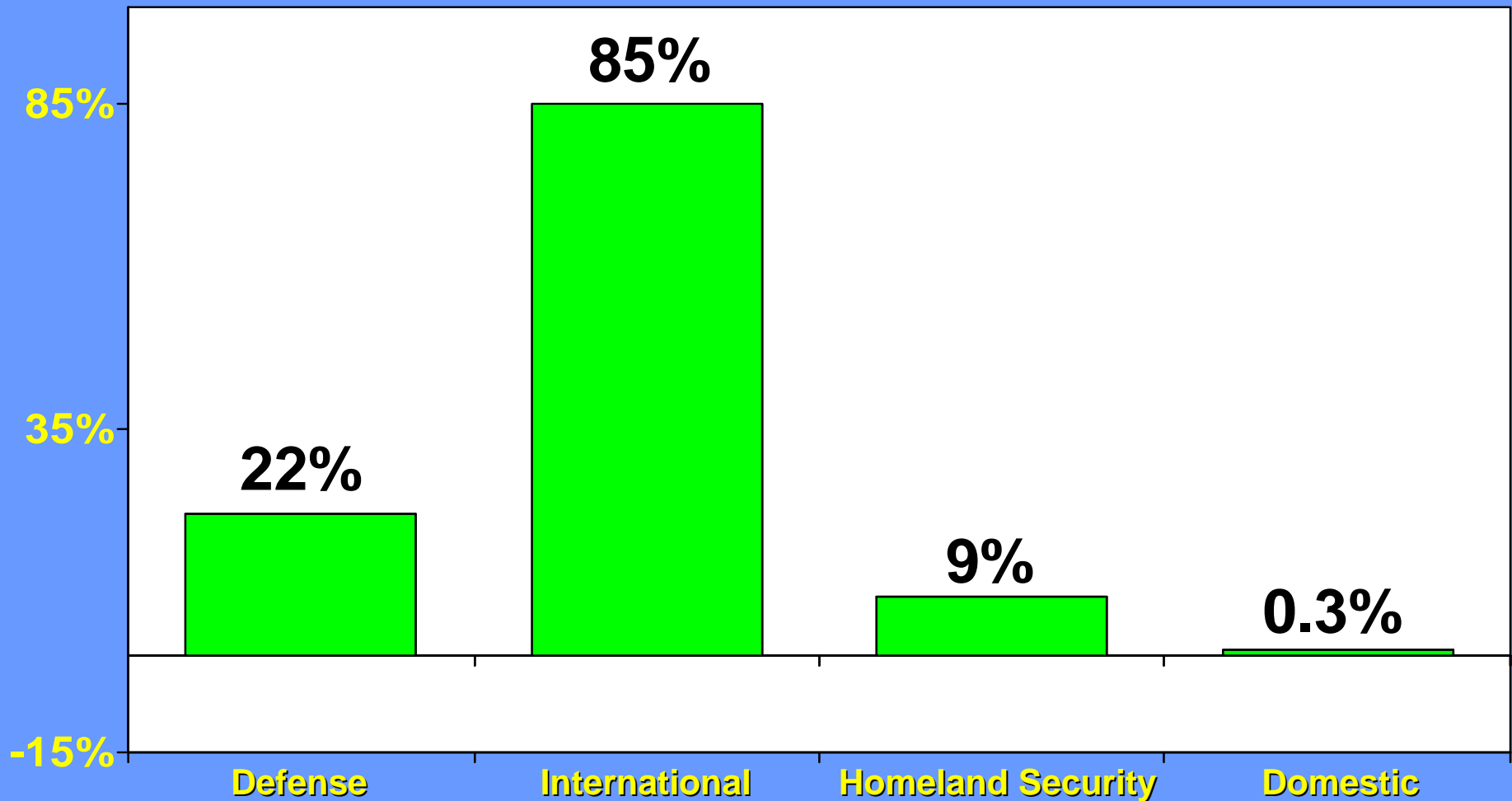


# Domestic Spending Has Been Flat Over Past Two Years



Source: CBO and Senate Budget Committee, Democratic Staff.

Note: Measures real growth in discretionary budget authority between 2002 and 2004.