2017 TAX RATE QUICK GUIDE



STANDARD DEDUCTIONS

Single and married filing separately \$6,350
Married filing jointly or surviving spouse \$12,700
Head of household \$9,350

STANDARD MILEAGE RATES

Business use of auto 53.5¢ per mile
Charitable contribution 14¢ per mile
Medical use and moving expense 17¢ per mile

SOCIAL SECURITY EARNINGS LIMITS FOR RETIRED WORKERS

Retirement ageEarnings limitPrior to retirement age\$16,920Year of retirement\$44,880At or over retirement ageNone

PERSONAL EXEMPTION (SEE PHASEOUT BELOW)

\$4,050

SELF-EMPLOYMENT TAX

Tax rate for self-employment income is 15.3% on first \$127,200 and 2.9% thereafter.

KIDDIE TAX

Investment income in excess of \$2,100 is taxed at the higher of the parent's rate or the child's rate. Applies to unmarried children younger than 18, to children age 18 whose earned income is not more than half their support, and to children older than 18 but younger than age 24 who are full-time students and whose earned income is not more than half their support.

Phaseouts of personal exemptions and itemized deductions Begin and end with AGI between:

Single	\$261,500	\$384,000
Married filing jointly	\$313,800	\$436,300
Married filing separately	\$156,900	\$218,150
Head of household	\$287,650	\$410,150

Applicable exclusion amount for estate, gift, and generation-skipping transfer tax	\$5,490,000
Maximum estate, gift, and GST tax rate	40%
Gift tax annual exclusion	\$14,000

TOD INIDIVIDUAL STATE DATES

Minnesota: 9.85%

TOT INDIVIDUAL STATE RATES		
California: 12.3%	Montana: 6.9%	
Idaho: 7.4%	Pennsylvania: 3.07%	
Illinois: 3.75%	Virginia: 5.75%	

Wisconsin: 7.65%

SINGLE FILING				
Taxable income is over	But not over	The tax is	+	Of the amount over
-	\$9,325	10%	-	-
\$9,325	\$37,950	\$932.50	15%	\$9,325
\$37,950	\$91,900	\$5,226.25	25%	\$37,950
\$91,900	\$191,650	\$18,713.75	28%	\$91,900
\$191,650	\$416,700	\$46,643.75	33%	\$191,650
\$416,700	\$418,400	\$120,910.25	35%	\$416,700
\$418,400	-	\$121,505.25	39.6%	\$418,400

MARRIED FILING JOINTLY OR SURVIVING SPOUSE				
Taxable income is over	But not over	The tax is	+	Of the amount over
-	\$18,650	10%	-	-
\$18,650	\$75,900	\$1,865.00	15%	\$18,650
\$75,900	\$153,100	\$10,452.50	25%	\$75,900
\$153,100	\$233,350	\$29,752.50	28%	\$153,100
\$233,350	\$416,700	\$52,222.50	33%	\$233,350
\$416,700	\$470,700	\$112,728.00	35%	\$416,700
\$470,700	-	\$131,628.00	39.6%	\$470,700

MARRIED FILING SEPARATELY				
Taxable income is over	But not over	The tax is	+	Of the amount over
-	\$9,325	10%	-	-
\$9,325	\$37,950	\$932.50	15%	\$9,325
\$37,950	\$76,550	\$5,226.25	25%	\$37,950
\$76,550	\$116,675	\$14,876.25	28%	\$76,550
\$116,675	\$208,350	\$26,111.25	33%	\$116,675
\$208,350	\$235,350	\$56,364.00	35%	\$208,350
\$235,350	-	\$65,814.00	39.6%	\$235,350

HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD				
Taxable income is over	But not over	The tax is	+	Of the amount over
-	\$13,350	10%	-	-
\$13,350	\$50,800	\$1,335.00	15%	\$13,350
\$50,800	\$131,200	\$6,952.50	25%	\$50,800
\$131,200	\$212,500	\$27,052.50	28%	\$131,200
\$212,500	\$416,700	\$49,816.50	33%	\$212,500
\$416,700	\$444,550	\$117,202.50	35%	\$416,700
\$444,550	-	\$126,950.00	39.6%	\$444,550

Noncorporate net capital gain and qualified dividend rates

- 15% Normal rate, but 20% if taxable income is > \$418,400 (\$470,700 if married filing jointly)
- 0% If the gain would otherwise be taxed at a rate below 25% if it were ordinary income
- 25% Gain attributable to straight-line depreciation on Section 1250 property held > 1 year (unrecaptured 1250 gains). If taxpayer is in a lower bracket, then lower rate applies. Ordinary rate applies to gain attributed to depreciation taken in excess of straight-line depreciation on 1250 property (1250 recapture).
- 28% Collectibles gain and gain from selling certain small business stock

CORPORATE INCOME TAX RATE				
Taxable income is over	But not over	The tax is	+	Of the amount over
-	\$50,000	15%	-	-
\$50,000	\$75,000	\$7,500	25%	\$50,000
\$75,000	\$100,000	\$13 <i>,75</i> 0	34%	\$75,000
\$100,000	\$335,000	\$22,250	39%	\$100,000
\$335,000	\$10,000,000	\$113,900	34%	\$335,000
\$10,000,000	\$15,000,000	\$3,400,000	35%	\$10,000,000
\$15,000,000	\$18,333,333	\$5,150,000	38%	\$15,000,000
\$18,333,333	-	35%	-	\$18,333,333

ESTATE AND TRUST INCOME TAX RATE				
Taxable income is over	But not over	The tax is	+	Of the amount over
-	\$2,550	15%	-	-
\$2,550	\$6,000	\$382.50	25%	\$2,550
\$6,000	\$9,150	\$1,245.00	28%	\$6,000
\$9,150	\$12,500	\$2,127.00	33%	\$9,150
\$12,500	-	\$3,232.50	39.6%	\$12,500

3.8% Medicare tax on net investment income

Tax imposed on lesser of "net investment income" or MAGI > \$250,000 (MFJ) or \$200,000 (Single)

Medicare tax on high-income earners Additional 0.9% tax on wages greater than:		
Single	\$200,000	
Married filing jointly or surviving spouse	\$250,000	
Married filing separately \$125,00		
Head of household	\$200,000	

RETIREMENT PLAN LIMITS			
Deferral limits for plans			
§401(k), 403(b), and 457 plans	\$18,000		
SIMPLE	\$12,500		
Catch-up contributions for participants age 50 or older	er		
Other than SIMPLE plans	\$6,000		
SIMPLE plans	\$3,000		
Other limitations and thresholds			
Qualified plans – annual compensation limit	\$270,000		
Defined benefit – maximum annual benefit	\$215,000		
Defined contribution – maximum annual addition	\$54,000		
"Key employee" in top-heavy plan	\$1 <i>75</i> ,000		
"Highly compensated employee" threshold	\$120,000		
SEP compensation threshold for participation			
Definition of "control employee" for fringe benefit valuation			
Reg. §1.61-21(f)(5)(i)	\$105,000		
Reg. §1.61-21(f)(5)(iii) \$215,00			

INDIVIDUAL RETIREMENT ACCOUNTS				
Traditional IRAs and Roth IRAs				
Contribution limit	\$5,500			
Catch-up contribution (age 50 or older)	\$1,000			
Phaseout rules based on MAGI ranges				
Traditional IRA deductions phaseout				
Single, head of household – Active participant	\$62,000 - \$72,000			
Married filing separately – Any spouse participates	\$0 - \$10,000			
Married filing jointly – Nonparticipating spouse	\$186,000 - \$196,000			
Married filing jointly – Participating spouse	\$99,000 - \$119,000			
Roth IRA contribution eligibility				
Married filing jointly	\$186,000 - \$196,000			
Single, head of household	\$118,000 - \$133,000			
Married filing separately – Any spouse participates	\$0 - \$10,000			

HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNTS	
Plan minimum deductible (self/family)	\$1,300/\$2,600
Contribution maximum (self/family)	\$3,400/\$6,750
Catch-up contribution (age 55 or older)	\$1,000
Plan out-of-pocket limit (self/family)	\$6,550/\$13,100

In the year a participant enrolls in Medicare or changes to a plan that is not HSA eligible, contribution is prorated based on the number of months that the participant has qualifying coverage prior to the month of Medicare enrollment.



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