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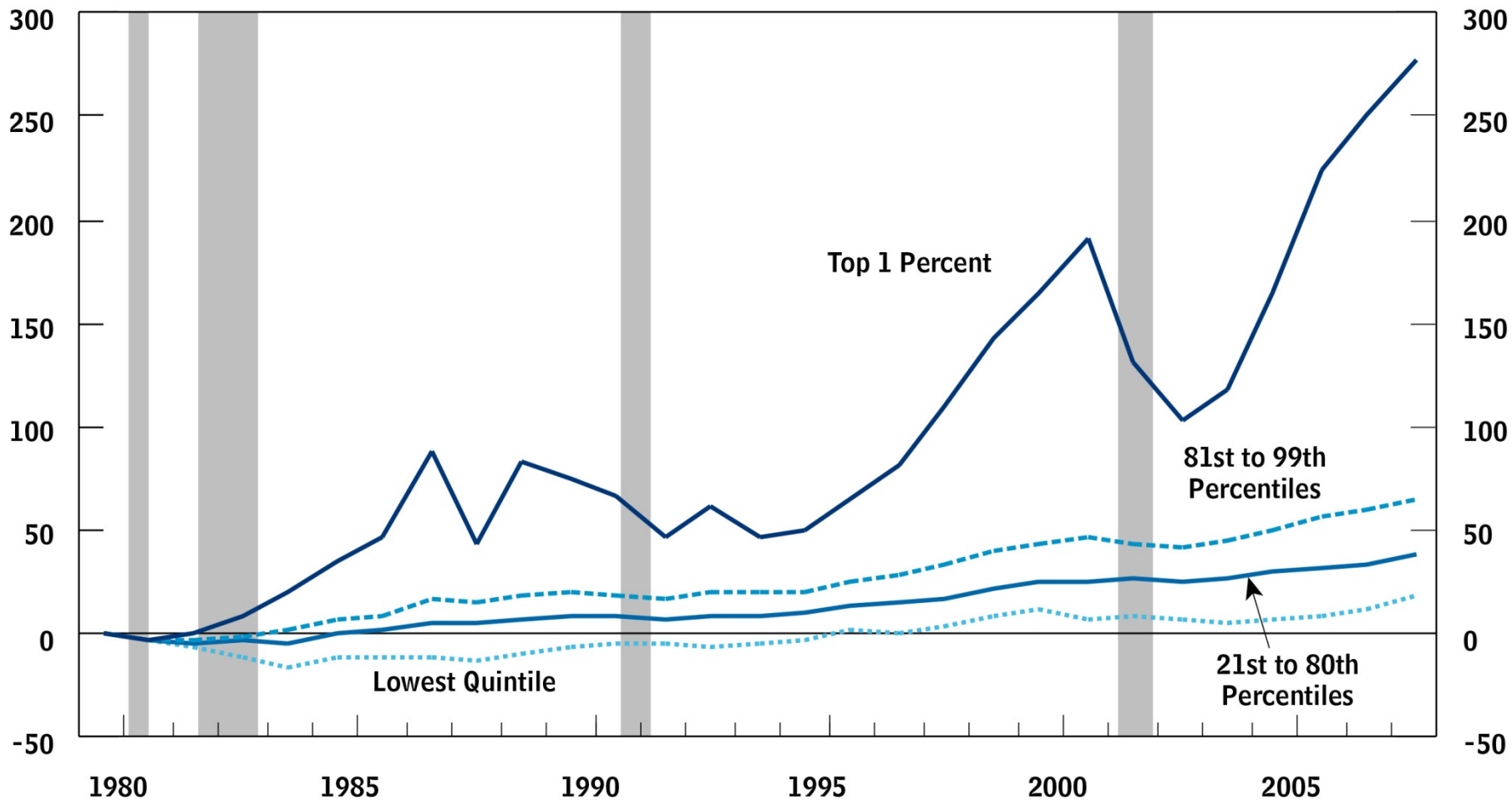
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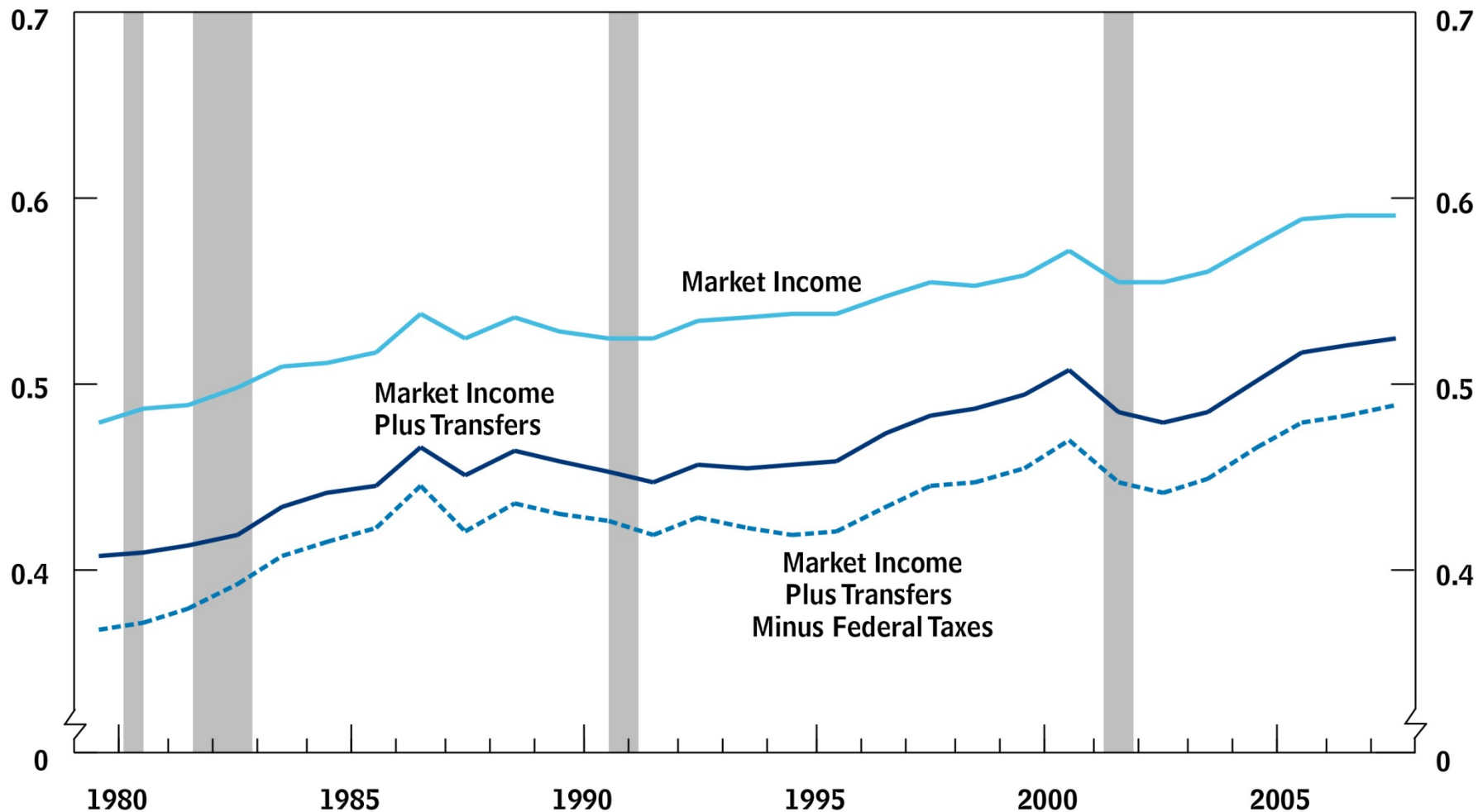
Cumulative Growth in Average After-Tax Income, by Income Group

Percentage change in income since 1979, adjusted for inflation

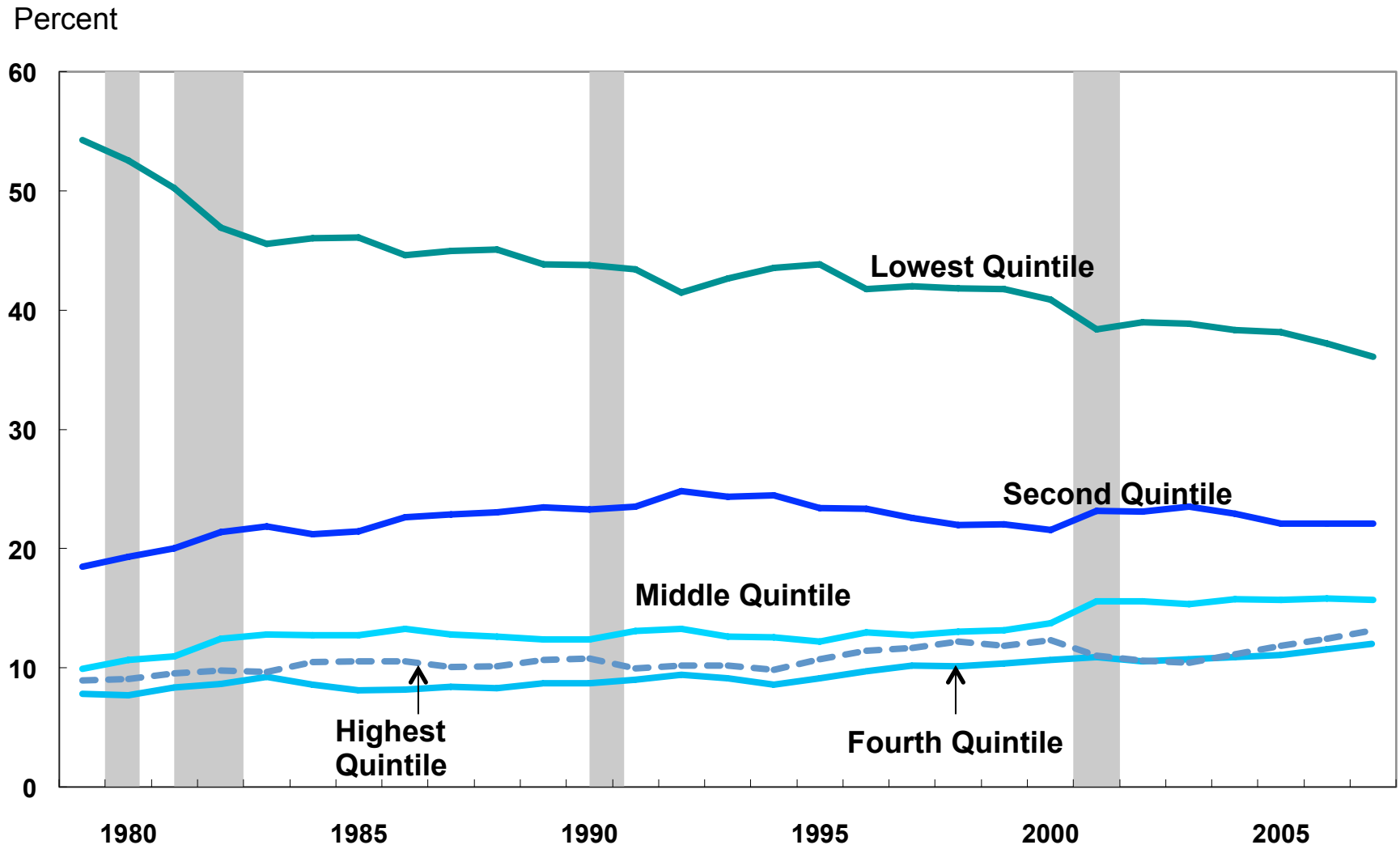


Summary Measures of Income Inequality, With and Without Transfers and Federal Taxes

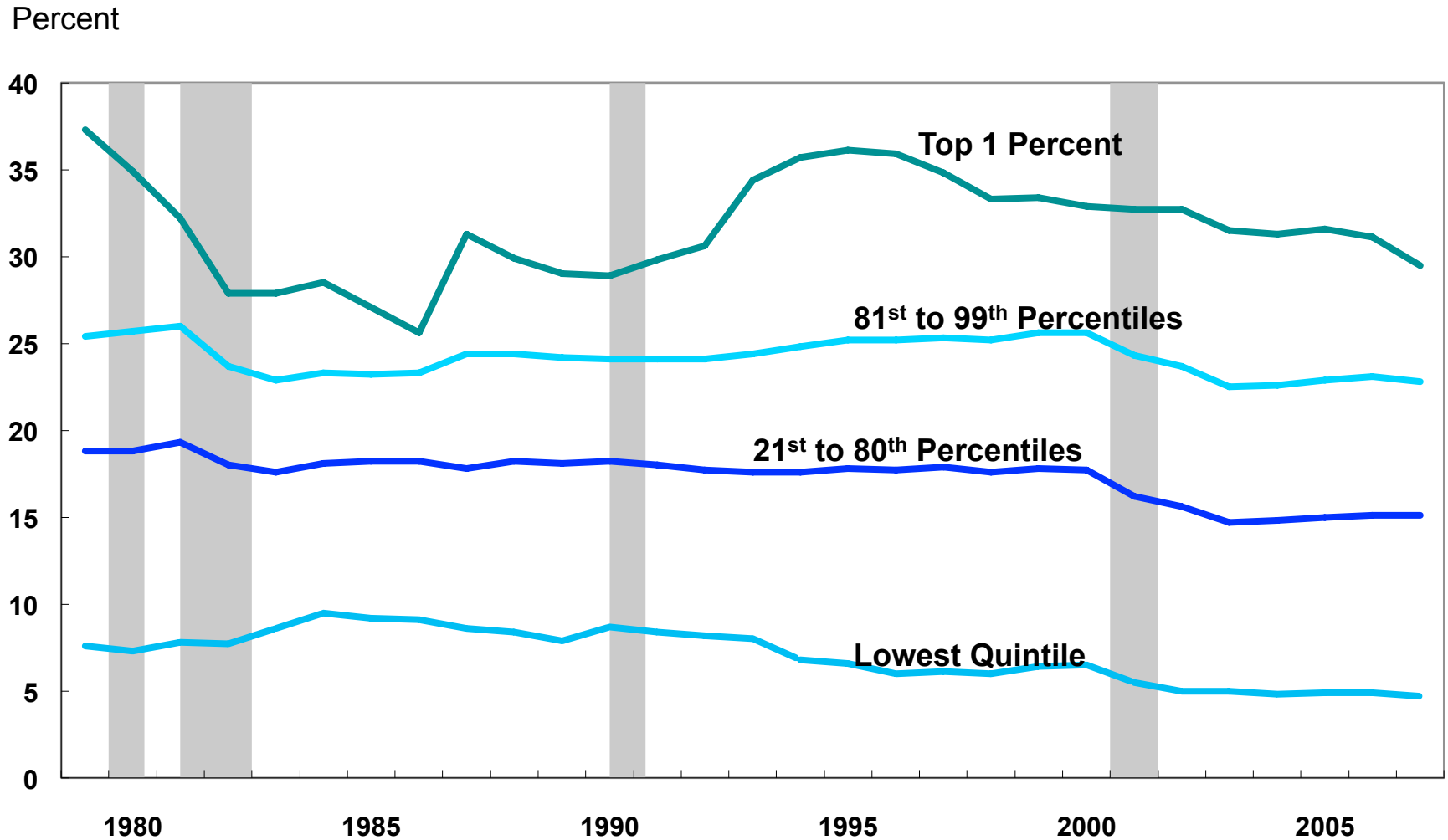
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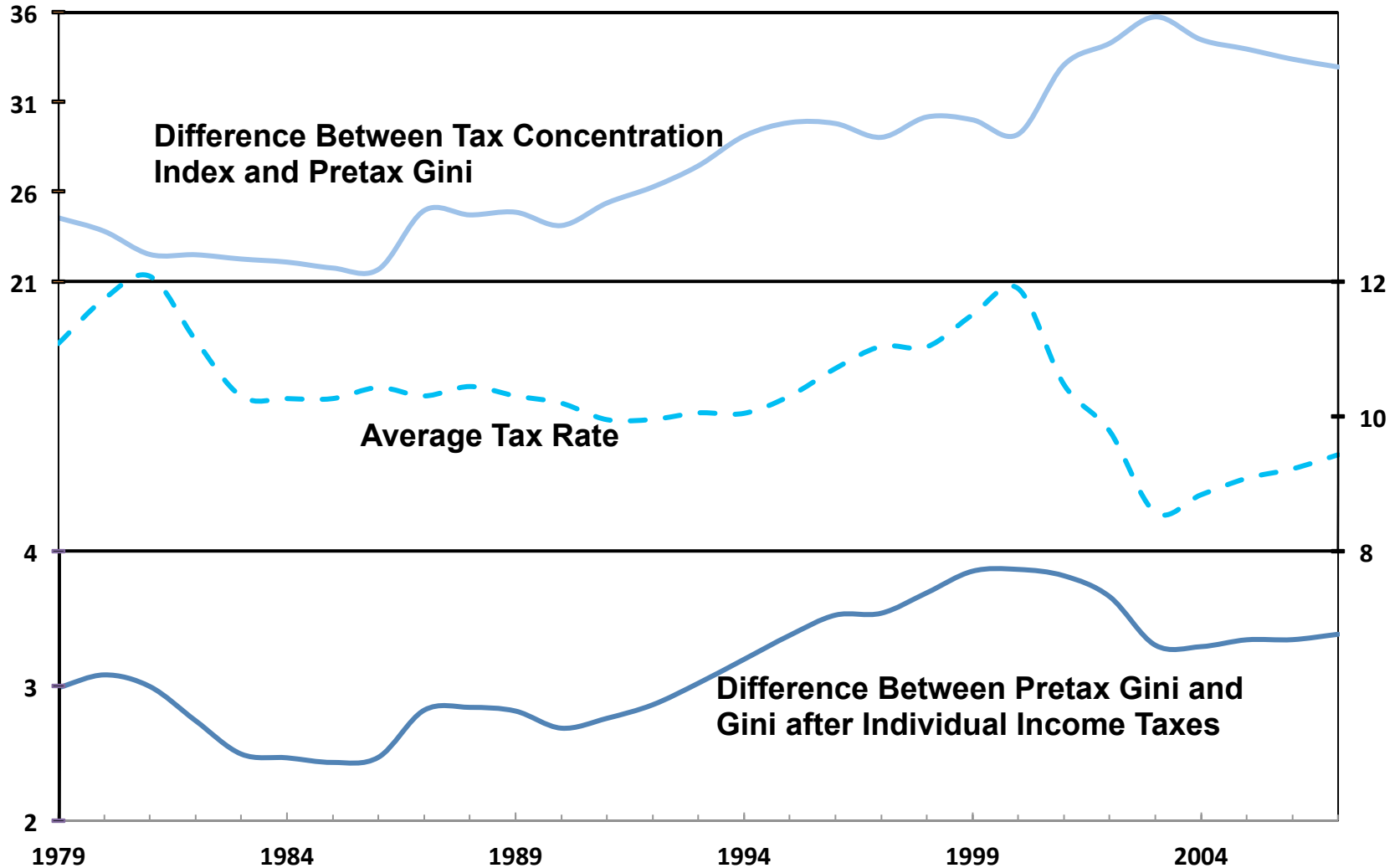
Share of Total Transfers, by Market Income Group



Federal Taxes as a Percentage of Household Income, by Income Group



Indexes of the Progressivity of Federal Individual Income Taxes



Indexes of the Progressivity of All Federal Taxes

