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The 2016 Budget and Economic Outlook

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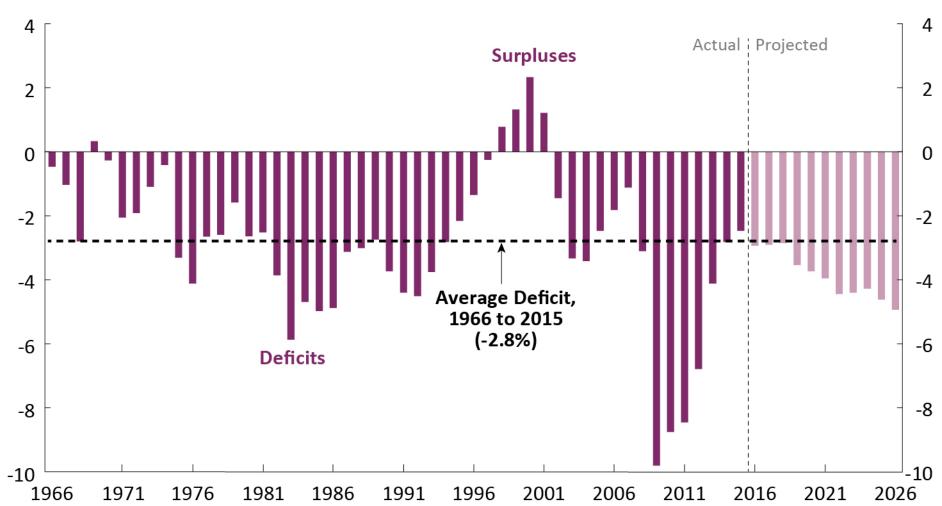
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Budget Outlook



Total Deficits or Surpluses



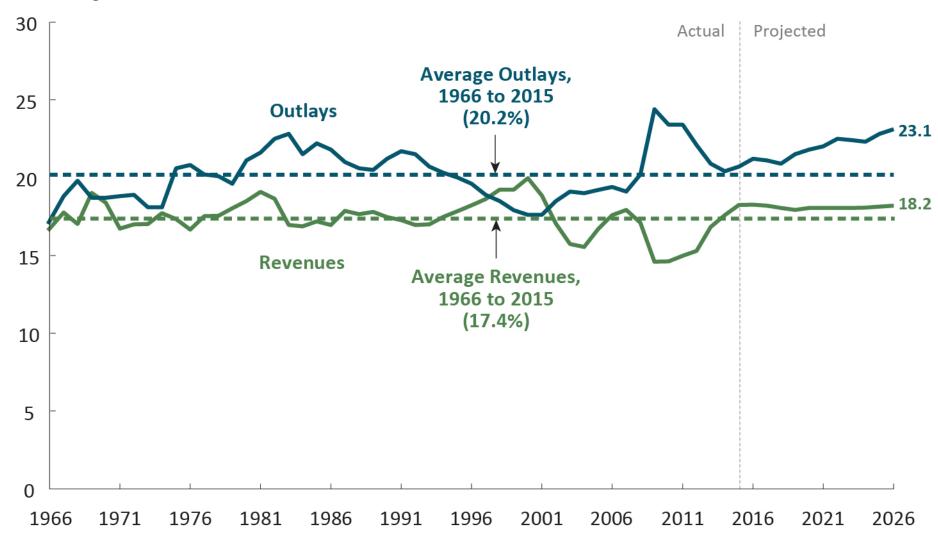
Federal Debt Held by the Public

Percentage of Gross Domestic Product

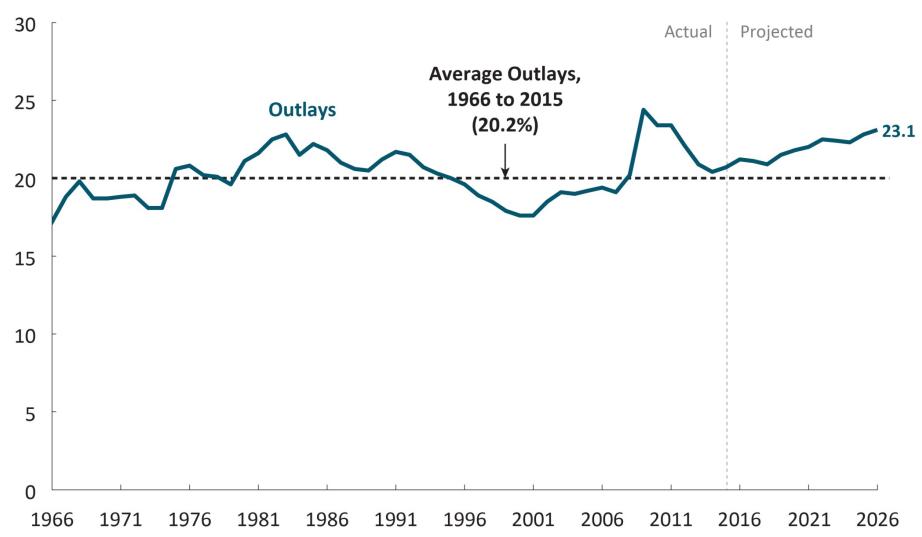


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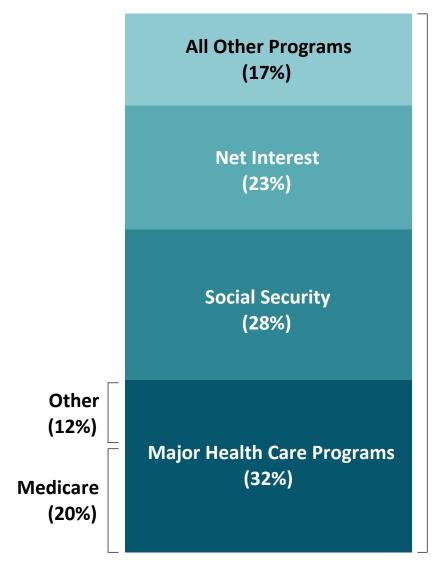
Total Revenues and Outlays



Total Outlays



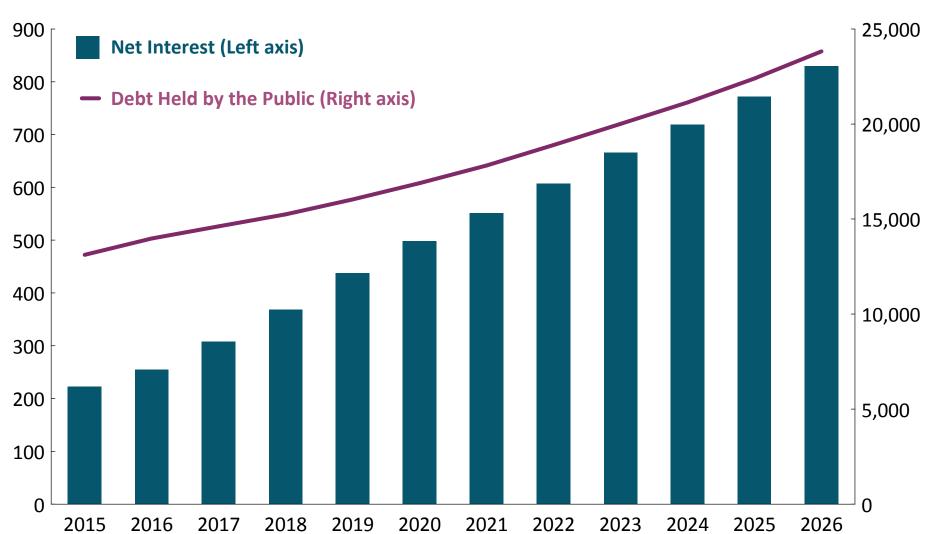
Components of the Total Increase in Outlays in CBO's Baseline Between 2016 and 2026



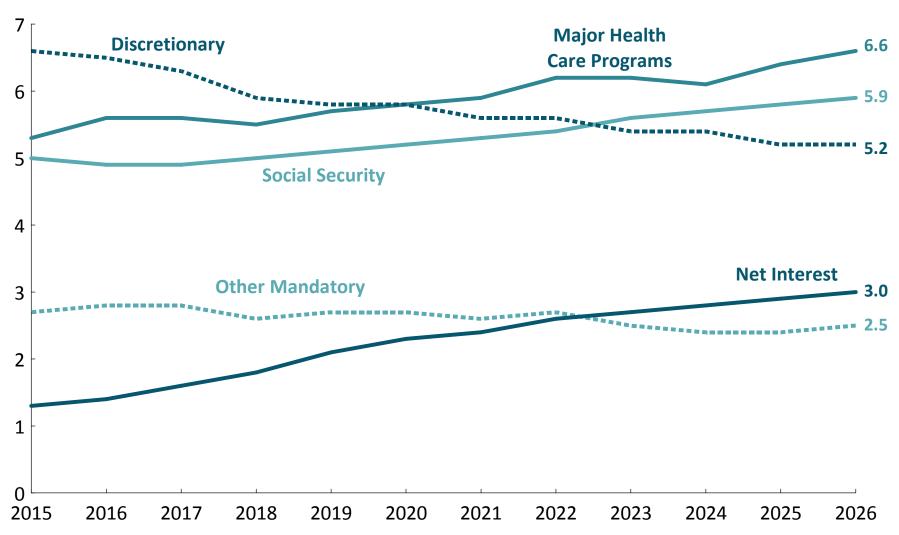
Total Increase in Outlays: \$2.5 Trillion

Projected Debt Held by the Public and Net Interest

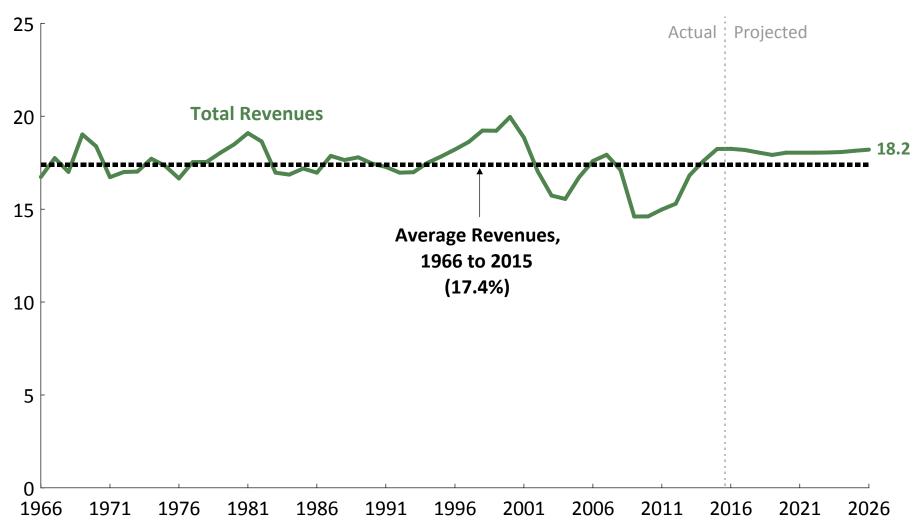
Billions of Dollars



Projected Outlays in Major Budget Categories



Total Revenues



Spending and Revenues Projected in CBO's Baseline, **Compared With Actual Values in 1966 and 1991**

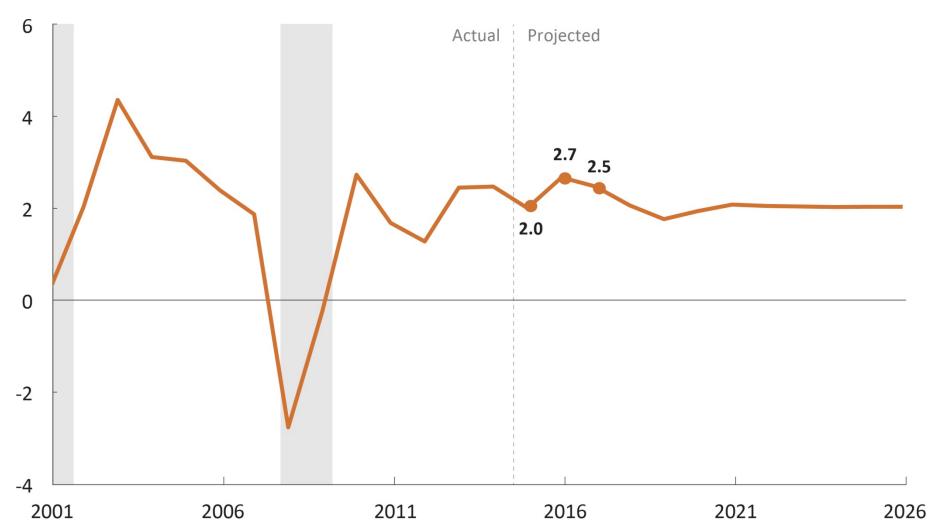
	Mandatory Spending			Discretionary Spending		Net Interest
	Social Security	Major Health Care Programs	Other	Defense	Nondefense	
1966	2.6	0.1	1.8	7.5	4.0	1.2
1991	4.4	2.5	2.9	5.2	3.5	3.2
2016	4.9	5.6	2.8	3.2	3.3	1.4
2026	5.9	6.6	2.5	2.6	2.6	3.0



Economic Outlook

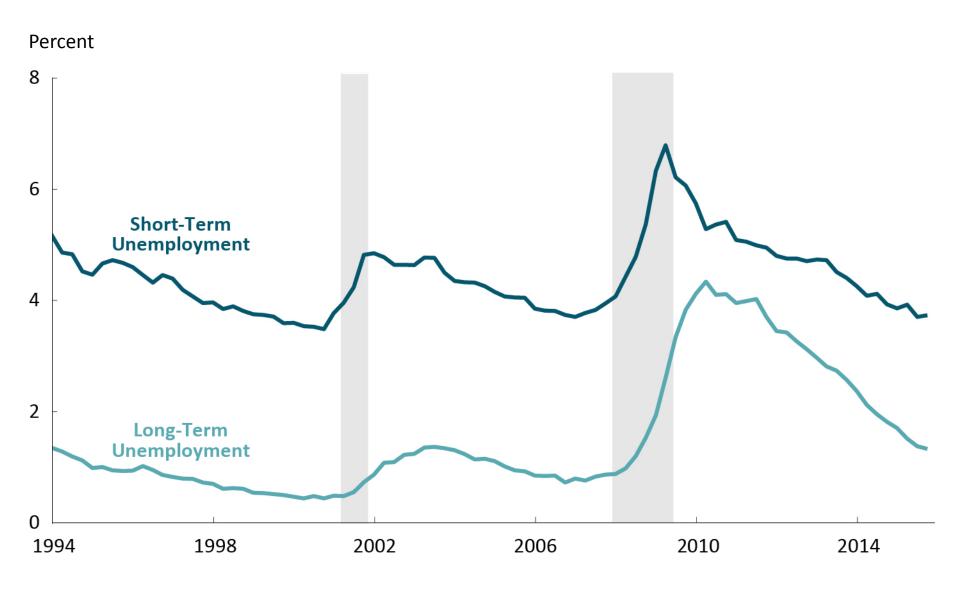
Growth of Real Gross Domestic Product

Percent, Fourth Quarter to Fourth Quarter

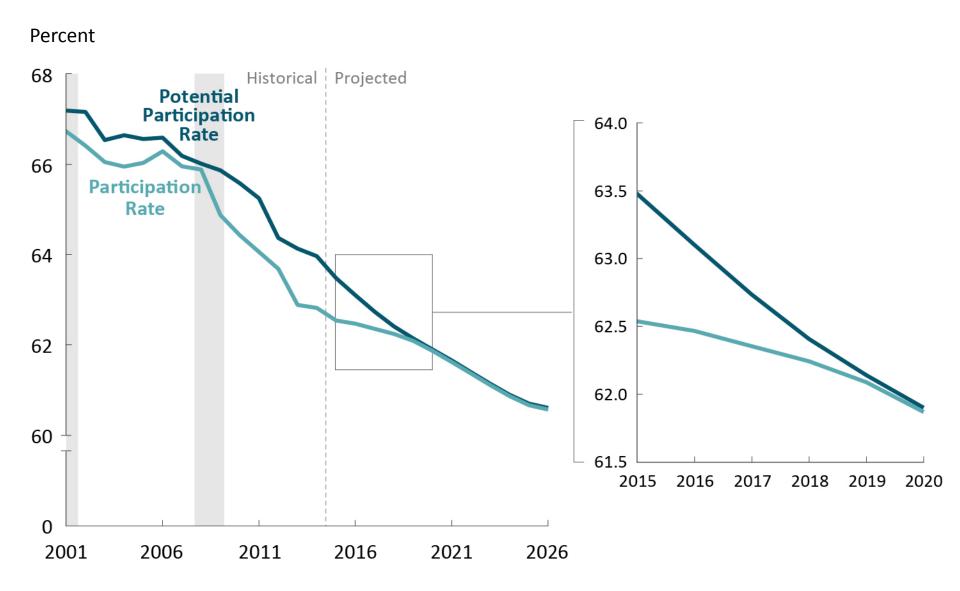


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Rates of Short- and Long-Term Unemployment

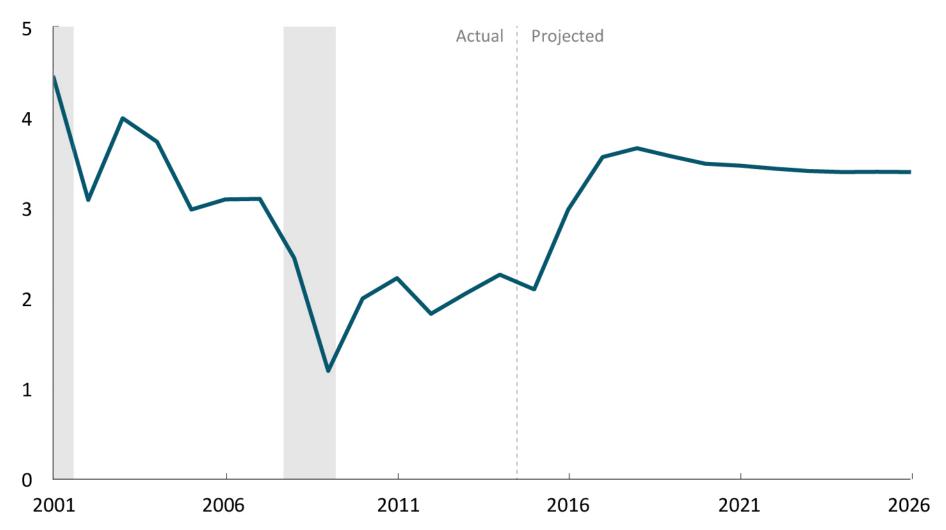


Labor Force Participation Rates



Hourly Labor Compensation

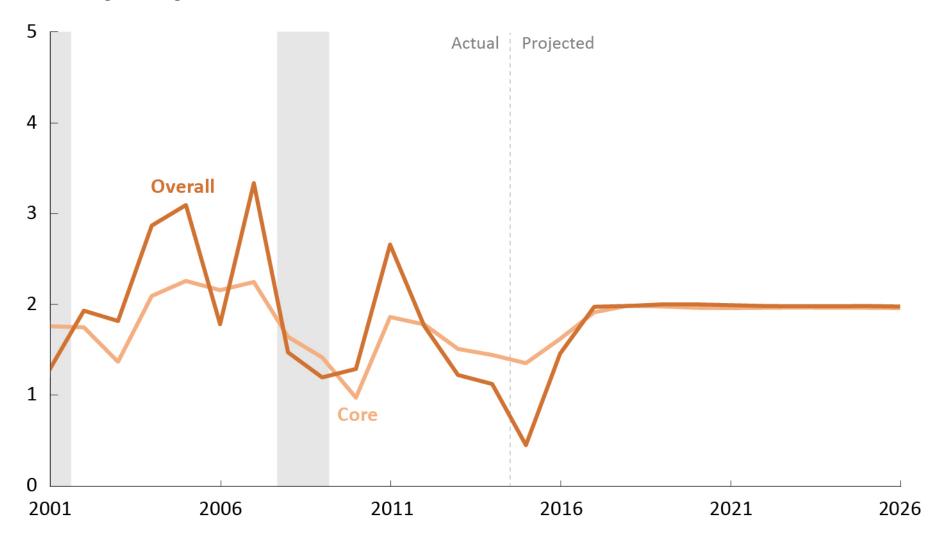
Percentage Change



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Inflation

Percentage Change in PCE Price Indexes



Interest Rates on Treasury Securities

