

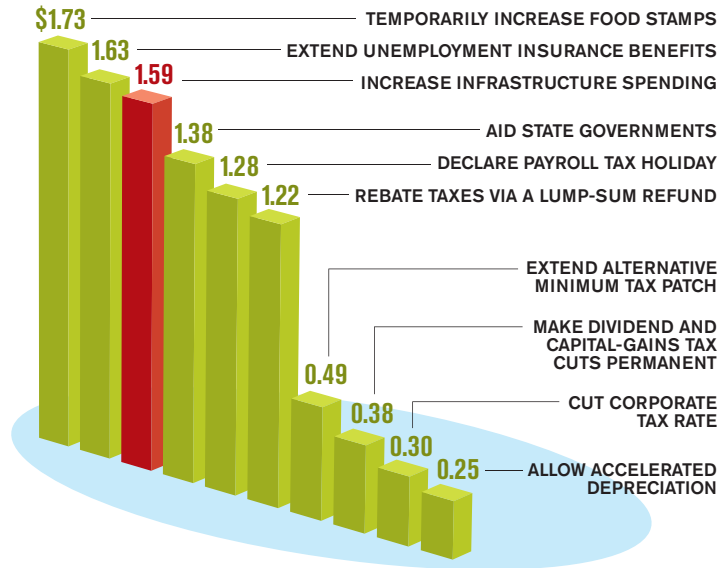
STIMULUS THAT MAKES A DIFFERENCE

In a weak economy, tax cuts, though popular, raise the deficit without boosting growth

Direct government spending, including on infrastructure, delivers more oomph than tax cuts...

FISCAL STIMULUS BANG FOR THE BUCK

ONE-YEAR CHANGE IN GDP PER DOLLAR OF SPENDING OR REVENUE REDUCTION

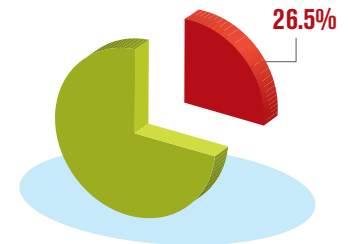


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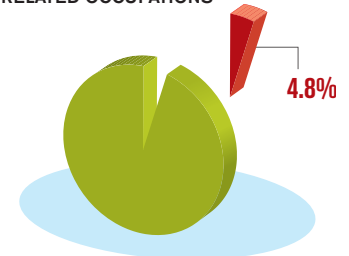
...and construction workers need jobs

UNEMPLOYMENT RATES, FEB. 2010

CONSTRUCTION, MINING, AND ENERGY OCCUPATIONS



MANAGEMENT, PROFESSIONAL, AND RELATED OCCUPATIONS



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