President's Budget Omits Major Costs

The President's Budget Understates the True Costs of His Policies

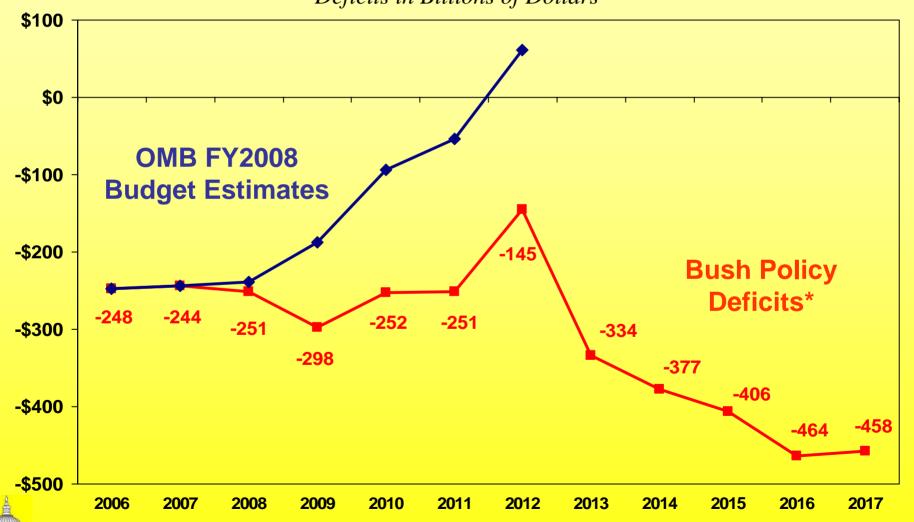
Omitted Costs

- Likely War Costs
- Fix the Alternative Minimum Tax
- Realistic Revenue Growth



Bush Policy Deficit Shows That The Budget Never Reaches Balance

Deficits in Billions of Dollars



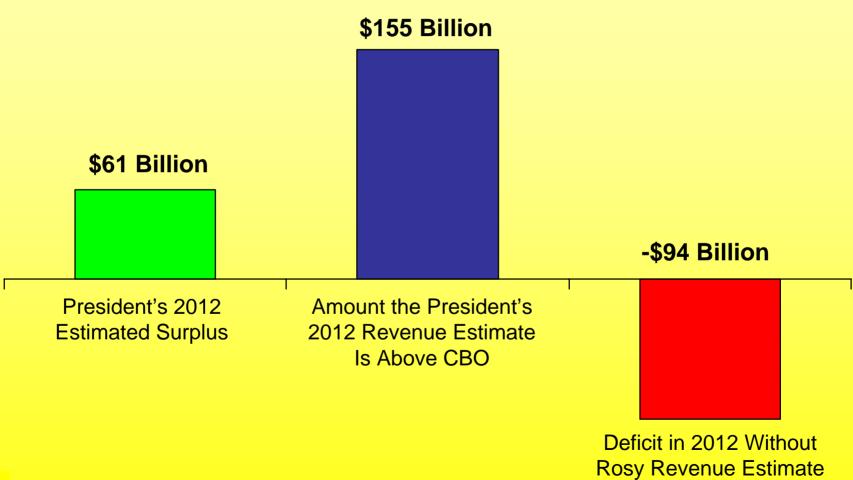
* Bush Policy Deficits include omitted costs

Source: OMB & CBO

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Bush Budget in Deficit in 2012

Without Rosy Revenue Assumptions, Bush Budget Never Reaches Balance





Statutory Debt	
Debt When Bush Took Office	\$5.7 Trillion
Debt Today	\$8.7 Trillion
Debt Added So Far	\$3.0 Trillion
Debt Projected At The End of Bush Presidency	\$9.5 Trillion
Total Bush Increases To The Debt	\$3.9 Trillion

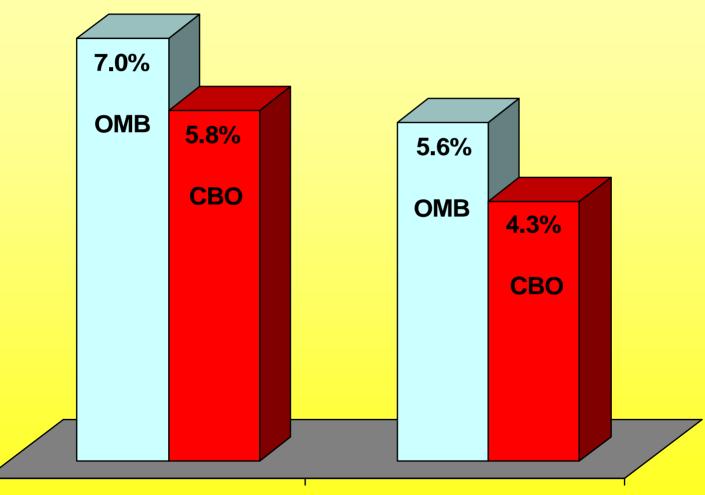
Deficits Without Social Security Surplus		
On-Budget Deficit, 2007	\$427 Billion	
On-Budget Deficit, 2008	\$451 Billion	

Cost of Debt Service		
Net Interest, 2002	\$171 Billion	
Net Interest, 2008	\$261 Billion	



Administration Assumes Rosy Scenario⁵ for Revenue Growth

Average Annual Revenue Growth, 2008-2012





Baseline (Current Law)

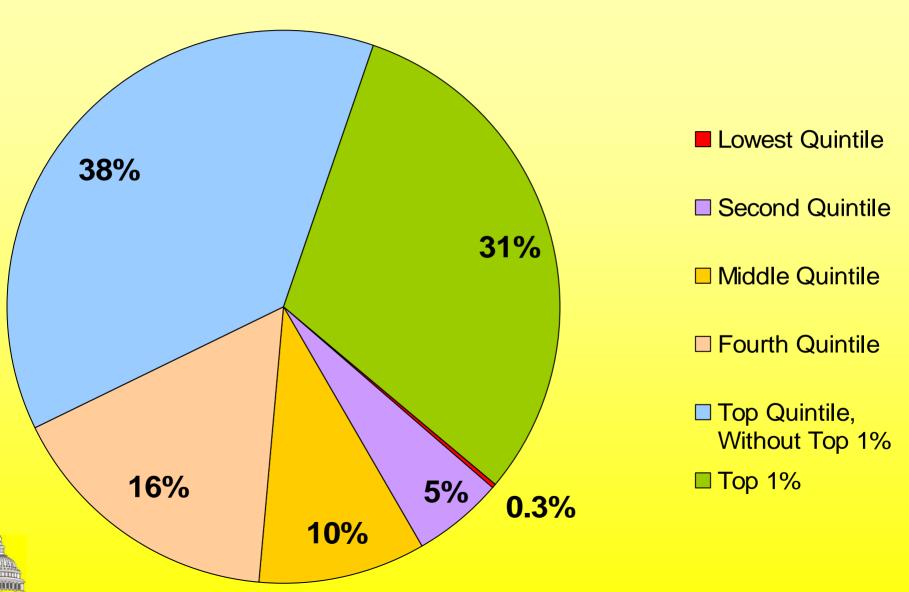
With President's Tax Cuts

Source: CBO and OMB

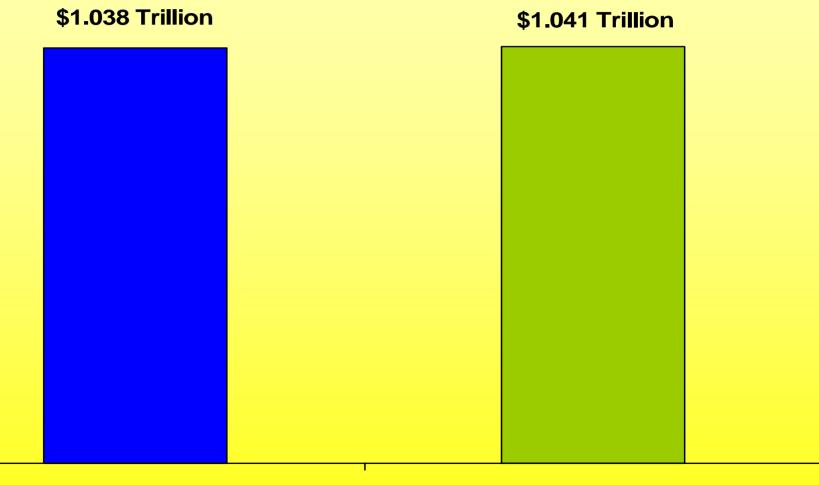
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Distribution of the Administration's Tax Cuts

Cumulative Distribution by Income Category, 2001-15



Cost of AMT Reform Equal to Tax Benefits for Wealthiest Americans





Tax Cuts for the Top 1%

AMT Relief