7
Middle Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.7	-4	0.0	0.0	5.7	0.0	15.7
Fourth Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.2	-10	-0.1	0.0	15.3	0.0	20.2
Top Quintile	0.1	0.0	0.1	87.2	-113	-0.2	0.0	76.9	0.0	27.6
All	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	-39	-0.1	0.0	100.0	0.0	24.3
Addendum										
80-90	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.3	-9	0.0	0.0	15.5	0.0	23.8
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95-99	0.1	0.0	0.1	33.8	-210	-0.2	0.0	19.0	-0.1	27.1
Top 1 Percent	0.3	0.0	0.1	43.9	-1,045	-0.2	0.0	30.0	-0.1	31.8
Top 0.1 Percent	0.6	0.1	0.1	11.3	-2,664	-0.1	0.0	14.9	0.0	34.7

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Middle Quintile	11,470	18.7	59,671	9,383	50,289	15.7	8.9	9.9	5.7
Fourth Quintile	15,032	24.5	95,023	19,201	75,821	20.2	18.5	19.5	15.3
Top Quintile	18,609	30.3	281,842	77,857	203,985	27.6	67.8	64.9	77.0
All	61,357	100.0	126,020	30,683	95,337	24.4	100.0	100.0	100.0
Addendum									
80-90	8,860	14.4	138,312	32,918	105,393	23.8	15.9	16.0	15.5
90-95	4,843	7.9	192,091	48,281	143,809	25.1	12.0	11.9	12.4
95-99	3,890	6.3	337,723	91,873	245,850	27.2	17.0	16.4	19.0
Top 1 Percent	1,015	1.7	1,748,464	557,417	1,191,047	31.9	23.0	20.7	30.1
Top 0.1 Percent	102	0.2	7,890,377	2,742,932	5,147,445	34.8	10.5	9.0	14.9

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Lowest Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0	0.0	0.0	-3.6	0.0	-5.7
Second Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.3	-1	0.0	0.0	13.0	0.0	9.4
Middle Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.2	-3	0.0	0.0	27.3	0.0	17.7
Fourth Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.0	18.2	-18	-0.1	0.0	27.9	0.0	21.6
Top Quintile	0.1	0.0	0.1	72.8	-164	-0.4	-0.1	35.4	-0.1	26.4
All	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	-11	-0.2	0.0	100.0	0.0	16.2
Addendum										
80-90	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.8	-34	-0.1	0.0	13.5	0.0	24.6
90-95	0.1	0.0	0.2	15.1	-182	-0.5	0.0	5.5	-0.1	25.2
95-99	0.1	0.0	0.2	30.7	-496	-0.7	0.0	7.2	-0.2	25.0
Top 1 Percent	0.2	0.0	0.2	17.3	-1,460	-0.3	0.0	9.2	-0.1	32.3
Top 0.1 Percent	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.9	-825	0.0	0.0	4.3	0.0	35.2

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	Number (thousands)	Percent of Total							
Lowest Quintile	7,840	31.9	13,490	-765	14,255	-5.7	10.3	13.0	-3.6
Second Quintile	7,497	30.5	30,617	2,877	27,740	9.4	22.4	24.2	13.0
Middle Quintile	5,095	20.8	50,275	8,877	41,398	17.7	25.0	24.6	27.3
Fourth Quintile	2,777	11.3	76,881	16,627	60,254	21.6	20.8	19.5	27.8
Top Quintile	1,242	5.1	178,521	47,330	131,191	26.5	21.6	19.0	35.4
All	24,547	100.0	41,760	6,757	35,003	16.2	100.0	100.0	100.0
Addendum									
80-90	805	3.3	112,763	27,807	84,956	24.7	8.9	8.0	13.5
90-95	232	0.9	154,893	39,277	115,616	25.4	3.5	3.1	5.5
95-99	173	0.7	278,418	70,004	208,414	25.1	4.7	4.2	7.3
Top 1 Percent	33	0.1	1,423,600	460,729	962,870	32.4	4.6	3.7	9.2
Top 0.1 Percent	3	0.0	6,950,503	2,450,412	4,500,091	35.3	2.0	1.5	4.3

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Detail Table - Tax Units with Children

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Lowest Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0	0.0	0.0	-0.9	0.0	-6.4
Second Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.2	-1	0.0	0.0	3.3	0.0	10.2
Middle Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.2	-2	0.0	0.0	10.6	0.0	18.2
Fourth Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.0	17.2	-11	-0.1	0.0	20.4	0.0	22.2
Top Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.0	77.7	-56	-0.1	0.0	66.4	0.0	28.7
All	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	-12	-0.1	0.0	100.0	0.0	23.5
Addendum										
80-90	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.6	-8	0.0	0.0	15.8	0.0	25.1
90-95	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.6	-20	0.0	0.0	10.5	0.0	26.1
95-99	0.0	0.0	0.1	36.3	-140	-0.1	0.0	16.2	0.0	28.3
Top 1 Percent	0.1	0.0	0.0	29.2	-471	-0.1	0.0	24.0	0.0	33.8
Top 0.1 Percent	0.2	0.0	0.0	4.9	-815	0.0	0.0	11.5	0.0	35.8

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Lowest Quintile	10,133	20.6	14,723	-936	15,659	-6.4	3.2	4.4	-0.9	
Second Quintile	10,359	21.1	34,672	3,539	31,133	10.2	7.7	9.0	3.3	
Middle Quintile	10,251	20.9	62,298	11,329	50,969	18.2	13.6	14.6	10.6	
Fourth Quintile	9,800	19.9	103,142	22,938	80,203	22.2	21.6	21.9	20.4	
Top Quintile	8,315	16.9	306,063	87,962	218,101	28.7	54.3	50.5	66.4	
All	49,155	100.0	95,419	22,395	73,024	23.5	100.0	100.0	100.0	
Addendum										
80-90	4,398	9.0	157,496	39,466	118,029	25.1	14.8	14.5	15.8	
90-95	1,976	4.0	224,546	58,557	165,989	26.1	9.5	9.1	10.5	
95-99	1,567	3.2	400,356	113,535	286,820	28.4	13.4	12.5	16.2	
Top 1 Percent	374	0.8	2,088,455	706,373	1,382,081	33.8	16.7	14.4	24.0	
Top 0.1 Percent	36	0.1	9,839,694	3,519,421	6,320,273	35.8	7.6	6.3	11.5	

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

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Second Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.7	-14	-1.4	0.0	1.8	-0.1	4.4
Middle Quintile	0.0	0.0	0.4	5.4	-137	-4.8	-0.1	3.6	-0.3	6.6
Fourth Quintile	0.1	0.0	0.4	7.9	-219	-2.4	0.1	10.8	-0.3	12.5
Top Quintile	0.7	0.0	1.2	85.4	-2,300	-3.3	-0.1	83.5	-0.9	25.9
All	0.2	0.0	0.8	100.0	-495	-3.3	0.0	100.0	-0.7	19.4
Addendum										
80-90	0.4	0.0	1.1	14.6	-912	-4.6	-0.2	10.2	-0.9	17.8
90-95	0.5	0.0	1.1	12.1	-1,345	-4.1	-0.1	9.7	-0.9	20.8
95-99	1.0	0.0	1.8	33.5	-3,631	-5.2	-0.4	20.5	-1.4	24.6
Top 1 Percent	1.6	0.0	0.9	25.2	-8,785	-1.9	0.6	43.2	-0.6	32.0
Top 0.1 Percent	2.0	0.3	0.2	2.1	-7,301	-0.3	0.7	22.0	-0.1	35.7

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Second Quintile	8,213	26.9	22,528	998	21,529	4.4	8.0	9.6	1.8
Middle Quintile	5,981	19.6	41,094	2,842	38,252	6.9	10.6	12.4	3.7
Fourth Quintile	5,495	18.0	70,238	8,996	61,242	12.8	16.7	18.2	10.7
Top Quintile	5,617	18.4	257,048	68,955	188,093	26.8	62.4	57.1	83.5
All	30,543	100.0	75,737	15,182	60,555	20.1	100.0	100.0	100.0
Addendum									
80-90	2,427	8.0	105,444	19,701	85,744	18.7	11.1	11.3	10.3
90-95	1,362	4.5	153,103	33,190	119,913	21.7	9.0	8.8	9.8
95-99	1,394	4.6	267,882	69,443	198,438	25.9	16.1	15.0	20.9
Top 1 Percent	434	1.4	1,396,961	455,317	941,644	32.6	26.2	22.1	42.6
Top 0.1 Percent	42	0.1	6,520,091	2,337,443	4,182,648	35.9	12.0	9.6	21.4

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

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