

States with the highest personal income taxes

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9. Ohio



Top PIT rate: 8.43%
U.S. average: 5.70%
Gross state product growth: 24.8%
U.S. average: 46.61%
Population growth: 1.2%
U.S. average: 8.63%

(Growth figures based on data from 2001 - 2010; Source: ALEC-Laffer State Economic Competitiveness Index)

8. Maine



Top PIT rate: 8.50%
U.S. average: 5.70%
Gross state product growth: 35.4%
U.S. average: 46.61%
Population growth: 3.4%
U.S. average: 8.63%

(Growth figures based on data from 2001 - 2010; Source: ALEC-Laffer State Economic Competitiveness Index)

7. Maryland



Top PIT rate: 8.70%
U.S. average: 5.70%
Gross state product growth: 50.9%
U.S. average: 46.61%
Population growth: 7.4%
U.S. average: 8.63%

(Growth figures based on data from 2001 - 2010; Source: ALEC-Laffer State Economic Competitiveness Index)

6. Vermont



Top PIT rate: 8.95%
U.S. average: 5.70%
Gross state product growth: 36.1%
U.S. average: 46.61%
Population growth: 2.2%
U.S. average: 8.63%

(Growth figures based on data from 2001 - 2010; Source: ALEC-Laffer State Economic Competitiveness Index)

5. New Jersey



Top PIT rate: 9.97%
U.S. average: 5.70%
Gross state product growth: 33.7%
U.S. average: 46.61%
Population growth: 3.6%
U.S. average: 8.63%

(Growth figures based on data from 2001 - 2010; Source: ALEC-Laffer State Economic Competitiveness Index)

4. California



Top PIT rate: 10.30%
U.S. average: 5.70%
Gross state product growth: 42.1%
U.S. average: 46.61%
Population growth: 8.0%
U.S. average: 8.63%

(Growth figures based on data from 2001 - 2010; Source: ALEC-Laffer State Economic Competitiveness Index)

3. Oregon



Top PIT rate: 10.59%
U.S. average: 5.70%
Gross state product growth: 55.0%
U.S. average: 46.61%
Population growth: 8%
U.S. average: 8.63%

(Growth figures based on data from 2001 - 2010; Source: ALEC-Laffer State Economic Competitiveness Index)

2. Hawaii



Top PIT rate: 11.00%
U.S. average: 5.70%
Gross state product growth: 57.4%
U.S. average: 46.61%
Population growth: 11.7%
U.S. average: 8.63%

(Growth figures based on data from 2001 - 2010; Source: ALEC-Laffer State Economic Competitiveness Index)

1. New York



Top PIT rate: 12.70%
U.S. average: 5.70%
Gross state product growth: 43.1%
U.S. average: 46.61%
Population growth: 1.5%
U.S. average: 8.63%

(Growth figures based on data from 2001 - 2010; Source: ALEC-Laffer State Economic Competitiveness Index)