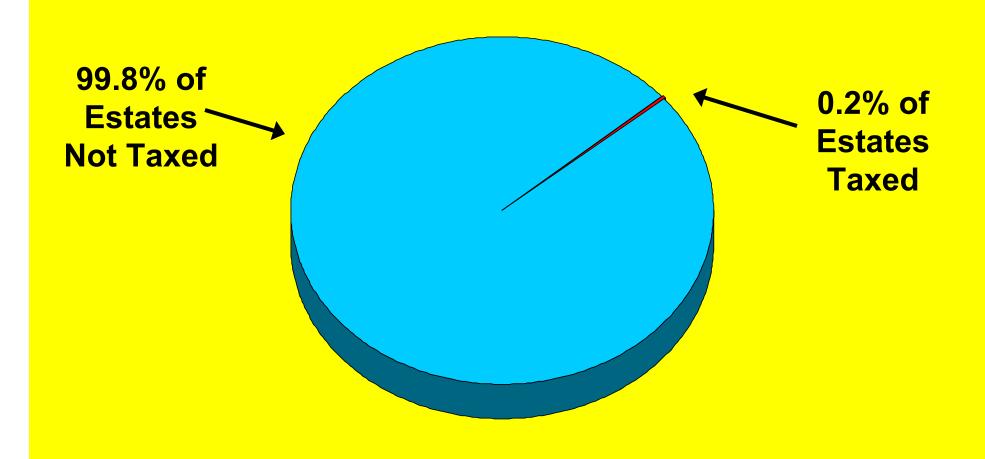
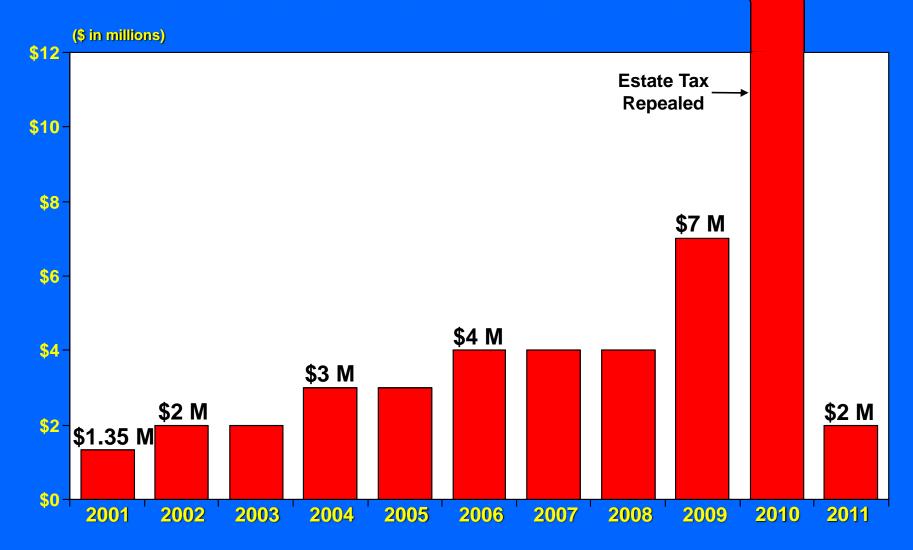
## In 2009, Only 0.2% of Estates Subject to Tax



Source: CRS, IRS

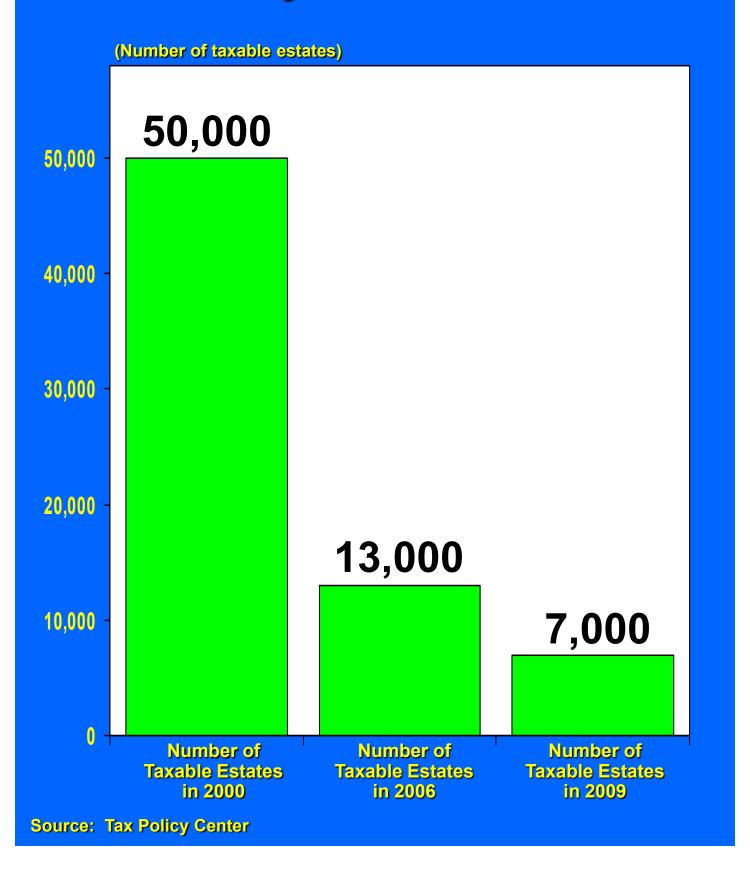
## Estate Tax Exemption Levels Under Current Law



Source: Public Law 107-16

Note: Exemption levels for married couples shown

## Number of Taxable Estates Falling Dramatically Under Current Law



## President Bush More than Doubles Foreign-Held Debt

It Took 42 Presidents 224 Years to Build Up \$1 Trillion of Foreign-Held Debt





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7 Years (2001-2007)

Source: U.S. Treasury
Monthly data through December 2007.