

America's ultrarich just get wealthier

America's wealthiest one-percenters have benefited from a surging stock market, low interest rates and Republican tax cuts, amassing assets just shy of those held by each of the middle and upper-middle classes



Top five richest Americans today (from left), **Jeff Bezos**, **Bill Gates**, **Warren Buffett**, **Mark Zuckerberg**, **Larry Ellison**. They are worth **\$435.4 billion** collectively – more than 2% of U.S. GDP

