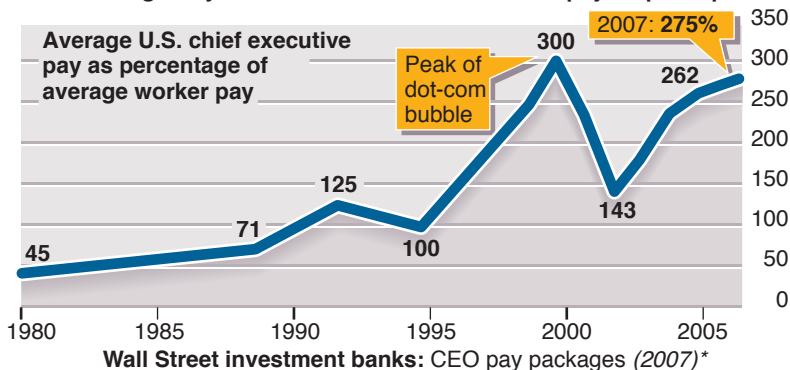
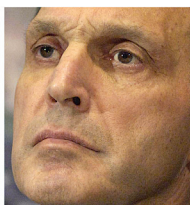


Call for U.S. bailout to tackle excessive pay

Congress has demanded limits to excessive payouts to executives of firms set to benefit from the Bush administration's \$700 billion bailout of Wall Street. The move mirrors a public outcry over the prospect of CEOs walking away with massive bonuses while taxpayers pick up the bill



Goldman Sachs
Lloyd Blankfein
\$70.3m



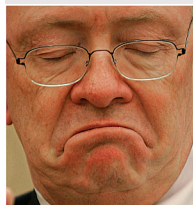
Lehman Brothers
Richard Fuld
\$34m



Bear Stearns
James Cayne
\$33.9m (2006)



JP Morgan Chase
James Dimon
\$28m



Freddie Mac
Richard Syron
\$18m



Merrill Lynch
John Thain
\$17.3m



AIG
Martin Sullivan
\$14m



Fannie Mae
Daniel Mudd
\$11.6m

*Total includes salary, bonus and stock options

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