Food Stamps: Spending and Enrollment

Portion of Farm Bill for Food Stamps
80% of 2012 Farm Bill budget*
68% of 2008 Farm Bill budget

Millions of People

Billions of Dollars

Number of Participants (right axis)
Total Cost (left axis)

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture.
*Data note: Figure refers to 2012 Farm Bill approved by the Senate.
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