

Table 8.8—OUTLAYS FOR DISCRETIONARY PROGRAMS IN CONSTANT (FY 1992) DOLLARS: 1962–2003

(in billions of dollars)

Category and Program	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970
National defense	272.4	267.5	270.9	250.8	278.2	326.0	353.2	338.3	316.3
International affairs	27.8	25.1	21.1	20.9	21.6	22.4	19.7	15.5	14.1
Domestic:									
General science, space and technology:									
General science and basic research	2.5	2.6	3.5	3.5	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.6	3.4
Space and other technology	6.2	12.0	18.9	22.4	25.0	22.3	18.6	15.5	12.6
Total General science, space and technology	8.7	14.6	22.4	25.9	28.6	26.0	22.4	19.1	16.0
Energy	3.3	3.1	3.1	3.7	3.2	3.5	4.2	3.9	3.5
Natural resources and environment	11.5	12.1	12.1	12.6	13.3	13.6	13.7	12.9	12.4
Agriculture	1.9	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.6	2.8	3.1	2.9	3.0
Commerce and housing credit	6.8	6.5	5.4	7.3	7.9	9.4	8.5	4.0	7.4
Transportation:									
Ground transportation	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6	1.1	1.1
Air transportation	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.8	4.1	4.2	4.5	4.9
Water and other transportation	3.1	3.0	2.8	3.1	2.9	3.1	3.3	3.2	3.1
Total Transportation	7.2	7.0	6.8	7.2	7.0	7.8	8.2	8.9	9.1
Community and regional development	2.2	2.5	4.2	4.7	4.5	4.3	5.3	5.8	8.4
Education, training, employment and social services:									
Education	3.2	3.6	3.7	4.6	9.6	14.1	15.7	14.3	15.7
Training, employment and social services	1.4	1.6	1.9	3.5	7.6	9.9	11.7	11.4	11.0
Total Education, training, employment and social services	4.6	5.2	5.7	8.1	17.2	24.0	27.4	25.6	26.7
Health	5.3	6.0	7.1	6.6	7.4	8.9	10.3	10.8	11.2
Medicare					0.3	0.9	0.9	1.1	1.3
Income security:									
Housing assistance	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.7
Other	1.7	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.6
Total Income security	2.4	2.1	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.6	2.7	3.0	3.4
Social security	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.9	1.8	2.3	2.3	2.2
Veterans benefits and services	5.5	5.6	5.9	5.9	6.0	6.2	6.4	6.5	7.1
Administration of justice	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.4	2.4	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.9
General government	6.4	6.5	7.6	7.1	7.3	7.8	7.7	7.4	8.2
Total domestic	69.5	77.2	88.8	97.7	111.9	122.2	125.7	116.7	122.8
Total outlays for discretionary programs	369.8	369.9	380.7	369.4	411.6	470.6	498.6	470.5	453.1

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Table 8.8—OUTLAYS FOR DISCRETIONARY PROGRAMS IN CONSTANT (FY 1992) DOLLARS: 1962–2003—Continued

(in billions of dollars)

Category and Program	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	TQ	1977	1978
National defense	287.6	264.3	240.9	232.3	227.0	217.5	52.2	217.0	217.7
International affairs	12.5	14.2	14.2	17.1	20.5	17.4	7.5	16.9	17.1
Domestic:									
General science, space and technology:									
General science and basic research	3.3	3.0	2.8	2.8	2.6	2.4	0.7	2.3	2.3
Space and other technology	10.5	9.9	9.0	8.2	7.4	7.8	2.0	7.7	7.5
Total General science, space and technology	13.8	12.9	11.9	11.0	10.0	10.2	2.6	10.0	9.8
Energy	2.9	3.4	3.2	1.9	4.4	6.0	1.6	8.0	10.6
Natural resources and environment	14.1	14.8	16.2	18.1	20.4	20.8	6.4	24.1	24.1
Agriculture	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.6	0.6	2.7	2.7
Commerce and housing credit	8.9	5.9	5.8	6.7	7.2	6.4	2.6	7.3	6.7
Transportation:									
Ground transportation	1.7	2.0	2.5	2.7	5.4	21.2	4.9	20.4	20.1
Air transportation	7.9	8.6	6.4	6.0	5.9	5.8	1.3	5.8	6.4
Water and other transportation	3.4	3.4	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.5	0.9	3.6	3.4
Total Transportation	13.0	13.9	12.5	12.4	14.9	30.6	7.2	29.8	29.9
Community and regional development	9.0	9.8	10.8	9.7	9.2	10.6	3.0	12.9	21.7
Education, training, employment and social services:									
Education	16.5	17.2	16.7	15.4	18.0	17.8	4.3	18.6	18.7
Training, employment and social services	11.9	14.6	15.1	13.0	14.8	18.6	5.3	19.3	26.4
Total Education, training, employment and social services	28.4	31.8	31.8	28.4	32.8	36.4	9.6	37.9	45.1
Health	11.4	12.5	13.6	13.3	14.7	15.8	3.6	15.0	14.8
Medicare	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.8	1.7	1.9	0.5	1.6	1.9
Income security:									
Housing assistance	2.5	3.7	5.0	5.1	5.5	6.0	1.5	6.7	7.7
Other	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.9	3.5	5.3	1.1	5.5	5.7
Total Income security	4.6	5.8	7.3	8.0	8.9	11.4	2.6	12.2	13.4
Social security	2.5	2.5	2.7	2.4	2.8	2.8	0.7	2.9	2.8
Veterans benefits and services	7.6	8.6	9.2	9.4	10.5	10.9	2.7	11.6	12.2
Administration of justice	3.8	4.6	5.8	6.5	7.1	7.7	2.0	7.7	7.6
General government	8.1	9.2	9.7	10.5	9.4	8.3	4.7	12.7	9.4
Total domestic	132.5	140.0	144.8	142.8	156.6	182.4	50.5	196.3	212.8
Total outlays for discretionary programs	432.6	418.5	399.9	392.2	404.1	417.2	110.1	430.2	447.6

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Table 8.8—OUTLAYS FOR DISCRETIONARY PROGRAMS IN CONSTANT (FY 1992) DOLLARS: 1962–2003—Continued

(in billions of dollars)

Category and Program	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987
National defense	222.7	230.4	242.5	264.5	283.9	288.2	306.6	325.2	330.6
International affairs	17.1	21.9	20.9	18.6	18.7	21.7	22.4	22.3	18.5
Domestic:									
General science, space and technology:									
General science and basic research	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.6	2.8	2.7
Space and other technology	7.4	7.6	7.7	8.1	8.7	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.5
Total General science, space and technology	9.8	10.0	9.9	10.4	10.9	11.1	11.1	11.3	11.2
Energy	11.4	10.5	15.8	12.4	8.9	9.3	8.4	6.3	6.1
Natural resources and environment	25.5	26.4	23.5	21.2	19.4	19.0	19.2	19.2	18.3
Agriculture	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.5	2.3	2.6	2.7	2.5	2.5
Commerce and housing credit	7.1	8.7	6.5	5.2	4.8	4.9	4.7	3.6	2.9
Transportation:									
Ground transportation	21.8	25.0	22.5	18.6	18.7	18.9	21.3	21.7	18.9
Air transportation	6.2	6.3	5.7	5.0	5.4	5.9	6.3	6.7	6.7
Water and other transportation	3.6	3.9	3.6	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.6	3.3	3.3
Total Transportation	31.6	35.2	31.8	27.4	27.9	28.5	31.3	31.7	29.0
Community and regional development	17.1	15.9	13.7	9.4	8.1	8.1	8.3	7.4	6.4
Education, training, employment and social services:									
Education	20.5	21.1	19.7	16.2	16.6	16.1	17.4	17.7	17.7
Training, employment and social services	25.9	22.4	18.9	11.6	11.0	9.9	10.1	10.2	9.7
Total Education, training, employment and social services	46.4	43.5	38.6	27.8	27.6	25.9	27.5	27.9	27.4
Health	14.2	14.6	14.1	13.1	11.8	12.0	12.4	12.9	13.0
Medicare	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8	2.0	2.2	2.2	2.1
Income security:									
Housing assistance	8.3	9.5	10.9	12.0	13.4	13.7	15.1	14.6	14.0
Other	6.0	9.2	9.9	9.9	10.5	9.9	10.1	9.9	9.2
Total Income security	14.3	18.7	20.8	21.9	23.9	23.7	25.1	24.5	23.2
Social security	2.8	2.6	2.6	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.8
Veterans benefits and services	12.0	12.4	12.0	12.1	12.7	13.1	13.6	13.6	13.6
Administration of justice	7.8	7.8	7.3	6.7	7.0	7.5	8.0	8.2	8.9
General government	8.9	9.0	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.6	8.6	9.1	8.9
Total domestic	213.5	219.9	209.4	183.2	178.5	179.2	186.1	183.1	176.3
Total outlays for discretionary programs	453.3	472.3	472.9	466.2	481.1	489.0	515.0	530.6	525.4

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Table 8.8—OUTLAYS FOR DISCRETIONARY PROGRAMS IN CONSTANT (FY 1992) DOLLARS: 1962–2003—Continued

(in billions of dollars)

Category and Program	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
National defense	334.5	338.8	325.4	331.3	302.6	288.0	272.4	257.8
International affairs	18.4	18.6	20.7	20.2	19.2	20.8	19.4	18.4
Domestic:								
General science, space and technology:								
General science and basic research	2.8	2.9	3.1	3.2	3.5	3.8	3.6	3.7
Space and other technology	9.8	11.4	12.6	13.3	12.8	12.6	11.5	11.5
Total General science, space and technology	12.7	14.4	15.6	16.5	16.4	16.4	15.1	15.2
Energy	5.8	5.5	5.2	4.5	5.4	5.4	6.0	6.2
Natural resources and environment	18.6	19.1	19.2	19.0	20.0	19.4	19.5	20.1
Agriculture	2.5	2.7	2.8	2.9	4.2	4.1	4.1	3.7
Commerce and housing credit	2.8	3.7	4.2	3.4	3.1	3.3	2.9	3.1
Transportation:								
Ground transportation	19.7	18.6	18.6	18.4	18.9	19.4	21.2	21.7
Air transportation	6.9	7.4	7.8	8.4	9.3	9.7	9.5	9.2
Water and other transportation	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.1	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.3
Total Transportation	29.8	29.2	29.7	29.9	31.5	32.3	34.1	34.1
Community and regional development	5.9	5.7	7.7	6.2	6.4	8.2	10.3	9.4
Education, training, employment and social services:								
Education	18.1	19.4	19.6	20.8	22.5	24.0	23.4	23.2
Training, employment and social services	9.9	10.4	9.8	10.2	11.2	11.2	12.0	12.4
Total Education, training, employment and social services	28.0	29.8	29.4	31.0	33.7	35.2	35.4	35.6
Health	14.3	14.7	16.1	16.6	18.0	19.0	19.3	20.2
Medicare	2.3	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.8	2.6	2.7	2.7
Income security:								
Housing assistance	15.1	15.8	16.8	17.5	18.8	20.8	22.6	25.4
Other	8.8	8.6	8.6	9.0	9.5	9.7	11.3	10.8
Total Income security	23.9	24.5	25.4	26.6	28.2	30.5	33.9	36.2
Social security	3.0	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.3
Veterans benefits and services	13.9	13.8	14.1	14.2	15.1	15.4	15.9	16.1
Administration of justice	10.4	10.6	10.9	12.2	14.0	14.1	14.0	14.8
General government	9.4	9.2	9.7	10.6	11.0	11.1	10.9	11.3
Total domestic	183.2	187.6	194.8	198.4	212.3	219.5	226.4	231.0
Total outlays for discretionary programs	536.2	545.0	540.9	549.9	534.0	528.3	518.2	507.2

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Table 8.8—OUTLAYS FOR DISCRETIONARY PROGRAMS IN CONSTANT (FY 1992) DOLLARS: 1962–2003—Continued

(in billions of dollars)

Category and Program	1996	1997	1998 estimate	1999 estimate	2000 estimate	2001 estimate	2002 estimate	2003 estimate
National defense	240.5	240.3	230.1	226.8	224.8	220.9	218.1	226.2
International affairs	16.3	16.5	15.9	15.4	15.4	15.1	14.8	14.4
Domestic:								
General science, space and technology:								
General science and basic research	3.5	3.6	4.1	4.6	4.8	5.1	5.1	5.1
Space and other technology	11.3	11.3	10.2	10.0	9.9	9.6	9.4	9.2
Total General science, space and technology	14.8	14.9	14.3	14.5	14.7	14.6	14.5	14.3
Energy	5.3	4.3	2.7	2.9	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.4
Natural resources and environment	18.6	18.5	19.2	18.5	18.5	18.1	17.3	17.1
Agriculture	3.7	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.1	3.0	2.9
Commerce and housing credit	2.8	2.6	2.8	2.6	4.1	2.5	2.2	2.2
Transportation:								
Ground transportation	21.2	21.8	21.8	21.9	21.9	21.6	21.4	21.0
Air transportation	9.0	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	9.0	9.2	9.6
Water and other transportation	3.0	2.9	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.3	2.3	2.2
Total Transportation	33.2	33.5	33.2	33.3	33.2	33.0	32.9	32.8
Community and regional development	9.3	9.3	10.2	9.5	8.6	7.7	6.7	6.0
Education, training, employment and social services:								
Education	22.6	22.5	23.4	26.0	27.2	26.8	26.3	25.6
Training, employment and social services	11.6	11.9	12.6	12.2	12.5	12.3	12.2	11.7
Total Education, training, employment and social services	34.2	34.4	36.1	38.2	39.7	39.1	38.5	37.3
Health	20.2	20.0	21.5	21.9	22.3	22.6	23.0	23.7
Medicare	2.6	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.0
Income security:								
Housing assistance	24.1	24.4	24.7	24.2	24.0	23.4	22.7	22.1
Other	10.2	10.3	10.4	10.6	10.4	10.2	10.0	9.8
Total Income security	34.3	34.7	35.1	34.7	34.3	33.6	32.7	31.9
Social security	2.3	2.6	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.4
Veterans benefits and services	15.9	16.4	16.5	16.1	15.6	15.3	14.9	15.0
Administration of justice	15.6	17.5	17.6	20.6	20.7	21.0	19.9	19.3
General government	10.4	10.5	10.5	10.4	9.9	9.7	9.3	9.2
Allowances				2.7				
Total domestic	223.2	225.0	228.3	234.3	232.6	227.7	221.8	218.6
Total outlays for discretionary programs	480.0	481.8	474.3	476.5	472.8	463.8	454.7	459.1

Note: Due to the effects of the Credit Reform Act of 1990 on the measurement and classification of Federal credit activities, the discretionary outlays for years prior to 1992 are not strictly comparable to those for 1992 and beyond. However, the discretionary outlays shown for 1992 are no more than \$1 billion higher (in nominal dollars) than they would have been if measured on the same (pre-credit reform) basis as the 1991 outlays.