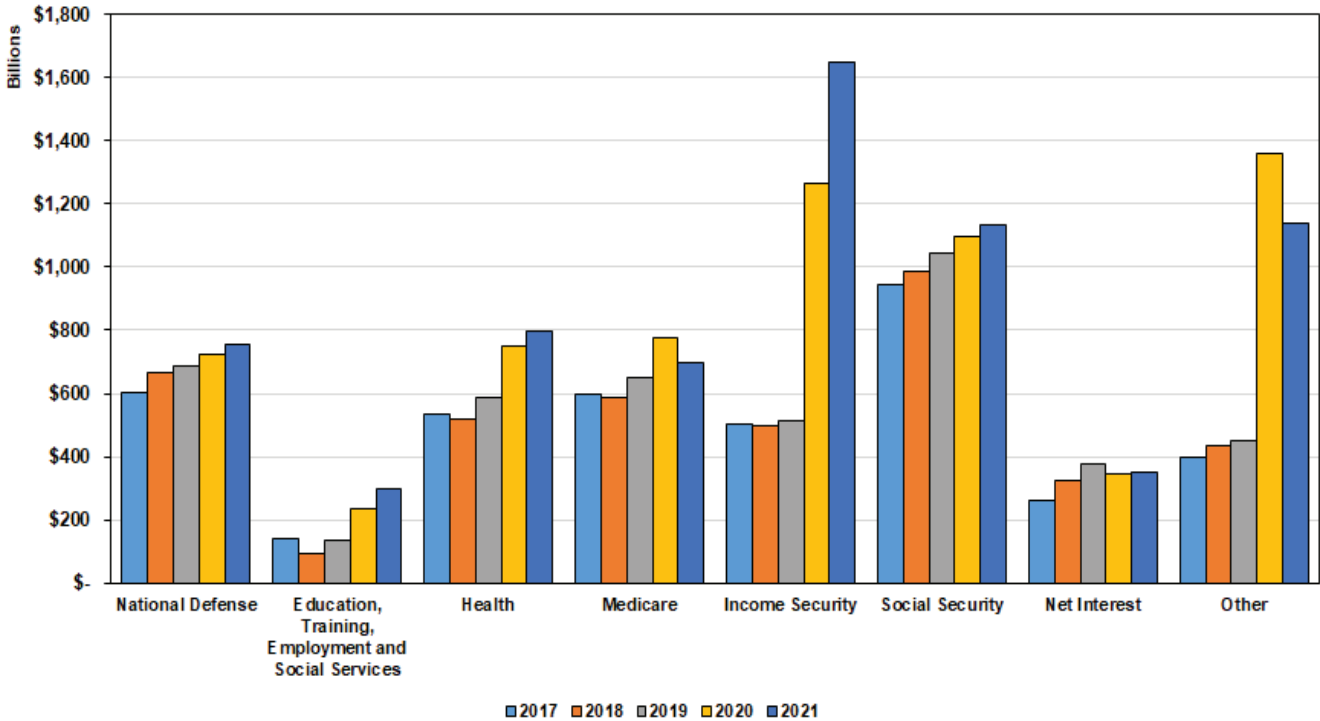
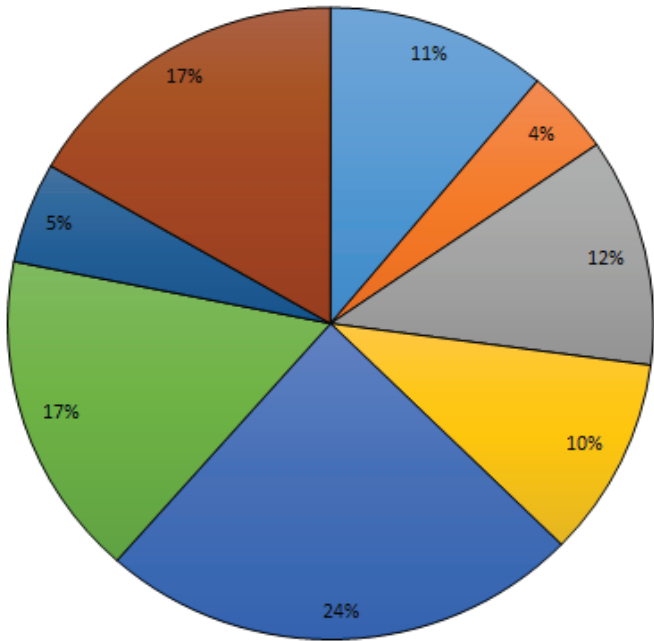


OUTLAYS BY FUNCTION

Total outlays for the United States Government in fiscal year 2021 were \$6,818.2 billion, an increase of 4.1 percent or \$266.4 billion above the amount from fiscal year 2020. The chart below shows total outlays divided by function.

FY 2021

- National Defense
- Education, Training, Employment and Social Services
- Health
- Medicare
- Income Security
- Social Security
- Net Interest
- Other



Notable changes in outlays by function are discussed briefly in the text below. The table that follows depicts the amount of outlays for fiscal years 2021 and 2020 by function, including the amount and percentage change from fiscal year 2020.

- **National Defense** outlays were \$754.8 billion in fiscal year 2021, an increase of 4.0 percent or \$28.7 billion above the prior fiscal year.
- **Education, Training, Employment and Social Services** outlays were \$296.7 billion in fiscal year 2021, an increase of 25.3 percent or \$59.9 billion above the prior fiscal year.
- **Health** outlays were \$796.8 billion in fiscal year 2021, an increase of 6.4 percent or \$47.6 billion above the prior fiscal year.
- **Medicare** outlays were \$696.5 billion in fiscal year 2021, a decrease of 10.3 percent or \$79.8 billion below the prior fiscal year.
- **Income Security** outlays were \$1,648.8 billion in fiscal year 2021, an increase of 30.6 percent or \$386.3 billion above the prior fiscal year.
- **Social Security** outlays were \$1,134.6 billion in fiscal year 2021, an increase of 3.5 percent or \$38.8 billion above the prior fiscal year.
- **Net Interest** outlays were \$352.3 billion in fiscal year 2021, an increase of 2.2 percent or \$7.6 billion above the prior fiscal year.
- **Other** outlays were \$1,137.8 billion in fiscal year 2021, a decrease of 16.4 percent or \$222.7 billion below the prior fiscal year.

OUTLAYS BY FUNCTION

IN MILLIONS OF DOLLARS

	FY 2021	FY 2020	Amount Change	Percent Change
National Defense	754,849	726,151	28,697	4.0
International Affairs	46,946	67,660	-20,715	-30.6
General Science, Space, and Technology	35,576	34,059	1,518	4.5
Energy	6,074	7,168	-1,094	-15.3
Natural Resources and Environment	42,073	40,691	1,383	3.4
Agriculture	49,505	49,153	353	.7
Commerce and Housing Credit	304,147	571,657	-267,510	-46.8
Transportation	154,792	146,156	8,636	5.9
Community and Regional Development	46,517	83,619	-37,102	-44.4
Education, Training, Employment, and Social Services	296,663	236,723	59,941	25.3
Health	796,763	749,159	47,604	6.4
Medicare	696,461	776,224	-79,763	-10.3
Income Security	1,648,845	1,262,558	386,287	30.6
Social Security	1,134,593	1,095,817	38,775	3.5
Veterans Benefits and Services	234,278	218,674	15,604	7.1
Administration of Justice	72,152	72,102	50	.1
General Government	269,591	175,961	93,630	53.2
Net Interest	352,264	344,705	7,559	2.2
Undistributed Offsetting Receipts	-123,860	-106,362	-17,498	16.5
Total Outlays	6,818,229	6,551,874	266,354	4.1

Details may not add to totals due to rounding.