## Effects of Selected Federal Pandemic Response Programs on Federal Government Receipts, Expenditures, and Saving, 2020Q4 Third (Billions of dollars, seasonally adjusted at annual rates)

			Levels							Change from preceding quarter				
Line			2019		2020			2019			20			
$\rightarrow$		Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4		
1	Current receipts	3,702.4	3,763.7	3,753.1	3,468.8	3,677.1	3,756.1	61.3	-10.7	-284.2	208.3	79.0		
2	Current tax receipts	2,117.7	2,177.1	2,150.0	1,929.7	2,064.0	2,134.4	59.4	-27.1	-220.3	134.3	70.4		
3	Personal current taxes	1,713.2	1,740.2	1,756.6	1,600.1	1,685.0	1,717.7	27.0	16.3	-156.4	84.9	32.7		
4	Taxes on production and imports	175.1	179.2	183.8	131.4	144.7	150.8	4.2	4.6	-52.4	13.3	6.1		
	Of which:													
5	Aviation tax holiday <sup>1</sup>			-3.5	-19.4	-19.4	-19.4		-3.5	-15.9	0.0	0.0		
6	Taxes on corporate income	201.6	229.7	180.5	171.5	207.0	236.9	28.2	-49.2	-9.0	35.5	29.8		
/	Taxes from the rest of the world	27.9	27.9	29.1	26.6	27.3	29.0	0.0	1.2	-2.5	0.7	1.8		
8	Contributions for government social insurance	1,402.3	1,416.9	1,436.4	1,374.2	1,426.6	1,445.8	14.6	19.5	-62.2	52.4	19.2		
9	Income receipts on assets	101.6	111.2	112.8	107.4	127.7	110.4	9.6	1.6	-5.4	20.2	-17.3		
10	Interest receipts	39.5	40.1	35.8	16.6	16.1	16.2	0.7	-4.4	-19.2	-0.5	0.1		
	Of which:			- 4	25.0	26.0	20.0		- 4					
11	Student loan forbearance <sup>2</sup>			-7.1	-36.0	-36.0	-36.0		-7.1	-28.9	0.0	0.0		
12	Dividends	53.6	62.6	68.6	85.7	107.1	89.7	9.0	6.0	17.1	21.5	-17.4		
13	Rents and royalties	8.5	8.4	8.4	5.2	4.4	4.5	-0.1	0.0	-3.2	-0.7	0.0		
14	Current transfer receipts	82.9	60.5	54.8	57.9	58.5	65.5	-22.3	-5.7	3.1	0.6	7.0		
15	From business	46.3	27.3	28.9	29.8	34.3	39.4	-18.9	1.6	0.9	4.5	5.2		
16	From persons	27.3	27.2	22.9	22.6	22.5	22.5	-0.2	-4.3	-0.3	-0.1	0.0		
17	From the rest of the world	9.3	6.0	3.0	5.5	1.7	3.6	-3.2	-3.0	2.5	-3.8	1.9		
18	Current surplus of government enterprises	-2.1	-2.0	-1.0	-0.4	0.3	0.0	0.1	1.0	0.6	0.7	-0.3		
	Current expenditures	4,786.4	4,818.6	4,903.9	9,107.1	7,205.6	6,025.9	32.2	85.3	4,203.2	-1,901.4	-1,179.7		
20	Consumption expenditures	1,104.6	1,113.7	1,118.0	1,168.1	1,141.0	1,142.9	9.1	4.3	50.1	-27.2	2.0		
	Of which:													
21	Paycheck Protection Program lender processing fees <sup>3</sup>				60.3	12.8	0.0			60.3	-47.5	-12.8		
22	Current transfer payments	3,016.5	3,039.9	3,129.7	6,293.9	4,305.3	3,734.8	23.3	89.9	3,164.2	-1,988.6	-570.5		
23	Government social benefits	2,355.7	2,372.1	2,447.4	4,849.4	3,523.0	2,946.3	16.4	75.3	2,401.9	-1,326.4	-576.7		
24	To persons	2,331.4	2,347.7	2,422.5	4,815.3	3,494.9	2,918.2	16.3	74.8	2,392.7	-1,320.4	-576.6		
	Of which:													
25	Economic impact payments <sup>4</sup>				1,078.1	15.6	5.0			1,078.1	-1,062.5	-10.5		
26	Expansion of unemployment programs <sup>5</sup>				788.0	556.2	198.5			788.0	-231.8	-357.6		
27	Increase in Medicare reimbursement rates <sup>6</sup>				9.7	14.8	15.1			9.7	5.1	0.3		
28	Lost wages supplemental payments <sup>7</sup>					106.2	35.9				106.2	-70.4		
29	Paycheck Protection Program loans to NPISH <sup>3</sup>				19.1	27.0	10.8			19.1	7.9	-16.2		
30	Provider Relief Fund to NPISH <sup>8</sup>				160.9	58.4	34.5			160.9	-102.5	-24.0		
31	To the rest of the world	24.3	24.4	24.9	34.1	28.1	28.1	0.1	0.5	9.2	-6.0	-0.1		
	Of which:				0				0.0			0.1		
32	Economic impact payments <sup>4</sup>				4.9	0.1	0.0			4.9	-4.8	0.0		
33	Other current transfer payments	660.8	667.7	682.3	1,444.6	782.3	788.5	6.9	14.5	762.3	-662.3	6.2		
34	Grants-in-aid to state and local governments	610.3	615.4	627.8	1,396.9	728.2	738.1	5.1	12.4	769.1	-668.7	10.0		
01	Of which:	01010	01011	02710	2,00010	/ 2012	/ 0011	011	1211	, 0012	00011	2010		
35	Coronavirus Relief Fund <sup>9</sup>				597.9	0.0	0.0			597.9	-597.9	0.0		
	Education Stabilization Fund <sup>10</sup>													
36					28.4	15.8	15.2			28.4	-12.6	-0.6		
37	Provider Relief Fund <sup>8</sup> To the rest of the world	 50.5	 52.3		64.4 47.7	23.4	13.8 50.3			64.4 -6.8	-41.0	-9.6 -3.8		
38			52.3 584.5	54.5	559.1	54.1 <b>546.5</b>	50.3 538.5	1.9 <b>0.6</b>	2.1 <b>-2.8</b>	-0.8 - <b>22.6</b>	6.4 <b>-12.6</b>	-3.8 -8.1		
39	Interest payments Subsidies	583.9	80.5	581.7 74.5			609.8	-0.9	-2.8 -6.1		-12.6	-603.1		
40	Subsidies Of which:	81.4	00.5	/4.5	1,085.9	1,212.9	009.8	-0.9	-0.1	1,011.5	120.9	-003.1		
					10.0	10.4	10.2			10.0	1.0	27.0		
41	Coronavirus Food Assistance Program <sup>11</sup>				16.9	18.4	46.2			16.9	1.6	27.8		
42	Employee Retention Tax Credit				73.3	73.3	73.3			73.3	0.0	0.0		
43	Grants to air carriers				63.8	15.0	0.1			63.8	-48.8	-14.9		
44	Paycheck Protection Program loans to businesses <sup>3</sup>				609.3	865.6	260.3			609.3	256.3	-605.3		
45	Corporate business				393.7	559.3	168.2			393.7	165.6	-391.1		
46	Sole proprietorships and partnerships				215.6	306.2	92.1			215.6	90.7	-214.2		
47	Farm				6.5	9.2	2.8			6.5	2.7	-6.4		
48	Nonfarm				209.1	297.1	89.3			209.1	88.0	-207.7		
49	Provider Relief Fund <sup>8</sup>				96.6	35.1	20.7			96.6	-61.5	-14.4		
50	Support for public transit agencies <sup>12</sup>				22.0	0.0	0.0			22.0	-22.0	0.0		
51	Tax credits to fund paid sick leave				140.0	140.0	140.0			140.0	0.0	0.0		
52	Net federal government saving	-1,084.1	-1,054.9	-1,150.8	-5,638.3	-3,528.6	-2,269.8	29.2	-95.9	-4,487.5	2,109.7	1,258.7		

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				Levels					Change from pro			
Line		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
10	Current receipts	3,448.0	3,463.3	3,524.3	3,567.6	3,711.2	3,663.8	15.3	61.0	43.3	143.5	-47.4
2	Current tax receipts	2,024.2	2,020.3	2,015.5	2,017.1	2,131.7	2,069.5	-3.9	-4.8	1.6	114.6	-62.2
3	Personal current taxes	1,532.6	1,548.0	1,614.6	1,617.5	1,713.0	1,689.9	15.4	66.7	2.9	95.5	-23.2
4	Taxes on production and imports	140.3	136.4	130.9	162.8	173.7	152.7	-3.9	-5.5	31.8	10.9	-21.0
	Of which:											
5	Aviation tax holiday <sup>1</sup>						-15.4					-15.4
6	Taxes on corporate income	329.1	311.9	245.4	210.6	217.3	199.0	-17.2	-66.5	-34.9	6.8	-18.3
7	Taxes from the rest of the world	22.2	24.1	24.5	26.3	27.7	28.0	1.9	0.5	1.7	1.4	0.3
8	Contributions for government social insurance	1,190.8	1,224.6	1,283.7	1,344.6	1,402.2	1,420.8	33.8	59.1	60.9	57.6	18.5
9	Income receipts on assets	160.2	140.2	139.1	122.7	111.3	114.6	-20.0	-1.1	-16.4	-11.3	3.3
10	Interest receipts	27.1	29.1	29.3	35.8	39.0	21.2	2.0	0.2	6.5	3.2	-17.9
	Of which:											
11	Student loan forbearance <sup>2</sup>						-28.8					-28.8
12	Dividends	126.4	106.3	103.7	79.0	63.8	87.8	-20.1	-2.6	-24.7	-15.2	24.0
13	Rents and royalties	6.7	4.8	6.1	7.8	8.5	5.6	-1.9	1.3	1.7	0.6	-2.8
14	Current transfer receipts	76.2	79.7	85.2	83.9	67.8	59.2	3.5	5.5	-1.2	-16.1	-8.7
15	From business	44.6	49.3	48.4	46.7	33.3	33.1	4.8	-0.9	-1.7	-13.4	-0.2
16	From persons	25.0	26.0	27.0	27.2	27.4	22.6	0.9	1.1	0.2	0.2	-4.8
17	From the rest of the world	6.6	4.4	9.7	10.0	7.2	3.5	-2.2	5.3	0.3	-2.9	-3.7
18	Current surplus of government enterprises	-3.2	-1.4	0.9	-0.6	-1.9	-0.3	1.8	2.3	-1.5	-1.3	1.6
	Current expenditures	4,008.3	4,132.5	4,246.8	4,499.3	4,758.1	6,810.6	124.2	114.3	252.5	258.8	2,052.5
20	Consumption expenditures	954.2	966.6	985.1	1,043.5	1,097.3	1,142.5	12.5	18.5	58.4	53.8	45.2
	Of which:											
21	Paycheck Protection Program lender processing fees <sup>3</sup>						18.3					18.3
22	Current transfer payments	2,568.1	2,650.5	2,726.4	2,852.5	3,006.0	4,365.9	82.4	75.8	126.2	153.4	1,360.0
23	Government social benefits	1,990.3	2,045.5	2,120.6	2,218.5	2,347.5	3,441.5	55.2	75.1	97.9	129.0	1,094.0
24	To persons	1,969.9	2,024.5	2,098.8	2,195.7	2,323.5	3,412.7	54.7	74.2	96.9	127.8	1,089.3
	Of which:											
25	Economic impact payments <sup>4</sup>						274.7					274.7
26	Expansion of unemployment programs <sup>5</sup>						385.7					385.7
27	Increase in Medicare reimbursement rates <sup>6</sup>						9.9					9.9
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31	To the rest of the world	20.4	20.9	21.8	22.8	24.0	28.8	0.5	0.9	1.0	1.2	4.8
	Of which:							0.0				
32	Economic impact payments <sup>4</sup>						1.2					1.2
33	Other current transfer payments	577.9	605.0	605.8	634.0	658.5	924.4	27.2	0.7	28.2	24.5	265.9
34	Grants-in-aid to state and local governments	533.1	556.8	559.8	582.6	608.1	872.8	23.7	3.0	22.8	25.6	264.6
51	Of which:	555.1	550.0	555.0	502.0	000.1	072.0	23.7	5.0	22.0	25.0	201.0
35	Coronavirus Relief Fund <sup>9</sup>						149.5					149.5
	Education Stabilization Fund <sup>10</sup>											
36							14.9					14.9
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38	To the rest of the world	44.8	48.2	46.0	51.5	50.4	51.6	3.5	-2.2	5.4	-1.1	1.3
39	Interest payments	429.3	454.1	475.9	540.5	581.6	556.4	24.8	21.9	64.6	41.1	-25.2
40	Subsidies Of which:	56.7	61.2	59.3	62.7	73.3	745.8	4.5	-1.9	3.4	10.5	672.5
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45	Corporate business						280.3					280.3
46	Sole proprietorships and partnerships						153.5					153.5
47	Farm						4.6					4.6
48	Nonfarm						148.9					148.9
49	Provider Relief Fund <sup>8</sup>						38.1					38.1
50	Support for public transit agencies <sup>12</sup>						5.5					5.5
51	Tax credits to fund paid sick leave						105.0					105.0
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