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# SUMMARY: THE INFLATION REDUCTION ACT OF 2022 

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The Inflation Reduction Act of 2022 will make a historic down payment on deficit reduction to fight inflation, invest in domestic energy production and manufacturing, and reduce carbon emissions by roughly 40 percent by 2030. The bill will also finally allow Medicare to negotiate for prescription drug prices and extend the expanded Affordable Care Act program for three years, through 2025.

TOPLINE ESTIMATES: TOTAL REVENUE RAISED<br>15\% Corporate Minimum Tax<br>Prescription Drug Pricing Reform<br>IRS Tax Enforcement<br>1\% Stock Buybacks Fee<br>Loss Limitation extension<br>TOTAL INVESTMENTS<br>Energy Security and Climate Change<br>Affordable Care Act Extension<br>Western Drought Resiliency<br>TOTAL DEFICIT REDUCTION

## \$737 billion

222 billion*
265 billion***
124 billion**
74 billion*
52 billion*
$\$ 437$ billion
369 billion*
64 billion**
4 billion***
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## The Inflation Reduction Act:

1. Expands Medicare benefits: free vaccines (2023), \$35/month insulin (2023) and caps out-of-pocket drug costs to an estimated $\$ 4,000$ or less in 2024 and settling at $\$ 2,000$ in 2025
2. Lowers energy bills: cuts energy bills by $\$ 500$ to $\$ 1,000$ per year
3. Makes historic climate investment: reduces carbon emissions by roughly $40 \%$ by 2030
4. Lowers health care costs: saves the average enrollee $\$ 800 /$ year in the ACA marketplace, allows Medicare to negotiate 100 drugs over the next decade, and requires drug companies to rebate back price increases higher than inflation
5. Creates manufacturing jobs: more than $\$ 60$ billion invested will create millions of new domestic clean manufacturing jobs
6. Invests in disadvantaged communities: cleaning up pollution and taking steps to reducing environmental injustice with $\$ 60$ billion for environmental justice
7. Closes tax loopholes used by wealthy: a $15 \%$ corporate minimum tax, a $1 \%$ fee on stock buybacks and enhanced IRS enforcement
8. Protects families and small business making $\$ 400,000$ or less
