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Quote	"In short, a growing body of evidence suggests that a dollar of extra spending is likely to lift nominal income by less than a dollar, arguably much less. Several studies suggest the multiplier may be less than zero after a couple of years, because private investment (including housing) eventually falls by more than government spending rises. Another \$550 billion of deficit spending on top of a deficit already above \$1 trillion is likely to prove more dangerous than helpful to an economy already overloaded with risky debt."	"

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