Federal Stimulus and Its Impact on Utah

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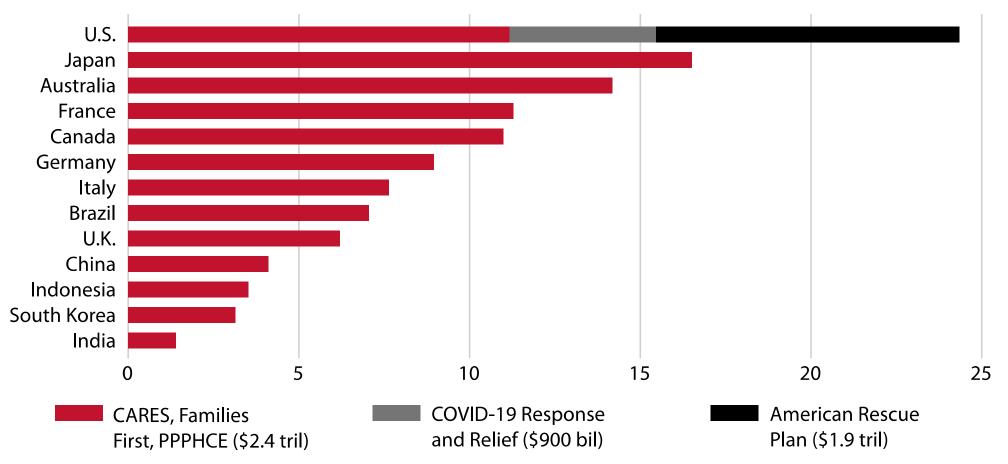
Major Federal COVID Response Bills

Title	Month	Amount (trillions)
Families First	March 2020	\$0.2
CARES	March 2020	\$1.7
Paycheck Protection Program and Health Care Enhancement (PPPHCE)	April 2020	\$0.5
Response and Relief	December 2020	\$0.9
American Rescue Plan	March 2021 (pending)	\$1.9
TOTAL		\$5.2

Source: CBO, CRFB

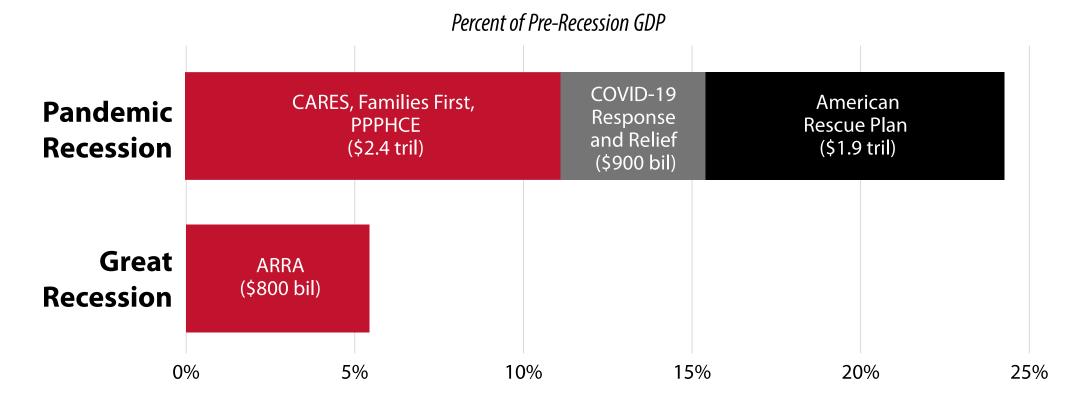
U.S. Fiscal Stimulus Largest By Far

Percent of Pre-Recession GDP



Source: Moody's and Kem C. Gardner Policy Institute

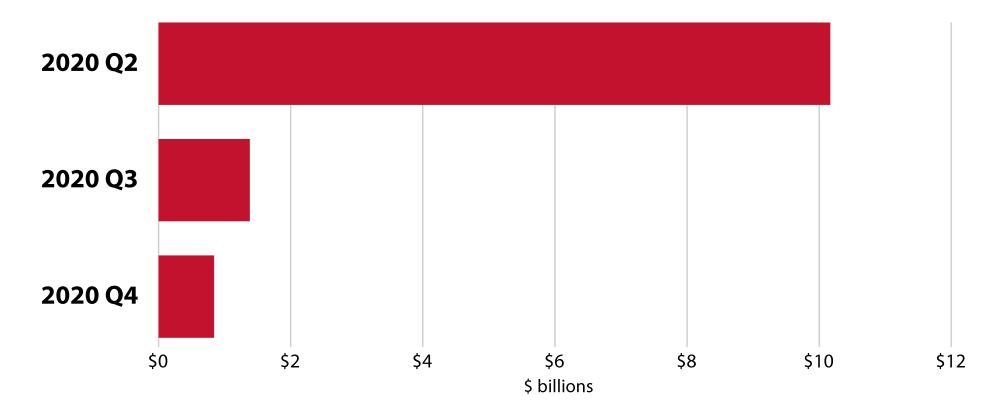
Pandemic Fiscal Response Much Larger Than Great Recession Response (ARRA)



Source: Kem C. Gardner Policy Institute estimates based on CBO, Moody's, and CFRB data

Estimated Utah Impact From Initial Federal Stimulus

Total Utah federal stimulus payments from early pandemic response bills (Families First, CARES, PPPHCE)

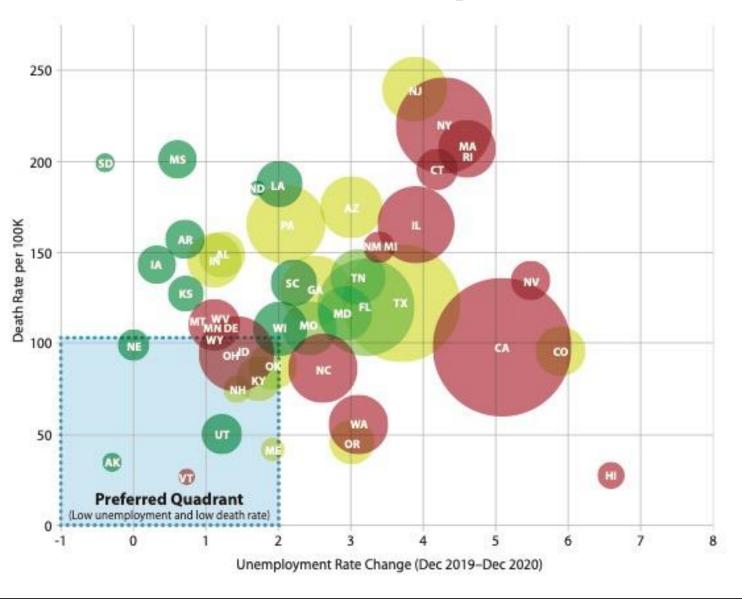


Source: Utah Governor's Office of Management and Budget

Utah's Relative COVID-19 Response Performance

Size of bubble equates to size of population

Color of bubble equates to level of economic restrictions: **Red=high** Yellow=moderate Green=low



Source: Utah Governor's Office of Management and Budget and Goldratt International

What's in the American Rescue Plan?

Major Components	Amount (trillions)
TOTAL	\$1.9
\$1,400 per person stimulus checks	\$0.4
State and local governments	\$0.4
Unemployment insurance weekly \$300 add-on	\$0.2
K-12 and higher education	\$0.2
Expanded child tax credit	\$0.1
Public health	\$0.1
Small business and housing assistance	\$0.1

Source: CRFB

American Rescue Plan Preliminary Utah Estimates

Selected Major Components	Amount (in billions)
\$1,400 per person stimulus checks	\$3.8
State government	\$1.5
Local government	\$1.0
Expanded child tax credit	\$1.2

Source: Kem C. Gardner Policy Institute, Utah State Tax Commission, and FFIS

Rip-Roaring Economy

U.S. nonfarm employment, millions

