

Table 15.5—TOTAL GOVERNMENT EXPENDITURES BY MAJOR CATEGORY OF EXPENDITURE AS PERCENTAGES OF GDP: 1947–2003

Fiscal Year	Total Government	Defense and International	Net Interest	Federal Payments For Individuals		Other Federal	State and Local From Own Sources (Except Net Interest)
				Social Security and Medicare	Other		
1947	19.5	8.0	2.0	0.2	3.7	1.1	4.5
1948	16.7	5.3	1.9	0.2	3.3	1.1	4.9
1949	19.6	7.1	1.9	0.2	3.5	1.9	5.1
1950	21.4	6.7	2.0	0.3	4.7	2.1	5.6
1951	19.5	8.5	1.6	0.5	2.7	1.0	5.1
1952	24.6	14.0	1.5	0.6	2.5	1.0	5.0
1953	25.5	14.7	1.6	0.7	2.2	1.4	4.9
1954	24.2	13.5	1.5	0.9	2.5	0.7	5.2
1955	23.0	11.4	1.5	1.1	2.5	1.1	5.4
1956	22.2	10.5	1.5	1.3	2.3	1.3	5.4
1957	22.9	10.8	1.5	1.4	2.3	1.2	5.6
1958	24.3	10.9	1.5	1.7	2.8	1.2	6.1
1959	25.3	10.6	1.5	1.9	2.7	2.3	6.2
1960	24.4	9.9	1.7	2.2	2.5	1.9	6.3
1961	25.6	10.0	1.7	2.3	2.9	2.0	6.7
1962	26.0	10.2	1.6	2.5	2.6	2.3	6.7
1963	25.8	9.8	1.7	2.6	2.6	2.3	6.8
1964	25.7	9.3	1.7	2.5	2.5	2.9	6.8
1965	24.6	8.1	1.7	2.5	2.3	3.0	6.9
1966	25.0	8.4	1.7	2.7	2.2	3.2	6.8
1967	26.9	9.5	1.7	3.0	2.3	3.3	7.0
1968	28.4	10.0	1.7	3.3	2.5	3.5	7.4
1969	27.6	9.2	1.8	3.5	2.6	2.8	7.8
1970	28.0	8.5	1.9	3.6	2.8	3.0	8.2
1971	28.7	7.7	1.9	3.9	3.5	2.9	8.7
1972	28.8	7.1	1.9	4.1	3.9	3.2	8.6
1973	27.6	6.2	1.9	4.4	3.6	3.3	8.2
1974	27.9	5.9	2.1	4.6	3.8	2.9	8.6
1975	31.1	6.0	2.2	5.0	4.9	3.9	9.1
1976	31.1	5.5	2.2	5.2	5.2	3.9	9.1
TQ	30.6	5.4	2.2	5.2	4.7	4.1	9.0
1977	30.1	5.2	2.2	5.3	4.7	4.0	8.7
1978	29.7	5.0	2.3	5.3	4.3	4.5	8.4
1979	29.0	4.9	2.4	5.2	4.1	4.1	8.2
1980	30.9	5.4	2.6	5.5	4.7	4.2	8.5
1981	31.4	5.6	3.0	5.9	4.8	3.7	8.5
1982	32.9	6.1	3.4	6.3	4.8	3.2	9.0
1983	33.5	6.4	3.5	6.5	5.0	2.9	9.1
1984	31.8	6.3	3.8	6.2	4.3	2.5	8.7
1985	32.6	6.5	4.1	6.2	4.1	2.9	8.9
1986	32.5	6.5	3.9	6.1	4.1	2.6	9.2
1987	32.0	6.3	3.9	6.1	4.0	2.1	9.5
1988	31.6	6.0	4.0	6.0	4.0	2.2	9.4
1989	31.5	5.8	4.1	6.0	3.9	2.3	9.3
1990	32.4	5.5	4.2	6.2	4.0	3.0	9.6
1991	33.3	4.9	4.3	6.4	4.6	3.2	10.0
1992	33.2	5.0	4.2	6.6	5.1	2.2	10.1
1993	32.3	4.7	3.9	6.8	5.2	1.8	10.0
1994	31.7	4.3	3.8	6.8	5.0	1.9	9.8
1995	31.4	3.9	4.0	7.0	5.0	1.6	9.9
1996	30.9	3.6	4.0	7.0	4.9	1.7	9.7
1997	30.0	3.5	3.8	7.0	4.7	1.4	9.5
1998	29.4	3.3	3.6	6.8	4.6	1.7	9.4
1999	28.9	3.2	3.3	6.5	4.5	2.0	9.5
2000	28.8	3.2	3.1	6.4	4.5	2.1	9.5
2001	29.3	3.2	2.9	6.6	4.6	2.1	9.8
2002	30.1	3.6	2.5	6.8	5.2	2.2	9.9
2003	30.6	3.9	2.3	6.9	5.6	2.1	9.8