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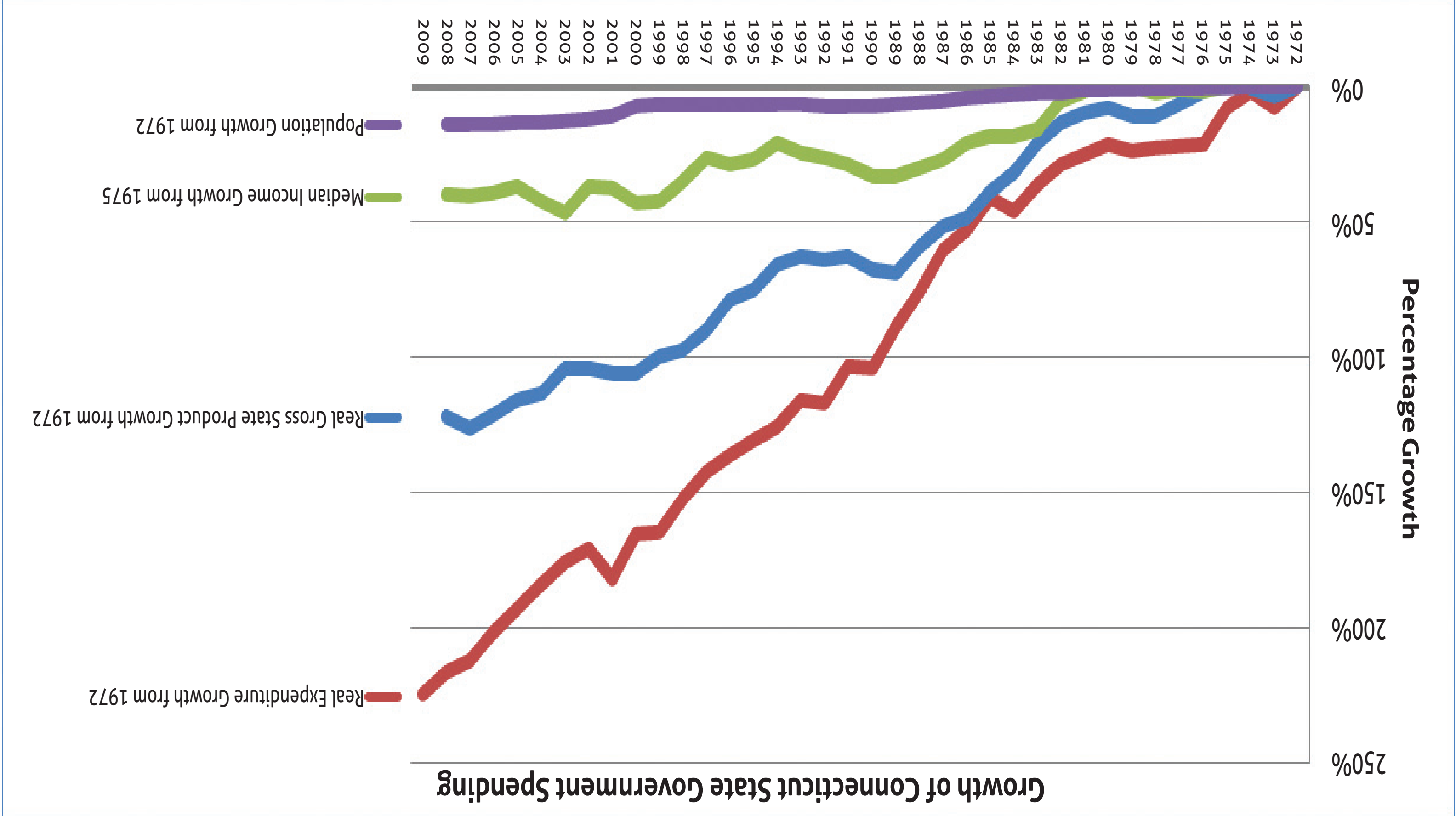


CONNECTICUT'S TAXES AND FEES

Join the Yankee Institute effort to stop the nickel and diming of Connecticut's citizens

The State of Connecticut generates revenue from **347 sources**

We can eliminate 200 of them by cutting spending by just **\$22 million**



• Real Expenditures based on State of Connecticut "General Fund Operating Surplus/Deficit" and expressed in fiscal years.
 • Cross state product data from the Federal Bureau of Economic Analysis.
 • Median income and population data from Census Bureau.
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Connecticut's 347 Sources of Revenue

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Tax/Fee	Fund	Name	Amount	Purpose	Tax/Fee	Fund	Name	Amount	Purpose	Tax/Fee	Fund	Name	Amount	Purpose
Tax	General Fund	Total Personal Income Tax	\$6,385,856,437	Income of CT residents	Revenue	Transportation Fund	New Haven Parking Authority	\$1,019,740	State ownership of land on which the New Haven Parking Authority operates	Tax	General Fund	Controlled Substances Tax	\$34,371	Illegal sale of marijuana and controlled substances
Tax	General Fund	General Sales And Use Tax	\$3,194,863,688	Gross receipts of retailers	Fee	General Fund	Fees-Background Checks	\$1,013,761	Conducting background checks	Fee	General Fund	Prof Svc Ren License/Class E	\$34,340	License for business sales registration
Federal Transfer	General Fund	ARRA-Increased Medicaid FMAP	\$2,579,965,883	Federal matching for state Medicaid	Fee	General Fund	Laboratory Fees	\$976,497	Registration of an environmental or clinical laboratory	Fee	General Fund	Well Drill Contractor Licenses	\$33,538	License to construct a well, including but not limited to, the installation, repair and maintenance of pumps
Federal Transfer	General Fund	Medical Assistance-Tide XIX	\$2,579,965,883	Unrestricted federal aid	Fee	General Fund	Other Fees-Certificate/Copies	\$948,869	Copies of other certificates	Fee	General Fund	Fees-Trade/Service Marks	\$32,140	Trade or service mark
Tax	General Fund	Corporation Tax	\$566,017,816	Imposed on a corporation doing business in CT	Fee	General Fund	Professional Svcs Licensure	\$840,997	Professional services license	Tax	General Fund	Photocopying	\$31,857	Revenue from sale of government printed matter
Tax	Transportation Fund	Gasoline Tax-General	\$369,068,334	Tax on the sale of gasoline	Fee	General Fund	Fee-Certified Copies-MV Forms	\$906,633	Certified copies of motor vehicle forms	Tax	General Fund	Commercial Asset Manager-Real Estate License	\$31,799	License to be a commercial asset manager
Tax	General Fund	Cigarette Distributor Tax	\$312,403,962	Excise tax imposed on all cigarette sales	Revenue	Transportation Fund	Unemployment Compensation	\$872,505	A recovery of the 0.29% of payroll for employees paid out of all other funds other than the General Fund	Fee	General Fund	Fees-Deposit-Domestic Insurance Co	\$30,750	Generated from domestic company appointments and domestic insurance company registrations collected by the Department of Insurance
Federal Transfer	General Fund	Dependent Children	\$290,246,485	Federal funds for various Medicaid-related or other social service and/or health-related programs or services	Fee	General Fund	Fees-Filing Annual Reports	\$864,370	Filing annual reports	Revenue	General Fund	Out-Patient & Day Care Clinic	\$30,077	State-owned out-patient and day care clinics
Fee	General Fund	Lottery Ticket Payment	\$283,000,000	Profits from CT lottery	Fee	General Fund	Steamfitter Licenses	\$854,576	License to be a steamfitter	Revenue	General Fund	Late Fee-Election/FidDisclosur	\$29,700	Late filing of election financial disclosure reports
Tax	General Fund	Total Inheritance and Estate Tax	\$238,336,664	Tax on gifts given and/or estates inherited by a decedent	Fee	General Fund	Sealed Tickets Payments	\$819,898	Sale of sealed tickets	Revenue	General Fund	Mnt Pict/Theatre Mngy License	\$27,875	License to exhibit moving pictures
Tax	General Fund	Mohegan Sun Gaming Payments	\$200,651,342	Mohegan Sun gaming revenues	Fee	General Fund	Service or Process Fees	\$764,810	Services or processes completed by DMV, Secretary of State's Office, or Department of Justice	Revenue	General Fund	Other Rents-Halls/Rooms	\$26,741	Renting of state-owned halls and rooms
Tax	General Fund	Mashantucket Gaming Revenues	\$177,153,621	Mashantucket gaming revenues	Fee	General Fund	Other Fees-Miscellaneous	\$730,701	Other miscellaneous fees	Fee	General Fund	Permits-To Hold Games/Chance	\$26,590	Permit to hold games of chance
Tax	Transportation Fund	Motor Vehicle Licenses	\$175,476,461	Motor vehicle license	Fee	General Fund	Fees-Inspection of Boilers	\$714,100	State inspection of registered boilers	Fee	General Fund	Amusement Park/Carnival License	\$26,450	License to operate an amusement park or carnival
Tax	General Fund	Electric And Power Company Tax	\$153,897,278	Tax on the gross earnings of electric and power companies	Fee	General Fund	Other Fees-Tech and Skilled	\$711,326	State's review of other technical and skilled work	Fee	General Fund	Permit-Deal/Handle Explosives	\$25,980	Permit to deal and handle explosives
Federal Transfer	General Fund	Administration-Social Services	\$144,089,512	Federal funds for various Medicaid-related or other social service and/or health-related programs or services	Revenue	General Fund	Licenses-Private Det/Bondsman	\$683,198	License to be a bondsman	Fee	General Fund	Licenses-Weighing Devices	\$25,460	License to perform the public weighing of property, produce, commodities or articles other than those which the weigher or his employer either buys or sells
Tax	General Fund	Foreign Insurance Company Tax	\$142,118,793	Tax on foreign insurance companies	Revenue	General Fund	Escheats-Reciprocal States	\$682,084	Escheats from reciprocal states	Revenue	General Fund	Photocopying	\$25,058	Revenue from sale of government printed matter
Transportation Fund	Petroleum Company Tax	\$141,900,000	Gross earnings of companies distributing petroleum products	Revenue	General Fund	Prof Svc Ren License/Class F	\$663,295	License for business sales registration	Revenue	Transportation Fund	Licenses To Sell Tobacco	\$24,757	License to sell tobacco products	
Tax	General Fund	Nursing Home Provider Tax	\$125,304,846	Chronic and convalescent licensed nursing homes	Fee	General Fund	Drug Licenses	\$662,030	License to sell pharmaceutical drugs	Fee	General Fund	Examinations-Accountants	\$23,000	Accounting examination
Tax	Transportation Fund	Special Motor Fuel Tax-General	\$104,877,855	Diesel fuel tax	Revenue	General Fund	OSHA - On-Site Consultation	\$658,319	On-Site consultation for the CT Department of Labor's Division of Occupational Safety and Health	Fee	General Fund	Review Licenses - Commodities	\$22,116	Other commodities licenses
Tax	General Fund	Petroleum Company Tax	\$104,413,157	Gross earnings of companies distributing petroleum products	Revenue	General Fund	Oyster Grounds	\$650,622	State lease of oyster grounds	Fee	General Fund	Pool Plan Review Fees	\$21,300	State's review of pool construction plans
Revenue	General Fund	Real Estate Conveyance Tax	\$82,148,185	Tax on seller when he conveys real estate to a buyer	Revenue	General Fund	Civil Penalties-Court Judgement	\$640,054	Monetary penalties as ordered by CT courts	Fee	General Fund	Personal Use Lobster Licenses	\$20,525	License to take lobsters for personal use with the use of not more than 10 lobster pots or traps, by hand, by skin diving, or by SCUBA diving
Revenue	General Fund	Recoveries - Public Assistance	\$77,098,069	Recovered public assistance	Revenue	General Fund	Notary Public Register Licenses	\$635,247	License to be a registered public notary	Fee	General Fund	Fee-Subsurface Sewage Plan-Lg	\$20,400	State's review of a large subsurface sewage plan
Revenue	General Fund	IV-E Foster Care - DCF	\$74,427,871	States Department of Children and Families	Revenue	General Fund	General Contractor Licenses	\$612,450	License to be a general contractor	Fee	General Fund	Witness Fees	\$19,991	Bringing a witness into court
Tax	General Fund	Sales/Use Tax-Room Occupancy	\$73,425,249	Tax on the receipt paid for room occupancy	Revenue	General Fund	Plumber Licenses	\$606,255	License to be a plumber	Tax	General Fund	Gift Tax	\$19,803	Tax that is imposed on the transfer of property by gift
Tax	General Fund	Gas And Electric Company Tax	\$63,620,790	Tax on revenue earned from sales	Revenue	General Fund	Reports, Statutes, Registers	\$596,509	Various state reports, statutes, and registers	Revenue	General Fund	Racing/Jai Alai Reg-Licenses	\$19,490	License to operate a jai alai or racing business
Tax	Transportation Fund	DMV Sales Tax	\$57,133,714	Sales tax on vehicle registration	Revenue	General Fund	Fee-Reg-Weighing/Measuring	\$582,224	Registering commercial weighing and measuring devices	Fee	General Fund	Permits To Deal in Fireworks	\$19,100	Permit to deal in fireworks
Tax	General Fund	Court Fees	\$55,861,519	CT courts' fees	Revenue	General Fund	Energy Conservation Loan Int-Gen	\$577,554	Interest accumulated on loans from the state to property owners who install energy saving equipment	Fee	General Fund	Permits-Sell Sealed Tickets	\$17,280	Permit to allow a person to sell sealed ticket games for a permitted organization
Tax	General Fund	Community Antenna TV System Tax	\$50,965,249	Utility, railroad, and TV companies	Revenue	General Fund	Insurance Reimb-Other Losses	\$566,890	Insurance reimbursement	Fee	General Fund	Fees-Stats Info-Legal	\$16,459	Pathology services performed by the Chief Medical Examiner of CT
Tax	General Fund	Alcoholic Beverages Tax	\$47,064,448	Distribution and sale of all alcoholic beverages	Revenue	General Fund	Pharmacy/Pharmacist Licenses	\$536,613	License to be a pharmacist or operate a pharmacy	Fee	General Fund	Permits To Hold Bingo Games	\$15,845	Permit to hold a bingo game
Tax	General Fund	Business Entity Tax	\$47,027,902	Qualifying business entities subject to an annual tax	Revenue	General Fund	Fees-Asbestos Abatement-Large	\$520,912	State's approval of large asbestos abatement	Fee	General Fund	Reg Fee-Lemon Law Arbitration	\$15,750	Filing a lemon law complaint
Tax	General Fund	Business Use Tax	\$36,503,491	6% tax on goods and services when sales tax is not applied	Revenue	General Fund	Permits to Kill Deer	\$504,218	Permit to hunt and kill deer	Fee	General Fund	Exam Fees-Public Utility-Gen	\$15,464	Public utility contractor exam
Tax	General Fund	Taxes On Admission, Dues & Cabarets	\$36,032,564	Tax paid on all motion picture shows, 10% tax on places of entertainment, amusement, or recreation and membership or initiation dues	Revenue	General Fund	Escheats-Mutual Fund Sales	\$491,398	Escheats from mutual fund sales	Fee	General Fund	Charitable Games Fees	\$14,600	Registration fee for charitable games
Fee	Transportation Fund	Motor Veh Operator Licenses	\$34,681,057	Motor vehicle operator license	Revenue	General Fund	Recording Fees	\$473,532	Reporting a real estate purchase or sale into the public record	Fee	General Fund	Fees-Cert Educ-Real Estate	\$13,922	Continued real estate education qualification
Tax	General Fund	Domestic Insurance Co Tax	\$34,372,178	Total net direct premiums insurance companies received from policies written on property or risks within CT	Revenue	General Fund	Fees-Inspect Elev/Pass Trams	\$436,465	State inspection of elevators and pass trams	Fee	General Fund	Application/Annual Fees-Info Signs	\$13,500	Application or the annual fee to have an informational sign
Federal Transfer	General Fund	HUSKY Program	\$31,979,984	Reimbursements from the federal government for the Children's Health Insurance Program	Revenue	General Fund	Child Day Care Center Licenses	\$407,863	License to operate a child day care center	Tax	General Fund	Ammonies	\$13,168	CT ammonies
Revenue	Transportation Fund	Commercial Info - Motor Vehicle	\$27,128,910	Sale of commercial info related to motor vehicles	Revenue	General Fund	Fees-Analysis of Feed	\$401,400	State's analysis of animal feed	Revenue	General Fund	Jury Fees	\$13,151	Request of trial by jury
Revenue	General Fund	Workforce Investment Act-DDL	\$27,060,837	Workforce Investment Act revenue for Department of Labor	Revenue	General Fund	Sundry Airport Activities	\$394,540	Sundry assets of airport activities	Revenue	General Fund	Subscriptions-Maps/Bulletins	\$13,050	Subscriptions of maps and bulletins sold by the state
Federal Transfer	General Fund	Administrative-Child Support	\$26,717,619	Federal funds for various Medicaid-related or other social service and/or health-related programs or services	Revenue	General Fund	Real Estate Appraiser Licenses	\$392,686	License to be a real estate appraiser	Revenue	General Fund	Commercial License-Lobster Pots/Trawls	\$12,696	License to take lobsters and crabs other than blue crabs from lobster pots
Revenue	General Fund	Hospitals	\$26,939,841	State-owned hospitals	Revenue	General Fund	Fees-Cert of Need Filing	\$382,274	Certificate of Need collected by the Office of Health Care Access	Revenue	General Fund	Steam Railroad Company Tax	\$11,448	Gross earnings of railroad and steam companies
Federal Transfer	General Fund	IV-E Adoption Assistance - DCF	\$23,585,517	Federal transfer to reimburse state for subsidized adoption assistance	Revenue	General Fund	Escheats - Corporate Dividends	\$374,112	Escheats from corporate dividends	Revenue	General Fund	Other Fees-Clerical Services	\$11,080	Other clerical services performed by the state
Transportation Fund	Court Fees	\$23,508,623	CT courts' fees	Revenue	General Fund	Sheet Metal/Glazier Licenses	\$364,952	License to install, maintain or repair glass and sheet metal in residential or commercial structures	Fee	General Fund	Well Drilling Permits	\$11,075	Permit to drill a well	
Federal Transfer	General Fund	Indirect Overhead - Fed Project	\$21,768,317	Indirect overhead - federal project	Revenue	General Fund	OSHA - State of Connecticut	\$361,724	CT Department of Labor's Division of Occupational Safety and Health	Revenue	General Fund	Sundry Airport Services	\$10,255	Sundry assets of airport services
Revenue	General Fund	Prof Svcs Licensure-Lockbox	\$20,154,247	License for business sales registration	Revenue	General Fund	Wood	\$348,813	Sale of wood from state property	Revenue	Transportation Fund	Non-Ref Filing Permits-Subs	\$10,110	Liquor control permit
Revenue	General Fund	Refunds of Expend-Prior Years	\$19,859,423	Refunds of expenditures from previous year that were not spent from licenses, permits, and fees	Revenue	General Fund	Board of Inmates in Jails	\$307,996	Reimbursement for expenses incurred when federal prisoners are held in state prisons	Revenue	General Fund	Escheats-Estates of Decedents	\$10,050	Escheats from decedents with no heirs
Tax	General Fund	Hosp And Med Service Corp Tax	\$19,389,876	Annual state charge applicable to hospital and medical service corporations	Revenue	Transportation Fund	Cottages or Residences	\$300,566	State ownership of cottages or residences due to rent, fines, or escheats	Revenue	General Fund	Fees-Academic Qualifications	\$9,901	Receiving academic qualification
Revenue	General Fund	Escheats-Corporations	\$18,212,999	Escheats from corporations	Fee	General Fund	Certificate-Authority Licenses	\$290,425	License to collect sales and use tax on items sold through catalog or mail-order sales	Revenue	General Fund	Fines & Penalties-Bad Checks	\$9,452	Penalty for bad checks given to the state
Tax	Transportation Fund	Motor Carrier Tax-Ita	\$18,073,696	Tax on fuel for motor vehicles designed to transport persons or property	Revenue	General Fund	Licenses-Engineers/Land Survey	\$284,996	License to be a joint practice engineer and land surveyor	Revenue	Transportation Fund	Private Donations	\$8,263	Private donations to the state in the category of licenses, permits, and fees
Revenue	General Fund	Investment Interest	\$17,907,041	Interest accumulated on state investments	Revenue	General Fund	Retail Gasoline Dealer License	\$276,187	License to be a retail gasoline dealer	Revenue	General Fund	State Inst-Dining Room Svc	\$8,123	Dining room services in state institutions
Fee	Transportation Fund	Title Certificate Fees	\$17,148,839	Title certificate	Revenue	General Fund	Cottages or Residences	\$270,182	State ownership of cottages or residences due to rent, fines, or escheats	Fee	General Fund	Hymnlist Registration Fee	\$8,010	Becoming a registered hymnlist
Revenue	Transportation Fund	Investment Interest	\$15,490,527	Interest accumulated on state investments	Revenue	General Fund	Facilities Licensure	\$268,735	Health care facilities license	Fee	General Fund	License-Game Birds/Quadrupeds	\$7,891	License to breed, sell or possess specific species of wild birds or wild quadrupeds
Tax	General Fund	Individual Use Tax	\$12,770,028	Tax paid when CT sales tax is not paid to retailer	Revenue	General Fund	General Forfeitures	\$265,533	General forfeitures associated with the conviction of a crime	Fee	General Fund	Other Licenses-Exhibit/Op Shows	\$7,890	License to hold an exhibition or op show
Revenue	General Fund	Escheats-Insurance Companies	\$12,615,224	Escheats from insurance companies	Revenue	Transportation Fund	Docks and Wharves	\$260,710	State ownership of docks and wharves	Revenue	General Fund	Market Bulletin-Advertising	\$7,593	Cost of advertising space
Revenue	General Fund	Recoveries - Neg Settlements	\$12,613,811	Recovered negotiated settlements	Federal Transfer	General Fund	Medicare	\$254,444	Unrestricted federal aid	Tax	General Fund	Taxes Admission-Boxing Or Wrestling	\$7,457	6% tax on all motion picture shows, 10% tax on places of entertainment, amusement, or recreation and membership or initiation dues
Fines & Penalties	Transportation Fund	Fines and Costs - Departments	\$12,296,722	Fines and costs associated with various state government departments	Revenue	General Fund	Fees-Bingo Games	\$246,780	5% of gross bingo receipts payable to the state	Revenue	General Fund	Other Licenses-Estate of Decedents	\$7,457	License to operate a business
Revenue	General Fund	Svcs-Resident State Police	\$12,215,132	Fees collected from small towns without an organized police force by the Department of Public Safety for services provided by state troopers	Revenue	General Fund	Other Licenses-Skilled Trades	\$245,670	Other skilled trades licenses	Revenue	General Fund	Milk Dealer's License	\$7,275	License to trap game animals
Revenue	Transportation Fund	Royalties-Gasoline Stations	\$10,467,989	Royalties from state ownership of gasoline stations	Revenue	General Fund	Licenses-Milk Dealers	\$219,770	Milk dealer's license	Fee	General Fund	Fees-Demolition Notification	\$7,025	Submitting demolition notifications to the state
Fee	General Fund	Other Fees-App/Exam/Dual	\$9,127,720	Other applications, exams, or qualifications	Revenue	General Fund	Escheats - Corporate Actions	\$216,600	Escheats from corporate actions	Revenue	General Fund	Other Licenses-Motor Veh/Boat	\$7,000	Other motor vehicle or boat licenses
Fee	Transportation Fund	Fees-Federal Clean Air Act	\$8,680,212	Renewal or new registration of gasoline or diesel powered vehicles	Revenue	General Fund	Prof Svc Ren License/Class I	\$215,250	License for business sales registration	Revenue	Transportation Fund	Passenger Terminal Buildings	\$6,693	Funds generated from the Gronon-New London airport
Tax	General Fund	Controlling Interest Transfer Tax	\$8,654,001	Seller of real property	Revenue	General Fund	Sundry Services-Miscellaneous	\$213,037	Miscellaneous sundry assets of the state	Revenue	General Fund	Mechanical Contractor Licenses	\$6,435	License to register a business that offers services of its employees to the public in plumbing, heating, and cooling work
Revenue	General Fund	Escheats - Banking Orgs	\$8,407,909	Escheats from banking organizations	Tax	General Fund	Franchise Tax	\$210,194	Tax on the franchise of a business	Fee	General Fund	Trapping Rights Licenses	\$5,940	License to trap game animals
Federal Transfer	General Fund	Soldiers' Homes	\$8,191,918	Unrestricted federal aid	Revenue	General Fund	Other Interest	\$203,277	Other interest accumulated	Fee	General Fund	Fees-Wholesale Cart - Alc Bev	\$5,600	Certificate for wholesale of alcoholic beverages
Fee	Transportation Fund	Auto Emissions Exemption Fees	\$6,736,560	Exemption from an auto emissions inspection	Revenue	General Fund	Food Licenses	\$198,318	Food distributor's license	Fee	General Fund	Fees-Exam-Landscape Architect	\$5,065	Landscape architect license exam
Fee	General Fund	Other MV Transactions Licenses	\$6,651,338	Other motor vehicle license transactions	Revenue	General Fund	Junk and Salvaged Materials	\$187,392	Sale of junk and salvaged materials owned by the state	Tax	Transportation Fund	Gasoline Tax-Floor	\$4,749	Tax on the sale of gasoline
Fee	General Fund	Liquor Fees Permits	\$6,458,095	Liquor permit	Revenue	General Fund	Youth Camp Licenses	\$186,650	License to operate a youth camp	Fee	General Fund	Other Licenses-Prof Svcs	\$3,010	Other professional services licenses
Tax	General Fund	Premiums-Unauth Insurers Tax	\$6,336,417	Tax on premium receipt from unauthorized insurer	Revenue	General Fund	Fee-Child Support Enforce Svc	\$183,060	Child support enforcement services	Revenue	General Fund	Pool Plan Review Fees-Resub	\$2,775	State's review of pool construction plans
Tax	Occupational Tax	\$6,327,908	Attorney practicing law in CT	Revenue	General Fund	Fees-Analysis of Fertilizer	\$179,593	State's analysis of fertilizer use	Revenue	General Fund	Court Ordered Donations	\$2,247	Court ordered donations	
Fee	Transportation Fund	Fees-Exam-Motor Vehicle Operators	\$6,092,472	Motor vehicle operator exam	Revenue	General Fund	Building Demolition Licenses	\$173,700	License to demolish a building	Fee	General Fund	Fees-Vault/Crypt Plan Review	\$2,000	State's review of the plan for construction of a vault or crypt
Tax	General Fund	Escheats - CT Bottle Bill	\$6,032,310	Escheats from bottle deposits	Revenue	General Fund	Brokered Transactions Fees	\$171,676	Transaction of a sale by a real estate broker	Revenue	General Fund	Fees-Pool Inspections	\$1,550	State inspection of public swimming pools
Fee	General Fund	Fees-Commercial Recordings	\$5,972,511	Reporting a commercial real estate purchase to the state	Revenue	General Fund	Rental Surcharge	\$167,866	Surcharge on motor vehicle or truck rental	Revenue	General Fund	Milk Production License	\$1,340	License to produce milk
Revenue	Transportation Fund	Farms, Land and Buildings	\$5,954,455	State ownership of farms, land, and buildings due to rent, fines, or escheats	Revenue	General Fund	Broker/Salesmen Fees	\$165,369	Being a broker or salesman	Revenue	General Fund	Fee-Subsurface Sewage Plan-Sm	\$1,200	State's review of a small subsurface sewage plan
Revenue	General Fund	Recoveries - WC - Fringe Benefit	\$5,954,038	Recovered fringe benefits	Revenue	General Fund	Prof Svc Ren License/Class A	\$164,055	License for business sales registration	Revenue	General Fund	Jury Fees	\$1,090	Request of trial by jury
Tax	General Fund	Repe												