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## Table T13-0102

Replace the Mortgage Interest Deduction with a 20 Percent Non-Refundable Credit on the First \$500,000 of Debt

## Baseline: Current Law

Distribution of Federal Tax Change by Cash Income Level, 2015<sup>1</sup>

# Summary Table

| Cash Income Level     |                     | Tax Units with Tax | Increase or Cut <sup>3</sup> | •                   | Percent                | Share of             | Average     | Average Fed | eral Tax Rate |
|-----------------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|----------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|
| thousands of 2012     | With                | Tax Cut            | With Tax                     | Increase            | Change in<br>After-Tax | Total<br>Federal Tax | Federal Tax | Change (%   | Under the     |
| dollars) <sup>2</sup> | Pct of Tax<br>Units | Avg Tax Cut        | Pct of Tax<br>Units          | Avg Tax<br>Increase | Income <sup>4</sup>    | Change               | Change (\$) | Points)     | Proposal      |
| Less than 10          | 0.0                 | **                 | 0.0                          | 0                   | 0.0                    | 0.0                  | 0           | 0.0         | 3.3           |
| 10-20                 | 3.9                 | -192               | 0.0                          | 196                 | 0.1                    | 4.4                  | -7          | -0.1        | 1.9           |
| 20-30                 | 11.1                | -332               | 0.5                          | 252                 | 0.2                    | 17.7                 | -35         | -0.1        | 6.5           |
| 30-40                 | 24.2                | -415               | 1.7                          | 451                 | 0.3                    | 43.2                 | -93         | -0.3        | 11.3          |
| 40-50                 | 34.5                | -514               | 2.8                          | 594                 | 0.4                    | 61.5                 | -161        | -0.3        | 14.0          |
| 50-75                 | 43.2                | -626               | 9.2                          | 453                 | 0.4                    | 161.4                | -229        | -0.4        | 16.9          |
| 75-100                | 48.4                | -877               | 14.4                         | 611                 | 0.5                    | 137.0                | -337        | -0.4        | 19.2          |
| 100-200               | 33.4                | -720               | 36.4                         | 687                 | 0.0                    | -5.6                 | 10          | 0.0         | 22.2          |
| 200-500               | 4.0                 | -647               | 65.8                         | 2,276               | -0.7                   | -228.7               | 1,472       | 0.5         | 26.8          |
| 500-1,000             | 1.0                 | -1,003             | 56.0                         | 4,610               | -0.6                   | -57.7                | 2,573       | 0.4         | 32.5          |
| More than 1,000       | 3.3                 | -1,795             | 33.9                         | 6,722               | -0.1                   | -33.1                | 2,222       | 0.1         | 38.8          |
| All                   | 24.3                | -629               | 11.2                         | 1,149               | 0.0                    | 100.0                | -24         | 0.0         | 22.7          |
| Addendum              |                     |                    |                              |                     |                        |                      |             |             |               |
| 100-125               | 46.0                | -733               | 20.7                         | 525                 | 0.3                    | 66.6                 | -228        | -0.2        | 20.7          |
| 125-150               | 24.2                | -675               | 48.2                         | 673                 | -0.2                   | -28.7                | 161         | 0.1         | 22.9          |
| 150-175               | 15.2                | -724               | 58.5                         | 831                 | -0.3                   | -25.8                | 376         | 0.2         | 23.6          |
| 175-200               | 11.5                | -756               | 62.8                         | 915                 | -0.3                   | -17.7                | 488         | 0.3         | 24.4          |

Source: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model (version 0412-8).

Number of AMT Taxpayers (millions). Baseline: 4.0 Proposal: 4.7

\* Less than 0.05

\*\* Insufficient data

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(3) Includes tax units with a change in federal tax burden of \$10 or more in absolute value.

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(5) 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 T13-0102 Replace the Mortgage Interest Deduction with a 20 Percent Non-Refundable Credit on the First \$500,000 of Debt **Baseline: Current Law** Distribution of Federal Tax Change by Cash Income Level, 2015<sup>1</sup> Detail Table

| Cash Income Level  | Percent of T | ax Units <sup>3</sup> | Percent Change                      |                       | Average Feder | al Tax Change | Share of Fee         | leral Taxes           | Average Federal Tax Rate <sup>5</sup> |                       |
|--|--------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------|---------------|----------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| thousands of 2012<br>dollars) <sup>2</sup><br>Less than 10<br>10-20<br>20-30<br>30-40<br>40-50<br>50-75<br>75-100<br>100-200 | With Tax Cut | With Tax<br>Increase  | in After-Tax<br>Income <sup>4</sup> | Federal Tax<br>Change | Dollars       | Percent       | Change (%<br>Points) | Under the<br>Proposal | Change (%<br>Points)                  | Under the<br>Proposal |
| Less than 10   | 0.0          | 0.0                   | 0.0                                 | 0.0                   | 0             | 0.0           | 0.0                  | 0.1                   | 0.0                                   | 3.3                   |
| 10-20  | 3.9          | 0.0                   | 0.1                                 | 4.4                   | -7            | -2.5          | 0.0                  | 0.2                   | -0.1                                  | 1.9                   |
| 20-30  | 11.1         | 0.5                   | 0.2                                 | 17.7                  | -35           | -2.1          | 0.0                  | 1.1                   | -0.1                                  | 6.5                   |
| 30-40  | 24.2         | 1.7                   | 0.3                                 | 43.2                  | -93           | -2.2          | -0.1                 | 2.6                   | -0.3                                  | 11.3                  |
| 40-50  | 34.5         | 2.8                   | 0.4                                 | 61.5                  | -161          | -2.4          | -0.1                 | 3.3                   | -0.3                                  | 14.0                  |
| 50-75  | 43.2         | 9.2                   | 0.4                                 | 161.4                 | -229          | -2.1          | -0.2                 | 10.1                  | -0.4                                  | 16.9                  |
| 75-100   | 48.4         | 14.4                  | 0.5                                 | 137.0                 | -337          | -1.9          | -0.2                 | 9.4                   | -0.4                                  | 19.2                  |
| 100-200  | 33.4         | 36.4                  | 0.0                                 | -5.6                  | 10            | 0.0           | 0.0                  | 23.1                  | 0.0                                   | 22.2                  |
| 200-500  | 4.0          | 65.8                  | -0.7                                | -228.7                | 1,472         | 1.9           | 0.3                  | 16.0                  | 0.5                                   | 26.8                  |
| 500-1,000  | 1.0          | 56.0                  | -0.6                                | -57.7                 | 2,573         | 1.2           | 0.1                  | 6.7                   | 0.4                                   | 32.5                  |
| More than 1,000  | 3.3          | 33.9                  | -0.1                                | -33.1                 | 2,222         | 0.2           | 0.1                  | 27.2                  | 0.1                                   | 38.8                  |
| All  | 24.3         | 11.2                  | 0.0                                 | 100.0                 | -24           | -0.1          | 0.0                  | 100.0                 | 0.0                                   | 22.7                  |
| Addendum   |              |                       |                                     |                       |               |               |                      |                       |                                       |                       |
| 100-125  | 46.0         | 20.7                  | 0.3                                 | 66.6                  | -228          | -0.9          | -0.1                 | 9.4                   | -0.2                                  | 20.7                  |
| 125-150  | 24.2         | 48.2                  | -0.2                                | -28.7                 | 161           | 0.5           | 0.1                  | 7.7                   | 0.1                                   | 22.9                  |
| 150-175  | 15.2         | 58.5                  | -0.3                                | -25.8                 | 376           | 1.0           | 0.0                  | 3.6                   | 0.2                                   | 23.6                  |
| 175-200  | 11.5         | 62.8                  | -0.3                                | -17.7                 | 488           | 1.0           | 0.0                  | 2.3                   | 0.3                                   | 24.4                  |

### **Baseline Distribution of Income and Federal Taxes** by Cash Income Level, 2015<sup>1</sup>

| Cash Income Level<br>(thousands of 2012 | Tax U                 | Jnits               | Pre-Tax In        | icome               | Federal Tax       | Burden              | After-Tax In      | icome <sup>4</sup>  | Average<br>Federal Tax |
|---|-----------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| dollars) <sup>2</sup>                   | Number<br>(thousands) | Percent of<br>Total | Average (dollars) | Percent of<br>Total | Average (dollars) | Percent of<br>Total | Average (dollars) | Percent of<br>Total | Rate <sup>5</sup>      |
| Less than 10                            | 13,758                | 8.6                 | 5,491             | 0.6                 | 181               | 0.1                 | 5,310             | 0.8                 | 3.3                    |
| 10-20                                   | 22,829                | 14.2                | 15,580            | 2.8                 | 296               | 0.2                 | 15,283            | 3.6                 | 1.9                    |
| 20-30                                   | 19,028                | 11.9                | 25,863            | 3.9                 | 1,724             | 1.2                 | 24,139            | 4.7                 | 6.7                    |
| 30-40                                   | 17,708                | 11.1                | 36,613            | 5.2                 | 4,232             | 2.6                 | 32,381            | 5.9                 | 11.6                   |
| 40-50                                   | 14,571                | 9.1                 | 46,902            | 5.4                 | 6,718             | 3.4                 | 40,184            | 6.0                 | 14.3                   |
| 50-75                                   | 26,865                | 16.8                | 63,716            | 13.6                | 10,981            | 10.3                | 52,735            | 14.6                | 17.2                   |
| 75-100                                  | 15,478                | 9.7                 | 90,823            | 11.2                | 17,778            | 9.6                 | 73,045            | 11.6                | 19.6                   |
| 100-200                                 | 21,848                | 13.6                | 136,192           | 23.6                | 30,204            | 23.0                | 105,988           | 23.8                | 22.2                   |
| 200-500                                 | 5,910                 | 3.7                 | 288,460           | 13.5                | 75,836            | 15.7                | 212,624           | 12.9                | 26.3                   |
| 500-1,000                               | 854                   | 0.5                 | 693,862           | 4.7                 | 223,053           | 6.7                 | 470,809           | 4.1                 | 32.2                   |
| More than 1,000                         | 567                   | 0.4                 | 3,536,837         | 15.9                | 1,369,639         | 27.1                | 2,167,199         | 12.6                | 38.7                   |
| All                                     | 160,282               | 100.0               | 78,595            | 100.0               | 17,872            | 100.0               | 60,723            | 100.0               | 22.7                   |
| Addendum                                |                       |                     |                   |                     |                   |                     |                   |                     |                        |
| 100-125                                 | 11,086                | 6.9                 | 117,684           | 10.4                | 24,591            | 9.5                 | 93,093            | 10.6                | 20.9                   |
| 125-150                                 | 6,766                 | 4.2                 | 142,150           | 7.6                 | 32,452            | 7.7                 | 109,697           | 7.6                 | 22.8                   |
| 150-175                                 | 2,616                 | 1.6                 | 168,165           | 3.5                 | 39,258            | 3.6                 | 128,907           | 3.5                 | 23.3                   |
| 175-200                                 | 1,380                 | 0.9                 | 195,057           | 2.1                 | 47,118            | 2.3                 | 147,939           | 2.1                 | 24.2                   |

Source: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model (version 0412-8).

Number of AMT Taxpayers (millions). Baseline: 4.0 Proposal: 4.7

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## Table T13-0102 Replace the Mortgage Interest Deduction with a 20 Percent Non-Refundable Credit on the First \$500,000 of Debt **Baseline: Current Law** Distribution of Federal Tax Change by Cash Income Level, 2015<sup>1</sup> Detail Table - Single Tax Units

| Cash Income Level                           | Percent of T | ax Units <sup>3</sup> | Percent Change                      |                       | Average Feder | al Tax Change | Share of Fee         | leral Taxes           | Average Fed          | eral Tax Rate⁵        |
|---|--------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------|---------------|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| (thousands of 2012<br>dollars) <sup>2</sup> | With Tax Cut | With Tax<br>Increase  | in After-Tax<br>Income <sup>4</sup> | Federal Tax<br>Change | Dollars       | Percent       | Change (%<br>Points) | Under the<br>Proposal | Change (%<br>Points) | Under the<br>Proposal |
| Less than 10                                | 0.0          | 0.0                   | 0.0                                 | 0.0                   | 0             | 0.0           | 0.0                  | 0.6                   | 0.0                  | 7.4                   |
| 10-20                                       | 5.1          | 0.0                   | 0.1                                 | 14.6                  | -10           | -0.9          | 0.0                  | 2.3                   | -0.1                 | 6.6                   |
| 20-30                                       | 13.0         | 0.1                   | 0.2                                 | 47.2                  | -44           | -1.5          | -0.1                 | 4.7                   | -0.2                 | 11.0                  |
| 30-40                                       | 26.7         | 0.1                   | 0.3                                 | 88.1                  | -96           | -1.8          | -0.1                 | 7.5                   | -0.3                 | 14.6                  |
| 40-50                                       | 38.8         | 0.3                   | 0.4                                 | 109.9                 | -167          | -2.0          | -0.2                 | 8.4                   | -0.4                 | 18.0                  |
| 50-75                                       | 33.6         | 14.4                  | 0.2                                 | 81.0                  | -82           | -0.6          | -0.1                 | 20.4                  | -0.1                 | 21.5                  |
| 75-100                                      | 14.5         | 38.9                  | -0.2                                | -40.3                 | 114           | 0.5           | 0.1                  | 11.8                  | 0.1                  | 24.1                  |
| 100-200                                     | 6.9          | 46.4                  | -0.4                                | -108.9                | 354           | 1.0           | 0.2                  | 16.3                  | 0.3                  | 26.1                  |
| 200-500                                     | 1.5          | 41.5                  | -0.5                                | -64.1                 | 964           | 1.1           | 0.1                  | 8.8                   | 0.3                  | 29.5                  |
| 500-1,000                                   | 0.4          | 36.3                  | -0.4                                | -18.5                 | 1,860         | 0.8           | 0.0                  | 3.6                   | 0.3                  | 34.0                  |
| More than 1,000                             | 4.5          | 20.7                  | -0.1                                | -9.2                  | 1,325         | 0.1           | 0.0                  | 15.5                  | 0.0                  | 41.3                  |
| All   | 16.2         | 6.6                   | 0.0                                 | 100.0                 | -14           | -0.2          | 0.0                  | 100.0                 | 0.0                  | 21.5                  |
| Addendum                                    |              |                       |                                     |                       |               |               |                      |                       |                      |                       |
| 100-125                                     | 9.4          | 43.9                  | -0.3                                | -39.1                 | 227           | 0.8           | 0.1                  | 7.8                   | 0.2                  | 25.3                  |
| 125-150                                     | 2.8          | 48.9                  | -0.4                                | -39.2                 | 444           | 1.2           | 0.1                  | 5.2                   | 0.3                  | 27.1                  |
| 150-175                                     | 4.9          | 52.7                  | -0.5                                | -20.9                 | 664           | 1.5           | 0.0                  | 2.2                   | 0.4                  | 26.6                  |
| 175-200                                     | 6.6          | 47.5                  | -0.4                                | -9.7                  | 620           | 1.2           | 0.0                  | 1.2                   | 0.3                  | 26.2                  |

# **Baseline Distribution of Income and Federal Taxes**

by Cash Income Level, 2015<sup>1</sup>

| Cash Income Level     | (thousands of 2012    |                     | Pre-Tax Ir        | icome               | Federal Tax       | Burden              | After-Tax In      | Average<br>Federal Tax |                   |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------|
| dollars) <sup>2</sup> | Number<br>(thousands) | Percent of<br>Total | Average (dollars) | Percent of<br>Total | Average (dollars) | Percent of<br>Total | Average (dollars) | Percent of<br>Total    | Rate <sup>5</sup> |
| Less than 10          | 10,507                | 14.6                | 5,427             | 1.8                 | 401               | 0.6                 | 5,026             | 2.1                    | 7.4               |
| 10-20                 | 15,568                | 21.6                | 15,496            | 7.6                 | 1,032             | 2.4                 | 14,464            | 9.0                    | 6.7               |
| 20-30                 | 11,176                | 15.5                | 25,685            | 9.1                 | 2,874             | 4.7                 | 22,811            | 10.2                   | 11.2              |
| 30-40                 | 9,526                 | 13.2                | 36,575            | 11.0                | 5,451             | 7.6                 | 31,124            | 11.9                   | 14.9              |
| 40-50                 | 6,840                 | 9.5                 | 46,685            | 10.1                | 8,552             | 8.6                 | 38,133            | 10.5                   | 18.3              |
| 50-75                 | 10,274                | 14.3                | 63,117            | 20.4                | 13,627            | 20.5                | 49,491            | 20.4                   | 21.6              |
| 75-100                | 3,678                 | 5.1                 | 90,100            | 10.4                | 21,629            | 11.7                | 68,471            | 10.1                   | 24.0              |
| 100-200               | 3,188                 | 4.4                 | 133,751           | 13.4                | 34,495            | 16.1                | 99,256            | 12.7                   | 25.8              |
| 200-500               | 690                   | 1.0                 | 292,471           | 6.4                 | 85,401            | 8.7                 | 207,070           | 5.7                    | 29.2              |
| 500-1,000             | 103                   | 0.1                 | 699,403           | 2.3                 | 235,844           | 3.6                 | 463,559           | 1.9                    | 33.7              |
| More than 1,000       | 72                    | 0.1                 | 3,544,924         | 8.0                 | 1,460,930         | 15.4                | 2,083,994         | 6.0                    | 41.2              |
| All                   | 72,071                | 100.0               | 44,035            | 100.0               | 9,459             | 100.0               | 34,577            | 100.0                  | 21.5              |
| Addendum              |                       |                     |                   |                     |                   |                     |                   |                        |                   |
| 100-125               | 1,784                 | 2.5                 | 117,040           | 6.6                 | 29,361            | 7.7                 | 87,679            | 6.3                    | 25.1              |
| 125-150               | 916                   | 1.3                 | 142,986           | 4.1                 | 38,234            | 5.1                 | 104,751           | 3.9                    | 26.7              |
| 150-175               | 326                   | 0.5                 | 168,630           | 1.7                 | 44,142            | 2.1                 | 124,488           | 1.6                    | 26.2              |
| 175-200               | 162                   | 0.2                 | 195,386           | 1.0                 | 50,477            | 1.2                 | 144,909           | 0.9                    | 25.8              |

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## Table T13-0102 Replace the Mortgage Interest Deduction with a 20 Percent Non-Refundable Credit on the First \$500,000 of Debt **Baseline: Current Law** Distribution of Federal Tax Change by Cash Income Level, 2015<sup>1</sup> Detail Table - Married Tax Units Filing Jointly

| Cash Income Level   | Percent of T | ax Units <sup>3</sup> | Percent Change                      | Share of Total<br>Federal Tax – | Average Feder | al Tax Change | Share of Fee         | leral Taxes           | Average Fede         | eral Tax Rate⁵        |
|---|--------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------|---------------|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| (thousands of 2012<br>dollars) <sup>2</sup><br>Less than 10<br>10-20<br>20-30<br>30-40<br>40-50<br>50-75<br>75-100<br>100-200 | With Tax Cut | With Tax<br>Increase  | in After-Tax<br>Income <sup>4</sup> | Federal Tax<br>Change           | Dollars       | Percent       | Change (%<br>Points) | Under the<br>Proposal | Change (%<br>Points) | Under the<br>Proposal |
| Less than 10  | 0.0          | 0.0                   | 0.0                                 | 0.0                             | 0             | 0.0           | 0.0                  | 0.0                   | 0.0                  | 3.2                   |
| 10-20   | 0.1          | 0.0                   | 0.0                                 | 0.0                             | 0             | 0.0           | 0.0                  | 0.0                   | 0.0                  | -1.8                  |
| 20-30   | 7.7          | 0.1                   | 0.1                                 | 4.3                             | -24           | -5.8          | 0.0                  | 0.1                   | -0.1                 | 1.5                   |
| 30-40   | 19.1         | 2.7                   | 0.3                                 | 20.3                            | -94           | -4.3          | 0.0                  | 0.4                   | -0.3                 | 5.7                   |
| 40-50   | 25.1         | 4.4                   | 0.3                                 | 36.0                            | -144          | -3.6          | 0.0                  | 0.9                   | -0.3                 | 8.2                   |
| 50-75   | 49.3         | 5.3                   | 0.6                                 | 226.5                           | -342          | -4.0          | -0.2                 | 5.0                   | -0.5                 | 12.7                  |
| 75-100  | 63.6         | 2.6                   | 0.8                                 | 319.6                           | -576          | -3.6          | -0.3                 | 8.0                   | -0.6                 | 17.1                  |
| 100-200   | 39.6         | 33.3                  | 0.1                                 | 82.2                            | -85           | -0.3          | -0.1                 | 26.0                  | -0.1                 | 21.3                  |
| 200-500   | 4.5          | 69.3                  | -0.7                                | -420.4                          | 1,523         | 2.1           | 0.4                  | 19.3                  | 0.5                  | 26.3                  |
| 500-1,000   | 1.1          | 59.1                  | -0.6                                | -107.0                          | 2,697         | 1.2           | 0.1                  | 8.2                   | 0.4                  | 32.3                  |
| More than 1,000   | 3.1          | 36.4                  | -0.1                                | -61.5                           | 2,376         | 0.2           | 0.1                  | 32.0                  | 0.1                  | 38.5                  |
| All   | 35.2         | 18.1                  | 0.0                                 | 100.0                           | -30           | -0.1          | 0.0                  | 100.0                 | 0.0                  | 24.2                  |
| Addendum  |              |                       |                                     |                                 |               |               |                      |                       |                      |                       |
| 100-125   | 55.8         | 13.6                  | 0.4                                 | 174.4                           | -366          | -1.6          | -0.2                 | 10.1                  | -0.3                 | 19.5                  |
| 125-150   | 28.6         | 47.2                  | -0.1                                | -25.7                           | 84            | 0.3           | 0.0                  | 8.8                   | 0.1                  | 22.1                  |
| 150-175   | 17.3         | 59.2                  | -0.2                                | -37.1                           | 310           | 0.8           | 0.0                  | 4.3                   | 0.2                  | 23.0                  |
| 175-200   | 12.4         | 65.2                  | -0.3                                | -29.5                           | 454           | 1.0           | 0.0                  | 2.8                   | 0.2                  | 24.1                  |

## **Baseline Distribution of Income and Federal Taxes**

by Cash Income Level, 2015<sup>1</sup>

| Cash Income Level<br>(thousands of 2012 | Tax U                 | Tax Units           |                   | Pre-Tax Income      |                   | Burden              | After-Tax In      | come <sup>4</sup>   | Average<br>Federal Tax |
|---|-----------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| dollars) <sup>2</sup>                   | Number<br>(thousands) | Percent of<br>Total | Average (dollars) | Percent of<br>Total | Average (dollars) | Percent of<br>Total | Average (dollars) | Percent of<br>Total | Rate <sup>5</sup>      |
| Less than 10                            | 1,225                 | 2.0                 | 4,634             | 0.1                 | 147               | 0.0                 | 4,486             | 0.1                 | 3.2                    |
| 10-20                                   | 2,482                 | 4.0                 | 16,145            | 0.5                 | -287              | 0.0                 | 16,431            | 0.7                 | -1.8                   |
| 20-30                                   | 3,253                 | 5.3                 | 26,193            | 1.0                 | 411               | 0.1                 | 25,783            | 1.4                 | 1.6                    |
| 30-40                                   | 3,949                 | 6.4                 | 36,813            | 1.8                 | 2,182             | 0.4                 | 34,631            | 2.2                 | 5.9                    |
| 40-50                                   | 4,568                 | 7.4                 | 47,297            | 2.6                 | 4,038             | 0.9                 | 43,259            | 3.2                 | 8.5                    |
| 50-75                                   | 12,103                | 19.6                | 64,376            | 9.5                 | 8,541             | 5.2                 | 55,834            | 10.9                | 13.3                   |
| 75-100                                  | 10,130                | 16.4                | 91,232            | 11.3                | 16,176            | 8.3                 | 75,056            | 12.3                | 17.7                   |
| 100-200                                 | 17,635                | 28.5                | 136,887           | 29.5                | 29,256            | 26.1                | 107,631           | 30.6                | 21.4                   |
| 200-500                                 | 5,043                 | 8.2                 | 287,748           | 17.8                | 74,207            | 18.9                | 213,541           | 17.4                | 25.8                   |
| 500-1,000                               | 725                   | 1.2                 | 692,769           | 6.1                 | 221,174           | 8.1                 | 471,595           | 5.5                 | 31.9                   |
| More than 1,000                         | 473                   | 0.8                 | 3,483,115         | 20.2                | 1,337,579         | 31.9                | 2,145,536         | 16.4                | 38.4                   |
| All                                     | 61,905                | 100.0               | 132,067           | 100.0               | 31,997            | 100.0               | 100,070           | 100.0               | 24.2                   |
| Addendum                                |                       |                     |                   |                     |                   |                     |                   |                     |                        |
| 100-125                                 | 8,711                 | 14.1                | 117,867           | 12.6                | 23,335            | 10.3                | 94,532            | 13.3                | 19.8                   |
| 125-150                                 | 5,555                 | 9.0                 | 142,053           | 9.7                 | 31,261            | 8.8                 | 110,793           | 9.9                 | 22.0                   |
| 150-175                                 | 2,184                 | 3.5                 | 168,074           | 4.5                 | 38,415            | 4.2                 | 129,659           | 4.6                 | 22.9                   |
| 175-200                                 | 1,185                 | 1.9                 | 194,987           | 2.8                 | 46,505            | 2.8                 | 148,482           | 2.8                 | 23.9                   |

Source: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model (version 0412-8).

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

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(3) Includes tax units with a change in federal tax burden of \$10 or more in absolute value.

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## Table T13-0102 Replace the Mortgage Interest Deduction with a 20 Percent Non-Refundable Credit on the First \$500,000 of Debt **Baseline: Current Law** Distribution of Federal Tax Change by Cash Income Level, 2015<sup>1</sup> Detail Table - Head of Household Tax Units

| Cash Income Level                           | Percent of T | ax Units <sup>3</sup> | Percent Change                      |                       | Average Feder | al Tax Change | Share of Fee         | leral Taxes           | Average Fed          | eral Tax Rate⁵        |
|---|--------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------|---------------|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| (thousands of 2012<br>dollars) <sup>2</sup> | With Tax Cut | With Tax<br>Increase  | in After-Tax<br>Income <sup>4</sup> | Federal Tax<br>Change | Dollars       | Percent       | Change (%<br>Points) | Under the<br>Proposal | Change (%<br>Points) | Under the<br>Proposal |
| Less than 10                                | 0.0          | 0.0                   | 0.0                                 | 0.0                   | 0             | 0.0           | 0.0                  | -1.4                  | 0.0                  | -16.2                 |
| 10-20                                       | 0.8          | 0.0                   | 0.0                                 | 0.4                   | -1            | 0.1           | -0.1                 | -6.5                  | 0.0                  | -12.9                 |
| 20-30                                       | 6.2          | 2.1                   | 0.1                                 | 4.8                   | -17           | 3.7           | -0.1                 | -1.4                  | -0.1                 | -1.8                  |
| 30-40                                       | 19.4         | 4.5                   | 0.2                                 | 17.3                  | -68           | -2.3          | -0.1                 | 8.0                   | -0.2                 | 8.0                   |
| 40-50                                       | 36.2         | 5.9                   | 0.4                                 | 31.5                  | -168          | -2.7          | -0.2                 | 12.2                  | -0.4                 | 13.1                  |
| 50-75                                       | 51.7         | 3.5                   | 0.6                                 | 85.1                  | -324          | -2.9          | -0.6                 | 30.2                  | -0.5                 | 17.1                  |
| 75-100                                      | 36.4         | 24.6                  | 0.2                                 | 11.0                  | -118          | -0.7          | 0.1                  | 18.0                  | -0.1                 | 20.2                  |
| 100-200                                     | 11.2         | 58.5                  | -0.5                                | -26.2                 | 452           | 1.4           | 0.5                  | 19.7                  | 0.3                  | 24.2                  |
| 200-500                                     | 1.7          | 68.5                  | -1.0                                | -19.3                 | 2,160         | 2.7           | 0.3                  | 7.7                   | 0.7                  | 27.9                  |
| 500-1,000                                   | 0.1          | 56.7                  | -0.5                                | -2.5                  | 2,165         | 1.0           | 0.1                  | 2.8                   | 0.3                  | 31.7                  |
| More than 1,000                             | 5.6          | 32.2                  | -0.1                                | -1.9                  | 2,335         | 0.2           | 0.1                  | 10.8                  | 0.1                  | 37.1                  |
| All   | 19.7         | 6.4                   | 0.2                                 | 100.0                 | -63           | -1.1          | 0.0                  | 100.0                 | -0.1                 | 13.5                  |
| Addendum                                    |              |                       |                                     |                       |               |               |                      |                       |                      |                       |
| 100-125                                     | 13.6         | 55.6                  | -0.4                                | -10.8                 | 321           | 1.2           | 0.2                  | 9.9                   | 0.3                  | 23.6                  |
| 125-150                                     | 10.0         | 63.9                  | -0.5                                | -8.1                  | 498           | 1.4           | 0.2                  | 6.2                   | 0.4                  | 25.2                  |
| 150-175                                     | 4.0          | 63.0                  | -0.7                                | -5.4                  | 875           | 2.2           | 0.1                  | 2.6                   | 0.5                  | 23.8                  |
| 175-200                                     | 2.4          | 48.4                  | -0.7                                | -1.8                  | 1,047         | 2.1           | 0.0                  | 0.9                   | 0.5                  | 25.6                  |

# **Baseline Distribution of Income and Federal Taxes**

by Cash Income Level, 2015<sup>1</sup>

| Cash Income Level     | (thousands of 2012    |                     | Pre-Tax Ir        | icome               | Federal Tax       | Burden              | After-Tax In      | Average<br>– Federal Tax |        |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|--------|
| dollars) <sup>2</sup> | Number<br>(thousands) | Percent of<br>Total | Average (dollars) | Percent of<br>Total | Average (dollars) | Percent of<br>Total | Average (dollars) | Percent of<br>Total      | Rate 5 |
| Less than 10          | 1,905                 | 8.0                 | 6,415             | 1.2                 | -1,042            | -1.4                | 7,457             | 1.6                      | -16.2  |
| 10-20                 | 4,539                 | 19.1                | 15,554            | 6.8                 | -2,006            | -6.4                | 17,560            | 8.9                      | -12.9  |
| 20-30                 | 4,290                 | 18.1                | 26,064            | 10.7                | -445              | -1.4                | 26,509            | 12.7                     | -1.7   |
| 30-40                 | 3,808                 | 16.0                | 36,456            | 13.3                | 2,998             | 8.0                 | 33,458            | 14.2                     | 8.2    |
| 40-50                 | 2,797                 | 11.8                | 46,855            | 12.6                | 6,292             | 12.4                | 40,562            | 12.6                     | 13.4   |
| 50-75                 | 3,923                 | 16.5                | 63,261            | 23.8                | 11,140            | 30.8                | 52,120            | 22.7                     | 17.6   |
| 75-100                | 1,387                 | 5.8                 | 90,105            | 12.0                | 18,288            | 17.9                | 71,817            | 11.1                     | 20.3   |
| 100-200               | 866                   | 3.7                 | 131,590           | 11.0                | 31,430            | 19.2                | 100,159           | 9.7                      | 23.9   |
| 200-500               | 134                   | 0.6                 | 290,035           | 3.7                 | 78,826            | 7.4                 | 211,209           | 3.1                      | 27.2   |
| 500-1,000             | 17                    | 0.1                 | 697,882           | 1.2                 | 218,881           | 2.7                 | 479,001           | 0.9                      | 31.4   |
| More than 1,000       | 12                    | 0.1                 | 3,314,596         | 3.9                 | 1,227,823         | 10.6                | 2,086,774         | 2.9                      | 37.0   |
| All                   | 23,746                | 100.0               | 43,843            | 100.0               | 5,976             | 100.0               | 37,867            | 100.0                    | 13.6   |
| Addendum              |                       |                     |                   |                     |                   |                     |                   |                          |        |
| 100-125               | 505                   | 2.1                 | 116,678           | 5.7                 | 27,267            | 9.7                 | 89,411            | 5.0                      | 23.4   |
| 125-150               | 243                   | 1.0                 | 141,549           | 3.3                 | 35,205            | 6.0                 | 106,344           | 2.9                      | 24.9   |
| 150-175               | 92                    | 0.4                 | 168,648           | 1.5                 | 39,228            | 2.6                 | 129,420           | 1.3                      | 23.3   |
| 175-200               | 26                    | 0.1                 | 196,399           | 0.5                 | 49,307            | 0.9                 | 147,092           | 0.4                      | 25.1   |

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### Table T13-0102 Replace the Mortgage Interest Deduction with a 20 Percent Non-Refundable Credit on the First \$500,000 of Debt Baseline: Current Law Distribution of Federal Tax Change by Cash Income Level, 2015<sup>1</sup> Detail Table - Tax Units with Children

| Cash Income Level                           | Percent of T | ax Units <sup>3</sup> | Percent Change                      |                       | Average Feder | al Tax Change | Share of Fee         | leral Taxes           | Average Federal Tax Rate <sup>5</sup> |                       |
|---|--------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------|---------------|----------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| (thousands of 2012<br>dollars) <sup>2</sup> | With Tax Cut | With Tax<br>Increase  | in After-Tax<br>Income <sup>4</sup> | Federal Tax<br>Change | Dollars       | Percent       | Change (%<br>Points) | Under the<br>Proposal | Change (%<br>Points)                  | Under the<br>Proposal |
| Less than 10                                | 0.0          | 0.0                   | 0.0                                 | 0.0                   | 0             | 0.0           | 0.0                  | -0.3                  | 0.0                                   | -19.0                 |
| 10-20                                       | 0.2          | 0.1                   | 0.0                                 | 0.0                   | 0             | 0.0           | 0.0                  | -1.2                  | 0.0                                   | -16.2                 |
| 20-30                                       | 3.0          | 1.8                   | 0.0                                 | -2.2                  | -4            | 0.3           | 0.0                  | -0.6                  | 0.0                                   | -4.8                  |
| 30-40                                       | 14.2         | 5.9                   | 0.1                                 | -17.2                 | -35           | -1.6          | 0.0                  | 0.9                   | -0.1                                  | 5.7                   |
| 40-50                                       | 26.3         | 8.7                   | 0.2                                 | -41.8                 | -100          | -1.9          | 0.0                  | 1.9                   | -0.2                                  | 10.9                  |
| 50-75                                       | 46.8         | 10.0                  | 0.5                                 | -239.1                | -281          | -2.8          | -0.2                 | 7.5                   | -0.4                                  | 15.4                  |
| 75-100                                      | 62.7         | 8.7                   | 0.7                                 | -335.0                | -527          | -3.1          | -0.3                 | 9.4                   | -0.6                                  | 18.1                  |
| 100-200                                     | 41.5         | 38.9                  | 0.0                                 | -31.5                 | -32           | -0.1          | -0.1                 | 26.4                  | 0.0                                   | 21.8                  |
| 200-500                                     | 3.9          | 80.7                  | -0.9                                | 551.3                 | 2,006         | 2.7           | 0.5                  | 19.1                  | 0.7                                   | 26.9                  |
| 500-1,000                                   | 1.1          | 69.1                  | -0.7                                | 135.2                 | 3,403         | 1.5           | 0.1                  | 8.0                   | 0.5                                   | 32.5                  |
| More than 1,000                             | 3.5          | 46.6                  | -0.2                                | 80.3                  | 3,258         | 0.3           | 0.1                  | 28.6                  | 0.1                                   | 38.3                  |
| All   | 28.0         | 17.0                  | 0.0                                 | 100.0                 | 20            | 0.1           | 0.0                  | 100.0                 | 0.0                                   | 22.4                  |
| Addendum                                    |              |                       |                                     |                       |               |               |                      |                       |                                       |                       |
| 100-125                                     | 60.1         | 17.0                  | 0.4                                 | -178.2                | -370          | -1.5          | -0.2                 | 10.2                  | -0.3                                  | 20.1                  |
| 125-150                                     | 29.0         | 53.5                  | -0.2                                | 51.5                  | 161           | 0.5           | 0.0                  | 9.1                   | 0.1                                   | 22.3                  |
| 150-175                                     | 16.5         | 68.9                  | -0.4                                | 55.2                  | 449           | 1.1           | 0.1                  | 4.4                   | 0.3                                   | 23.6                  |
| 175-200                                     | 12.1         | 72.9                  | -0.4                                | 40.0                  | 628           | 1.3           | 0.0                  | 2.7                   | 0.3                                   | 24.5                  |

### Baseline Distribution of Income and Federal Taxes by Cash Income Level, 2015<sup>1</sup>

| Cash Income Level                           | Tax L                 | Inits               | Pre-Tax In        | ncome               | Federal Tax       | Burden              | After-Tax In      | icome <sup>4</sup>  | Average                          |
|---|-----------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|----------------------------------|
| (thousands of 2012<br>dollars) <sup>2</sup> | Number<br>(thousands) | Percent of<br>Total | Average (dollars) | Percent of<br>Total | Average (dollars) | Percent of<br>Total | Average (dollars) | Percent of<br>Total | Federal Tax<br>Rate <sup>5</sup> |
| Less than 10                                | 2,529                 | 5.0                 | 5,929             | 0.3                 | -1,125            | -0.3                | 7,053             | 0.5                 | -19.0                            |
| 10-20                                       | 5,460                 | 10.7                | 15,660            | 1.7                 | -2,539            | -1.2                | 18,198            | 2.6                 | -16.2                            |
| 20-30                                       | 5,227                 | 10.3                | 25,991            | 2.7                 | -1,231            | -0.6                | 27,222            | 3.7                 | -4.7                             |
| 30-40                                       | 5,001                 | 9.8                 | 36,549            | 3.7                 | 2,129             | 1.0                 | 34,421            | 4.4                 | 5.8                              |
| 40-50                                       | 4,223                 | 8.3                 | 46,968            | 4.0                 | 5,230             | 2.0                 | 41,737            | 4.5                 | 11.1                             |
| 50-75                                       | 8,572                 | 16.8                | 64,230            | 11.0                | 10,173            | 7.8                 | 54,057            | 11.9                | 15.8                             |
| 75-100                                      | 6,412                 | 12.6                | 91,213            | 11.7                | 17,003            | 9.7                 | 74,211            | 12.2                | 18.6                             |
| 100-200                                     | 9,954                 | 19.5                | 137,109           | 27.2                | 29,852            | 26.5                | 107,257           | 27.5                | 21.8                             |
| 200-500                                     | 2,772                 | 5.4                 | 288,339           | 15.9                | 75,639            | 18.7                | 212,701           | 15.2                | 26.2                             |
| 500-1,000                                   | 401                   | 0.8                 | 692,814           | 5.5                 | 221,936           | 7.9                 | 470,878           | 4.9                 | 32.0                             |
| More than 1,000                             | 249                   | 0.5                 | 3,372,806         | 16.7                | 1,288,516         | 28.5                | 2,084,290         | 13.3                | 38.2                             |
| All   | 50,995                | 100.0               | 98,292            | 100.0               | 22,023            | 100.0               | 76,268            | 100.0               | 22.4                             |
| Addendum                                    |                       |                     |                   |                     |                   |                     |                   |                     |                                  |
| 100-125                                     | 4,855                 | 9.5                 | 118,116           | 11.4                | 24,071            | 10.4                | 94,045            | 11.7                | 20.4                             |
| 125-150                                     | 3,217                 | 6.3                 | 142,188           | 9.1                 | 31,509            | 9.0                 | 110,679           | 9.2                 | 22.2                             |
| 150-175                                     | 1,239                 | 2.4                 | 168,368           | 4.2                 | 39,273            | 4.3                 | 129,095           | 4.1                 | 23.3                             |
| 175-200                                     | 642                   | 1.3                 | 194,930           | 2.5                 | 47,073            | 2.7                 | 147,858           | 2.4                 | 24.2                             |

Source: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model (version 0412-8).

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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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### Table T13-0102 Replace the Mortgage Interest Deduction with a 20 Percent Non-Refundable Credit on the First \$500,000 of Debt Baseline: Current Law Distribution of Federal Tax Change by Cash Income Level, 2015<sup>1</sup> Detail Table - Elderly Tax Units

| Cash Income Level                           | Percent of 1 | ax Units <sup>3</sup> | Percent Change                      |                       | Average Feder | al Tax Change | Share of Federal Taxes |                       | Average Federal Tax Rate <sup>5</sup> |                       |
|---|--------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------|---------------|------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| (thousands of 2012<br>dollars) <sup>2</sup> | With Tax Cut | With Tax<br>Increase  | in After-Tax<br>Income <sup>4</sup> | Federal Tax<br>Change | Dollars       | Percent       | Change (%<br>Points)   | Under the<br>Proposal | Change (%<br>Points)                  | Under the<br>Proposal |
| Less than 10                                | 0.0          | 0.0                   | 0.0                                 | 0.0                   | 0             | 0.0           | 0.0                    | 0.0                   | 0.0                                   | 1.6                   |
| 10-20                                       | 0.3          | 0.0                   | 0.0                                 | 0.2                   | -1            | -0.5          | 0.0                    | 0.2                   | 0.0                                   | 0.7                   |
| 20-30                                       | 4.1          | 0.0                   | 0.0                                 | 2.1                   | -10           | -1.6          | 0.0                    | 0.6                   | 0.0                                   | 2.4                   |
| 30-40                                       | 15.7         | 0.0                   | 0.1                                 | 8.0                   | -44           | -2.8          | 0.0                    | 1.4                   | -0.1                                  | 4.2                   |
| 40-50                                       | 21.5         | 0.0                   | 0.2                                 | 12.1                  | -83           | -2.9          | -0.1                   | 2.0                   | -0.2                                  | 5.8                   |
| 50-75                                       | 39.5         | 1.6                   | 0.4                                 | 55.3                  | -207          | -3.6          | -0.2                   | 7.3                   | -0.3                                  | 8.8                   |
| 75-100                                      | 39.3         | 5.4                   | 0.4                                 | 35.6                  | -274          | -2.3          | -0.1                   | 7.5                   | -0.3                                  | 13.1                  |
| 100-200                                     | 26.1         | 17.6                  | 0.1                                 | 15.3                  | -93           | -0.4          | 0.0                    | 19.2                  | -0.1                                  | 17.6                  |
| 200-500                                     | 6.0          | 31.0                  | -0.2                                | -20.5                 | 412           | 0.6           | 0.2                    | 17.4                  | 0.1                                   | 24.7                  |
| 500-1,000                                   | 0.9          | 25.4                  | -0.2                                | -5.1                  | 690           | 0.3           | 0.1                    | 8.0                   | 0.1                                   | 32.1                  |
| More than 1,000                             | 1.8          | 12.7                  | 0.0                                 | -2.9                  | 556           | 0.0           | 0.2                    | 36.3                  | 0.0                                   | 39.6                  |
| All   | 18.0         | 3.9                   | 0.1                                 | 100.0                 | -66           | -0.5          | 0.0                    | 100.0                 | -0.1                                  | 18.1                  |
| Addendum                                    |              |                       |                                     |                       |               |               |                        |                       |                                       |                       |
| 100-125                                     | 32.4         | 12.5                  | 0.2                                 | 14.7                  | -159          | -0.9          | 0.0                    | 8.3                   | -0.1                                  | 15.7                  |
| 125-150                                     | 21.4         | 21.9                  | 0.1                                 | 3.1                   | -74           | -0.3          | 0.0                    | 5.5                   | -0.1                                  | 18.8                  |
| 150-175                                     | 14.1         | 25.5                  | -0.1                                | -1.5                  | 75            | 0.2           | 0.0                    | 3.2                   | 0.0                                   | 19.5                  |
| 175-200                                     | 13.6         | 29.3                  | -0.1                                | -1.0                  | 91            | 0.2           | 0.0                    | 2.3                   | 0.1                                   | 21.3                  |

### Baseline Distribution of Income and Federal Taxes by Cash Income Level, 2015<sup>1</sup>

| Cash Income Level<br>(thousands of 2012<br>dollars) <sup>2</sup> | Tax Units             |                     | Pre-Tax Income    |                     | Federal Tax Burden |                     | After-Tax Income 4 |                     | Average<br>Federal Tax |
|--|-----------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
|  | Number<br>(thousands) | Percent of<br>Total | Average (dollars) | Percent of<br>Total | Average (dollars)  | Percent of<br>Total | Average (dollars)  | Percent of<br>Total | Rate <sup>5</sup>      |
| Less than 10   | 1,763                 | 4.9                 | 5,956             | 0.4                 | 95                 | 0.0                 | 5,861              | 0.5                 | 1.6                    |
| 10-20  | 6,759                 | 18.6                | 15,952            | 4.0                 | 115                | 0.2                 | 15,838             | 4.9                 | 0.7                    |
| 20-30  | 4,929                 | 13.6                | 25,739            | 4.7                 | 618                | 0.6                 | 25,121             | 5.6                 | 2.4                    |
| 30-40  | 4,354                 | 12.0                | 36,653            | 5.9                 | 1,572              | 1.4                 | 35,081             | 6.9                 | 4.3                    |
| 40-50  | 3,514                 | 9.7                 | 46,902            | 6.1                 | 2,822              | 2.0                 | 44,079             | 7.0                 | 6.0                    |
| 50-75  | 6,388                 | 17.6                | 63,256            | 15.0                | 5,799              | 7.6                 | 57,457             | 16.6                | 9.2                    |
| 75-100   | 3,121                 | 8.6                 | 89,803            | 10.4                | 12,016             | 7.6                 | 77,787             | 11.0                | 13.4                   |
| 100-200  | 3,950                 | 10.9                | 134,735           | 19.7                | 23,858             | 19.2                | 110,877            | 19.9                | 17.7                   |
| 200-500  | 1,190                 | 3.3                 | 289,039           | 12.8                | 71,101             | 17.2                | 217,938            | 11.8                | 24.6                   |
| 500-1,000  | 177                   | 0.5                 | 692,539           | 4.5                 | 221,741            | 8.0                 | 470,798            | 3.8                 | 32.0                   |
| More than 1,000  | 126                   | 0.4                 | 3,539,630         | 16.6                | 1,400,243          | 36.1                | 2,139,387          | 12.3                | 39.6                   |
| All  | 36,302                | 100.0               | 74,274            | 100.0               | 13,520             | 100.0               | 60,754             | 100.0               | 18.2                   |
| Addendum   |                       |                     |                   |                     |                    |                     |                    |                     |                        |
| 100-125  | 2,205                 | 6.1                 | 116,974           | 9.6                 | 18,489             | 8.3                 | 98,485             | 9.9                 | 15.8                   |
| 125-150  | 1,007                 | 2.8                 | 141,786           | 5.3                 | 26,759             | 5.5                 | 115,027            | 5.3                 | 18.9                   |
| 150-175  | 470                   | 1.3                 | 167,990           | 2.9                 | 32,655             | 3.1                 | 135,336            | 2.9                 | 19.4                   |
| 175-200  | 268                   | 0.7                 | 196,026           | 2.0                 | 41,697             | 2.3                 | 154,329            | 1.9                 | 21.3                   |

Source: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model (version 0412-8).

\* Less than 0.05

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

(1) Calendar year. Baseline is current law. Proposal would replace the deduction for mortgage interest with a 20 percent non-refundable credit on the first \$500,000 of debt on a primary residence, second home, and/or a home equity loan, effective January 1, 2014. Estimates assume that taxpayers would adjust their investment portfolio and pay down their mortgage balance if their tax benefit from mortgage interest were

reduced. For a description of TPC's current law baseline, see

http://www.taxpolicycenter.org/taxtopics/Baseline-Definitions.cfm

(2) Includes both filing and non-filing units but excludes those that are dependents of other tax units. 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) Includes tax units with a change in federal tax burden of \$10 or more in absolute value.

(4) 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.