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Rep. James E. Clyburn (D-SC)

House · Democrat (most recent term) · SC-6 · in Congress 1993–present ·
Bioguide ID C000537

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Estimated net worth (from public disclosures)

Estimate	Report year	Low	Mid	High
(a) Estimated net worth at the earliest available report (2013); the member entered office earlier, in 1993	2013	– \$889,978	– \$356,490	\$176,997
(b) Latest net worth estimate	2025	– \$417,994	–\$93,998	\$229,997
(c) Estimated gain / loss, nominal dollars, 2013 → 2025 (12 years spanned)	2013– 2025	– \$594,991	+ \$262,492	+ \$1,119,975

Gain Low = latest Low – earliest High; Gain High = latest High – earliest Low (widest possible spread); Mid = latest Mid – earliest Mid.

Reliability flags (net worth): none for these two endpoints. **Included in the recommended dollar-gain ranking.**

Net worth by report year (mid; Low–High)

Report year	Assets (mid)	Liabilities (mid)	Net worth mid	Low ... High	Status / flags
2013	\$468,511	\$825,002	–\$356,490	–\$889,978 ... \$176,997	computed
2014	\$468,511	\$825,002	–\$356,490	–\$889,978 ... \$176,997	computed
2015	\$364,504	\$825,002	–\$460,497	–\$902,991 ... –\$18,003	computed
2016	\$364,504	\$825,002	–\$460,497	–\$902,991 ... –\$18,003	computed
2017	\$189,504	\$825,002	–\$635,498	–\$1,002,992 ... –\$268,003	computed
2018	\$189,504	\$825,002	–\$635,498	–\$1,002,992 ... –\$268,003	computed

2019	\$189,504	\$825,002	-\$635,498	-\$1,002,992 ... - \$268,003	computed
2020	\$189,504	\$825,002	-\$635,498	-\$1,002,992 ... - \$268,003	computed
2021	\$189,504	\$825,002	-\$635,498	-\$1,002,992 ... - \$268,003	computed
2022	\$189,504	\$825,002	-\$635,498	-\$1,002,992 ... - \$268,003	computed
2023	\$189,504	\$625,002	-\$435,498	-\$752,992 ... - \$118,003	computed
2024	\$273,503	\$625,002	-\$351,498	-\$704,994 ... \$1,997	computed
2025	\$331,003	\$425,002	-\$93,998	-\$417,994 ... \$229,997	computed

- **What this is:** Net worth = Schedule A assets (each value range at its midpoint; low-high range shown) minus Schedule D liabilities (midpoints / ranges). **Low** = assets at range floors minus liabilities at range ceilings; **Mid** = midpoints; **High** = assets at ceilings minus liabilities at floors. Low and High are outer bounds of the reported ranges, not likely outcomes.
- **What it excludes / understates:** exact values (only ranges are reported); a **personal residence is not reported as an asset** (although a mortgage on it may be listed as a liability, which then lowers the estimate); retirement and federal accounts (e.g. Thrift Savings Plan, defined-benefit pensions) are only partly or not reported; assets of excepted/blind trusts, cash held below reporting thresholds, vehicles, household goods and most spouse/dependent items exempt from reporting are not included; liabilities on a personal residence, revolving credit under thresholds and loans to family may be omitted by filers.
- **Open-ended top ranges** (e.g. "Over \$50,000,000") are counted at their **lower bound** and flagged, so such values are understated.
- The change is a change in **estimated net worth in nominal dollars** (no inflation adjustment). It includes salary, gifts, inheritances, business income and re-valuation as well as investment results, and it is subject to range-bracket noise; it is **not** an investment return and implies nothing about conduct.

Read this first. Members report asset values only as *ranges* (e.g. "\$15,001 – \$50,000"), never exact dollars. Every figure below is an **estimate** computed from range midpoints, not a measured return. Figures cannot be interpreted as investment performance, and they do not show wrongdoing or skill. Methodology and limitations are at the end and in the project README. Sources: public financial disclosure reports filed with the Clerk of the U.S. House of Representatives and/or the Secretary of the Senate (Senate eFD), linked below.

AVG. ANNUAL
CHANGE
(GEOMETRIC, EST.)
+5.3%

SIMPLE AVERAGE OF
YEARS
+13.5%

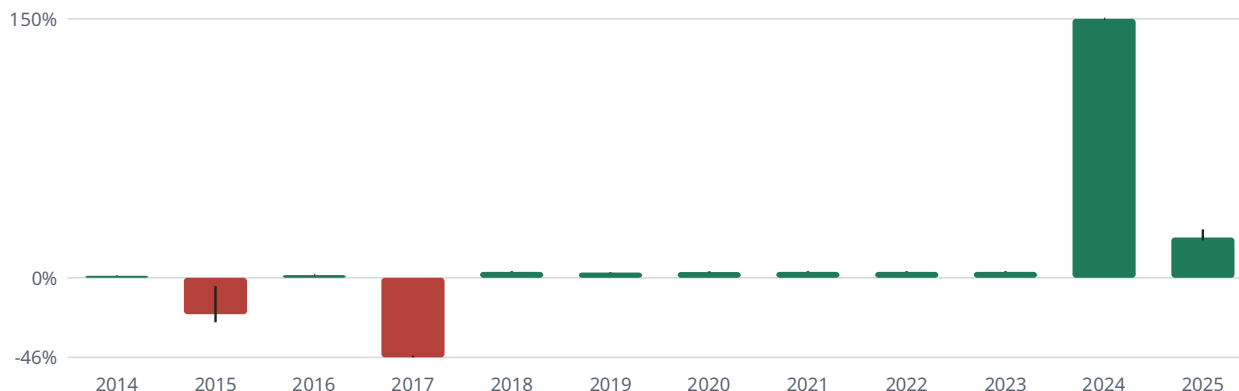
YEARS ESTIMATED
12

BEST / WORST
SINGLE YEAR
2024 +183%
2017 -46%

Reliability flags: a year exceeds ±100%; 1 year(s) driven by income/one position/range artefact.

Sensitivity band for the average (all ranges at floor vs. all at ceiling, same holdings both years): +7.2% to +4.7%. This band is narrow because it moves both years together; the true uncertainty is larger — see the per-year “strict envelope” column and the limitations.

Estimated year-over-year change



Bars: midpoint estimate; whisker: same-position floor/ceiling band. Axis clipped to -100%...+150%. Years with insufficient traceable holdings are omitted.

Year (t-1 → t)	Opening value (mid)	Closing value (mid)	Income (mid)	Buys (mid)	Sales (mid)	Est. gain	Same-position band	Strict envelope	Traced coverage	Status / flags
2013→2014	\$468,511	\$468,511	\$5,354	\$0	\$0	+1.1%	+1.1% ... +1.4%	-110% ... +112%	100%	counted
2014→2015	\$468,511	\$364,504	\$5,354	\$0	\$0	-21.1%	-25.7% ... -4.8%	-113% ... +70%	100%	counted
2015→2016	\$332,004	\$332,004	\$5,354	\$0	\$0	+1.6%	+1.6% ... +1.6%	-89% ... +93%	91%	counted
2016→2017	\$364,504	\$189,504	\$7,104	\$0	\$0	-46.1%	-48.8% ... -45.1%	-118% ... +26%	100%	counted
2017→2018	\$189,504	\$189,504	\$6,504	\$0	\$0	+3.4%	+3.3% ... +3.8%	-96% ... +103%	100%	counted
2018→2019	\$157,004	\$157,004	\$4,753	\$0	\$0	+3.0%	+2.9% ... +3.3%	-94% ... +100%	83%	counted
2019→2020	\$124,503	\$124,503	\$4,152	\$0	\$0	+3.3%	+3.2% ... +3.7%	-90% ... +97%	66%	counted
2020→2021	\$189,504	\$189,504	\$6,504	\$0	\$0	+3.4%	+3.3% ... +3.8%	-96% ... +103%	100%	counted

2021→2022	\$189,504	\$189,504	\$6,504	\$0	\$0	+3.4%	+3.3% ... +3.8%	-96% ... +103%	100%	counted
2022→2023	\$189,504	\$189,504	\$6,504	\$0	\$0	+3.4%	+3.3% ... +3.8%	-96% ... +103%	100%	counted
2023→2024	\$149,003	\$241,002	\$6,302	\$0	\$175,000	+183.4%	+181.5% ... +188.5%	+11% ... +356%	79%	counted; high turnover (buys+sells > 100% of opening value); single position drives the result (range jump)
2024→2025	\$273,503	\$331,003	\$6,403	\$0	\$0	+23.4%	+21.7% ... +28.1%	-79% ... +126%	100%	counted

Filings used

Each annual-report year uses one filing (most recently filed version among originals/amendments whose Schedule A row count is $\geq 40\%$ of the largest). Electronic (text) PDFs are parsed. Scanned/image-only filings are OCR-read and used **only** if they pass the explicit validation gates described in the project README (value/income coverage, two-engine agreement, exact bracket snapping, page completeness, year-to-year position continuity); such years are labelled **OCR-derived** below. Scanned filings that fail validation are listed as "insufficient data – scanned".

Report year	Doc ID	Type	Filed	Schedule A rows	Rows with unparsed value	Source (official filing) / SHA-256
2013	10001609	House annual	5/13/2014	22	0	10001609.pdf 780f7e977f18fe4a517141da414259da39d9b1b5d1258170e296b728f751ef5a
2014	10006408	House annual	5/15/2015	22	0	10006408.pdf 4734ec96b3fa7be4108795e558c528175bc9368b4633e1d601b72388b0db3b6f
2015	10010377	House annual	5/13/2016	22	0	10010377.pdf cad4c753c130511d5c9abbc4a9c456723b66761f8b36c51d38579052fc6e9e3

2016	10016230	House annual	5/12/2017	9	0	10016230.pdf 1570c5ba440b77e99b86f5ef850 c5f9042d56a13be474878bdd3723 ce79b87c2
2017	10022127	House annual	5/15/2018	9	0	10022127.pdf c5b62f9aa6db4310b607322bfc3b3 c82194b60ccddc20b13d03f7c4c4 47cc18e5
2018	10026192	House annual	5/14/2019	9	0	10026192.pdf 0ef824aa6cd404a9b49d6643ef89 b920bffb81b7a1646d33440da81 de93f34f4
2019	10036755	House annual	7/22/2020	8	0	10036755.pdf 55d45b59927b032cf3be8339eff e5b272a4d6e278ca92ad11171be f098eeda8c
2020	10042686	House annual	8/11/2021	9	0	10042686.pdf 22a10311489683d2933f04b6d8a a0dca7fa5a8d7be5288cfb7006d a39763b341
2021	10048502	House annual	5/13/2022	9	0	10048502.pdf 93e38dcb9ed3f1a038ad3a0906d9 871f2a8d1276559747478e505663 f7b846c7
2022	10052407	House annual	5/12/2023	9	0	10052407.pdf 59ffa32f114547c0fe2d8c2ea4a a20ad7fbaf28ba907b64fd6070a2 59610d21e
2023	10060249	House annual	5/9/2024	9	0	10060249.pdf 85ced99c543862c541795b72d5c4 84067dc17e58a03270bec5f6d4a5 cade1470
2024	10066672	House annual	5/15/2025	8	0	10066672.pdf 547c64a09fd0b2454400bec713f5 fda9b2327764b392f9553ec2db4 bf4d87e1e
2025	10076090	House annual	5/15/2026	7	0	10076090.pdf ccc9769bbcf7fab58c5be5f6ef94 27ace8bc2d9d20402516659be2d6 7c63de51

Largest movers 2022→2023

Position (as written in filing)	Owner	Kind	Opening range(s)	Closing range(s)	Buys (mid)	Sales (mid)
Dominion Energy, Inc. (D) [ST]	—	held	\$15,001 - \$50,000	\$15,001 - \$50,000	\$0	\$0
South Carolina State Credit Union [BA]	—	held	\$1 - \$1,000	\$1 - \$1,000	\$0	\$0
Bank of America [IH]	—	held	\$15,001 - \$50,000; \$1,001 - \$15,000	\$15,001 - \$50,000; \$1,001 - \$15,000	\$0	\$0
645-47 W. Liberty St. [RP]	—	held	\$50,001 - \$100,000	\$50,001 - \$100,000	\$0	\$0
Automatic Data Processing, Inc. (ADP) [ST]	—	held	\$1,001 - \$15,000	\$1,001 - \$15,000	\$0	\$0
Bank of America Corporation (BAC) [ST]	—	held	\$15,001 - \$50,000	\$15,001 - \$50,000	\$0	\$0
Wright Patman Congressional Federal Credit Union [BA]	—	held	\$1 - \$1,000	\$1 - \$1,000	\$0	\$0
South Carolina Retirement System [PE]	—	held	None	None	\$0	\$0

Largest movers 2023→2024

Position (as written in filing)	Owner	Kind	Opening range(s)	Closing range(s)	Buys (mid)	Sales (mid)
Automatic Data Processing, Inc. (ADP) [ST]	—	held	\$1,001 - \$15,000	\$100,001 - \$250,000	\$0	\$0
645-47 W. Liberty St. [RP]	—	held	\$50,001 - \$100,000	None	\$0	\$175,000
Dominion Energy, Inc. (D) [ST]	—	held	\$15,001 - \$50,000	\$15,001 - \$50,000	\$0	\$0
South Carolina State Credit Union [BA]	—	held	\$1 - \$1,000	\$1 - \$1,000	\$0	\$0
Bank of America Corporation (BAC) [ST]	—	held	\$15,001 - \$50,000	\$15,001 - \$50,000	\$0	\$0
Wright Patman Congressional Federal Credit Union [BA]	—	held	\$1 - \$1,000	\$1 - \$1,000	\$0	\$0
South Carolina Retirement System [PE]	—	held	None	None	\$0	\$0

Largest movers 2024→2025

Position (as written in filing)	Owner	Kind	Opening range(s)	Closing range(s)	Buys (mid)	Sales (mid)
South Carolina State Credit Union [BA]	—	held	\$1 - \$1,000	\$50,001 - \$100,000	\$0	\$0
Bank of America Corporation (BAC) [ST]	—	held	\$15,001 - \$50,000	\$1,001 - \$15,000	\$0	\$0
Wright Patman Congressional Federal Credit Union [BA]	—	held	\$1 - \$1,000	\$1,001 - \$15,000	\$0	\$0
Dominion Energy, Inc. (D) [ST]	—	held	\$15,001 - \$50,000	\$15,001 - \$50,000	\$0	\$0
Automatic Data Processing, Inc. (ADP) [ST]	—	held	\$100,001 - \$250,000	\$100,001 - \$250,000	\$0	\$0
Broadridge Financial Solutions, Inc. Common Stock (BR) [ST]	—	held	\$15,001 - \$50,000	\$15,001 - \$50,000	\$0	\$0
South Carolina Retirement System [PE]	—	held	None	None	\$0	\$0

Method (summary)

1. Schedule A asset rows are read from each annual report; the dollar range for each row is converted to its midpoint. Open-ended top ranges ("Over \$50,000,000") are excluded from the traced set and counted as a coverage loss.
2. Positions are matched year to year by owner code (self/SP/DC/JT) + normalised asset name. A position that appears only in year t is included only if Schedule B shows a purchase of it in year t (opening value 0); a position that disappears is included only if Schedule B shows a sale (closing value 0). Otherwise it is excluded as unexplained.
3. Estimated gain = (closing – opening + reported income – purchases + sale proceeds) ÷ opening, all at midpoints, for the traced positions. "Capital gains" income is not added again (it is already in value change and sale proceeds).
4. A year counts only if traced opening value ≥ \$50,000 and traced coverage ≥ 60% of the opening midpoint. A member is ranked only with ≥ 3 such years (exactly 2 = "limited data", shown but unranked). Average = geometric mean of (1+yearly estimate).

Limitations

- Ranges are wide (up to a factor of 5 or more, and up to \$50M+ open-ended); a holding can move between ranges without any real change in value, and stay in a range while moving materially. Yearly estimates are therefore noisy; the "strict envelope" shows the mathematical worst/best case and is typically wider than ±100%.
- Purchases and sales are only disclosed as ranges and only for transactions over \$1,000; partial sales, dividend reinvestment, spousal/dependent accounts and retirement-plan funds are reported inconsistently. Excepted/ blind trusts, personal residences and certain pensions are not reported at all.

- Filers sometimes change how they list assets (e.g. listing a brokerage account vs. its individual holdings), which can make positions untraceable across years; these are excluded rather than guessed.
- Asset values in an annual report are as of Dec 31 of the reporting year; the report year $t-1 \rightarrow t$ covers that calendar year. Late or amended filings are used when filed; extensions can delay them.
- The text of these reports is machine-parsed from PDFs; parse errors are possible. Every number links back to the cited filing. This is not investment advice.
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