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Subject: Re: I would rather tax less and spend less...  
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You have to check the deficit as it stood before Clinton; then look at it the year he left office then the deficit as it stands now. One of the reasons I don't get involved in dueling links is because something as plain as what has happened to the deficit is common knowledge and available to anyone who is interested. Mr Vinyl uses a little sleight of hand in posting the national public debt which reflects all debt's both public and private held by individuals as well as the government; such as mortgages and such. Very tricky. The issue of the entitlements goes pretty deep in our country. To be fair it would require a complete overhaul of all subsidy programs. The majority of the funds earmarked for entitlements go to corporate and business wealth.

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