

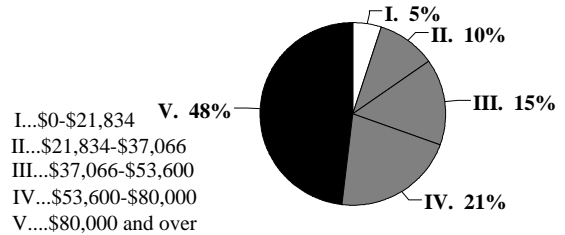
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Income Inequality Among Families In Oregon Has Increased Since the 1970s

Income Gaps, Late 1990s

	Rank (1 is most unequal)
Richest fifth vs. poorest fifth	8
Richest fifth vs. middle fifth	4

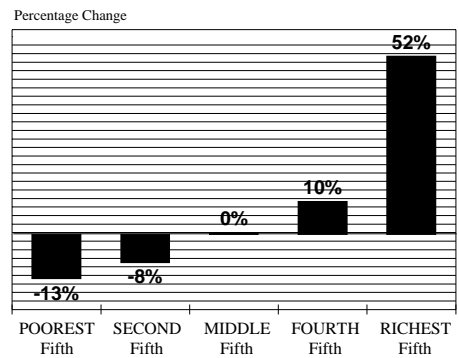
Share of Income Held by Each Income Fifth, Late 1990s



Inflation-Adjusted Change in Incomes Late 1970s to Late 1990s

	Dollar Change	% Change
Poorest Fifth . . .	-\$1,930*	-13%
Middle Fifth	\$190	0%
Richest Fifth	\$49,520*	52%

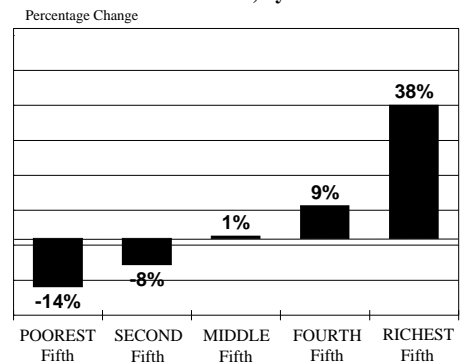
Income Change for Oregon Families Late 1970s to Late 1990s, by Fifth of Families



Inflation-Adjusted Change in Incomes Late 1980s to Late 1990s

	Dollar Change	% Change
Poorest Fifth . . .	-\$2,070*	-14%
Middle Fifth	\$280	1%
Richest Fifth	\$39,800*	38%

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* Change is statistically significant at the 95 percent level of confidence. No statistical significance test was conducted for percentage changes.