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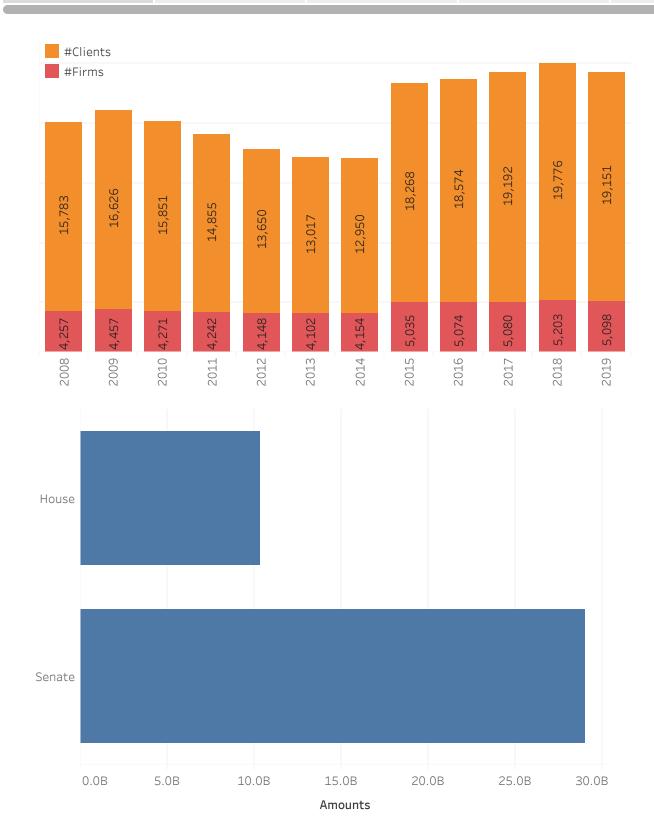
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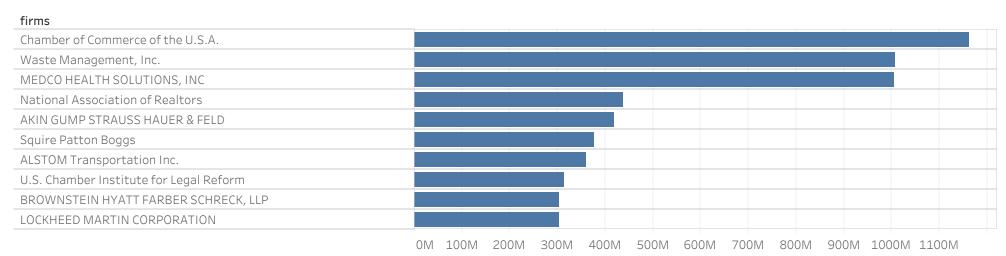
#Clients	49,610
#Firms	9,663
Costs_Maximum	61,788,711,479
Costs_Minimum	55,486,466,479

Yearly Costs

Year	
2008	5,819,066,802
2009	5,888,277,849
2010	5,080,268,408
2011	5,062,089,955
2012	4,580,850,298
2013	4,413,611,416
2014	4,333,604,823
2015	4,443,228,349
2016	4,648,559,203
2017	5,717,326,358
2018	5,076,254,954
2019	3,574,450,564

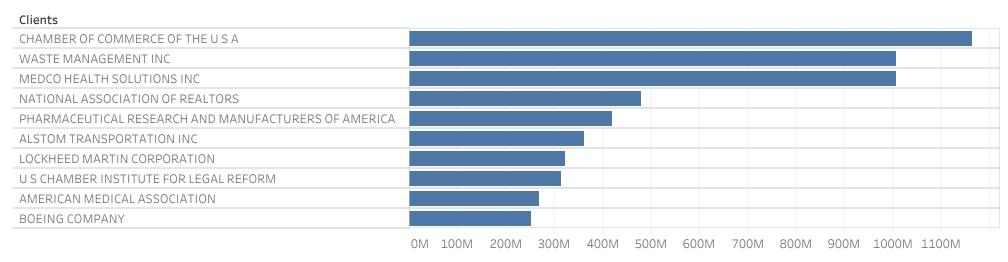
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Top 10 most paid firms



Income Estimated

Top 10 most spending clients



Costs Estimated

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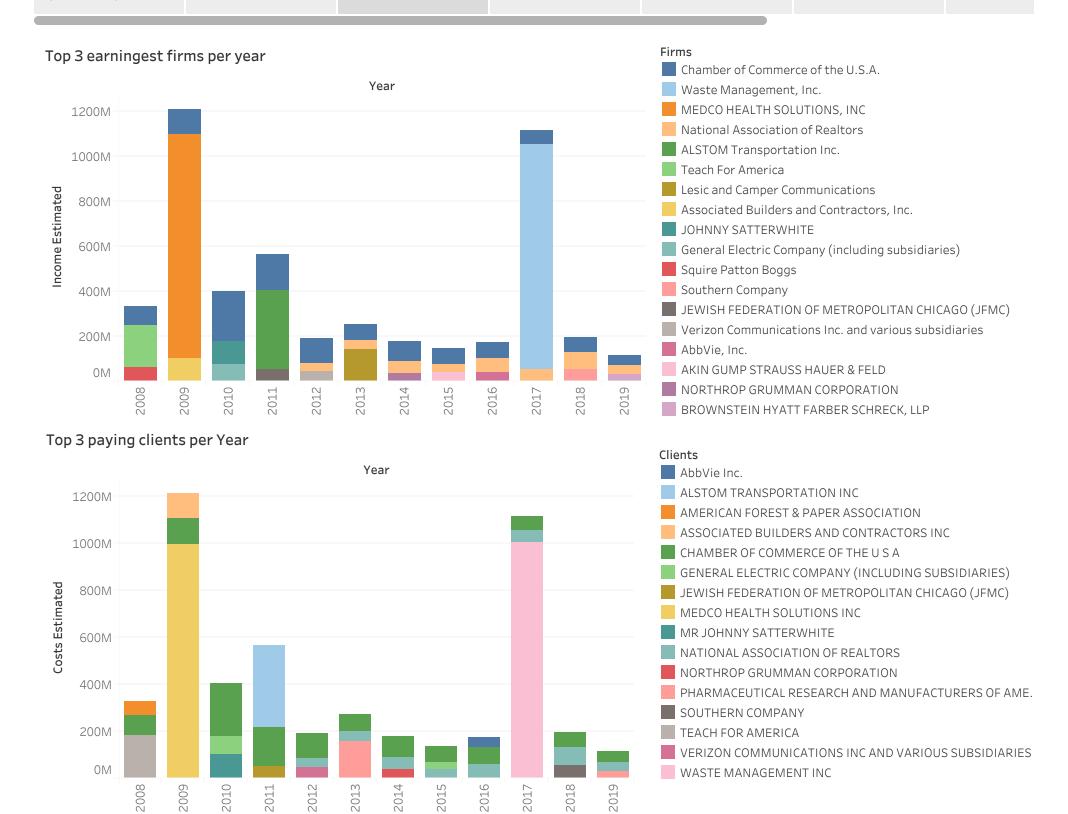
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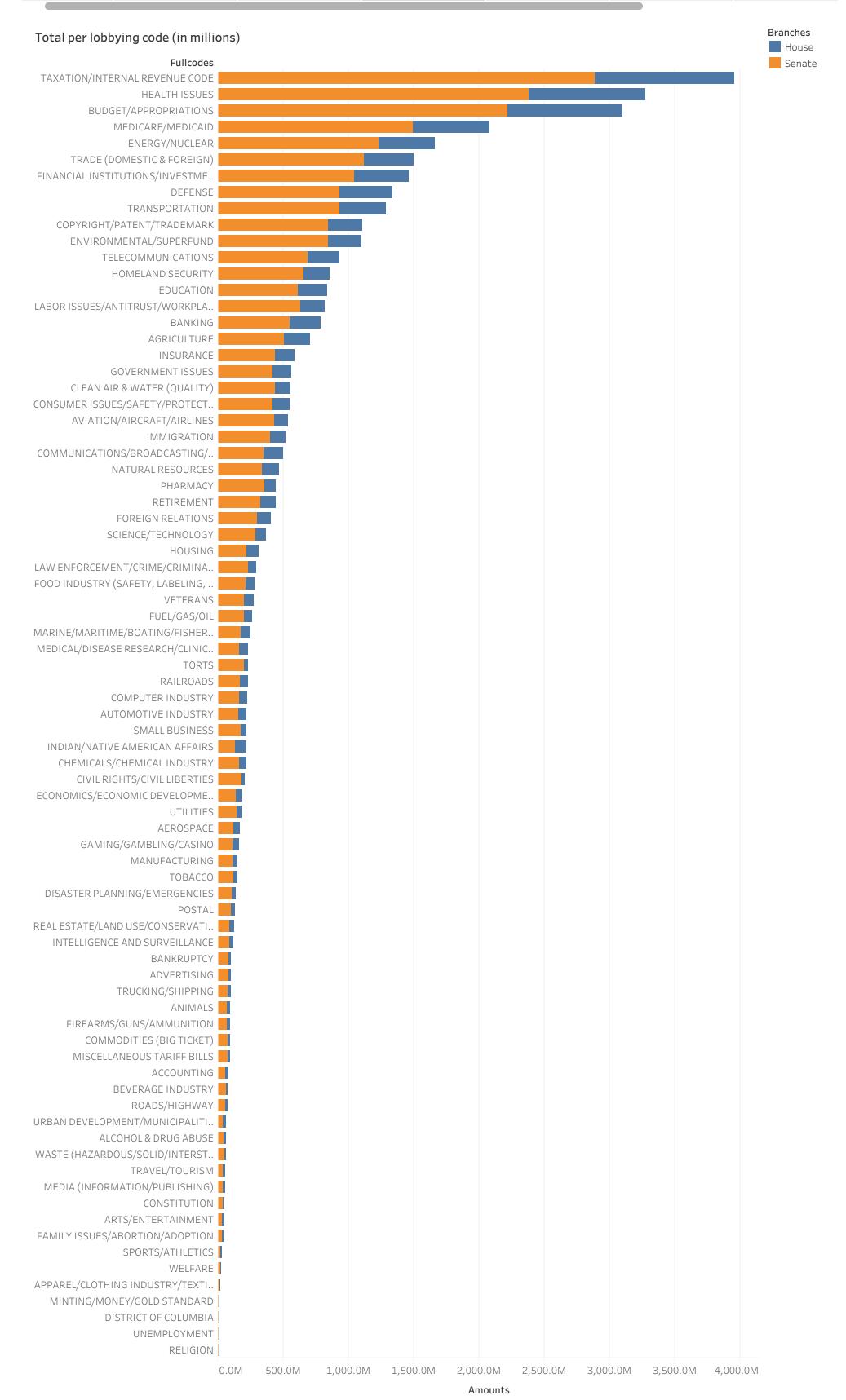
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Lobbying Codes of Top 10 Firms

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CCOUNTING		i 		80				23	10	i
DVERTISING	26			1			2	8		<u> </u>
EROSPACE	50		12	20	71			80	L	
GRICULTURE	253		177	64				256		i
LCOHOL & DRU	. 5		46					28		i ! !
NIMALS	16			4						
PPAREL/CLOT	4							19		i ! !
RTS/ENTERTAI	. 63		47					8		
UTOMOTIVE I	145		54	38				5	7	
VIATION/AIRC	268		53	87	1			450		
ANKING	129		687	40			6	189		
ANKRUPTCY	23		105	12			5	27	59	
EVERAGE IND	1	 	9	12			<u> </u>	17	33	
		10	859	89	110			2,859	16	
UDGET/APPRO	1,267	10			113				16	
HEMICALS/CH	/	 	32	89			0.7	117	/	¦
VIL RIGHTS/CI			81	89			27	1	9	ļ
LEAN AIR & W	58		194	85			14	203		
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OMPUTER IND	111		77	39				102		
ONSTITUTION	106			15				2	·	,
ONSUMER ISS	173	 	336	89			61	154	56	
PYRIGHT/PA	632	4	344	88			53	69	4	
FENSE	567		215	88	113			528		}
SASTER PLAN	 		51	11	113		61	156	i 	} }
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CONOMICS/EC	179		92	31				350	 	<u> </u>
DUCATION	408	 	412	88				563		
NERGY/NUCLE		10	841	89			54 	520	6	
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OD INDUSTR	67		167	38				57	7	
REIGN RELAT	258		198	80				104		i
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AVEL/TOURIS			39	87				39		
UCKING/SHIP			95					6		
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Fullcodes	Alstom Inc.	American Medical Asso	Boeing Company	CHAMBER OF COMMERCE O	LOCKHEED MARTIN COR	MEDCO HEALTH SOLU	National Association o	Pharmaceutica I Research an	Institute for L	Waste Management,
ACCOUNTING				10	2			i 	5	
AEROSPACE			28		141					
AGRICULTURE				8	14				 	
AUTOMOTIVE I				4				<u> </u>		
AVIATION/AIRC		2	40	10	10			 		
BANKING			85	10			1			
BANKRUPTCY									48	
BUDGET/APPRO		31	67	10	315		4	141	5	11
CHEMICALS/CH				10	 					
CIVIL RIGHTS/CI				10	i !		20		3	
CLEAN AIR & W		1	27	9	 			 	 	2
COMMODITIES (9	 	 		 	 	
COMPUTER IND			26		[4	<u> </u>	 	
CONSTITUTION				2	i !					
CONSUMER ISS		1		10	i 		21		24	
COPYRIGHT/PA		6		10			20		14	
DEFENSE			92	10				2	 	16
DISASTER PLAN					20		21			
ECONOMICS/EC				6				i 	i 	
EDUCATION		14	22			<u> </u>		<u> </u> 	 	3
ENERGY/NUCLE			6			<u> </u>	16	ļ	 	7
ENVIRONMENT		2	26	i 	i 		20	i 		41
FINANCIAL INST			40		i 		68		46	
FOOD INDUSTR			0.5	6			 	 	 	
FOREIGN RELAT			25		L			 	 	
FUEL/GAS/OIL				1	 			 	 	
GAMING/GAMB				10			10		0.1	
GOVERNMENT I			26			2			91	
HEALTH ISSUES		229	145	10		29	37	354	32	3
HOMELAND SEC			51				44		2	
HOUSING		6		1	 		41	i 	 	
IMMIGRATION		6	1				16	 	 	
INDIAN/NATIVE INSURANCE		۷		7	L		10	19	11	
INTELLIGENCE			48	i 	i 		10	19	<u> </u>	
LABOR ISSUES/		29	41			3	7		6	
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MANUFACTURI				4	[
MARINE/MARIT				9				 		
MEDICAL/DISEA				<u> </u>				39		
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NATURAL RESO				7	i L	20		103	30	
PHARMACY		35		5	 	28		309	4	
POSTAL		33		2		7		303		
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RETIREMENT			 13	10	 			ļ	<u> </u>	13
ROADS/HIGHW			13	5				<u> </u>		15
SCIENCE/TECH				1	38			2	 	
SMALL BUSINESS		-		10	L				 	
TAXATION/INTE		12	123				51	10	28	38
TELECOMMUNI		14	123	10			- 31	10	78	30
TOBACCO		13		10	100			ļ	70	
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TRADE (DOMES		24	49		152			48	 	10
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TRAVEL/TOURIS	23			10	33		13	<u> </u>	0	23
TRUCKING/SHIP		 		2				 	 	3
UNEMPLOYME				1	 			<u> </u>	<u> </u>	3
VETERANS		26		1	5			1	7	
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Top 10 Foreign Firms (by income)

Top 10 Foreign Clients (by expenses)

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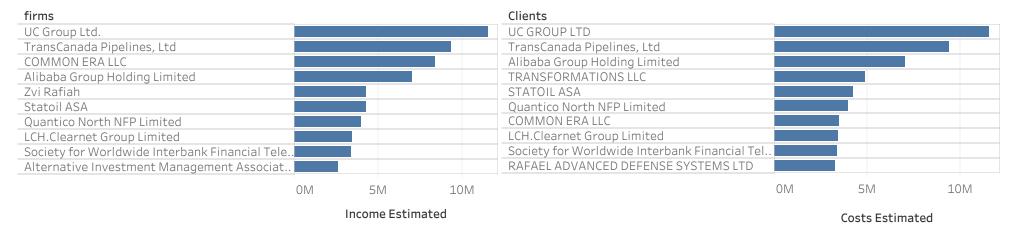
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ACCOUNTING				1K															
AEROSPACE				1K															
AGRICULTURE				33K															
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BANKING			2929K						4K										
BUDGET/APP				53K					1K										
CIVIL RIGHTS									3K	1K									
CLEAN AIR &				53K													36K		I
COMPUTER I					57K														
CONSUMER I				361K	599K														
COPYRIGHT/					771K														
DEFENSE				558K								5259K							
ECONOMICS/				53K	599K						7960K								
ENERGY/NU		85K		12439K		3K		2K	1K								286K		
ENVIRONME		152K		53K													466K		
FINANCIAL I		18K			29K		23K		10731K										130K
FOREIGN RE		133K		56K				1K	2921K			218K					573K		
FUEL/GAS/OIL				53K				0K	5K								1337K		
GAMING/GA									1102K										
GOVERNME				55K					47K				380K						
HEALTH ISS	8K			584K	314K				77K									8K	
HOMELAND				8K															
INSURANCE															16K	14K			
INTELLIGEN																	36K		
LAW ENFOR										1K									
MANUFACTU				0K															
MARINE/MA				58K		3K											36K		
MEDICAL/DI				5K					77K										
MEDICARE/				55K															
MISCELLANE		67K																	
NATURAL RE		1250K				3K			3K								964K		
PHARMACY				361K															
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SCIENCE/TEC					371K				77K							23K			
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Some quick notes:

Some of the money totals are estimations; lobbying disclosures do not require an amount be disclosed if it is under \$5000. In these cases, the amount is either estimated as \$2500, or a minimum and maximum range is given (where each \$0 amount is calculated as a range between \$0 and \$5000).

Also, firms and clients do not have to use their exact registered business name, and also may have typos. This leads to difficult tracking of large firms and clients because they may have disclosed under many different but similar names. For example, I have seen the Chamber of Commerce of the USA disclose user "The Chamber of Commerce of the USA", "Chamber of Commerce USA", "The Chamber of Commerce United States of America", "THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE USA", "The Chamber of Commerce U.S.A.", etc. Spotting these takes a lot of time, and there is a lot of further work to be done on my dataset.

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