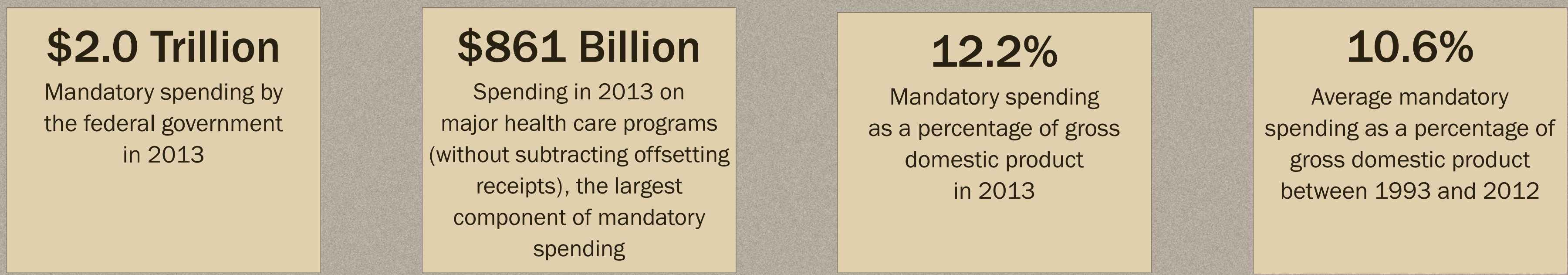


## A Closer Look at Mandatory Spending

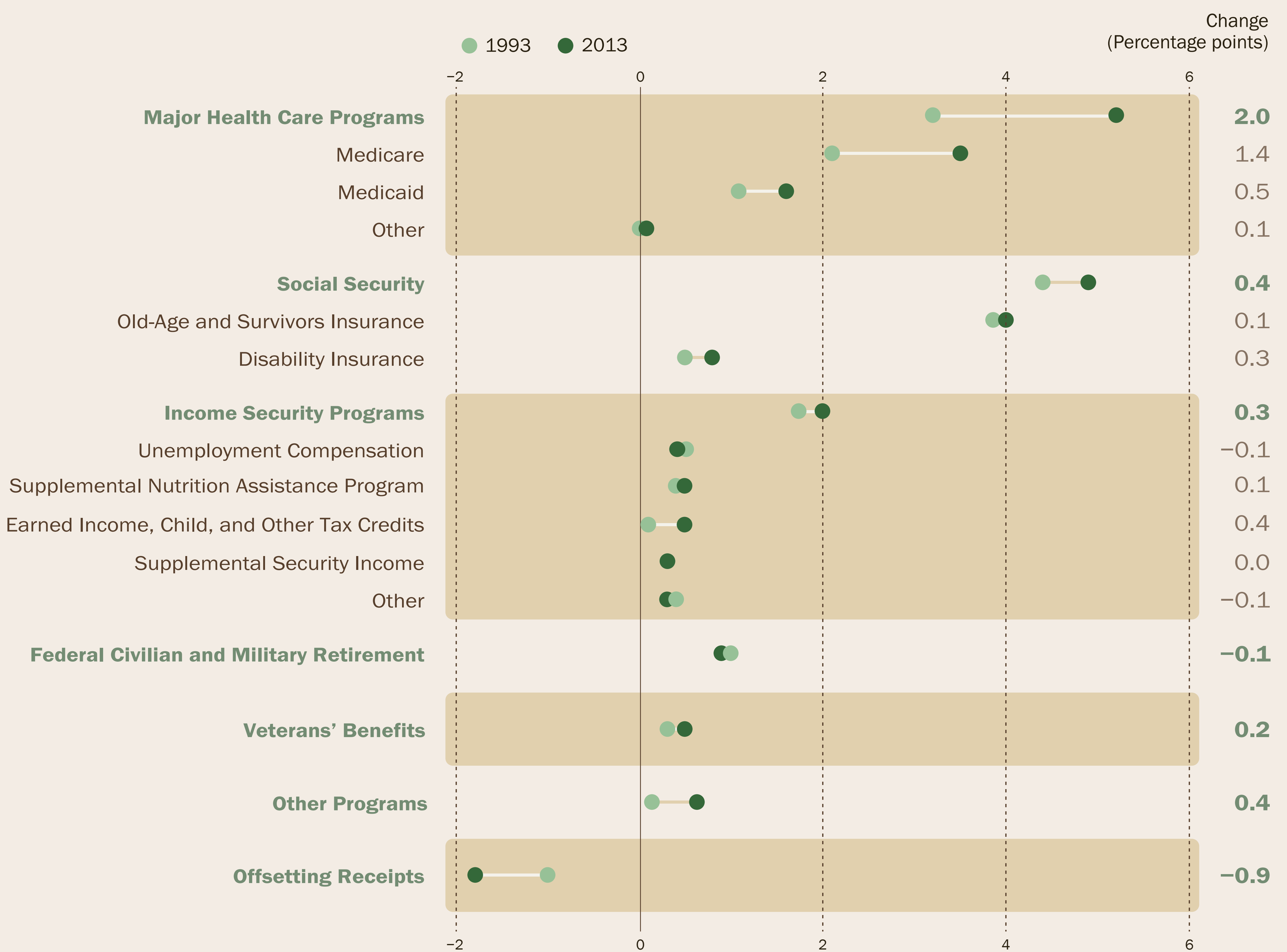
Primarily benefit programs for which laws set eligibility rules and benefit formulas

### Mandatory Spending at a Glance



### Mandatory Spending in 1993 and 2013

Percentage of gross domestic product



### Mandatory Spending in 2013

Billions of dollars

