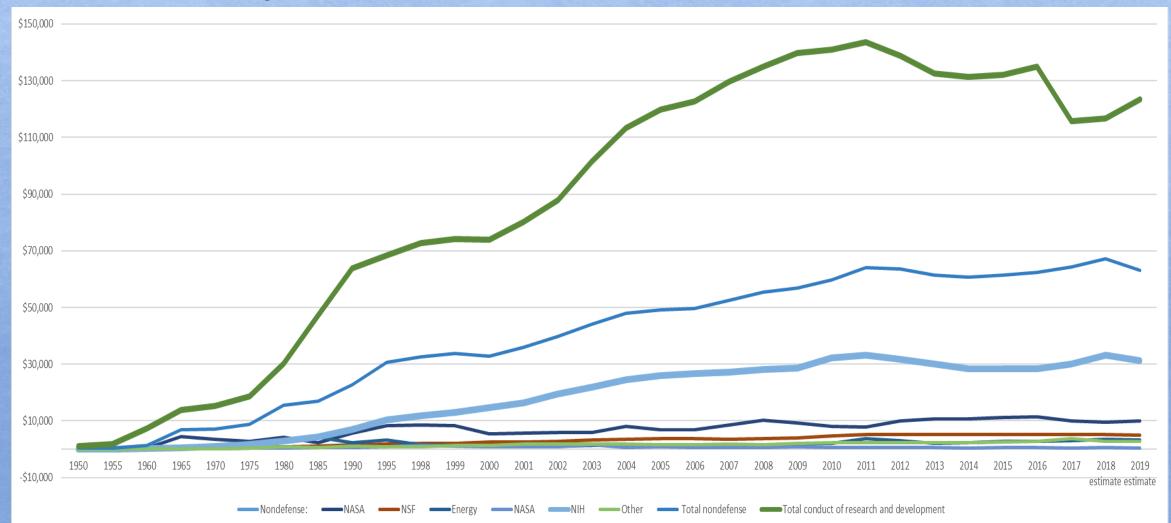


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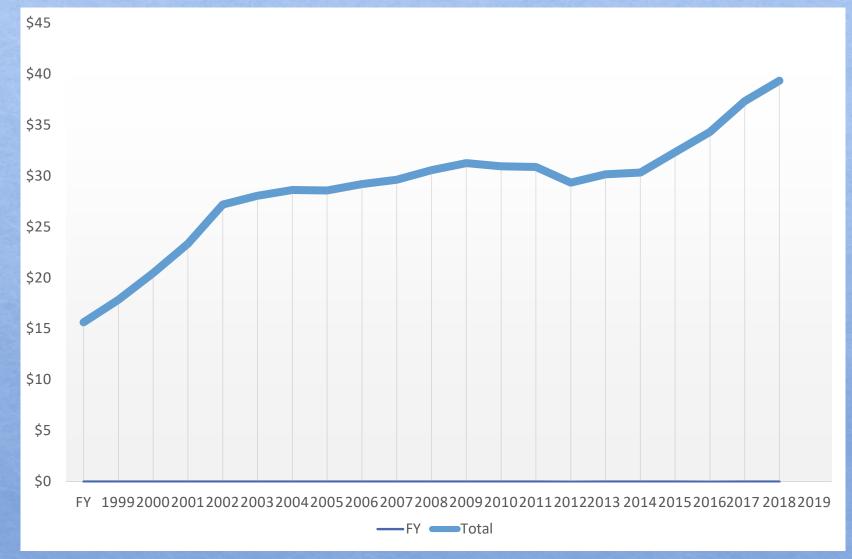
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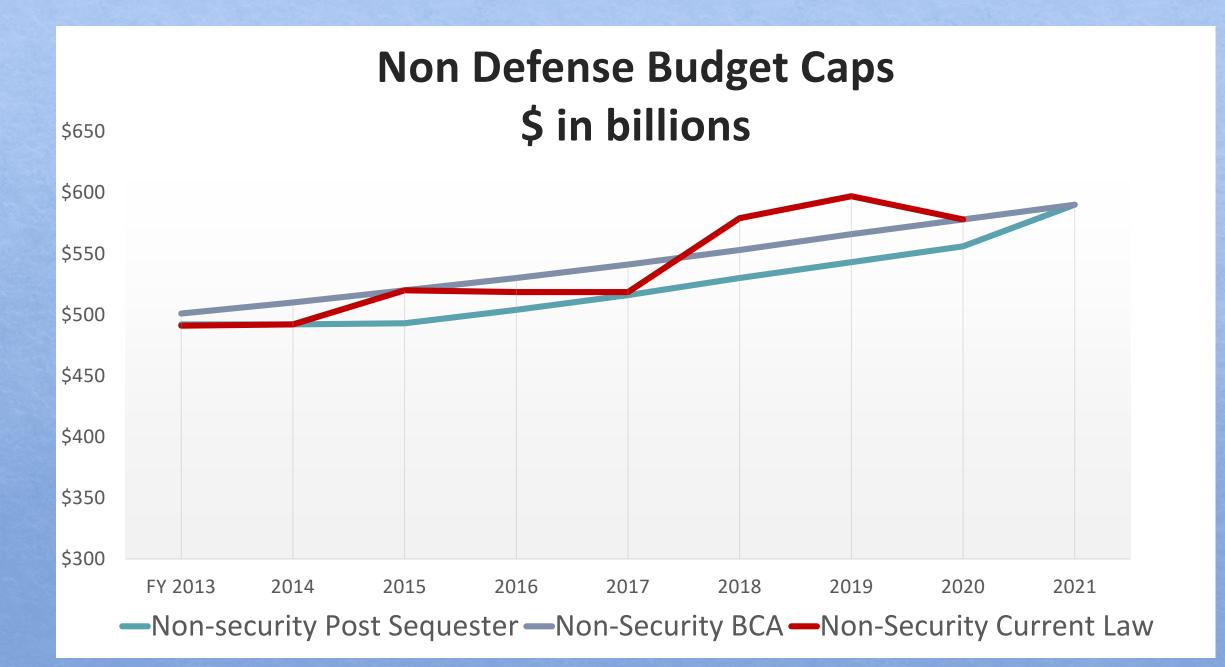
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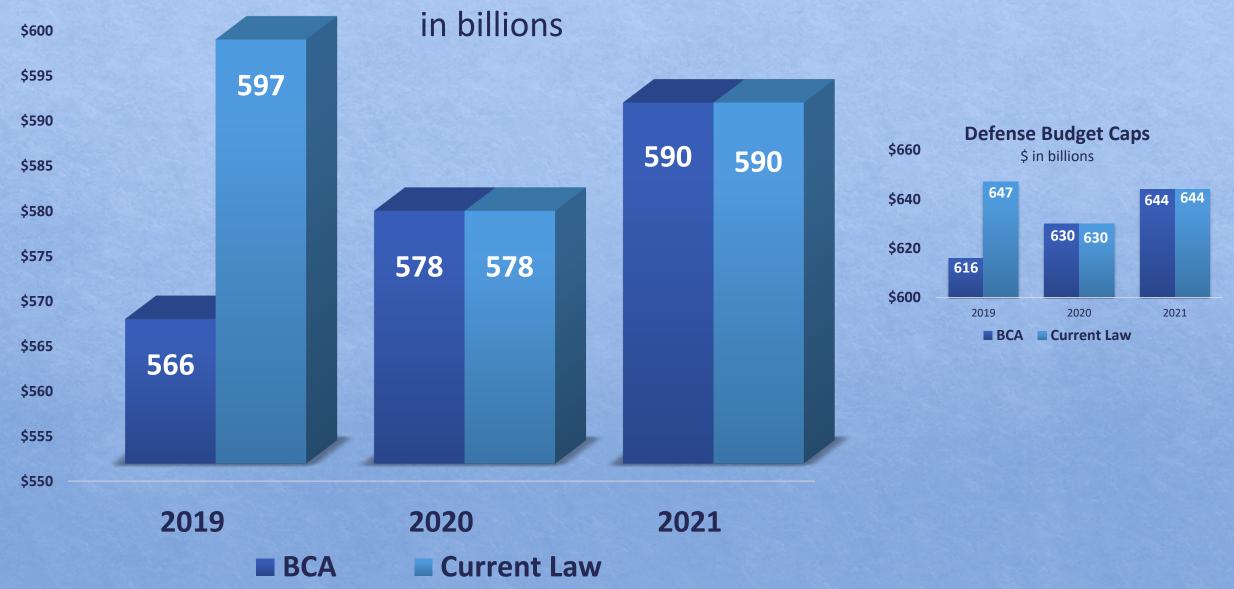


# NIH Appropriations nominal \$ in billions





#### **Non-Defense Budget Caps**





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## The Challenge



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Turnover on Capitol Hill: Champions Lost

# **Turnover** on **Capitol Hill:** New Members



### 35 Physicians and Scientists in the 116<sup>th</sup> Congress

SENATE 2 Physicians 1 Optometrist



HOUSE **16** Physicians **5** Dentists **3** Nurses **3** Veterinarians 2 Psychologists **2** Physical Scientists **1** Pharmacist







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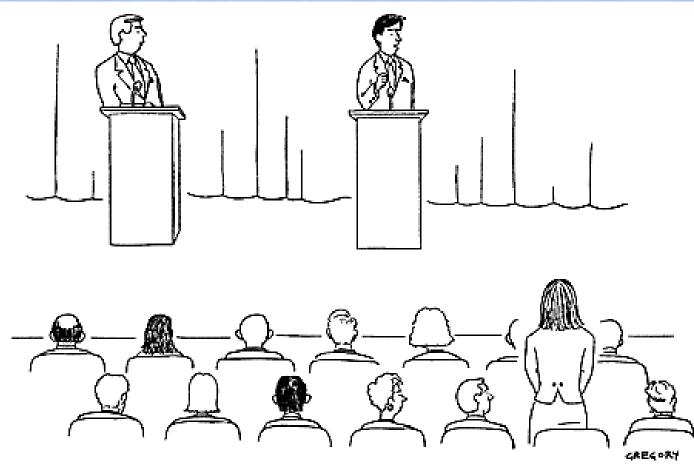


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"That's an excellent prescreened question, but before I give you my stock answer I'd like to try to disarm everyone with a carefully rehearsed joke."

## Questions?