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Net direct tax collections crossed the mark of rupees two trillion and stood at Rs.2,04,351 crore as on 31<sup>st</sup> October 2010, up from Rs.1,73,447 crore during the period April-October last fiscal, thereby registering a growth of 17.82 percent.

Growth in Corporate Income Tax was 22.05 percent (Rs.1,34,251 crore as against Rs.1,09,996 crore), while growth in Personal Income Tax (including STT, and residual FBT / BCTT) was 10.33 percent (Rs.69,722 crore as against Rs.63,195 crore).

Growth of Wealth Tax was 18.50 percent (Rs.378 crore against Rs.319 crore), while the growth of Securities Transaction Tax was negative at -6.80 percent (Rs.3,602 crore against Rs.3,865 crore).

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