

"CONTINGENCY" SURPLUS IN GOP BUDGET

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	10 years
On-budget surplus in GOP budge	60	206	87	81	54	63	69	77	102	124	165	1029
Adjust for true discretionary level:	60	91	81	74	47	56	61	69	94	115	156	846
Adjust to exclude HI trust fund	32	55	42	34	7	12	20	29	55	78	122	453

Note: Interest costs associated with any spending could consume about \$108 billion of the total \$453 billion contingency.