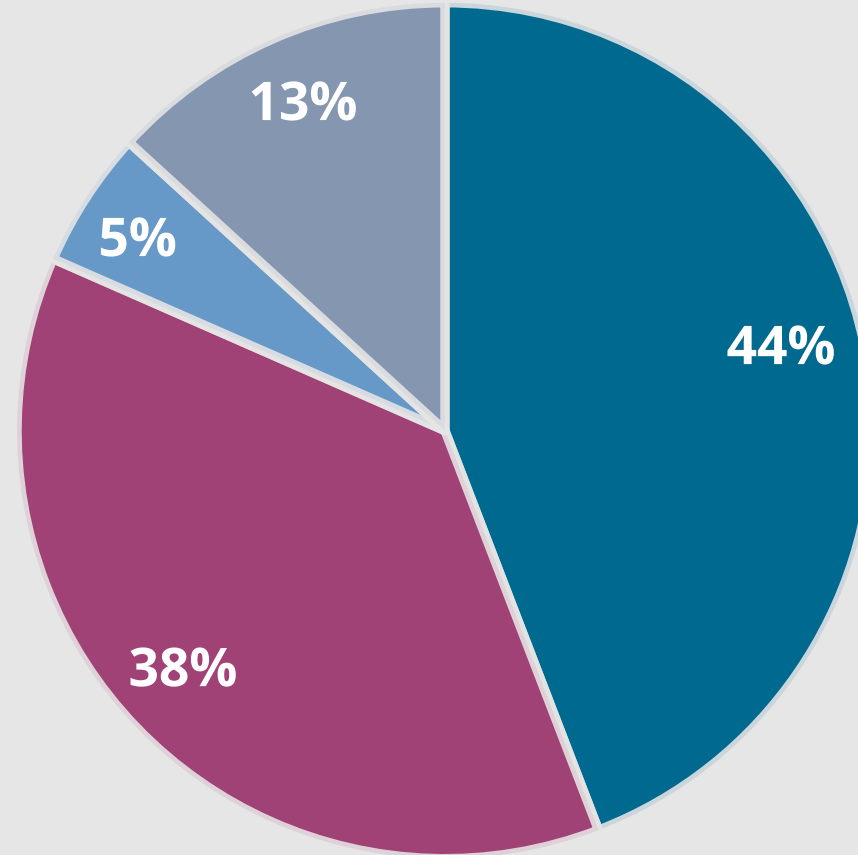


Maine's Sales Tax Fairness Credit

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**Sales taxes are
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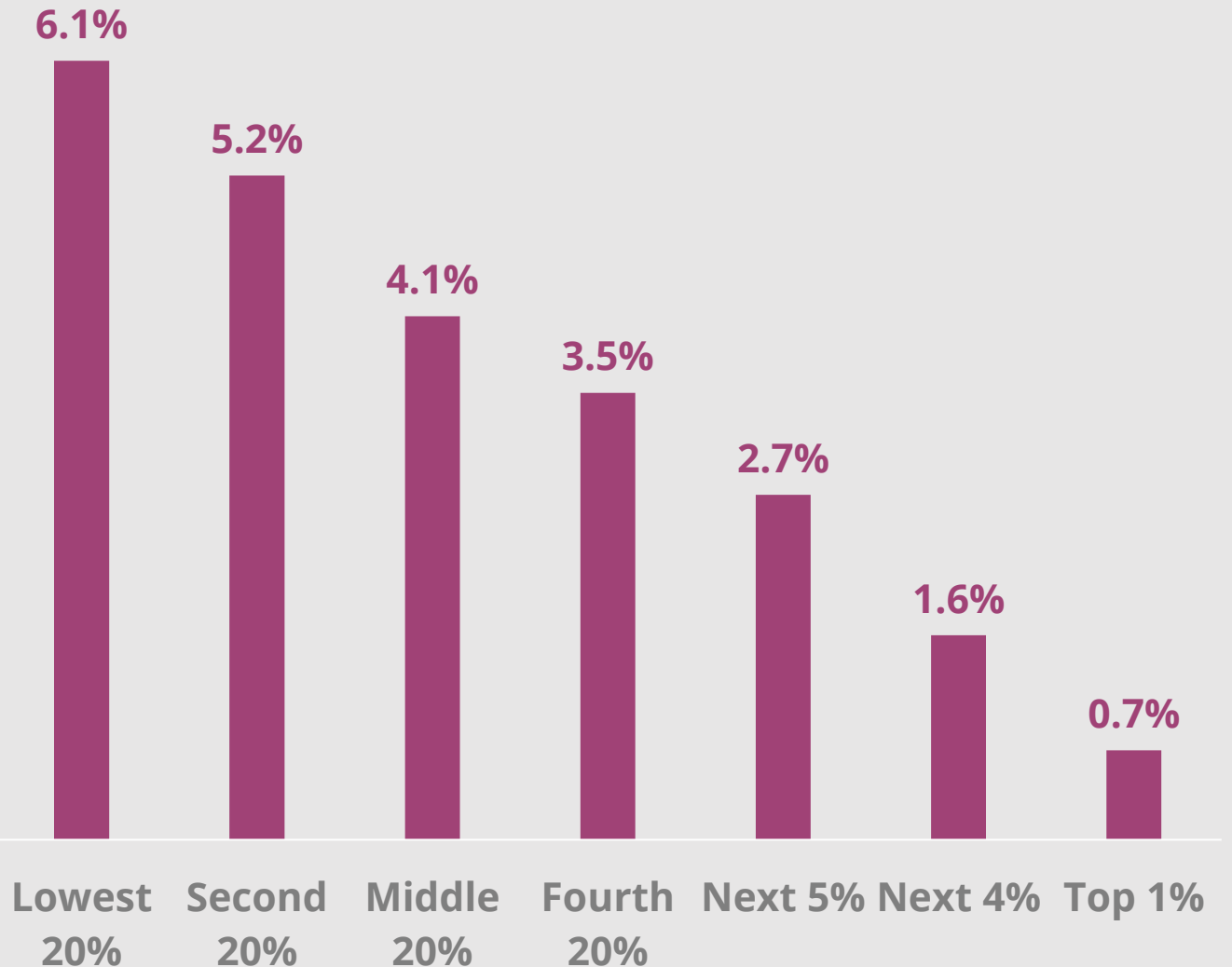
Maine General Fund revenues by type



■ individual income tax ■ sales and use tax
■ corporate income tax ■ other

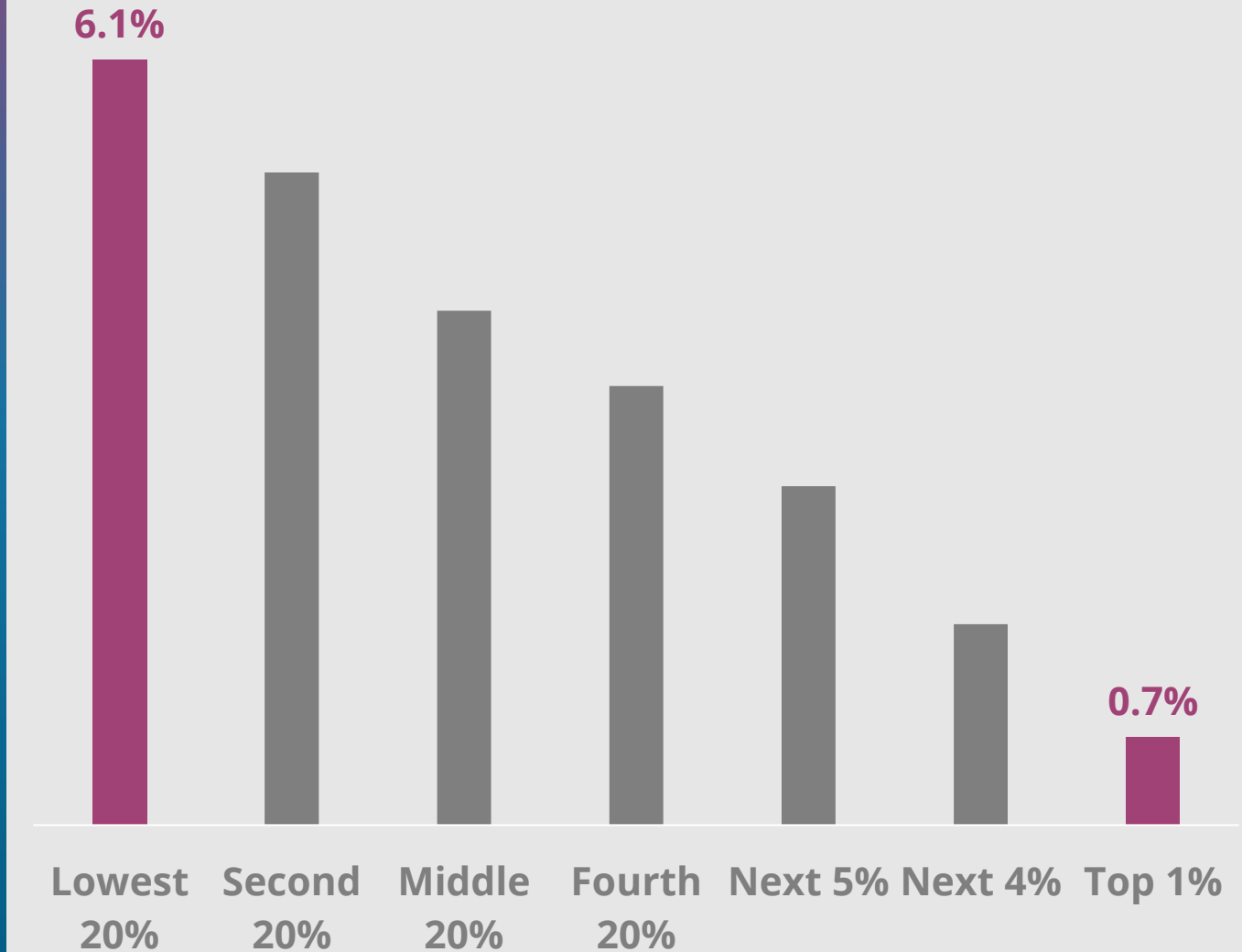
Poorest households pay highest share of income in sales taxes

Maine Sales & Excise Taxes



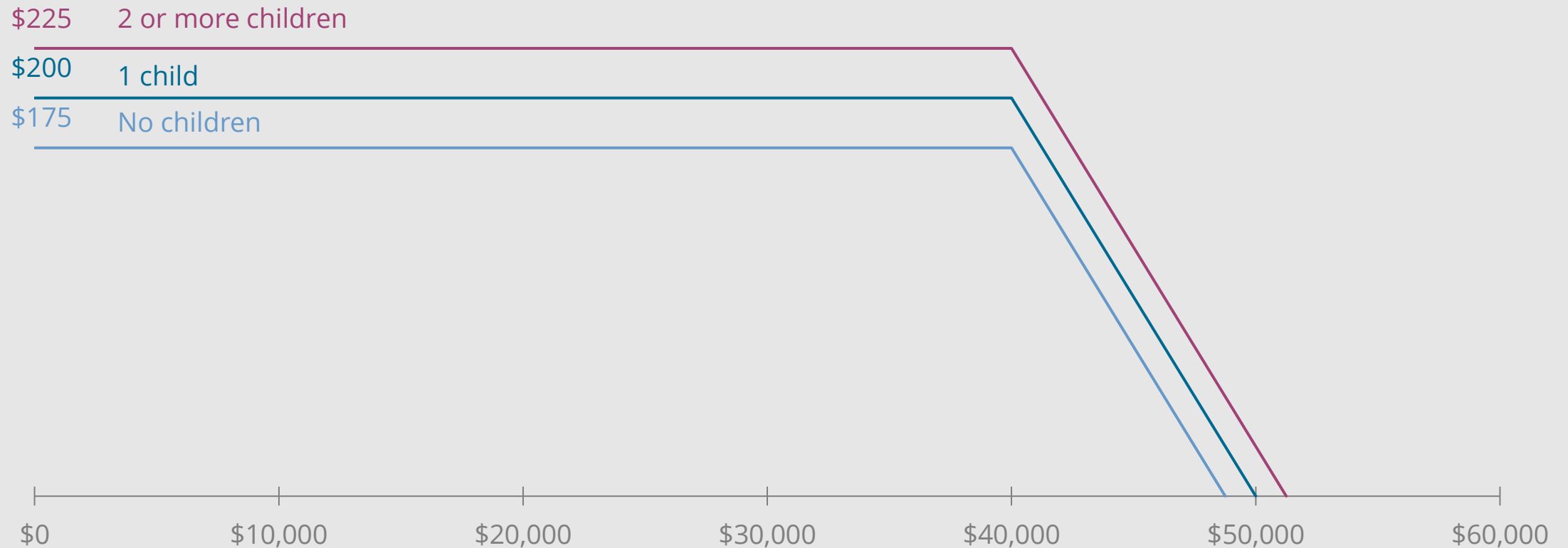
Poorest households pay share of income **more than 8 times** that of the richest households

Maine Sales & Excise Taxes



STFC for Married Filers

Credit amount by income and household size



STFC for Single and Head of Household Filers

Credit amount by income and household size

