There has been class warfare going on for the last 20 years, and my class has won.

Warren Buffett, Chairman & CEO, Berkshire Hathaway

# THE GLOBAL 0.001%

## EXTREME WEALTH

- 42.7 trillion US$ US$ trillion of investable assets of US$1 million or more to 0.1% of the population.
- 15.4 trillion US$ trillion of investable assets of US$30 million or more to 0.001% of the population.

## GLOBAL POPULATION

- 7 billion people.
- 10.9 million people, 73% of whom are men, are extremely wealthy.
- 53% of these extremely wealthy people come from the US, Japan, and Germany.

## GEOGRAPHY OF THE RICH

**Number of people in thousands with investable assets of US$1 million or more (2010):**

- **USA:** 3,104
- **CANADA:** 282
- **UK:** 454
- **GERMANY:** 824
- **INDIA:** 153
- **JAPAN:** 1,739
- **BRAZIL:** 155
- **FRANCE:** 395
- **SWITZERLAND:** 243
- **ITALY:** 170
- **CHINA:** 535
- **AUSTRALIA:** 183

**Resources:**
- http://www.tni.org
- http://ifg.org/programs/plutonomy.html
- http://inequality.org
- http://www.ukuncut.org.uk
- http://www.taxjustice.net
- http://www.equalitytrust.org.uk
- http://www.tackletaxhavens.com

**Source:** World Wealth Report 2011

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**AN UNEQUAL WORLD**

- 82.8% of world’s income in 2007.
- Top 20% of world population: 9.9%.
- Second 20%: 4.2%.
- Third 20%: 2.1%.
- Fourth 20%: 1%. Bottom 20%.

- 2.5 billion people live on less than $2 a day.

**WHAT WOULD $42.7 TRILLION PAY FOR?**

- Universal primary & secondary education for 424 million children.
- US space programme for 2247 years.
- Gulfstream executive jets for 854 thousand years.
- Climate adaptation costs for 250 years.
- UN Millennium goal for clean water for 1423 years.

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**Fourth 20%:**

- 4.2% of the population.

**Bottom 20%:**

- 25% of the population.