

Congressional Candidate Table 1
House and Senate Financial Activity From January 1, 1995 through December 31, 1996

	Number	Receipts	Contrib from Individuals	Contrib from Other Cmte's	Candidate Contrib & Loans	Disbursements	Cash on Hand	Debts
Senate*	213	\$276,515,188	\$161,390,534	\$43,493,976	\$55,869,914	\$281,075,944	\$6,060,089	\$34,305,957
Democrats	82	\$123,428,875	\$77,987,243	\$17,110,988	\$21,637,909	\$125,426,991	\$2,334,013	\$9,858,496
Incumbents	7	\$35,153,682	\$26,854,049	\$4,951,167	\$1,940,000	\$36,823,275	\$1,275,474	\$2,394,701
Challengers	32	\$37,185,303	\$20,049,923	\$2,668,040	\$13,462,175	\$36,925,916	\$566,548	\$1,640,105
Open Seats	43	\$51,089,890	\$31,083,271	\$9,491,781	\$6,235,734	\$51,677,800	\$491,991	\$5,823,690
Republicans	101	\$152,512,148	\$83,112,562	\$26,382,488	\$33,988,335	\$155,088,799	\$3,707,113	\$24,381,298
Incumbents	13	\$42,103,221	\$26,052,521	\$12,483,692	\$909,785	\$45,560,825	\$2,581,047	\$1,155,868
Challengers	26	\$36,985,243	\$22,621,041	\$3,852,392	\$8,846,091	\$36,779,836	\$218,300	\$3,057,246
Open Seats	62	\$73,423,684	\$34,439,000	\$10,046,404	\$24,232,459	\$72,748,138	\$907,766	\$20,168,184
Other Party	30	\$574,165	\$290,729	\$500	\$243,670	\$560,154	\$18,963	\$66,163
Incumbents	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Challengers	17	\$402,462	\$207,427	\$500	\$164,302	\$391,168	\$16,453	\$44,246
Open Seats	13	\$171,703	\$83,302	\$0	\$79,368	\$168,986	\$2,510	\$21,917
House**	1447	\$489,263,365	\$264,621,289	\$153,454,409	\$51,237,504	\$466,349,505	\$63,582,419	\$53,535,682
Democrats	665	\$230,944,966	\$114,716,392	\$78,588,402	\$28,778,114	\$222,852,988	\$26,029,596	\$26,167,953
Incumbents	171	\$106,001,368	\$49,558,677	\$50,542,159	\$850,251	\$99,522,567	\$23,727,151	\$2,294,788
Challengers	325	\$74,960,783	\$40,145,532	\$17,510,410	\$14,896,771	\$73,974,336	\$1,673,360	\$13,926,955
Open Seats	169	\$49,982,815	\$25,012,183	\$10,535,833	\$13,031,092	\$49,356,085	\$629,085	\$9,946,210
Republicans	698	\$252,833,722	\$146,268,606	\$74,049,652	\$21,538,781	\$238,071,726	\$37,381,817	\$26,978,871
Incumbents	201	\$162,424,035	\$92,773,952	\$60,570,700	\$1,544,360	\$148,680,533	\$36,094,209	\$6,572,602
Challengers	318	\$45,805,968	\$28,729,507	\$4,737,221	\$10,254,589	\$45,455,521	\$484,451	\$10,781,942
Open Seats	179	\$44,603,719	\$24,765,147	\$8,741,731	\$9,739,832	\$43,935,672	\$803,157	\$9,624,327
Other Party	84	\$5,484,677	\$3,636,291	\$816,355	\$920,609	\$5,424,791	\$171,006	\$388,858
Incumbents	3	\$1,919,366	\$1,618,288	\$253,938	\$0	\$1,905,313	\$108,678	\$22,661
Challengers	65	\$2,542,920	\$1,575,045	\$111,178	\$850,855	\$2,520,152	\$26,925	\$306,586
Open Seats	16	<u>\$1,022,391</u>	<u>\$442,958</u>	<u>\$451,239</u>	<u>\$69,754</u>	<u>\$999,326</u>	<u>\$35,403</u>	<u>\$59,611</u>
Total	1660	\$765,778,553	\$426,011,823	\$196,948,385	\$107,107,418	\$747,425,449	\$69,642,508	\$87,841,639

* Excludes data for all incumbent Senate members who have announced their retirement.

** Excludes data for all incumbent House members who have retired, announced their retirement or are running for another office.