

Tax Share of Bottom Half of Taxpayers

1949	13.95
1959	10.65
1960	10.84
1961	10.56
1962	10.8
1963	10.75
1964	9.82
1965	9.53
1966	9.62
1967	9.7
1968	9.58
1969	9.73
1970	10.23
1971	9.03
1972	8.52
1973	8.57
1974	8.82
1975	7.24
1976	7
1977	6.18
1978	6.61
1979	6.85
1980	7.02
1981	7.42
1982	7.32
1983	7.11
1984	7.27
1985	7.1
1986	6.46
1987	6.07
1988	5.72
1989	5.83
1990	5.81
1991	5.48
1992	5.06
1993	4.81
1994	4.77
1995	4.61
1996	4.32
1997	4.28
1998	4.21
1999	4
2000	3.91
2001	3.97
2002	3.5