

Effects of Selected Federal Pandemic Response Programs on Federal Government Receipts, Expenditures, and Saving, 2021Q2 Third
(Billions of dollars, seasonally adjusted at annual rates)

Line		Levels						Change from preceding quarter					
		2020				2021		2020			2021		
		Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	
1	Current receipts	3,751.2	3,481.1	3,690.5	3,815.1	3,982.6	4,146.6	-270.1	209.4	124.7	167.4	164.0	
2	Current tax receipts	2,119.0	1,913.3	2,051.8	2,147.0	2,294.0	2,410.5	-205.7	138.5	95.2	146.9	116.6	
3	Personal current taxes	1,737.9	1,581.5	1,662.2	1,736.9	1,851.9	1,928.3	-156.4	80.7	74.8	115.0	76.4	
4	Taxes on production and imports	185.8	138.3	151.3	156.6	166.2	177.8	-47.5	13.0	5.3	9.6	11.6	
	<i>Of which:</i>												
5	Aviation tax holiday ¹	-3.5	-16.2	-16.2	-16.2	0.0	0.0	-12.7	0.0	0.0	16.2	0.0	
6	Taxes on corporate income	166.7	167.4	211.7	225.1	246.4	275.1	0.7	44.3	13.4	21.3	28.6	
7	Taxes from the rest of the world	28.6	26.1	26.6	28.3	29.4	29.3	-2.5	0.5	1.7	1.1	-0.1	
8	Contributions for government social insurance	1,457.1	1,391.6	1,443.8	1,486.0	1,517.9	1,542.2	-65.5	52.2	42.2	31.9	24.3	
9	Income receipts on assets	116.5	114.1	132.4	116.3	109.5	139.0	-2.4	18.3	-16.1	-6.8	29.5	
10	Interest receipts	35.0	19.1	19.5	20.3	20.5	21.9	-15.8	0.4	0.8	0.2	1.4	
	<i>Of which:</i>												
11	Student loan forbearance ²	-7.5	-37.8	-37.8	-37.8	-37.8	-37.8	-30.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
12	Dividends	73.3	89.9	108.5	91.6	84.3	111.9	16.6	18.7	-16.9	-7.3	27.6	
13	Rents and royalties	8.2	5.1	4.3	4.4	4.8	5.2	-3.1	-0.7	0.1	0.4	0.4	
14	Current transfer receipts	59.5	62.7	62.6	66.6	62.8	56.7	3.2	-0.1	4.0	-3.9	-6.1	
15	From business	34.8	36.3	40.5	43.1	36.1	33.9	1.5	4.2	2.5	-7.0	-2.2	
16	From persons	21.8	20.9	20.5	20.5	20.6	20.9	-0.9	-0.4	0.0	0.1	0.2	
17	From the rest of the world	2.9	5.5	1.7	3.1	6.1	2.0	2.6	-3.9	1.4	3.0	-4.1	
18	Current surplus of government enterprises	-0.9	-0.6	-0.2	-0.8	-1.6	-1.9	0.3	0.4	-0.6	-0.8	-0.3	
19	Current expenditures	4,909.2	9,106.7	7,206.8	5,955.2	8,071.4	7,490.5	4,197.5	-1,899.9	-1,251.6	2,116.2	-580.9	
20	Consumption expenditures	1,124.7	1,187.6	1,169.4	1,164.1	1,219.9	1,208.1	62.9	-18.2	-5.4	55.9	-11.8	
	<i>Of which:</i>												
21	Paycheck Protection Program lender processing fees ³	...	54.9	14.6	3.7	44.8	23.9	54.9	-40.2	-11.0	41.2	-20.9	
22	Current transfer payments	3,137.8	6,258.2	4,295.4	3,660.9	5,945.2	5,081.5	3,120.4	-1,962.8	-634.5	2,284.4	-863.7	
23	Government social benefits	2,443.0	4,810.8	3,503.3	2,867.3	5,107.4	3,401.7	2,367.8	-1,307.6	-636.0	2,240.0	-1,705.7	
24	To persons	2,417.9	4,766.7	3,468.3	2,839.1	5,070.6	3,372.3	2,348.8	-1,298.4	-629.1	2,231.4	-1,698.3	
	<i>Of which:</i>												
25	Economic impact payments ⁴	...	1,078.1	15.6	5.0	1,933.7	290.1	1,078.1	-1,062.5	-10.5	1,928.6	-1,643.6	
26	Expansion of unemployment programs ⁵	...	779.6	582.4	216.6	505.0	429.7	779.6	-197.2	-365.8	288.3	-75.3	
27	Increase in Medicare reimbursement rates ⁶	...	9.6	14.4	14.3	14.2	14.1	9.6	4.8	-0.1	-0.2	0.0	
28	Lost wages supplemental payments ⁷	...	...	106.2	35.9	1.6	0.6	...	106.2	-70.4	-34.2	-1.0
29	Paycheck Protection Program loans to NPISH ³	...	57.2	81.2	24.4	10.8	24.7	57.2	24.0	-56.8	-13.6	13.9	
30	Provider Relief Fund to NPISH ⁸	1.5	160.9	58.4	34.5	42.8	26.6	159.4	-102.5	-24.0	8.3	-16.2	
31	To the rest of the world	25.2	44.1	35.0	28.2	36.8	29.4	19.0	-9.1	-6.8	8.6	-7.4	
	<i>Of which:</i>												
32	Economic impact payments ⁴	...	4.9	0.1	0.0	8.8	1.3	4.9	-4.8	0.0	8.7	-7.5	
33	Other current transfer payments	694.8	1,447.3	792.1	793.5	837.9	1,679.9	752.5	-655.2	1.5	44.3	842.0	
34	Grants-in-aid to state and local governments	640.6	1,400.0	738.5	743.0	781.5	1,632.2	759.5	-661.6	4.5	38.5	850.7	
	<i>Of which:</i>												
35	Coronavirus Relief Fund ⁹	...	597.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	785.9	597.9	-597.9	0.0	0.0	785.9	
36	Education Stabilization Fund ¹⁰	...	28.4	15.8	15.2	28.9	67.6	28.4	-12.6	-0.6	13.7	38.7	
37	Provider Relief Fund ⁸	...	64.4	23.4	13.8	17.1	10.6	64.4	-41.0	-9.6	3.3	-6.5	
38	To the rest of the world	54.2	47.3	53.6	50.5	56.4	47.7	-6.9	6.3	-3.0	5.8	-8.7	
39	Interest payments	566.4	537.3	521.5	511.7	502.5	503.8	-29.1	-15.8	-9.8	-9.2	1.4	
40	Subsidies	80.3	1,123.6	1,220.5	618.6	403.8	697.0	1,043.4	96.9	-601.9	-214.8	293.2	
	<i>Of which:</i>												
41	Coronavirus Food Assistance Program ¹¹	...	16.9	18.4	46.2	0.9	14.3	16.9	1.6	27.8	-45.3	13.4	
42	Economic Injury Disaster Loans ¹²	...	60.3	18.5	0.0	0.3	11.3	60.3	-41.8	-18.5	0.3	11.0	
43	Employee Retention Tax Credit	...	73.3	73.3	73.3	62.9	62.9	73.3	0.0	0.0	-10.4	0.0	
44	Grants to air carriers	...	63.8	15.0	0.1	38.0	47.3	63.8	-48.8	-14.9	37.9	9.2	
45	Paycheck Protection Program loans to businesses ³	...	576.9	819.5	246.3	184.6	427.2	576.9	242.6	-573.2	-61.7	242.6	
46	Corporate business	...	372.8	529.6	159.1	102.9	238.2	372.8	156.8	-370.4	-56.2	135.3	
47	Sole proprietorships and partnerships	...	204.1	289.9	87.1	81.6	189.0	204.1	85.8	-202.8	-5.5	107.3	
48	Farm	...	6.1	8.7	2.6	4.9	11.3	6.1	2.6	-6.1	2.3	6.4	
49	Nonfarm	...	198.0	281.2	84.5	76.8	177.6	198.0	83.3	-196.7	-7.8	100.9	
50	Provider Relief Fund ⁸	...	96.6	35.1	20.7	25.7	16.0	96.6	-61.5	-14.4	5.0	-9.7	
51	Restaurant Revitalization Fund ¹³	...	...	...	...	...	21.4	...	...	...	...	21.4
52	Support for public transit agencies ¹⁴	...	22.0	25.3	11.8	9.8	12.3	22.0	3.3	-13.5	-2.0	2.5	
53	Tax credits to fund paid sick leave	...	140.0	140.0	140.0	8.0	8.0	140.0	0.0	0.0	-132.0	0.0	
54	Net federal government saving	-1,158.0	-5,625.6	-3,516.3	-2,140.1	-4,088.9	-3,343.9	-4,467.6	2,109.3	1,376.2	-1,948.8	744.9	
	Addenda												
55	Total receipts	3,769.1	3,500.4	3,710.1	3,834.8	4,003.0	4,167.6	-268.6	209.7	124.6	168.3	164.6	
56	Current receipts	3,751.2	3,481.1	3,690.5	3,815.1	3,982.6	4,146.6	-270.1	209.4	124.7	167.4	164.0	
57	Capital transfer receipts	17.8	19.3	19.7	19.6	20.5	21.0	1.5	0.3	0.0	0.8	0.6	
58	Total expenditures	5,033.2	9,234.4	7,328.4	6,084.5	8,386.7	7,618.1	4,201.2	-1,906.0	-1,243.9	2,302.3	-768.7	
59	Current expenditures	4,909.2	9,106.7	7,206.8	5,955.2	8,071.4	7,490.5	4,197.5	-1,899.9	-1,251.6	2,116.2	-580.9	
60	Capital transfer payments	92.5	92.0	92.1	90.4	297.7	89.9	-0.5	0.0	-1.6	207.2	-207.8	
	<i>Of which:</i>												
61	Emergency rental and homeowners assistance ¹⁵	...	...	...	...	203.0	0.0	...	...	...	203.0	-203.0
62	Net investment	31.8	35.8	40.6	39.0	35.9	38.0	3.9	4.9	-1.6	-3.1	2.1	
63	Net purchases of nonproduced assets	-0.3	-0.1	-11.1	-0.2	-18.3	-0.3	0.2	-11.0	10.9	-18.1	18.0	

ARPA -American Rescue Plan Act of 2021
 CARES -Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security
 CRRSA -Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act of 2021
 NPISH -Nonprofit institutions serving households

- Certain aviation excise taxes were temporarily suspended by the CARES Act beginning on March 28, 2020.
- Interest payments due on certain categories of federally-held student loans were initially suspended by the CARES Act. For more information, see [How does the federal response to the COVID-19 pandemic affect BEA's estimate of personal interest payments?](#)
- The Paycheck Protection Program, initially established by the CARES Act, provides forgivable loans to help small businesses and nonprofit institutions make payroll and cover other expenses. It also provides funding to reimburse private lending institutions for the costs of administering these loans. For more information, see [How does the Paycheck Protection Program impact the national income and product accounts \(NIPAs\)?](#)
- Economic impact payments, initially established by the CARES Act, provide direct payments to individuals. For more information, see [How are federal economic impact payments to support individuals during the COVID-19 pandemic recorded in the NIPAs?](#)
- Unemployment insurance benefits were expanded through several programs that were initially established through the CARES Act. For more information, see [How will the expansion of unemployment benefits in response to the COVID-19 pandemic be recorded in the NIPAs?](#)
- A two percent reduction in reimbursements paid to Medicare service providers that went into effect in 2013 was initially suspended by the CARES Act. The resulting increased reimbursement rates went into effect beginning on May 1, 2020.
- The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) was authorized to make payments from the Disaster Relief Fund to supplement wages lost as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic.
- The Department of Health and Human Services distributes money from the Provider Relief Fund to hospitals and health care providers on the front lines of the coronavirus response. This funding supports health care-related expenses or lost revenue attributable to COVID-19 and ensures uninsured Americans can get treatment for COVID-19. In the NIPAs, funds provided to nonprofit hospitals are recorded as social benefits.
- The Coronavirus Relief Fund, initially established by the CARES Act, provides for payments to state, local, and tribal governments for necessary expenditures incurred due to the COVID-19 public health emergency.
- The Education Stabilization Fund, initially established by the CARES Act, provides education support to states, schools, and institutes of higher education in response to coronavirus. Four grant programs were created through the CARES Act: Education Stabilization Fund Discretionary Grants; Governor's Emergency Education Relief Fund; Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund; and Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund.
- The Coronavirus Food Assistance Program, initially established by the CARES Act, provides direct support to farmers and ranchers where prices and market supply chains have been impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic.
- Economic Injury Disaster Loans provide economic relief to small businesses and nonprofit organizations experiencing a temporary loss of revenue. The loans can be used to cover a wide array of working capital needs and normal operating expenses. For more information, see [How is the COVID-19 Economic Injury Disaster Loan program \(EIDL\) recorded in the NIPAs?](#)
- The Restaurant Revitalization Fund provides emergency assistance to bars, restaurants, and other food and beverage-related businesses. The program compensates owners for the decline in revenue due to the COVID-19 pandemic. For more information, see [How does the Restaurant Revitalization Fund impact the NIPAs?](#)
- The CARES Act provides \$25 billion to transit agencies to help to prevent, prepare for and respond to the COVID-19 pandemic. In the NIPAs, public transit agencies are classified as state and local government enterprises.
- The Emergency Rental Assistance program, initially established by the CRRSA Act, and the Homeowner Assistance program, initially established by the ARPA, provide assistance for home expenses including rental arrears and delinquent mortgage payments resulting from the pandemic. For more information, see [How are federal programs to assist renters and homeowners during the COVID-19 pandemic recorded in the NIPAs?](#) For the first quarter of 2021, includes payments from the Emergency Rental Assistance program to provide assistance to pay for rental, mortgage, and utility arrears resulting from the COVID-19 pandemic.

NOTE: For national statistics detailing the amount of federal government receipts and expenditures, BEA publishes the total level at an annualized rate. BEA does this so that monthly estimates can be easily compared to quarterly estimates included in BEA's quarterly gross domestic product report, for example. To be consistent, the figures in this table also are annualized. For more information, see [Why does BEA publish estimates at annual rates?](#) on BEA's website.

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Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis