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### **The IRS Mission**

Provide America's taxpayers top quality service by helping them understand and meet their tax responsibilities and by applying the tax law with integrity and fairness to all.

### **IRS Customer Service Standards**

At the IRS, our goal is to continually improve the quality of our services. To achieve that goal, we have developed customer service standards in the following areas.

- Easier filing and payment options.
- Access to information.
- Accuracy.

- Prompt refunds.
- Canceling penalties.
- Resolving problems.
- Simpler forms.

If you would like information about the IRS standards and a report of our accomplishments, see Pub. 2183.

## **Help With Unresolved Tax Issues**

### **Taxpayer Advocate Service**

The Taxpayer Advocate Service (TAS) is an independent organization within the IRS whose employees assist taxpayers who are experiencing economic harm, who are seeking help in resolving tax problems that have not been resolved through normal channels, or who believe that an IRS system or procedure is not working as it should. You may be eligible for assistance if:

- You are experiencing economic harm or significant cost (including fees for professional representation),
- You have experienced a delay of more than 30 days to resolve your tax issue, or
- You have not received a response or resolution to the problem by the date promised by the IRS.

The service is free, confidential, tailored to meet your needs, and available for businesses as well as individuals. There is at least one local taxpayer advocate in each state, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico. Because advocates are part of the IRS, they know the tax system and how to navigate it. If you qualify for assistance, you will receive personalized service from a knowledgeable advocate who will:

- Listen to your problem,
- Help you understand what needs to be done to resolve it, and
- Stay with you every step of the way until your problem is resolved.

You can contact the Taxpayer Advocate Service by:

- Calling the TAS toll-free case intake line at 1-877-777-4778 or TTY/TDD 1-800-829-4059,
- Calling or writing your local taxpayer advocate, whose address and phone number are listed in the government listings in your local telephone directory and in Pub. 1546, Taxpayer Advocate Service—Your Voice at the IRS,
- Filing Form 911, Request for Taxpayer Advocate Service Assistance (and Application for Taxpayer Assistance Order), with the Taxpayer Advocate Service, or
- Asking an IRS employee to complete Form 911 on your behalf.

To get a copy of Form 911 or learn more about the Taxpayer Advocate Service, go to *www.irs.gov/advocate*.

#### Low Income Taxpayer Clinics (LITCs)

LITCs are independent organizations that provide low income taxpayers with representation in federal tax controversies with the IRS for free or for a nominal charge. The clinics also provide tax education and outreach for taxpayers with limited English proficiency or who speak English as a second language. Pub. 4134, Low Income Taxpayer Clinic List, provides information on clinics in your area. It is available at *www.irs.gov* or your local IRS office.



#### Make \$54,000 or less? e-file For Free!

If your 2007 adjusted gross income was \$54,000 or less, you're one of the 95+ million taxpayers who are eligible for Free File. Free File, a service offered by the IRS in partnership with the Free File Alliance, a group of tax preparation software companies, is:

- Fast, easy, and safe to use;
- Available in English and Spanish;
- Accessible online 24 hours a day, 7 days a week (You will need Internet access to Free File. Also, Free File can only be accessed by going through the www.irs.gov website - even if you used Free File in previous years.); and
- Absolutely FREE. No hidden fees

If you don't qualify for Free File, then you may want to check out the Partners Page on www.irs.gov for low-cost e-file options.

#### Use IRS e-file — there are three ways:

#### Use a computer. -

You can easily prepare and e-file your own tax return. To do so, you'll need:

- A computer with Internet access, and
- IRS-approved tax preparation software which is available via the Internet for online use, for download from the Internet, and in retail stores for offline use. Visit www.irs.gov/efile for details.

#### Use a volunteer.

The VITA Program offers free tax help for low to moderate income taxpayers. The Tax Counseling for the Elderly (TCE) Program provides free tax help to people age 60 and older.

#### Use a tax professional.

Many taxpayers rely on tax professionals to handle their returns and most tax professionals can e-file your return. You just have to be sure to ask.

Also, tax professionals can charge a fee for IRS e-file. Fees can vary depending on the professional and specific services rendered, so be sure to discuss this upfront.

### e-file! It's Never Been Easier.

It's easy to see why more than 60% of taxpayers e-file their tax returns: it's faster, easier, and more convenient than paper filing. E-filing also reduces the chance of making mistakes. Plus, if your 2007 adjusted gross income was \$54,000 or less, you can e-file for FREE by using Free File at www.irs.gov!

#### e-file and Get the Benefits

- A faster refund than by paper filing in as little as 10 days with Direct Deposit.
- An emailed proof of receipt within 48 hours after the IRS receives your return, which you can't get with paper filing.
- Reduced chance of making mistakes since IRS e-file software checks your return. In fact, e-filed returns have a 1% or less error rate, compared to 20% with paper returns. (Please note that e-filing your tax return does not impact or change the chance of an audit.)
- Save time by preparing and e-filing federal and state returns together.
- You can electronically sign your return with a secure, self-selected PIN number.
- If you owe, you can authorize an electronic funds withdrawal or pay by credit card. You can also file a return early and pay the amount you owe later.
- Help the environment, use less paper, and save taxpayer money it costs less to process an e-filed return than a paper return.

#### **Totally Safe and Secure**

More than half a billion federal tax returns have been e-filed! The IRS uses the most secure technology available to safeguard your personal information. So you can rest assured that when you e-file, your information will be safe.

Visit: www.irs.gov/efile for the latest information.

### electronic <sup>1 r s</sup>

You can accomplish many things electronically within www.irs.gov. The Electronic IRS is a gateway to the many IRS electronic options and it's available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Should you choose to file a paper return, you'll find information, resources, and all of the forms ready to download.



## What's New

### What's New for 2007

**Tax benefits extended.** The following tax benefits were extended through 2007.

• Deduction for educator expenses in figuring adjusted gross income.

• Tuition and fees deduction.

• District of Columbia first-time homebuyer credit.

Alternative minimum tax (AMT) exemption amount decreased. The AMT exemption amount is decreased to \$33,750 (\$45,000 if married filing jointly or a qualifying widow(er); \$22,500 if married filing separately).



At the time these instructions went to print, Congress was expected to consider legislation that would increase the

amounts above. To find out if legislation was enacted, and for more details, see the Instructions for Form 6251.

**IRA deduction expanded.** You may be able to take an IRA deduction if you were covered by a retirement plan and your 2007 modified adjusted gross income (AGI) is less than \$62,000 (\$103,000 if married filing jointly or qualifying widow(er)).

You may be able to deduct up to an additional 33,000 if you were a participant in a 401(k) plan and your employer was in bankruptcy in an earlier year. See the instructions for line 32 on page 27.

**Standard mileage rates.** The 2007 rate for business use of your vehicle is  $48\frac{1}{2}$  cents a mile. The 2007 rate for use of your vehicle to get medical care or to move is 20 cents a mile.

**Earned income credit (EIC).** You may be able to take the EIC if:

• A child lived with you and you earned less than \$37,783 (\$39,783 if married filing jointly), or

• A child did not live with you and you earned less than \$12,590 (\$14,590 if married filing jointly).

The maximum AGI you can have and still get the credit also has increased. You may be able to take the credit if your AGI is less than the amount in the above list that applies to you. The maximum investment income you can have and still get the credit has increased to \$2,900. See the instructions for lines 66a and 66b that begin on page 44.

**Elective salary deferrals.** The maximum amount you can defer under all plans is generally limited to \$15,500 (\$10,500 if you only have SIMPLE plans; \$18,500 for section 403(b) plans if you qualify for the 15-year rule). See the instructions for line 7 on page 18.

Mailing your return. You may be mailing your return to a different address this year because the IRS has changed the filing location for several areas. If you received an envelope with your tax package, please use it. Otherwise, see *Where Do You File?* on the back cover.

**Domestic production activities deduction.** The deduction rate for 2007 is increased to 6%.

**Unreported social security and Medicare tax on wages.** If you are an employee and your employer did not withhold social security and Medicare tax, see Form 8919 to figure and report this tax.

**Refundable credit for prior-year minimum tax.** If you have an unused minimum tax credit carryforward from 2004, see Form 8801 to find if you can take this credit.

Health savings account (HSA) funding distributions. You may be able to elect to exclude from income a distribution made from your IRA to your HSA. See the instructions for lines 15a and 15b on page 21.

**Insurance premiums for retired public safety officers.** If you are a retired safety officer, you can elect to exclude from income distributions made directly from your eligible retirement plans to pay premiums for certain insurance. See the instructions for lines 16a and 16b on page 22.

**Exemption for housing a person displaced by Hurricane Katrina expires.** The additional exemption amount for housing a person displaced by Hurricane Katrina does not apply for 2007 or later years.

**Telephone excise tax credit.** This credit was available only on your 2006 return. If you filed but did not request it on your 2006 return, file Form 1040X using a simplified procedure explained in its instructions to amend your 2006 return. If you were not required to file a 2006 return, see the 2006 Form 1040EZ-T.

### What's New for 2008

**IRA deduction expanded.** You and your spouse, if filing jointly, each may be able to deduct up to \$5,000 (\$6,000 if age 50 or older at the end of the year). You may be able to take an IRA deduction if you were covered by a retirement plan and your 2008 modified AGI is less than \$63,000 (\$105,000 if married filing jointly or qualifying widow(er)).

You may be able to deduct up to an additional 33,000 if you were a participant in a 401(k) plan and your employer was in bankruptcy in an earlier year. See the instructions for line 32 on page 27. **Earned income credit (EIC).** You may be able to take the EIC if:

• A child lived with you and you earned less than \$38,646 (\$41,646 if married filing jointly), or

• A child did not live with you and you earned less than \$12,880 (\$15,880 if married filing jointly).

The maximum AGI you can have and still get the credit also has increased. You may be able to take the credit if your AGI is less than the amount in the above list that applies to you. The maximum investment income you can have and still get the credit has increased to \$2,950.

**Personal exemption and itemized deduction phaseouts reduced.** Taxpayers with adjusted gross income above a certain amount may lose part of their deduction for personal exemptions and itemized deductions. The amount by which these deductions are reduced in 2008 will be only ½ of the amount of the reduction that otherwise would have applied in 2007.

**Capital gain tax rate reduced.** The 5% capital gain tax rate is reduced to zero.

**Tax on children's income.** Form 8615 will be required to figure the tax for the following children with investment income of more than \$1,800.

1. Children under age 18 at the end of 2008.

2. The following children if their earned income is not more than half their support.

a. Children age 18 at the end of 2008.

b. Children over age 18 and under age 24 at the end of 2008 who are full-time students.

The election to report a child's investment income on a parent's return and the special rule for when a child must file Form 6251 will also apply to the children listed above.

**Expiring tax benefits.** The following benefits are scheduled to expire and will not apply for 2008.

• Deduction for educator expenses in figuring adjusted gross income.

Tuition and fees deduction.

• The exclusion from income of qualified charitable distributions.

• Credit for nonbusiness energy property.

• District of Columbia first-time homebuyer credit (for homes purchased after 2007).

• The election to include nontaxable combat pay in earned income for the EIC.

## Filing Requirements

### Do You Have To File?

Use Chart A, B, or C to see if you must file a return. U.S. citizens who lived in or had income from a U.S. possession should see Pub. 570. Residents of Puerto Rico can use TeleTax topic 901 (see page 79) to see if they must file.



Even if you do not otherwise have to file a return, you should file one to get a refund of any federal income tax withheld.

You should also file if you are eligible for the earned income credit, additional child tax credit, health coverage tax credit, or refundable credit for prior year minimum tax.

**Exception for children under age 18.** If you are planning to file a tax return for your child who was under age 18 at the end of 2007 and certain other conditions apply, you can elect to include your child's income on your return. But you must use Form 8814 to do so. If you make this election, your child does not have to file a return. For details, use TeleTax topic 553 (see page 79) or see Form 8814.

A child born on January 1, 1990, is considered to be age 18 at the end of 2007. Do not use Form 8814 for such a child.

**Resident aliens.** These rules also apply if you were a resident alien. Also, you may qualify for certain tax treaty benefits. See Pub. 519 for details.

**Nonresident aliens and dual-status aliens.** These rules also apply if you were a nonres-

### Chart A—For Most People

ident alien or a dual-status alien and both of the following apply.

• You were married to a U.S. citizen or resident alien at the end of 2007.

• You elected to be taxed as a resident alien.

See Pub. 519 for details.



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Specific rules apply to determine if you are a resident alien, nonresident alien, or dual-status alien. Most nonresident aliens

and dual-status aliens have different filing requirements and may have to file Form 1040NR or Form 1040NR-EZ. Pub. 519 discusses these requirements and other information to help aliens comply with U.S. tax law, including tax treaty benefits and special rules for students and scholars.

### When and Where Should You File?

File Form 1040 by **April 15, 2008.** If you file after this date, you may have to pay interest and penalties. See page 78.

If you were serving in, or in support of, the U.S. Armed Forces in a designated combat zone, qualified hazardous duty area, or a contingency operation, see Pub. 3.

See the back cover for filing instructions and addresses. For details on using a private delivery service, see page 9.

## What if You Cannot File on Time?

You can get an automatic 6-month extension if, no later than the date your return is due, you file Form 4868. For details, see Form 4868.



Have you tried IRS *e-file*? It's the fastest way to get your refund and it's free

These rules apply to all U.S. citizens, regardless of where they live, and resident aliens.

if you are eligible. Visit www.irs.gov for details.

An automatic 6-month extension to file does not extend the time to pay your tax. See Form 4868.

If you are a U.S. citizen or resident alien, you may qualify for an automatic extension of time to file without filing Form 4868. You qualify if, on the due date of your return, you meet one of the following conditions.

• You live outside the United States and Puerto Rico and your main place of business or post of duty is outside the United States and Puerto Rico.

• You are in military or naval service on duty outside the United States and Puerto Rico.

This extension gives you an extra 2 months to file and pay the tax, but interest will be charged from the original due date of the return on any unpaid tax. You must attach a statement to your return showing that you meet the requirements. If you are still unable to file your return by the end of the 2-month period, you can get an additional 4 months if, no later than June 16, 2008, you file Form 4868. This 4-month extension of time to file does not extend the time to pay your tax. See Form 4868.

IF your filing status is	AND at the end of 2007 you were*	THEN file a return if your gross income** was at least
Single	under 65 65 or older	\$8,750 10,050
Married filing jointly***	under 65 (both spouses) 65 or older (one spouse) 65 or older (both spouses)	\$17,500 18,550 19,600
Married filing separately (see page 13)	any age	\$3,400
Head of household (see page 13)	under 65 65 or older	\$11,250 12,550
Qualifying widow(er) with dependent child (see page 14)	under 65 65 or older	\$14,100 15,150

\* If you were born on January 1, 1943, you are considered to be age 65 at the end of 2007.

\*\* **Gross income** means all income you received in the form of money, goods, property, and services that is not exempt from tax, including any income from sources outside the United States (even if you can exclude part or all of it). **Do not** include social security benefits unless you are married filing a separate return and you lived with your spouse at any time in 2007.

\*\*\* If you did not live with your spouse at the end of 2007 (or on the date your spouse died) and your gross income was at least \$3,400, you must file a return regardless of your age.

## **Chart B—For Children and Other Dependents** (See the instructions for line 6c that begin on page 15 to find out if someone can claim you as a dependent.)

If your parent (or someone else) can claim you as a dependent, use this chart to see if you must file a return. In this chart, <b>unearned income</b> includes taxable interest, ordinary dividends, and capital gain distributions. <b>Earned income</b> includes wages, tips, and taxable scholarship and fellowship grants. <b>Gross income</b> is the total of your unearned and earned income.							
Single dependents. Were you either age 65 or older or blind?							
<b>No.</b> You must file a return if <b>any</b> of the following apply.							
	• Your unearned income was over \$850.						
• Your earned income was over \$5,350.							
<ul> <li>Your gross income was more than the larger of —</li> <li>\$850, or</li> </ul>							
• Your earned income (up to \$5,050) plus \$300.							
<b>Yes.</b> You must file a return if <b>any</b> of the following apply.							
• Your unearned income was over \$2,150 (\$3,450 if 65 or ol	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·						
• Your earned income was over \$6,650 (\$7,950 if 65 or older	r <b>and</b> blind).						
• Your gross income was more than—	DI						
The larger of:	Plus	This amount:	_				
	• \$850, or \$1,300 (\$2,600 if 65 or						
• Your earned income (up to \$5,050) plus \$300							
Married dependents. Were you either age 65 or older or blind?							
<b>No.</b> You must file a return if <b>any</b> of the following apply.							
• Your unearned income was over \$850.							
• Your earned income was over \$5,350.							
• Your gross income was at least \$5 and your spouse files a	separate return	and itemizes deductions.					
• Your gross income was more than the <b>larger</b> of—							
• \$850, or							
• Your earned income (up to \$5,050) plus \$300. <b>Yes.</b> You must file a return if <b>any</b> of the following apply.							
<ul> <li>Your unearned income was over \$1,900 (\$2,950 if 65 or ol</li> </ul>	der <b>and</b> blind).						
	<ul> <li>Your earned income was over \$6,400 (\$7,450 if 65 or older and blind).</li> </ul>						
• Your gross income was at least \$5 and your spouse files a	separate return	and itemizes deductions.					
• Your gross income was more than—							
The larger of: Plus This amount:							
• \$850, or \$1,050 (\$2,100 if 65 or							
• Your earned income (up to \$5,050) plus \$300	ſ	older and blind)					

### Chart C—Other Situations When You Must File

You must file a return if any of the four conditions below apply for 2007.
<ol> <li>You owe any special taxes, including any of the following.</li> <li>a. Alternative minimum tax.</li> </ol>
<b>b.</b> Additional tax on a qualified plan, including an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), or other tax-favored account. But if you are filing a return only because you owe this tax, you can file <b>Form 5329</b> by itself.
c. Household employment taxes. But if you are filing a return only because you owe this tax, you can file Schedule H by itself.

- d. Social security and Medicare tax on tips you did not report to your employer or on wages you received from an employer who did not withhold these taxes.
- e. Write-in taxes, including uncollected social security and Medicare or RRTA tax on tips you reported to your employer or on group-term life insurance and additional tax on health savings account distributions. See the instructions for line 63 on page 42.
- f. Recapture taxes. See the instructions for line 44, that begin on page 33, and line 63, on page 42.
- g. Additional tax on a health savings account from Form 8889, Part III.
- 2. You received any advance earned income credit (EIC) payments from your employer. These payments are shown in Form W-2, box 9.
- 3. You had net earnings from self-employment of at least \$400.
- 4. You had wages of \$108.28 or more from a church or qualified church-controlled organization that is exempt from employer social security and Medicare taxes.

### Where To Report Certain Items From 2007 Forms W-2, 1098, and 1099

IRS *e-file* takes the guesswork out of preparing your return. You may also be eligible to use Free File to file your federal income tax return. Visit *www.irs.gov/efile* for details.

If any federal income tax withheld is shown on these forms, include the tax withheld on Form 1040, line 64. If you itemize your deductions and any state or local income tax withheld is shown on these forms, include the tax withheld on Schedule A, line 5, if you do not elect to deduct state and local general sales taxes.

Form	Item and Box in Which It Should Appear	Where To Report if Filing Form 1040
W-2	Wages, tips, other compensation (box 1)	Form 1040, line 7
	Allocated tips (box 8)	See Wages, Salaries, Tips, etc. on page 18
	Advance EIC payment (box 9)	Form 1040, line 61
	Dependent care benefits (box 10)	Form 2441, Part III
	Adoption benefits (box 12, code T)	Form 8839. line 22
	Employer contributions to an Archer	Form 8853, line 3
	MSA (box 12, code R)	10m 0055, me 5
	Employer contributions to a health savings account (box 12, code W)	Form 8889, line 9
W-2G	Gambling winnings (box 1)	Form 1040, line 21 (Schedule C or C-EZ for professional gamblers)
1098	Mortgage interest (box 1) Points (box 2)	Schedule A, line 10*
	Refund of overpaid interest (box 3)	Form 1040, line 21, but first see the instructions on Form 1098*
	Mortgage insurance premiums (box 4)	See the instructions for Schedule A, line 13*
1098-C	Contributions of motor vehicles, boats, and airplanes	Schedule A, line 17
1098-E	Student loan interest (box 1)	See the instructions for Form 1040, line 33, on page 30*
1098-T	Qualified tuition and related expenses (box 1)	See the instructions for Form 1040, line 34, on page 31, or Form 1040 line 49, on page 37, but first see the instructions on Form 1098-T*
1099-A	Acquisition or abandonment of secured property	See Pub. 544
1099-B	Stocks, bonds, etc. (box 2)	See the instructions on Form 1099-B
	Bartering (box 3)	See Pub. 525
	Aggregate profit or (loss) (box 11)	Form 6781, line 1
1099-C	Canceled debt (box 2)	Form 1040, line 21, but first see the instructions on Form 1099-C*
1099-DIV	Total ordinary dividends (box 1a)	Form 1040. line 9a
	Qualified dividends (box 1b)	See the instructions for Form 1040, line 9b, on page 19
	Total capital gain distributions (box 2a)	Form 1040, line 13, or, if required, Schedule D, line 13
	Unrecaptured section 1250 gain (box 2b)	See the instructions for Schedule D, line 19, that begin on page D-8
	Section 1202 gain (box 2c)	See Exclusion of Gain on Qualified Small Business (QSB) Stock in
	Section 1202 gain (Sox 20)	the instructions for Schedule D on page D-4
	Collectibles (28%) gain (box 2d)	See the instructions for Schedule D, line 18, on page D-8
	Nondividend distributions (box 3)	See the instructions for Form 1040, line 9a, on page 19
	Investment expenses (box 5)	Schedule A, line 23
	Foreign tax paid (box 6)	Form 1040, line 51, or Schedule A, line 8. But first see the
	Poreign tax paid (box 0)	instructions for line 51 that begin on page 37.
1099-G	Unemployment compensation (box 1)	Form 1040, line 19. But if you repaid any unemployment compensation in 2007, see the instructions for line 19 on page 24.
	State or local income tax refunds, credits, or	See the instructions for Form 1040, line 10, that begin on page 20. If
	offsets (box 2)	box 8 on Form 1099-G is checked, see the box 8 instructions.
	ATAA payments (box 5)	Form 1040, line 21
	Taxable grants (box 6)	Form 1040, line 21*
	Agriculture payments (box 7)	See the Instructions for Schedule F or Pub. 225*

\* If the item relates to an activity for which you are required to file Schedule C, C-EZ, E, or F or Form 4835, report the taxable or deductible amount allocable to the activity on that schedule or form instead.

Form	Item and Box in Which It Should Appear	Where To Report if Filing Form 1040
1099-INT	Interest income (box 1)	See the instructions for Form 1040, line 8a, on page 19
	Early withdrawal penalty (box 2)	Form 1040, line 30
	Interest on U.S. savings bonds and Treasury obligations (box 3)	See the instructions for Form 1040, line 8a, on page 19
	Investment expenses (box 5)	Schedule A, line 23
	Foreign tax paid (box 6)	Form 1040, line 51, or Schedule A, line 8. But first see the instructions for line 51 that begin on page 37.
	Tax-exempt interest (box 8)	Form 1040, line 8b
	Specified private activity bond interest (box 9)	Form 6251, line 11
1099-LTC	Long-term care and accelerated death benefits	See Pub. 525 and the Instructions for Form 8853
1099-MISC	Rents (box 1)	See the Instructions for Schedule E*
	Royalties (box 2)	Schedule E, line 4 (for timber, coal, and iron ore royalties, see Pub. 544)*
	Other income (box 3)	Form 1040, line 21*
	Nonemployee compensation (box 7)	Schedule C, C-EZ, or F. But if you were not self-employed, see the instructions on Form 1099-MISC.
	Excess golden parachute payments (box 13)	See the instructions for Form 1040, line 63, on page 42
	Other (boxes 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, and 15b)	See the instructions on Form 1099-MISC
1099-OID	Original issue discount (box 1)	See the instructions on Form 1099-OID
	Other periodic interest (box 2) Early withdrawal penalty (box 3)	Form 1040, line 30
	Original issue discount on U.S. Treasury	See the instructions on Form 1099-OID
	obligations (box 6)	See the instructions on Form Foy, OID
	Investment expenses (box 7)	Schedule A, line 23
1099-PATR	Patronage dividends and other distributions from a	Schedule C, C-EZ, or F or Form 4835, but first see the instructions
	cooperative (boxes 1, 2, 3, and 5)	Form 1099-PATR
	Domestic production activities deduction (box 6) Credits (boxes 7, 8, and 10)	Form 8903, line 21
	Credits (boxes 7, 8, and 10)	Form 3468, 3800, 5884, 6478, 8835, 8844, 8845, 8861, 8864, 8896, 8909
	Patron's AMT adjustment (box 9)	Form 6251, line 26
	Deduction for small refiner capital costs or qualified refinery property (box 10)	Schedule C, C-EZ, or F
1099-Q	Qualified education program payments	See the instructions for Form 1040, line 21, on page 24
1099-R	Distributions from IRAs**	See the instructions for Form 1040, lines 15a and 15b, that begin or page 21
	Distributions from pensions, annuities, etc.	See the instructions for Form 1040, lines 16a and 16b, that begin or page 22
	Capital gain (box 3)	See the instructions on Form 1099-R
1099-S	Gross proceeds from real estate transactions (box 2)	Form 4797, Form 6252, or Schedule D. But if the property was you home, see the Instructions for Schedule D to find out if you must report the sale or exchange. Report an exchange of like-kind property on Form 8824 even if no gross proceeds are reported on
	Buyer's part of real estate tax (box 5)	Form 1099-S. See the instructions for Schedule A, line 6, on page A-5*
1099-SA	Distributions from health savings accounts (HSAs)	Form 8889, line 14a
	Distributions from MSAs***	Form 8853

activity on that schedule or form instead.

\*\* This includes distributions from Roth, SEP, and SIMPLE IRAs.

\*\*\* This includes distributions from Archer and Medicare Advantage MSAs.

#### **Private Delivery Services**

You can use certain private delivery serv-ices designated by the IRS to meet the "timely mailing as timely filing/paying" rule for tax returns and payments. These private delivery services include only the following.

• DHL Express (DHL): DHL Same Day Service, DHL Next Day 10:30 am, DHL Next Day 12:00 pm, DHL Next Day 3:00 pm, and DHL 2nd Day Service.

• Federal Express (FedEx): FedEx Priority Overnight, FedEx Standard Over-night, FedEx 2Day, FedEx International Priority, and FedEx International First.

• United Parcel Service (UPS): UPS Next Day Air, UPS Next Day Air Saver, UPS 2nd Day Air, UPS 2nd Day Air A.M., UPS Worldwide Express Plus, and UPS Worldwide Express.

The private delivery service can tell you how to get written proof of the mailing date.



Private delivery services cannot deliver items to P.O. boxes. You must use the U.S. Postal Service to mail any item to an IRS P.O. box address.

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Deduction for—	<b>_</b> 40	Itemized deductions (from Schedule A) or your standard deduction (see left margin) .	40	ভা	
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All others:     Single or	47	Credit for child and dependent care expenses. Attach Form 2441			
Single or Married filing	48	Credit for the elderly or the disabled. Attach Schedule R			
separately, \$5,350	49	Education credits. Attach Form 8863			
Married filing	50	Residential energy credits. Attach Form 5695			
jointly or	51	Foreign tax credit Attach Form 1116 if required 51 (37)			
Qualifying widow(er),	52	Child tay credit (see page 39) Attach Form 8901 if required 52 (39)			
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	60	Additional tax on IRAs, other qualified retirement plans, etc. Attach Form 5329 if required .	61	(41)	
	61 62	Advance earned income credit payments from Form(s) W-2, box 9	62	(42)	
	63	Add lines 57 through 62. This is your total tax	63	(42)	
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Schedule EIC.	67	Excess social security and tier 1 BRTA tax withheld (see page 59) 67			
	68	Additional child tax credit. Attach Form 8812			
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See page 59	▶ b	Routing number <b>C</b> Type: □ Checking □ Savings	1.14		
and fill in 74b,		Account number			
74c, and 74d, or Form 8888.	75	Amount of line 73 you want applied to your 2008 estimated tax  75 60			
Amount	76	Amount you owe. Subtract line 72 from line 63. For details on how to pay, se-page 60 ►	76	60	
You Owe	77	Estimated tax penalty (see page 61)			
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Form **1040** (2007)

## Line Instructions for Form 1040

Name and Address

### **Use the Peel-Off Label**

Using your peel-off name and address label on the back of this booklet will speed the processing of your return. It also prevents common errors that can delay refunds or result in unnecessary notices. Put the label on your return after you have finished it. Cross out any incorrect information and print the correct information. Add any missing items, such as your apartment number.

### **Address Change**

If the address on your peel-off label is not your current address, cross out your old address and print your new address. If you plan to move after filing your return, use Form 8822 to notify the IRS of your new address.

### Name Change

If you changed your name because of marriage, divorce, etc., be sure to report the change to your local Social Security Administration office before filing your return. This prevents delays in processing your return and issuing refunds. It also safeguards your future social security benefits. See page 76 for more details. If you received a peel-off label, cross out your former name and print your new name.

## What if You Do Not Have a Label?

Print or type the information in the spaces provided. If you are married filing a separate return, enter your spouse's name on line 3 instead of below your name.



If you filed a joint return for 2006 and you are filing a joint return for 2007 with the same spouse, be sure to enter your

names and SSNs in the same order as on your 2006 return.

### P.O. Box

Enter your box number only if your post office does not deliver mail to your home.

IRS *e-file* takes the guesswork out of preparing your return. You may also be eligible to use Free File to file your federal income tax return. Visit *www.irs.gov/efile* for details.

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code.

### **Foreign Address**

Enter the information in the following order: City, province or state, and country. Follow the country's practice for entering the postal code. Do not abbreviate the country name.

### Death of a Taxpayer

See page 77.

### Social Security Number (SSN)

An incorrect or missing SSN can increase your tax or reduce your refund. To apply for an SSN, fill in Form SS-5 and return it, along with the appropriate evidence documents, to the Social Security Administration (SSA). You can get Form SS-5 online at *www.socialsecurity.gov*, from your local SSA office, or by calling the SSA at 1-800-772-1213. It usually takes about 2 weeks to get an SSN once the SSA has all the evidence and information it needs.

Check that your SSN on your Forms W-2 and 1099 agrees with your social security card. If not, see page 76 for more details.

#### IRS Individual Taxpayer Identification Numbers (ITINs) for Aliens

If you are a nonresident or resident alien and you do not have and are not eligible to get an SSN, you must apply for an ITIN. For details on how to do so, see Form W-7 and its instructions. It usually takes about 4-6 weeks to get an ITIN.

If you already have an ITIN, enter it wherever your SSN is requested on your tax return.

**Note.** An ITIN is for tax use only. It does not entitle you to social security benefits or change your employment or immigration status under U.S. law.

### **Nonresident Alien Spouse**

If your spouse is a nonresident alien, he or she must have either an SSN or an ITIN if:

• You file a joint return,

• You file a separate return and claim an exemption for your spouse, or

• Your spouse is filing a separate return.

## Presidential Election Campaign Fund

This fund helps pay for Presidential election campaigns. The fund reduces candidates' dependence on large contributions from individuals and groups and places candidates on an equal financial footing in the general election. If you want \$3 to go to this fund, check the box. If you are filing a joint return, your spouse can also have \$3 go to the fund. If you check a box, your tax or refund will not change.

## **Filing Status**

Check only the filing status that applies to you. The ones that will usually give you the lowest tax are listed last.

- Married filing separately.
- Single.
- Head of household.

• Married filing jointly or qualifying widow(er) with dependent child.



More than one filing status can apply to you. Choose the one that will give you the lowest tax.

### Line 1 Single

You can check the box on line 1 if any of the following was true on December 31, 2007.

• You were never married.

• You were legally separated, according to your state law, under a decree of divorce or separate maintenance.

• You were widowed before January 1, 2007, and did not remarry before the end of 2007. But if you have a dependent child, you may be able to use the qualifying widow(er) filing status. See the instructions for line 5 on page 14.

Need more information or forms? See page 82.

### Line 2 Married Filing Jointly

You can check the box on line 2 if any of the following apply.

• You were married at the end of 2007, even if you did not live with your spouse at the end of 2007.

• Your spouse died in 2007 and you did not remarry in 2007.

• You were married at the end of 2007, and your spouse died in 2008 before filing a 2007 return.

For federal tax purposes, a marriage means only a legal union between a man and a woman as husband and wife. A husband and wife filing jointly report their combined income and deduct their combined allowable expenses on one return. They can file a joint return even if only one had income or if they did not live together all year. However, both persons must sign the return. Once you file a joint return, you cannot choose to file separate returns for that year after the due date of the return.

Joint and several tax liability. If you file a joint return, both you and your spouse are generally responsible for the tax and any interest or penalties due on the return. This means that if one spouse does not pay the tax due, the other may have to. However, see *Innocent Spouse Relief* on page 76.

**Nonresident aliens and dual-status aliens.** Generally, a husband and wife cannot file a joint return if either spouse is a nonresident alien at any time during the year. However, if you were a nonresident alien or a dual-status alien and were married to a U.S. citizen or resident alien at the end of 2007, you may elect to be treated as a resident alien and file a joint return. See Pub. 519 for details.

### Line 3

### Married Filing Separately

If you are married and file a separate return, you will usually pay more tax than if you use another filing status for which you qualify. Also, if you file a separate return, you cannot take the student loan interest deduction, the tuition and fees deduction, the education credits, or the earned income credit. You also cannot take the standard deduction if your spouse itemizes deductions.

Generally, you report only your own income, exemptions, deductions, and credits. Different rules apply to people in community property states. See page 18.

Be sure to enter your spouse's SSN or ITIN on Form 1040 unless your spouse does not have and is not required to have an SSN or ITIN.



You may be able to file as head of household if you had a child living with you and you lived apart from your spouse during

the last 6 months of 2007. See Married persons who live apart on this page.

### Line 4 Head of Household

This filing status is for unmarried individuals who provide a home for certain other persons. (Some married persons who live apart are considered unmarried. See *Married persons who live apart* on this page. If you are married to a nonresident alien, you may also be considered unmarried. See *Nonresident alien spouse* on this page.) You can check the box on line 4 only if you were unmarried or legally separated (according to your state law) under a decree of divorce or separate maintenance at the end of 2007 and either *Test 1* or *Test 2* below applies.

**Test 1.** You paid over half the cost of keeping up a home that was the main home for all of 2007 of your parent whom you can claim as a dependent, except under a multiple support agreement (see page 17). Your parent did not have to live with you.

**Test 2.** You paid over half the cost of keeping up a home in which you lived and in which one of the following also lived for more than half of the year (if half or less, see *Exception to time lived with you* on this page).

1. Any person whom you can claim as a dependent. But do not include:

a. Your qualifying child (as defined in Step 1 on page 15) whom you claim as your dependent based on the rule for *Children of divorced or separated parents* that begins on page 16,

b. Any person who is your dependent only because he or she lived with you for all of 2007, or

c. Any person you claimed as a dependent under a multiple support agreement. See page 17.

2. Your unmarried qualifying child who is not your dependent.

3. Your married qualifying child who is not your dependent only because you can be claimed as a dependent on someone else's 2007 return.

4. Your child who is neither your dependent nor your qualifying child because of the rule for *Children of divorced or separated parents* that begins on page 16.

If the child is not your dependent, enter the child's name on line 4. If you do not enter the name, it will take us longer to process your return. **Dependent.** To find out if someone is your dependent, see the instructions for line 6c that begin on page 15.

**Exception to time lived with you.** Temporary absences for special circumstances, such as for school, vacation, medical care, military service, and detention in a juvenile facility, count as time lived in the home. If the person for whom you kept up a home was born or died in 2007, you can still file as head of household as long as the home was that person's main home for the part of the year he or she was alive. Also see *Kidnapped child* on page 17, if applicable.

**Keeping up a home.** To find out what is included in the cost of keeping up a home, see Pub. 501.

If you used payments you received under Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) or other public assistance programs to pay part of the cost of keeping up your home, you cannot count them as money you paid. However, you must include them in the total cost of keeping up your home to figure if you paid over half the cost.

**Married persons who live apart.** Even if you were not divorced or legally separated at the end of 2007, you are considered unmarried if all of the following apply.

• You lived apart from your spouse for the last 6 months of 2007. Temporary absences for special circumstances, such as for business, medical care, school, or military service, count as time lived in the home.

• You file a separate return from your spouse.

• You paid over half the cost of keeping up your home for 2007.

• Your home was the main home of your child, stepchild, or foster child for more than half of 2007 (if half or less, see *Exception to time lived with you* above).

• You can claim this child as your dependent or could claim the child except that the child's other parent can claim him or her under the rule for *Children of divorced* or separated parents that begins on page 16.

*Adopted child.* An adopted child is always treated as your own child. An adopted child includes a child lawfully placed with you for legal adoption.

*Foster child.* A foster child is any child placed with you by an authorized placement agency or by judgment, decree, or other order of any court of competent jurisdiction.

Nonresident alien spouse. You are considered unmarried for head of household filing status if your spouse was a nonresident alien at any time during the year and you do not choose to treat him or her as a resident alien. To claim head of household filing status, you must also meet *Test 1* or *Test 2* on this page.

### Line 5 Qualifying Widow(er) With Dependent Child

You can check the box on line 5 and use joint return tax rates for 2007 if all of the following apply.

• Your spouse died in 2005 or 2006 and you did not remarry before the end of 2007.

• You have a child or stepchild whom you claim as a dependent. This does not include a foster child.

• This child lived in your home for all of 2007. If the child did not live with you for the required time, see *Exception to time lived with you* on this page.

• You paid over half the cost of keeping up your home.

• You could have filed a joint return with your spouse the year he or she died, even if you did not actually do so.

If your spouse died in 2007, you cannot file as qualifying widow(er) with dependent child. Instead, see the instructions for line 2 on page 13.

Adopted child. An adopted child is always treated as your own child. An adopted child includes a child lawfully placed with you for legal adoption.

**Dependent.** To find out if someone is your dependent, see the instructions for line 6c that begin on page 15.

**Exception to time lived with you.** Temporary absences for special circumstances, such as for school, vacation, medical care, military service, and detention in a juvenile facility, count as time lived in the home. A child is considered to have lived with you for all of 2007 if the child was born or died in 2007 and your home was the child's home for the entire time he or she was alive. Also see *Kidnapped child* on page 17, if applicable.

Keeping up a home. To find out what is included in the cost of keeping up a home, see Pub. 501.

If you used payments you received under Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) or other public assistance programs to pay part of the cost of keeping up your home, you cannot count them as money you paid. However, you must include them in the total cost of keeping up your home to figure if you paid over half the cost.

### **Exemptions**

You usually can deduct \$3,400 on line 42 for each exemption you can take.

### Line 6b

#### Spouse

Check the box on line 6b if either of the following applies.

1. Your filing status is married filing jointly and your spouse cannot be claimed as a dependent on another person's return.

2. You were married at the end of 2007, your filing status is married filing separately or head of household, and both of the following apply.

a. Your spouse had no income and is not filing a return.

b. Your spouse cannot be claimed as a dependent on another person's return.

If your filing status is head of household and you check the box on line 6b, enter the name of your spouse on the dotted line next to line 6b. Also, enter your spouse's social security number in the space provided at the top of your return.

 $\square$  No. Go to Step 4 on page

1. Do you have a child who meets the conditions to be your

16.

Is Your Qualifying Child Your

qualifying child?

Step 2

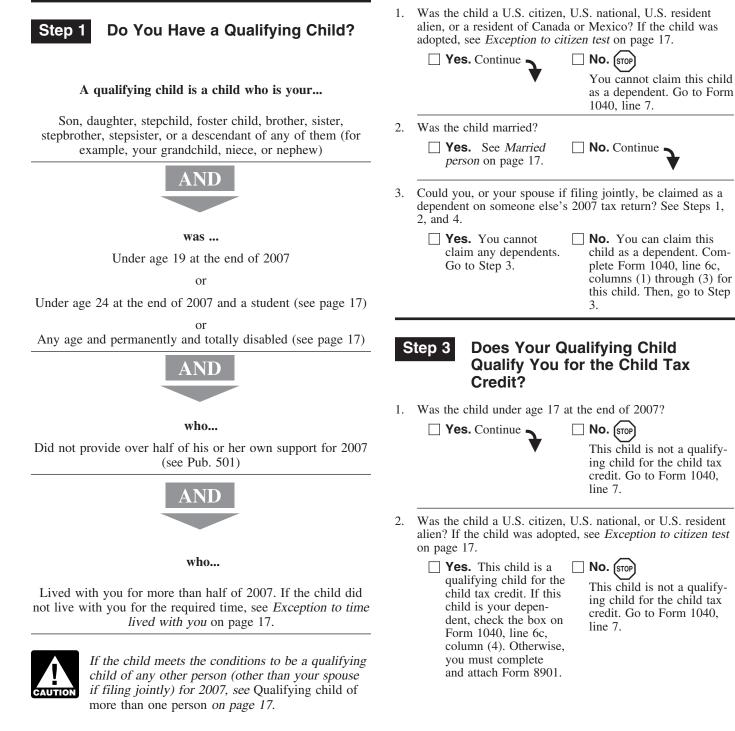
**Yes.** Go to Step 2.

**Dependent?** 

### Line 6c—Dependents

# Dependents and Qualifying Child for Child Tax Credit

Follow the steps below to find out if a person qualifies as your dependent, qualifies you to take the child tax credit, or both. If you have more than four dependents, attach a statement to your return with the required information.



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# Step 4 Is Your Qualifying Relative Your Dependent?

#### A qualifying relative is a person who is your...

Son, daughter, stepchild, foster child, or a descendant of any of them (for example, your grandchild)

or

Brother, sister, or a son or daughter of either of them (for example, your niece or nephew)

or

Father, mother, or an ancestor or sibling of either of them (for example, your grandmother, grandfather, aunt, or uncle)

or

Stepbrother, stepsister, stepfather, stepmother, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, father-in-law, mother-in-law, brother-in-law, or sister-in-law

or

Any other person (other than your spouse) who lived with you all year as a member of your household if your relationship did not violate local law. If the person did not live with you for the required time, see *Exception to time lived with you* on page 17



#### who was not ...

A qualifying child (see Step 1) of any taxpayer for 2007 (see Pub. 501 if the child lived in Canada or Mexico)



#### who...

Had gross income of less than \$3,400 in 2007. If the person was permanently and totally disabled, see *Exception to gross income test* on page 17



#### For whom you provided...

Over half of his or her support in 2007. But see the special rule for *Children of divorced or separated parents* that begins on this page, *Multiple support agreements* on page 17, and *Kidnapped child* on page 17.

1. Does any person meet the conditions to be your qualifying relative?

2. Was your qualifying relative a U.S. citizen, U.S. national, U.S. resident alien, or a resident of Canada or Mexico? If your qualifying relative was adopted, see *Exception to the citizen test* on page 17.

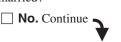
**Yes.** Continue

NO. STOP

You cannot claim this person as a dependent. Go to Form 1040, line 7.

3. Was your qualifying relative married?

**Yes.** See *Married person* on page 17.



- 4. Could you, or your spouse if filing jointly, be claimed as a dependent on someone else's 2007 tax return? See Steps 1, 2, and 4.
  - You cannot claim any

dependents. Go to

Form 1040. line 7.

No. You can claim this person as a dependent. Complete Form 1040, line 6c, columns (1) through (3). Do not check the box on Form 1040, line 6c, column (4).

### **Definitions and Special Rules**

Adopted child. An adopted child is always treated as your own child. An adopted child includes a child lawfully placed with you for legal adoption.

Adoption taxpayer identification numbers (ATINs). If you have a dependent who was placed with you for legal adoption and you do not know his or her SSN, you must get an ATIN for the dependent from the IRS. See Form W-7A for details.

**Children of divorced or separated parents.** A child will be treated as being the qualifying child or qualifying relative of his or her noncustodial parent (the parent with whom the child lived for the lesser part of 2007) if all of the following conditions apply.

- 1. The parents are divorced, legally separated, separated under a written separation agreement, or lived apart at all times during the last 6 months of 2007.
- 2. The child received over half of his or her support for 2007 from the parents (without regard to the rules on *Multiple support agreements* on page 17). Support of a child received from a parent's spouse is treated as provided by the parent.
- 3. The child is in custody of one or both of the parents for more than half of 2007.
- 4. Either of the following applies.
- a. The custodial parent signs Form 8332 or a substantially similar statement that he or she will not claim the child as a dependent for 2007, and the noncustodial parent attaches the form or statement to his or her return. If the divorce decree or separation agreement went into effect after 1984, the noncustodial parent can attach certain pages from the decree or agreement instead of Form 8332. See *Post-1984 decree or agreement* on page 17.
- b. A pre-1985 decree of divorce or separate maintenance or written separation agreement between the parents provides that the noncustodial parent can claim the child as a dependent, and the noncustodial parent provides at least \$600 for support of the child during 2007.

If conditions (1) through (4) apply, only the noncustodial parent can claim the child for purposes of the dependency exemption (line 6c) and the child tax credits (lines 52 and 68). However, this special rule does not apply to head of household filing status, the credit for child and dependent care expenses, the exclusion for dependent care benefits, or the earned income credit. See Pub. 501 for details.

*Post-1984 decree or agreement.* The decree or agreement must state all three of the following.

- 1. The noncustodial parent can claim the child as a dependent without regard to any condition, such as payment of support.
- 2. The other parent will not claim the child as a dependent.
- 3. The years for which the claim is released.

The noncustodial parent must attach all of the following pages from the decree or agreement.

- Cover page (include the other parent's SSN on that page).
- The pages that include all the information identified in (1) through (3) above.
- Signature page with the other parent's signature and date of agreement.



You must attach the required information even if you filed it with your return in an earlier year.

**Exception to citizen test.** If you are a U.S. citizen or U.S. national and your adopted child lived with you all year as a member of your household, that child meets the citizen test.

**Exception to gross income test.** If your relative (including a person who lived with you all year as a member of your household) is permanently and totally disabled (defined on this page), certain income for services performed at a sheltered workshop may be excluded for this test. For details, see Pub. 501.

**Exception to time lived with you.** A person is considered to have lived with you for all of 2007 if the person was born or died in 2007 and your home was this person's home for the entire time he or she was alive. Temporary absences for special circumstances, such as for school, vacation, medical care, military service, or detention in a juvenile facility, count as time lived with you. Also see *Children of divorced or separated parents* that begins on page 16 or *Kidnapped child* below.

**Foster child.** A foster child is any child placed with you by an authorized placement agency or by judgment, decree, or other order of any court of competent jurisdiction.

**Kidnapped child.** If your child is presumed by law enforcement authorities to have been kidnapped by someone who is not a family member, you may be able to take the child into account in determining your eligibility for head of household or qualifying widow(er) filing status, the deduction for dependents, child tax credit, and the earned income credit (EIC). For details, see Pub. 501 (Pub. 596 for the EIC).

**Married person.** If the person is married, you cannot claim that person as your dependent if he or she files a joint return. But this rule does not apply if the return is filed only as a claim for refund and no tax liability would exist for either spouse if they had filed separate returns. If the person meets this exception, go to Step 2, question 3, on page 15 (for a qualifying child) or Step 4, question 4, on page 16 (for a qualifying relative). If the person does not meet this exception, go to Step 3 on page 15 (for a qualifying child) or Form 1040, line 7 (for a qualifying relative).

**Multiple support agreements.** If no one person contributed over half of the support of your relative (including a person who lived with you all year as a member of your household) but you and another person(s) provided more than half of your relative's support, special rules may apply that would treat you as having provided over half of the support. For details, see Pub. 501.

**Permanently and totally disabled.** A person is permanently and totally disabled if, at any time in 2007, the person cannot engage in any substantial gainful activity because of a physical or mental condition and a doctor has determined that this condition has lasted or can be expected to last continuously for at least a year or can be expected to lead to death.

**Qualifying child of more than one person.** If the child is the qualifying child of more than one person, only one person can claim the child as a qualifying child for all of the following tax benefits, unless the special rule for *Children of divorced or separated parents* beginning on page 16 applies.

- 1. Dependency exemption (line 6c).
- 2. Child tax credits (lines 52 and 68).
- 3. Head of household filing status (line 4).
- 4. Credit for child and dependent care expenses (line 47).
- 5. Exclusion for dependent care benefits (Form 2441, Part III).
- 6. Earned income credit (lines 66a and 66b).

No other person can take any of the six tax benefits listed above unless he or she has a different qualifying child. If you and any other person claim the child as a qualifying child, the IRS will apply the following rules.

- If only one of the persons is the child's parent, the child will be treated as the qualifying child of the parent.
- If two of the persons are the child's parents, the child will be treated as the qualifying child of the parent with whom the child lived for the longer period of time in 2007. If the child lived with each parent for the same amount of time, the child will be treated as the qualifying child of the parent who had the higher adjusted gross income (AGI) for 2007.
- If none of the persons are the child's parent, the child will be treated as the qualifying child of the person who had the highest AGI for 2007.

**Example.** Your daughter meets the conditions to be a qualifying child for both you and your mother. If you and your mother both claim tax benefits based on the child, the rules above apply. Under these rules, you are entitled to treat your daughter as a qualifying child for all of the six tax benefits listed above for which you otherwise qualify. Your mother would not be entitled to take any of the six tax benefits listed above unless she has a different qualifying child.

If you will be claiming the child as a qualifying child, go to Step 2 on page 15. Otherwise, stop; you cannot claim any benefits based on this child. Go to Form 1040, line 7.

**Social security number.** You must enter each dependent's social security number (SSN). Be sure the name and SSN entered agree with the dependent's social security card. Otherwise, at the time we process your return, we may disallow the exemption claimed for the dependent and reduce or disallow any other tax benefits (such as the child tax credit) based on that dependent. If the name or SSN on the dependent's social security card is not correct, call the Social Security Administration at 1-800-772-1213. For details on how your dependent can get an SSN, see page 12. If your dependent will not have a number by the date your return is due, see *What if You Cannot File on Time*? on page 6.

If your dependent child was born and died in 2007 and you do not have an SSN for the child, you can attach a copy of the child's birth certificate instead and enter "Died" in column (2).

**Student.** A student is a child who during any part of 5 calendar months of 2007 was enrolled as a full-time student at a school, or took a full-time, on-farm training course given by a school or a state, county, or local government agency. A school includes a technical, trade, or mechanical school. It does not include an on-the-job training course, correspondence school, or school offering courses only through the Internet.

### Income

#### **Foreign-Source Income**

You must report unearned income, such as interest, dividends, and pensions, from sources outside the United States unless exempt by law or a tax treaty. You must also report earned income, such as wages and tips, from sources outside the United States.

If you worked abroad, you may be able to exclude part or all of your earned income. For details, see Pub. 54 and Form 2555 or 2555-EZ.

**Foreign retirement plans.** If you were a beneficiary of a foreign retirement plan, you may have to report the undistributed income earned in your plan. However, if you were the beneficiary of a Canadian registered retirement plan, see Form 8891 to find out if you can elect to defer tax on the undistributed income.

Report distributions from foreign pension plans on lines 16a and 16b.

## Chapter 11 Bankruptcy Cases

If you are a debtor in a chapter 11 bankruptcy case that was filed on or after October 17, 2005, income taxable to the bankruptcy estate and reported on the estate's income tax return includes:

• Earnings from services you performed after the beginning of the case (both wages and self-employment income), and

• Income from property described in section 541 of title 11 of the U.S. Code that you either owned when the case began or that you acquired after the case began and before the case was closed, dismissed, or converted to a case under a different chapter.

Because this income is taxable to the estate, do not include this income on your own individual income tax return. The only exception is for purposes of figuring your self-employment tax. For that purpose, you must take into account all your self-employment income for the year from services performed both before and after the beginning of the case. Also, you (or the trustee, if one is appointed) must allocate between you and the bankruptcy estate the wages, salary, or other compensation and withheld income tax reported to you on Form W-2. A similar allocation is required for income and withheld income tax reported to you on Forms 1099. You must also attach a statement to your tax return that indicates you filed a chapter 11 case and that explains how income and withheld income tax reported to you on Forms W-2 and 1099 are allocated between you and the estate. For more details, including acceptable allocation methods, see Notice 2006-83, 2006-40

I.R.B. 596, available at www.irs.gov/irb/2006-40\_IRB/ar12.html.

### **Community Property States**

Community property states are Arizona, California, Idaho, Louisiana, Nevada, New Mexico, Texas, Washington, and Wisconsin. If you and your spouse lived in a community property state, you must usually follow state law to determine what is community income and what is separate income. For details, see Pub. 555.

**California domestic partners.** A registered domestic partner in California must report all wages, salaries, and other compensation received for his or her personal services on his or her own return. Therefore, a registered domestic partner cannot report half the combined income earned by the individual and his or her domestic partner as a married person filing separately does in California.

## Rounding Off to Whole Dollars

You can round off cents to whole dollars on your return and schedules. If you do round to whole dollars, you must round all amounts. To round, drop amounts under 50 cents and increase amounts from 50 to 99 cents to the next dollar. For example, \$1.39 becomes \$1 and \$2.50 becomes \$3.

If you have to add two or more amounts to figure the amount to enter on a line, include cents when adding the amounts and round off only the total.

### Line 7 Wages, Salaries, Tips, etc.

Enter the total of your wages, salaries, tips, etc. If a joint return, also include your spouse's income. For most people, the amount to enter on this line should be shown in box 1 of their Form(s) W-2. But the following types of income must also be included in the total on line 7.

• Wages received as a household employee for which you did not receive a Form W-2 because your employer paid you less than \$1,500 in 2007. Also, enter "HSH" and the amount not reported on Form W-2 on the dotted line next to line 7.

• Tip income you did not report to your employer. Also include allocated tips shown on your Form(s) W-2 unless you can prove that you received less. Allocated tips should be shown in box 8 of your Form(s) W-2. They are not included as income in box 1. See Pub. 531 for more details.



You may owe social security and Medicare tax on unreported or allocated tips. See the instructions for line 59 on • Dependent care benefits, which should be shown in box 10 of your Form(s) W-2. But first complete Form 2441 to see if you can exclude part or all of the benefits.

• Employer-provided adoption benefits, which should be shown in box 12 of your Form(s) W-2 with code T. But see the Instructions for Form 8839 to find out if you can exclude part or all of the benefits. You may also be able to exclude amounts if you adopted a child with special needs and the adoption became final in 2007.

• Scholarship and fellowship grants not reported on Form W-2. Also, enter "SCH" and the amount on the dotted line next to line 7. However, if you were a degree candidate, include on line 7 only the amounts you used for expenses other than tuition and course-related expenses. For example, amounts used for room, board, and travel must be reported on line 7.

• Excess salary deferrals. The amount deferred should be shown in box 12 of your Form W-2, and the "Retirement plan" box in box 13 should be checked. If the total amount you (or your spouse if filing jointly) deferred for 2007 under all plans was more than \$15,500 (excluding catch-up contributions as explained below), include the excess on line 7. This limit is (a) \$10,500 if you only have SIMPLE plans, or (b) \$18,500 for section 403(b) plans if you qualify for the 15-year rule in Pub. 571. Although designated Roth contributions are subject to this limit, do not include the excess attributable to such contributions on line 7. They are already included as income in box 1 of your Form W-2.

A higher limit may apply to participants in section 457(b) deferred compensation plans for the 3 years before retirement age. Contact your plan administrator for more information.

If you were age 50 or older at the end of 2007, your employer may have allowed an additional deferral (catch-up contributions) of up to \$5,000 (\$2,500 for section 401(k)(11) and SIMPLE plans). This additional deferral amount is not subject to the overall limit on elective deferrals.



You cannot deduct the amount deferred. It is not included as income in box 1 of your Form W-2.

• Disability pensions shown on Form 1099-R if you have not reached the minimum retirement age set by your employer. Disability pensions received after you reach that age and other payments shown on Form 1099-R (other than payments from an IRA\*) are reported on lines 16a and 16b. Payments from an IRA are reported on lines 15a and 15b.

• Corrective distributions from a retirement plan shown on Form 1099-R of ex-

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cess salary deferrals and excess contributions (plus earnings). But do not include distributions from an IRA\* on line 7. Instead, report distributions from an IRA on lines 15a and 15b.

• Wages from Form 8919, line 6.

\*This includes a Roth, SEP, or SIMPLE IRA.

#### Were You a Statutory Employee?

If you were, the "Statutory employee" box in box 13 of your Form W-2 should be checked. Statutory employees include full-time life insurance salespeople, certain agent or commission drivers and traveling salespeople, and certain homeworkers. If you have related business expenses to deduct, report the amount shown in box 1 of your Form W-2 on Schedule C or C-EZ along with your expenses.

#### Missing or Incorrect Form W-2?

Your employer is required to provide or send Form W-2 to you no later than January 31, 2008. If you do not receive it by early February, use TeleTax topic 154 (see page 79) to find out what to do. Even if vou do not get a Form W-2, you must still report your earnings on line 7. If you lose your Form W-2 or it is incorrect, ask your employer for a new one.

### Line 8a

#### **Taxable Interest**

Each payer should send you a Form 1099-INT or Form 1099-OID. Enter your total taxable interest income on line 8a. But you must fill in and attach Schedule B if the total is over \$1,500 or any of the other conditions listed at the beginning of the Schedule B instructions (see page B-1) apply to you.

Interest credited in 2007 on deposits that you could not withdraw because of the bankruptcy or insolvency of the financial institution may not have to be included in vour 2007 income. For details, see Pub. 550.



If you get a 2007 Form 1099-INT for U.S. savings bond interest that includes amounts you reported before 2007, see Pub. 550.

### Line 8b

#### **Tax-Exempt Interest**

If you received any tax-exempt interest, such as from municipal bonds, each payer should send you a Form 1099-INT. Your tax-exempt interest, plus any exempt-interest dividends from a mutual fund or other regulated investment company, should be included in box 8 of Form 1099-INT. Enter

the total on line 8b. Do not include interest earned on your IRA or Coverdell education savings account.

### Line 9a **Ordinary Dividends**

Each payer should send you a Form 1099-DIV. Enter your total ordinary dividends on line 9a. This amount should be shown in box 1a of Form(s) 1099-DIV.

You must fill in and attach Schedule B if the total is over \$1,500 or you received, as a nominee, ordinary dividends that actually belong to someone else.

#### Nondividend Distributions

Some distributions are a return of your cost (or other basis). They will not be taxed until you recover your cost (or other basis). You must reduce your cost (or other basis) by these distributions. After you get back all of your cost (or other basis), you must report these distributions as capital gains on Schedule D. For details, see Pub. 550.



Dividends on insurance policies are a partial return of the premiums you paid. Do not report them as dividends. Include them in income on line 21 only if they

exceed the total of all net premiums you paid for the contract.

### Line 9b Qualified Dividends

Enter your total qualified dividends on line 9b. Qualified dividends are eligible for a lower tax rate than other ordinary income. Generally, these dividends are shown in box 1b of Form(s) 1099-DIV. See Pub. 550 for the definition of qualified dividends if you received dividends not reported on Form 1099-DIV.

Exception. Some dividends may be reported as qualified dividends in box 1b of Form 1099-DIV but are not qualified dividends. These include:

 Dividends you received as a nominee. See the Instructions for Schedule B.

• Dividends you received on any share of stock that you held for less than 61 days during the 121-day period that began 60 days before the ex-dividend date. The ex-dividend date is the first date following the declaration of a dividend on which the purchaser of a stock is not entitled to receive the next dividend payment. When counting the number of days you held the stock, include the day you disposed of the stock but not the day you acquired it. See the examples on this page. Also, when counting the number of days you held the stock, you cannot count certain days during

which your risk of loss was diminished. See Pub. 550 for more details.

• Dividends attributable to periods totaling more than 366 days that you received on any share of preferred stock held for less than 91 days during the 181-day period that began 90 days before the ex-dividend date. When counting the number of days you held the stock, you cannot count certain days during which your risk of loss was diminished. See Pub. 550 for more details. Preferred dividends attributable to periods totaling less than 367 days are subject to the 61-day holding period rule on this page.

• Dividends on any share of stock to the extent that you are under an obligation (including a short sale) to make related payments with respect to positions in substantially similar or related property.

• Payments in lieu of dividends, but only if you know or have reason to know that the payments are not qualified dividends.

Example 1. You bought 5,000 shares of XYZ Corp. common stock on June 28, 2007. XYZ Corp. paid a cash dividend of 10 cents per share. The ex-dividend date was July 6, 2007. Your Form 1099-DIV from XYZ Corp. shows \$500 in box 1a (ordinary dividends) and in box 1b (qualified dividends). However, you sold the 5,000 shares on August 1, 2007. You held your shares of XYZ Corp. for only 34 days of the 121-day period (from June 29, 2007, through August 1, 2007). The 121-day period began on May 7, 2007 (60 days before the ex-dividend date), and ended on September 4, 2007. You have no qualified dividends from XYZ Corp. because you held the XYZ stock for less than 61 days.

**Example 2.** Assume the same facts as in Example 1 except that you bought the stock on July 5, 2007 (the day before the ex-dividend date), and you sold the stock on September 6, 2007. You held the stock for 63 days (from July 6, 2007, through September 6, 2007). The \$500 of qualified dividends shown in box 1b of Form 1099-DIV are all qualified dividends because you held the stock for 61 days of the 121-day period (from July 6, 2007, through September 4, 2007).

Example 3. You bought 10,000 shares of ABC Mutual Fund common stock on June 28, 2007. ABC Mutual Fund paid a cash dividend of 10 cents a share. The ex-dividend date was July 6, 2007. The ABC Mutual Fund advises you that the portion of the dividend eligible to be treated as qualified dividends equals 2 cents per share. Your Form 1099-DIV from ABC Mutual Fund shows total ordinary dividends of \$1,000 and qualified dividends of \$200. However, you sold the 10,000 shares on August 1, 2007. You have no qualified dividends from ABC Mutual Fund because you held the ABC Mutual Fund stock for less than 61 days.



Be sure you use the Qualified Dividends and Capital Gain Tax Worksheet or the

Schedule D Tax Worksheet, whichever applies, to figure your tax. Your tax may be less if you use the worksheet that applies. See the instructions for line 44 that begin on page 33 for details.

### Line 10

#### Taxable Refunds, Credits, or Offsets of State and Local **Income Taxes**



None of your refund is taxable if, in the year you paid the tax, you either (a) did not itemize deductions, or (b) elected to de-

duct state and local general sales taxes instead of state and local income taxes.

If you received a refund, credit, or offset of state or local income taxes in 2007, you may receive a Form 1099-G. If you chose to apply part or all of the refund to your 2007 estimated state or local income tax, the amount applied is treated as received in 2007. If the refund was for a tax you paid in 2006 and you deducted state and local income taxes on line 5 of your 2006 Schedule A, use the worksheet below to see if any of your refund is taxable.

Exception. See Itemized Deduction Recoveries in Pub. 525 instead of using the worksheet below if any of the following applies.

1. You received a refund in 2007 that is for a tax year other than 2006.

2. You received a refund other than an income tax refund, such as a general sales tax or real property tax refund, in 2007 of an amount deducted or credit claimed in an earlier year.

3. The amount on your 2006 Form 1040, line 42, was more than the amount on your 2006 Form 1040, line 41.

4. Your 2006 state and local income tax refund is more than your 2006 state and local income tax deduction minus the amount you could have deducted as your 2006 state and local general sales taxes.

5. You made your last payment of 2006 estimated state or local income tax in 2007.

6. You owed alternative minimum tax in 2006.

7. You could not deduct the full amount of credits you were entitled to in 2006 because the total credits exceeded the amount shown on your 2006 Form 1040, line 46.

8. You could be claimed as a dependent by someone else in 2006.

9. You had to use the Itemized Deductions Worksheet in the 2006 Instructions for Schedules A&B because your 2006 adjusted gross income was over \$150,500 (\$75,250 if married filing separately) and both of the following apply.

a. You could not deduct all of the amount on the 2006 Itemized Deductions Worksheet, line 1.

b. The amount on line 8 of that 2006 worksheet would be more than the amount on line 4 of that worksheet if the amount on line 4 were reduced by 80% of the refund you received in 2007.

Sta	ate and Local Income Tax Refund Worksheet—Line 10 Keep for Your Records
E	<b>Before you begin:</b> $\checkmark$ Be sure you have read the <b>Exception</b> above to see if you can use this worksheet instead of Pub. 525 to figure if any of your refund is taxable.
	Enter the income tax refund from <b>Form(s) 1099-G</b> (or similar statement). But <b>do not</b> enter more than the amount of your state and local income taxes shown on your 2006 Schedule A, line 5 <b>1</b> Enter your total allowable itemized deductions from your 2006 Schedule A, line 28 2
	<b>Note.</b> If the filing status on your 2006 Form 1040 was married filing separately and your spouse itemized deductions in 2006, skip lines 3, 4, and 5, and enter the amount from line 2 on line 6.
3.	Enter the amount shown below for the filing status claimed on your <b>2006</b> Form 1040. <ul> <li>Single or married filing separately— \$5,150</li> <li>Married filing jointly or qualifying widow(er)— \$10,300</li> <li>Head of household— \$7,550</li> </ul>
4.	Did you fill in line 39a on your 2006 Form 1040?  No. Enter -0  Yes. Multiply the number in the box on line 39a of your 2006 Form 1040 by \$1,000 (\$1,250 if your 2006 filing status was single or head of household).  4.
5.	Add lines 3 and 4
6.	Is the amount on line 5 less than the amount on line 2?
	<b>No.</b> None of your refund is taxable.
	<b>Yes.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 2
7.	Taxable part of your refund. Enter the smaller of line 1 or line 6 here and on Form 1040, line 10 7.

### Line 11 Alimony Received

Enter amounts received as alimony or separate maintenance. You must let the person who made the payments know your social security number. If you do not, you may have to pay a \$50 penalty. For more details, see Pub. 504.

### Line 12

#### **Business Income or (Loss)**

If you operated a business or practiced your profession as a sole proprietor, report your income and expenses on Schedule C or C-EZ.

### Line 13

#### Capital Gain or (Loss)

If you had a capital gain or loss, including any capital gain distributions or a capital loss carryover from 2006, you must complete and attach Schedule D.

**Exception.** You do not have to file Schedule D if both of the following apply.

• The only amounts you have to report on Schedule D are capital gain distributions from Form(s) 1099-DIV, box 2a, or substitute statements.

• None of the Form(s) 1099-DIV or substitute statements have an amount in box 2b (unrecaptured section 1250 gain), box 2c (section 1202 gain), or box 2d (collectibles (28%) gain).

If both of the above apply, enter your total capital gain distributions (from box 2a of Form(s) 1099-DIV) on line 13 and check the box on that line. If you received capital gain distributions as a nominee (that is, they were paid to you but actually belong to someone else), report on line 13 only the amount that belongs to you. Attach a statement showing the full amount you received as a nominee. See the Instructions for Schedule B for filing requirements for Forms 1099-DIV and 1096.



If you do not have to file Schedule D, use the Qualified Dividends and Capital Gain Tax Worksheet on page 35 to figure

your tax. Your tax is usually less if you use this worksheet.

### Line 14 Other Gains or (Losses)

If you sold or exchanged assets used in a trade or business, see the Instructions for Form 4797.

### Lines 15a and 15b IRA Distributions

You should receive a Form 1099-R showing the amount of any distribution from your IRA. Unless otherwise noted in the line 15a and 15b instructions, an IRA includes a traditional IRA, Roth IRA, simplified employee pension (SEP) IRA, and a savings incentive match plan for employees (SIMPLE) IRA. Except as provided below, leave line 15a blank and enter the total distribution on line 15b.

**Exception 1.** Enter the total distribution on line 15a if you rolled over part or all of the distribution from one:

• IRA to another IRA of the same type (for example, from one traditional IRA to another traditional IRA), or

• SEP or SIMPLE IRA to a traditional IRA.

Also, enter "Rollover" next to line 15b. If the total distribution was rolled over in a qualified rollover, enter -0- on line 15b. If the total distribution was not rolled over in a qualified rollover, enter the part not rolled over on line 15b unless *Exception 2* applies to the part not rolled over. Generally, a qualified rollover must be made within 60 days after the day you received the distribution. For more details on rollovers, see Pub. 590.

If you rolled over the distribution into a qualified plan other than an IRA or you made the rollover in 2008, attach a statement explaining what you did.

**Exception 2.** If any of the following apply, enter the total distribution on line 15a and see Form 8606 and its instructions to figure the amount to enter on line 15b.

1. You received a distribution from an IRA (other than a Roth IRA) and you made nondeductible contributions to any of your traditional or SEP IRAs for 2007 or an earlier year. If you made nondeductible contributions to these IRAs for 2007, also see Pub. 590.

2. You received a distribution from a Roth IRA. But if either (a) or (b) below applies, enter -0- on line 15b; you do not have to see Form 8606 or its instructions.

a. Distribution code T is shown in box 7 of Form 1099-R and you made a contribution (including a conversion) to a Roth IRA for 2002 or an earlier year.

b. Distribution code Q is shown in box 7 of Form 1099-R.

3. You converted part or all of a traditional, SEP, or SIMPLE IRA to a Roth IRA in 2007.

4. You had a 2006 or 2007 IRA contribution returned to you, with the related earnings or less any loss, by the due date

(including extensions) of your tax return for that year.

5. You made excess contributions to your IRA for an earlier year and had them returned to you in 2007.

6. You recharacterized part or all of a contribution to a Roth IRA as a traditional IRA contribution, or vice versa.

**Exception 3.** If the distribution is a qualified charitable distribution (QCD), enter the total distribution on line 15a. If the total amount distributed is a QCD, enter -0- on line 15b. If only part of the distribution is a QCD, enter the part that is not a QCD on line 15b unless *Exception 2* applies to that part. Enter "QCD" next to line 15b.

A QCD is a distribution made directly by the trustee of your IRA (other than a SEP or SIMPLE IRA) to an organization eligible to receive tax-deductible contributions (with certain exceptions). You must have been at least age 701/2 when the distribution was made. Your total QCDs for the year cannot be more than \$100,000. (On a joint return, your spouse can also have a QCD of up to \$100,000.) The amount of the QCD is limited to the amount that would otherwise be included in your income. If your IRA includes nondeductible contributions, the distribution is first considered to be paid out of otherwise taxable income. See Pub. 590 for details.



You cannot claim a charitable contribution deduction for any QCD not included in your income.

**Exception 4.** If the distribution is a qualified health savings account (HSA) funding distribution (HFD), enter the total distribution on line 15a. If the total amount distributed is an HFD and you elect to exclude it from income, enter -0- on line 15b. If only part of the distribution is an HFD and you elect to exclude that part from income, enter the part that is not an HFD on line 15b unless *Exception 2* applies to that part. Enter "HFD" next to line 15b.

An HFD is a distribution made directly by the trustee of your IRA (other than a SEP or SIMPLE IRA) to your HSA. If eligible, you generally can elect to exclude an HFD from your income once in your lifetime. You cannot exclude more than the limit on HSA contributions or more than the amount that would otherwise be included in your income. If your IRA includes nondeductible contributions, the HFD is first considered to be paid out of otherwise taxable income. See Pub. 590 for details.



The amount of an HFD reduces the amount you can contribute to your HSA for the year. If you fail to maintain eligibility for an

HSA for the 12 months following the month of the HFD, you may have to report

the HFD as income and pay an additional tax. See Form 8889, Part III.

**Note.** If you (or your spouse if filing jointly) received more than one distribution, figure the taxable amount of each distribution and enter the total of the taxable amounts on line 15b. Enter the total amount of those distributions on line 15a.



You may have to pay an additional tax if (a) you received an early distribution from your IRA and the total was not rolled

over, or (b) you were born before July 1, 1936, and received less than the minimum required distribution from your traditional, SEP, and SIMPLE IRAs. See the instructions for line 60 that begin on page 41 for details.

### Lines 16a and 16b

#### **Pensions and Annuities**

You should receive a Form 1099-R showing the amount of your pension and annuity payments, including distributions from 401(k) and 403(b) plans. See this page and page 23 for details on rollovers and lump-sum distributions. Do not include the following payments on lines 16a and 16b. Instead, report them on line 7.

• Disability pensions received before you reach the minimum retirement age set by your employer.

• Corrective distributions (including any earnings) of excess salary deferrals or excess contributions to retirement plans. The plan must advise you of the year(s) the distributions are includible in income.



Attach Form(s) 1099-R to Form 1040 if any federal income tax was withheld.

## Fully Taxable Pensions and Annuities

If your pension or annuity is fully taxable, enter it on line 16b; do not make an entry on line 16a. Your payments are fully taxable if (a) you did not contribute to the cost (see this page) of your pension or annuity, or (b) you got your entire cost back tax free before 2007. But see *Insurance Premiums for Retired Public Safety Officers* on this page.

Fully taxable pensions and annuities also include military retirement pay shown on Form 1099-R. For details on military disability pensions, see Pub. 525. If you received a Form RRB-1099-R, see Pub. 575 to find out how to report your benefits.

## Partially Taxable Pensions and Annuities

Enter the total pension or annuity payments you received in 2007 on line 16a. If your Form 1099-R does not show the taxable amount, you must use the General Rule explained in Pub. 939 to figure the taxable part to enter on line 16b. But if your annuity starting date (defined below) was after July 1, 1986, see *Simplified Method* below to find out if you must use that method to figure the taxable part.

You can ask the IRS to figure the taxable part for you for a \$380 fee. For details, see Pub. 939.

If your Form 1099-R shows a taxable amount, you can report that amount on line 16b. But you may be able to report a lower taxable amount by using the General Rule or the Simplified Method or if the exclusion for retired public safety officers, discussed next, applies.

## Insurance Premiums for Retired Public Safety Officers

If you are an eligible retired public safety officer (law enforcement officer, firefighter, chaplain, or member of a rescue squad or ambulance crew), you can elect to exclude from income distributions made from your eligible retirement plan that are used to pay the premiums for accident or health insurance or long-term care insurance. The premiums can be for coverage for you, your spouse, or dependents. The distribution must be made directly from the plan to the insurance provider. You can exclude from income the smaller of the amount of the insurance premiums or \$3,000. You can only make this election for amounts that would otherwise be included in your income.

An eligible retirement plan is a governmental plan that is:

- a qualified trust,
- a section 403(a) plan,
- a section 403(b) annuity, or
- a section 457(b) plan.

If you make this election, reduce the otherwise taxable amount of your pension or annuity by the amount excluded. The amount shown in box 2a of Form 1099-R does not reflect the exclusion. Report your total distributions on line 16a and the taxable amount on line 16b. Enter "PSO" next to line 16b.

#### **Annuity Starting Date**

Your annuity starting date is the later of the first day of the first period for which you received a payment or the date the plan's obligations became fixed.

#### **Simplified Method**

You must use the Simplified Method if either of the following applies.

1. Your annuity starting date (defined above) was after July 1, 1986, and you used this method last year to figure the taxable part.

2. Your annuity starting date was after November 18, 1996, and both of the following apply.

a. The payments are from a qualified employee plan, a qualified employee annuity, or a tax-sheltered annuity.

b. On your annuity starting date, either you were under age 75 or the number of years of guaranteed payments was fewer than 5. See Pub. 575 for the definition of guaranteed payments.

If you must use the Simplified Method, complete the worksheet on page 23 to figure the taxable part of your pension or annuity. For more details on the Simplified Method, see Pub. 575 or Pub. 721 for U.S. Civil Service retirement benefits.



If you received U.S. Civil Service retirement benefits and you chose the alternative annuity option, see Pub. 721 to figure

the taxable part of your annuity. Do not use the worksheet on page 23.

## Age (or Combined Ages) at Annuity Starting Date

If you are the retiree, use your age on the annuity starting date. If you are the survivor of a retiree, use the retiree's age on his or her annuity starting date. But if your annuity starting date was after 1997 and the payments are for your life and that of your beneficiary, use your combined ages on the annuity starting date.

If you are the beneficiary of an employee who died, see Pub. 575. If there is more than one beneficiary, see Pub. 575 or Pub. 721 to figure each beneficiary's taxable amount.

#### Cost

Your cost is generally your net investment in the plan as of the annuity starting date. It does not include pre-tax contributions. Your net investment should be shown in box 9b of Form 1099-R for the first year you received payments from the plan.

#### Rollovers

Generally, a qualified rollover is a tax-free distribution of cash or other assets from one retirement plan that is contributed to another plan within 60 days of receiving the distribution. Use lines 16a and 16b to report a qualified rollover, including a direct rollover, from one qualified employer's plan to another or to an IRA or SEP.

Enter on line 16a the total distribution before income tax or other deductions were withheld. This amount should be shown in box 1 of Form 1099-R. From the total on line 16a, subtract any contributions (usually shown in box 5) that were taxable to

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you when made. From that result, subtract the amount of the qualified rollover. Enter the remaining amount, even if zero, on line 16b. Also, enter "Rollover" next to line 16b.

Special rules apply to partial rollovers of property. For more details on rollovers, including distributions under qualified domestic relations orders, see Pub. 575.

#### **Lump-Sum Distributions**

If you received a lump-sum distribution from a profit-sharing or retirement plan, your Form 1099-R should have the "Total distribution" box in box 2b checked. You may owe an additional tax if you received an early distribution from a qualified retirement plan and the total amount was not rolled over in a qualified rollover. For details, see the instructions for line 60 that begin on page 41. Enter the total distribution on line 16a and the taxable part on line 16b.



You may be able to pay less tax on the distribution if you were born before January 2, 1936, or you are the beneficiary of a de-

ceased employee who was born before January 2, 1936. For details, see Form 4972.

Sim	plified Method Worksheet—	Lines 16a and 16b	Keep for Your Records
No	death benefit exclu	sion that you are entitled to (up to \$5,00 nsion or annuity, figure the taxable part	er employee who died <b>before</b> August 21, 1996, include any 00) in the amount entered on line 2 below. of each separately. Enter the total of the taxable parts on Form , line 16a.
	Enter the total pension or annuity payments rece line 16a Enter your cost in the plan at the annuity startin <b>Note.</b> If you completed this worksheet last year, last year's worksheet on line 4 below (even if the Otherwise, go to line 3.	g date	11
	Enter the appropriate number from <b>Table 1</b> belo 1997 and the payments are for your life and tha from <b>Table 2</b> below	t of your beneficiary, enter the appropri-	ate number
	Divide line 2 by the number on line 3		
	Multiply line 4 by the number of months for wh annuity starting date was <b>before</b> 1987, skip line Otherwise, go to line 6	s 6 and 7 and enter this amount on line	8 5
	Enter the amount, if any, recovered tax free in y last year, enter the amount from line 10 of last y	year's worksheet	6.
7.	Subtract line 6 from line 2		7.
8.	Enter the <b>smaller</b> of line 5 or line 7		
9.	<b>Taxable amount.</b> Subtract line 8 from line 1. E line 16b. If your Form 1099-R shows a larger at you are a retired public safety officer, see <i>Insura</i> an amount on line 16b.	mount, use the amount on this line instead ance Premiums for Retired Public Safety	ad of the amount from Form 1099-R. If <i>Officers</i> on page 22 before entering
10.	Was your annuity starting date before 1987?		
	<b>Yes. STOP</b> Leave line 10 blank.		
		t you have recovered tax free through	2007. You will need this number when
		Table 1 for Line 3 Above	
		AND your	annuity starting date was—
	IF the age at annuity starting date (see page 22) was	<b>before</b> November 19, 1996, enter on line 3	after November 18, 1996, enter on line 3
	55 or under	300	360
	56-60	260	310
	61-65	240	260
	66-70	170	210
	71 or older	120	160
		Table 2 for Line 3 Above	
	IF the combined ages at annuity starting date (see page 22) were		THEN enter on line 3
	110 or under		410
	111-120		360
	121-130		310
	131–140		260
	141 or older		210

### Line 19 Unemployment Compensation

You should receive a Form 1099-G showing in box 1 the total unemployment compensation paid to you in 2007. Report the amount in box 1 on line 19. However, if you made contributions to a governmental unemployment compensation program and you are not itemizing deductions, reduce the amount you report on line 19 by those contributions.

If you received an overpayment of unemployment compensation in 2007 and you repaid any of it in 2007, subtract the amount you repaid from the total amount you received. Enter the result on line 19. Also, enter "Repaid" and the amount you repaid on the dotted line next to line 19. If, in 2007, you repaid unemployment compensation that you included in gross income in an earlier year, you can deduct the amount repaid on Schedule A, line 23. But if you repaid more than \$3,000, see Repayments in Pub. 525 for details on how to report the repayment.

### Lines 20a and 20b **Social Security Benefits**

You should receive a Form SSA-1099 showing in box 3 the total social security benefits paid to you. Box 4 will show the amount of any benefits you repaid in 2007. If you received railroad retirement benefits treated as social security, you should receive a Form RRB-1099.

Use the worksheet on page 25 to see if any of your benefits are taxable.

Exception. Do not use the worksheet on page 25 if any of the following applies.

· You made contributions to a traditional IRA for 2007 and you or your spouse were covered by a retirement plan at work or through self-employment. Instead, use the worksheets in Pub. 590 to see if any of your social security benefits are taxable and to figure your IRA deduction.

• You repaid any benefits in 2007 and your total repayments (box 4) were more than your total benefits for 2007 (box 3). None of your benefits are taxable for 2007. Also, you may be able to take an itemized deduction or a credit for part of the excess repayments if they were for benefits you included in gross income in an earlier year. For more details, see Pub. 915.

• You file Form 2555, 2555-EZ, 4563, or 8815, or you exclude employer-provided adoption benefits or income from sources within Puerto Rico. Instead, use the worksheet in Pub. 915.

## Line 21

#### **Other Income**



income from self-employment or fees received as a notary public. Instead, you must use Schedule C, C-EZ, or F, even if you do not have any business expenses. Also, do not report on line 21 any nonemployee compensation shown on Form 1099-MISC. Instead, see the chart on page 9 to find out where to report that income.

Do not report on this line any

Use line 21 to report any income not reported elsewhere on your return or other schedules. See the examples below. List the type and amount of income. If necessary, show the required information on an attached statement. For more details, see Miscellaneous Income in Pub. 525.

Do not report any nontaxable amounts on line 21. Nontaxable amounts include:

• Child support.

• Life insurance proceeds received because of someone's death (other than from certain employer-owned life insurance contracts).

• Gifts and bequests. However, if you received a gift or bequest from a foreign person of more than \$13,258, you may have to report information about it on Form 3520, Part IV. See the instructions for Form 3520.

Examples of income to report on line 21 are:

 Taxable distributions from a Coverdell education savings account (ESA) or a qualified tuition program (QTP). Distributions from these accounts may be taxable if (a) they are more than the qualified higher education expenses of the designated beneficiary in 2007, and (b) they were not included in a qualified rollover. Nontaxable distributions from these accounts, including rollovers, do not have to be reported on Form 1040. See Pub. 970.



You may have to pay an additional tax if you received a taxable distribution from a Coverdell ESA or a QTP. See

the Instructions for Form 5329.

• Taxable distributions from a health savings account (HSA) or an Archer MSA. Distributions from these accounts may be taxable if (a) they are more than the unreimbursed qualified medical expenses of the account beneficiary or account holder in 2007, and (b) they were not included in a qualified rollover. See Pub. 969.



You may have to pay an additional tax if you received a taxable distribution from an HSA or an Archer MSA. See the Instructions for Form 8889 for HSAs or the Instructions for Form 8853 for Archer MSAs.

• Amounts deemed to be income from an HSA because you did not remain an eligible individual during the testing period. See Form 8889, Part III.

Prizes and awards.

• Gambling winnings, including lotteries, raffles, a lump-sum payment from the sale of a right to receive future lottery payments, etc. For details on gambling losses, see the instructions for Schedule A, line 28, on page A-10.



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• Jury duty pay. Also, see the instructions for line 36 on page 31.

• Alaska Permanent Fund dividends.

• Alternative trade adjustment assistance payments. These payments should be shown in box 5 of Form 1099-G.

• Reimbursements or other amounts received for items deducted in an earlier year, such as medical expenses, real estate taxes, general sales taxes, or home mortgage interest. See Recoveries in Pub. 525 for details on how to figure the amount to report.

• Income from the rental of personal property if you engaged in the rental for profit but were not in the business of renting such property. Also, see the instructions for line 36 on page 31.

• Income from an activity not engaged in for profit. See Pub. 535.

• Loss on certain corrective distributions of excess deferrals. See Retirement Plan Contributions in Pub. 525.

 Dividends on insurance policies if they exceed the total of all net premiums you paid for the contract.

• Recapture of a charitable contribution deduction relating to the contribution of a fractional interest in tangible personal property. See Fractional Interest in Tangible Personal Property in Pub. 526. Interest and an additional 10% tax apply to the amount of the recapture. See the instructions for line 44 on page 33.

• Recapture of a charitable contribution deduction if the charitable organization disposes of the donated property within 3 years of the contribution. See Recapture if no exempt use in Pub. 526.

• Canceled debts. These amounts may be shown in box 2 of Form 1099-C. See Pub. 525 or go to www.irs.gov and enter "canceled debt" or "foreclosure" in the search box.

Soc	cial Security Benefits Worksheet—Lines 20a and 20b	Keep for Your Records
Be	<ul> <li>Vefore you begin: √</li> <li>Complete Form 1040, lines 21 and 23 through 32, if they a Figure any write-in adjustments to be entered on the dotted instructions for line 36 on page 31).</li> <li>√</li> <li>✓ If you are married filing separately and you lived apart from enter "D" to the right of the word "benefits" on line 20a.</li> <li>✓ Be sure you have read the Exception on page 24 to see if instead of a publication to find out if any of your benefits and publication to find out if any of your benefits and publication to find out if any of your benefits and publication to find out if any of your benefits and publication to find out if any of your benefits and publication to find out if any of your benefits and you benefits and you</li></ul>	I line next to line 36 (see the m your spouse for all of 2007, you can use this worksheet
1.	Enter the total amount from <b>box 5</b> of <b>all</b> your <b>Forms SSA-1099</b> and <b>Forms RRB-1099.</b> Also, enter this amount on Form 1040, line 20a <b>1.</b>	
2.	Enter one-half of line 1	2.
3.	Enter the total of the amounts from Form 1040, lines 7, 8a, 9a, 10 through 14, 15b, 16b through 19, and 21	
4.	Enter the amount, if any, from Form 1040, line 8b	4.
5.	Add lines 2, 3, and 4	5.
6.	Enter the total of the amounts from Form 1040, lines 23 through 32, and any write-in a you entered on the dotted line next to line 36	
7.	Is the amount on line 6 less than the amount on line 5?	
	<b>No.</b> None of your social security benefits are taxable. Enter -0- on Form 10 $20b$ .	040, line
	<b>Yes.</b> Subtract line 6 from line 5	7.
8.	<ul> <li>If you are:</li> <li>Married filing jointly, enter \$32,000</li> <li>Single, head of household, qualifying widow(er), or married filing separately and you lived apart from your spouse for all of 2007, enter \$25,000</li> <li>Married filing separately and you lived with your spouse at any time in 2007, skip lines 8 through 15; multiply line 7 by 85% (.85) and enter the result on line 16. Then go to line 17</li> </ul>	8
9.	Is the amount on line 8 less than the amount on line 7?	
	<ul> <li>No. STOP None of your social security benefits are taxable. Enter -0- on Form 10 20b. If you are married filing separately and you lived apart from your for all of 2007, be sure you entered "D" to the right of the word "benefine 20a.</li> <li>Yes. Subtract line 8 from line 7</li></ul>	r spouse fits" on
10.	Enter: \$12,000 if married filing jointly; \$9,000 if single, head of household, qualifying widow(er), or married filing separately and you <b>lived apart</b> from your spouse for all or	
11.	Subtract line 10 from line 9. If zero or less, enter -0-	
12.	Enter the <b>smaller</b> of line 9 or line 10	
13.	Enter one-half of line 12	
14.	Enter the <b>smaller</b> of line 2 or line 13	
15.	Multiply line 11 by 85% (.85). If line 11 is zero, enter -0	
16.	Add lines 14 and 15	
17.	Multiply line 1 by 85% (.85)	
18.	Taxable social security benefits. Enter the smaller of line 16 or line 17. Also enter th on Form 1040, line 20b	is amount
	If any of your benefits are taxable for 2007 <b>and</b> they include a lump-sum benefit payeer, you may be able to reduce the taxable amount. See Pub. 915 for details.	

## Adjusted Gross Income

## Line 23

### Educator Expenses

If you were an eligible educator in 2007, you can deduct on line 23 up to \$250 of qualified expenses you paid in 2007. If you and your spouse are filing jointly and both of you were eligible educators, the maximum deduction is \$500. However, neither spouse can deduct more than \$250 of his or her qualified expenses on line 23. You may be able to deduct expenses that are more than the \$250 (or \$500) limit on Schedule A, line 21. An eligible educator is a kindergarten through grade 12 teacher, instructor, counselor, principal, or aide who worked in a school for at least 900 hours during a school year.

Qualified expenses include ordinary and necessary expenses paid in connection with books, supplies, equipment (including computer equipment, software, and services), and other materials used in the classroom. An ordinary expense is one that is common and accepted in your educational field. A necessary expense is one that is helpful and appropriate for your profession as an educator. An expense does not have to be required to be considered necessary.

Qualified expenses do not include expenses for home schooling or for nonathletic supplies for courses in health or physical education.

You must reduce your qualified expenses by the following amounts.

• Excludable U.S. series EE and I savings bond interest from Form 8815.

• Nontaxable qualified tuition program earnings or distributions.

• Any nontaxable distribution of Coverdell education savings account earnings.

• Any reimbursements you received for these expenses that were not reported to you in box 1 of your Form W-2.

For more details, use TeleTax topic 458 (see page 79) or see Pub. 529.

### Line 24

#### Certain Business Expenses of Reservists, Performing Artists, and Fee-Basis Government Officials

Include the following deductions on line 24.

• Certain business expenses of National Guard and reserve members who traveled

more than 100 miles from home to perform services as a National Guard or reserve member.

• Performing-arts-related expenses as a qualified performing artist.

• Business expenses of fee-basis state or local government officials.

For more details, see Form 2106 or 2106-EZ.

### Line 25

# Health Savings Account (HSA) Deduction

You may be able to take this deduction if contributions (other than employer contributions, rollovers, and qualified HSA funding distributions from an IRA) were made to your HSA for 2007. See Form 8889.

### Line 26 Moving Expenses

If you moved in connection with your job or business or started a new job, you may be able to take this deduction. But your new workplace must be at least 50 miles farther from your old home than your old home was from your old workplace. If you had no former workplace, your new workplace must be at least 50 miles from your old home. Use TeleTax topic 455 (see page 79) or see Form 3903.

### Line 27 One-Half of Self-Employment Tax

If you were self-employed and owe self-employment tax, fill in Schedule SE to figure the amount of your deduction.

### Line 28

## Self-Employed SEP, SIMPLE, and Qualified Plans

If you were self-employed or a partner, you may be able to take this deduction. See Pub. 560 or, if you were a minister, Pub. 517.

### Line 29

#### Self-Employed Health Insurance Deduction

You may be able to deduct the amount you paid for health insurance for yourself, your

spouse, and your dependents if any of the following applies.

• You were self-employed and had a net profit for the year.

• You used one of the optional methods to figure your net earnings from self-employment on Schedule SE.

• You received wages in 2007 from an S corporation in which you were a more-than-2% shareholder. Health insurance benefits paid for you may be shown in box 14 of Form W-2.

The insurance plan must be established under your business. But if you were also eligible to participate in any subsidized health plan maintained by your or your spouse's employer for any month or part of a month in 2007, amounts paid for health insurance coverage for that month cannot be used to figure the deduction. For example, if you were eligible to participate in a subsidized health plan maintained by your spouse's employer from September 30 through December 31, you cannot use amounts paid for health insurance coverage for September through December to figure your deduction. Also, amounts paid for health insurance coverage from retirement plan distributions that were nontaxable because you are a retired public safety officer cannot be used to figure the deduction.

For more details, see Pub. 535.

**Note.** If, during 2007, you were an eligible trade adjustment assistance (TAA) recipient, alternative TAA recipient, or Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation pension recipient, you must complete Form 8885 before completing the worksheet on page 27. When figuring the amount to enter on line 1 of the worksheet on page 27, do not include:

• Any amounts you included on Form 8885, line 4,

• Any qualified health insurance premiums you paid to "U.S. Treasury-HCTC," or

• Any health coverage tax credit advance payments shown in box 1 of Form 1099-H.

If you qualify to take the deduction, use the worksheet on page 27 to figure the amount you can deduct.

**Exception.** Use Pub. 535 instead of the worksheet on page 27 to figure your deduction if any of the following applies.

• You had more than one source of income subject to self-employment tax.

• You file Form 2555 or 2555-EZ.

• You are using amounts paid for qualified long-term care insurance to figure the deduction.

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#### Self-Employed Health Insurance Deduction Worksheet—Line 29

<ul> <li>Before you begin: √ If, during 2007, you were an eligible trade adjustment assistance (TAA) recipient, alternative TAA recipient, or Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation pension recipient, see the Note on page 26.</li> <li>✓ Be sure you have read the Exception on page 26 to see if you can use this worksheet instead of Pub. 535 to figure your deduction.</li> </ul>
<ol> <li>Enter the total amount paid in 2007 for health insurance coverage established under your business for 2007 for you, your spouse, and your dependents. But do not include amounts for any month you were eligible to participate in an employer-sponsored health plan or amounts paid from retirement plan distributions that were nontaxable because you are a retired public safety officer</li></ol>
<ol> <li>Enter your net profit* and any other earned income** from the business under which the insurance plan is established, minus any deductions on Form 1040, lines 27 and 28</li></ol>
<ul> <li>3. Self-employed health insurance deduction. Enter the smaller of line 1 or line 2 here and on Form 1040, line 29. Do not include this amount in figuring any medical expense deduction on Schedule A</li></ul>
* If you used either optional method to figure your net earnings from self-employment, do not enter your net profit. Instead, enter the amount from Schedule SE, Section B, line 4b.
** Earned income includes net earnings and gains from the sale, transfer, or licensing of property you created. However, it does not

include capital gain income. If you were a more-than-2% shareholder in the S corporation under which the insurance plan is established, earned income is your Medicare wages (box 5 of Form W-2) from that corporation.

### Line 30

#### **Penalty on Early Withdrawal** of Savings

The Form 1099-INT or Form 1099-OID you received will show the amount of any penalty you were charged.

## Lines 31a and 31b **Alimony Paid**

If you made payments to or for your spouse or former spouse under a divorce or separation instrument, you may be able to take this deduction. Use TeleTax topic 452 (see page 79) or see Pub. 504.

### Line 32 **IRA** Deduction



If you made any nondeductible contributions to a traditional individual retirement arrangement (IRA) for 2007, you must report them on Form 8606.

If you made contributions to a traditional IRA for 2007, you may be able to take an IRA deduction. But you, or your spouse if filing a joint return, must have had earned income to do so. For IRA purposes, earned income includes alimony and separate maintenance payments reported on line 11. If you were a member of the U.S. Armed Forces, earned income includes any nontaxable combat pay you received. If you were self-employed, earned income is generally your net earnings from self-employment if your personal services were a material income-producing factor. For more details, see Pub. 590. A statement should be sent to you by May 31, 2008, that shows all contributions to your traditional IRA for 2007.

Use the worksheet on pages 28 and 29 to figure the amount, if any, of your IRA deduction. But read the following list before you fill in the worksheet.

1. If you were age  $70\frac{1}{2}$  or older at the end of 2007, you cannot deduct any contributions made to your traditional IRA for 2007 or treat them as nondeductible contributions.

2. You cannot deduct contributions to a Roth IRA. But you may be able to take the retirement savings contributions credit (saver's credit). See the instructions for line 53 on page 41.



If you are filing a joint return and you or your spouse made contributions to both a traditional IRA and a Roth IRA for

2007, do not use the worksheet on pages 28 and 29. Instead, see Pub. 590 to figure the amount, if any, of your IRA deduction.

3. You cannot deduct elective deferrals to a 401(k) plan, section 457 plan, SIMPLE plan, or the federal Thrift Savings Plan. These amounts are not included as income in box 1 of your Form W-2. But you may be able to take the retirement savings contributions credit. See the instructions for line 53 on page 41.

4. If you made contributions to your IRA in 2007 that you deducted for 2006, do not include them in the worksheet.

5. If you received income from a nonqualified deferred compensation plan or nongovernmental section 457 plan that is included in box 1 of your Form W-2, or in box 7 of Form 1099-MISC, do not include that income on line 8 of the worksheet. The income should be shown in (a) box 11 of your Form W-2, (b) box 12 of your Form W-2 with code Z, or (c) box 15b of Form 1099-MISC. If it is not, contact your employer or the payer for the amount of the income.

6. You must file a joint return to deduct contributions to your spouse's IRA. Enter the total IRA deduction for you and your spouse on line 32.

7. Do not include qualified rollover contributions in figuring your deduction. Instead, see the instructions for lines 15a and 15b that begin on page 21.

8. Do not include trustees' fees that were billed separately and paid by you for your IRA. These fees can be deducted only as an itemized deduction on Schedule A.

9. Do not include any repayments of qualified reservist distributions. You cannot deduct them. For information on how to report these repayments, see Qualified reservist repayments in Pub. 590.

10. If the total of your IRA deduction on line 32 plus any nondeductible contribution to your traditional IRAs shown on Form 8606 is less than your total traditional IRA contributions for 2007, see Pub. 590 for special rules.

11. You may be able to deduct up to an additional \$3,000 if all the following conditions are met.

a. You must have been a participant in a 401(k) plan under which the employer matched at least 50% of your contributions to the plan with stock of the company.

b. You must have been a participant in the 401(k) plan 6 months before the employer filed for bankruptcy.

c. The employer (or a controlling corporation) must have been a debtor in a bankruptcy case in an earlier year.

d. The employer (or any other person) must have been subject to indictment or conviction based on business transactions related to the bankruptcy.

#### If this applies to you, do not use the worksheet on pages 28 and 29. Instead, use the worksheet in Pub. 590.

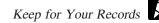


By April 1 of the year after the year in which you turn age 70<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, you must start taking minimum required distributions from

your traditional IRA. If you do not, you may have to pay a 50% additional tax on the amount that should have been distributed. For details, including how to figure the minimum required distribution, see Pub. 590.

## Were You Covered by a Retirement Plan?

If you were covered by a retirement plan (qualified pension, profit-sharing (including 401(k)), annuity, SEP, SIMPLE, etc.) at work or through self-employment, your IRA deduction may be reduced or eliminated. But you can still make contributions to an IRA even if you cannot deduct them.



IRA Deduction Worksheet—Line 32

If you were age  $70\frac{1}{2}$  or older at the end of 2007, you cannot deduct any contributions made to your traditional IRA or treat them as nondeductible contributions. **Do not** complete this worksheet for anyone age  $70\frac{1}{2}$  or older at the end of 2007. If you are married filing jointly and only one spouse was under age  $70\frac{1}{2}$  at the end of 2007, complete this worksheet only for that spouse.

					-	
Be	fore you	begin: √ √	Be sure you have read the list of Figure any write-in adjustments page 31).			
					Your IRA	Spouse's IRA
1a.	Were you	covered by a re	etirement plan (see above)?		1a. Yes No	
b.			vas your spouse covered by a reti			. 1b. Yes No
	Next. If yo skip lines applicable • \$4,00 • \$5,00	ou checked "No 2 through 6, en ), and go to line 00, if under age	o" on line 1a (and "No" on line 1 ter the applicable amount below of	b if married filing jointly), on line 7a (and line 7b if		
2.	Enter the a	amount shown l	below that applies to you.			
	• Single, h	lead of househo	ld, or married filing separately and of 2007, enter \$62,000	d you lived apart		
	<ul> <li>Married "No" on covered</li> </ul>	either line 1a o by a plan filing separately	nter \$103,000 nter \$103,000 in both columns. B or 1b, enter \$166,000 for the person y and you lived with your spouse	on who was not	2a	2b
3.		·	orm 1040, line 22	. 3.		
<b>4</b> .			ounts from Form 1040, lines 23			
4.	through 31	la, plus any wri	ite-in adjustments you entered on e 36	. 4.		
5.	Subtract li	ine 4 from line	3. If married filing jointly, enter t	he result in both columns	5a.	5b.
6.	Is the amo	ount on line 5 le	ess than the amount on line 2?			
	No.	STOP None of	of your IRA contributions are ded luctible IRA contributions, see Fo			
	Yes.	that applies to • If single	, head of household, or married f	iling separately, and the		
		line 7 fo i. \$4,0 ii. \$5, of Otherwis	\$10,000 or more, enter the applic r that column and go to line 8. 000, if under age 50 at the end of 000, if age 50 or older but under 2007. se, go to line 7.	2007. age 70½ at the end	ба	6b
		\$20,000 a person applicab line 8. i. \$4,0 ii. \$5,1	ed filing jointly or qualifying wide or more (\$10,000 or more in the who was not covered by a retire: le amount below on line 7 for tha 000, if under age 50 at the end of 000 if age 50 or older but under a 2007.	column for the IRA of ment plan), enter the t column and go to 2007.		

Otherwise, go to line 7.

### IRA Deduction Worksheet—Line 32 (continued)

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		Your IRA	Spouse's IRA
7.	Multiply lines 6a and 6b by the percentage below that applies to you. If the result is not a multiple of \$10, increase it to the next multiple of \$10 (for example, increase \$490.30 to \$500). If the result is \$200 or more, enter the result. But if it is less than \$200, enter \$200.		
	<ul> <li>Single, head of household, or married filing separately, multiply by 40% (.40)(or by 50% (.50) in the column for the IRA of a person who is age 50 or older at the end of 2007)</li> <li>7a.</li> </ul>	7b.	
	• Married filing jointly or qualifying widow(er), multiply by 20% (.20) (or by 25% (.25) in the column for the IRA of a person who is age 50 or older at the end of 2007). But if you checked "No" on either line 1a or 1b, then in the column for the IRA of the person who was not covered by a retirement plan, multiply by 40% (.40) (or by 50% (.50) if age 50 or older at the end of 2007)		
8.	Enter the total of your (and your spouse's if filing jointly):		
	<ul> <li>Wages, salaries, tips, etc. Generally, this is the amount reported in box 1 of Form W-2. See page 27 for exceptions</li> <li>8.</li> </ul>		
	Alimony and separate maintenance payments reported		
	<ul> <li>on Form 1040, line 11</li> <li>Nontaxable combat pay. This amount should be reported in box 12 of Form W-2 with code Q</li> </ul>		
9.	Enter the earned income you (and your spouse if filing jointly) received as a self-employed individual or a partner. Generally, this is your (and your spouse's if filing jointly) net earnings from self-employment if your personal services were a material income-producing factor, minus any deductions on Form 1040, lines 27 and 28. If zero or less, enter -0 For more details, see Pub. 590		
10.	Add lines 8 and 9 10.		
	If married filing jointly and line 10 is less than \$8,000 (\$9,000 if one spouse is age 50 or older at the end of 2007; \$10,000 if both spouses are age 50 or older at the end of 2007), <b>stop here</b> and see Pub. 590 to figure your IRA deduction.		
11.	Enter traditional IRA contributions made, or that will be made by April 15, 2008, for 2007 to your IRA on line 11a and to your spouse's IRA on line 11b 11a.	. 11b.	
12.	On line 12a, enter the <b>smallest</b> of line 7a, 10, or 11a. On line 12b, enter the <b>smallest</b> of line 7b, 10, or 11b. This is the most you can deduct. Add the amounts on lines 12a and 12b and enter the total on Form 1040, line 32. Or, if you want, you can deduct a smaller amount and treat the rest as a nondeductible contribution (see Form 8606)		

In any case, the income earned on your IRA contributions is not taxed until it is paid to you.

The "Retirement plan" box in box 13 of your Form W-2 should be checked if you were covered by a plan at work even if you were not vested in the plan. You are also covered by a plan if you were self-employed and had a SEP, SIMPLE, or qualified retirement plan. If you were covered by a retirement plan and you file Form 2555, 2555-EZ, or 8815, or you exclude employer-provided adoption benefits, see Pub. 590 to figure the amount, if any, of your IRA deduction.

Married persons filing separately. If you were not covered by a retirement plan but your spouse was, you are considered cov-

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ered by a plan unless you lived apart from your spouse for all of 2007.



You may be able to take the retirement savings contributions credit. See the instructions for line 53 on page 41.

### Line 33 Student Loan Interest Deduction

You can take this deduction only if all of the following apply.

• You paid interest in 2007 on a qualified student loan (see below).

• Your filing status is any status except married filing separately.

• Your modified adjusted gross income (AGI) is less than: \$70,000 if single, head of household, or qualifying widow(er); \$140,000 if married filing jointly. Use lines 2 through 4 of the worksheet below to figure your modified AGI.

• You, or your spouse if filing jointly, are not claimed as a dependent on someone's (such as your parent's) 2007 tax return.

Use the worksheet below to figure your student loan interest deduction.

**Exception.** Use Pub. 970 instead of the worksheet below to figure your student loan interest deduction if you file Form 2555, 2555-EZ, or 4563, or you exclude income from sources within Puerto Rico.

**Qualified student loan.** A qualified student loan is any loan you took out to pay the qualified higher education expenses for any of the following individuals.

1. Yourself or your spouse.

2. Any person who was your dependent when the loan was taken out.

3. Any person you could have claimed as a dependent for the year the loan was taken out except that:

a. The person filed a joint return,

b. The person had gross income that was equal to or more than the exemption amount for that year (\$3,400 for 2007), or

c. You, or your spouse if filing jointly, could be claimed as a dependent on some-one else's return.

The person for whom the expenses were paid must have been an eligible student (see this page). However, a loan is not a qualified student loan if (a) any of the proceeds were used for other purposes, or (b) the loan was from either a related person or a person who borrowed the proceeds under a qualified employer plan or a contract purchased under such a plan. To find out who is a related person, see Pub. 970.

**Qualified higher education expenses.** Qualified higher education expenses generally include tuition, fees, room and board, and related expenses such as books and supplies. The expenses must be for education in a degree, certificate, or similar program at an eligible educational institution. An eligible educational institution includes most colleges, universities, and certain vocational schools. You must reduce the expenses by the following benefits.

• Employer-provided educational assistance benefits that are not included in box 1 of Form(s) W-2.

• Excludable U.S. series EE and I savings bond interest from Form 8815.

• Any nontaxable distribution of qualified tuition program earnings.

• Any nontaxable distribution of Coverdell education savings account earnings.

• Any scholarship, educational assistance allowance, or other payment (but not gifts, inheritances, etc.) excluded from income.

For more details on these expenses, see Pub. 970.

**Eligible student.** An eligible student is a person who:

• Was enrolled in a degree, certificate, or other program (including a program of study abroad that was approved for credit by the institution at which the student was enrolled) leading to a recognized educational credential at an eligible educational institution, and

• Carried at least half the normal full-time workload for the course of study he or she was pursuing.

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#### Student Loan Interest Deduction Worksheet—Line 33

B	<ul> <li>efore you begin: √ Figure any write-in adjustments to be entered on the dotted line next to line 36 (see the instructions for line 36 on page 31).</li> <li>✓ Be sure you have read the Exception above to see if you can use this worksheet instead of Pub. 970 to figure your deduction.</li> </ul>
1.	Enter the total interest you paid in 2007 on qualified student loans (see above). Do not enter more than \$2,500 1.
2.	Enter the amount from Form 1040, line 22
3.	Enter the total of the amounts from Form 1040, lines 23 through 32, plus any write-in adjustments you entered on the dotted line next to line 36
4.	Subtract line 3 from line 2
5.	Enter the amount shown below for your filing status.
	• Single, head of household, or qualifying widow(er)—\$55,000
	Married filing jointly—\$110,000
6.	Is the amount on line 4 more than the amount on line 5?
	<b>No.</b> Skip lines 6 and 7, enter -0- on line 8, and go to line 9.
	<b>Yes.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4
7.	Divide line 6 by \$15,000 (\$30,000 if married filing jointly). Enter the result as a decimal (rounded to at least three places). If the result is 1.000 or more, enter 1.000
8.	Multiply line 1 by line 7
9.	Student loan interest deduction. Subtract line 8 from line 1. Enter the result here and on Form 1040, line 33. Do not include this amount in figuring any other deduction on your return (such as on Schedule A, C, E, etc.)

### Line 34

#### **Tuition and Fees Deduction**

If you paid qualified tuition and fees for yourself, your spouse, or your dependent(s), you may be able to take this deduction. See Form 8917.



You may be able to take a credit for your educational expenses instead of a deduction. See the instructions for line 49 on page

37 for details.

### Line 35

#### Domestic Production Activities Deduction

You may be able to deduct up to 6% of your qualified production activities income from the following activities.

1. Construction of real property performed in the United States.

2. Engineering or architectural services performed in the United States for construction of real property in the United States.

3. Any lease, rental, license, sale, exchange, or other disposition of:

a. Tangible personal property, computer software, and sound recordings that you manufactured, produced, grew, or extracted in whole or in significant part within the United States,

b. Any qualified film you produced, or

c. Electricity, natural gas, or potable water you produced in the United States.

The deduction does not apply to income derived from:

• The sale of food and beverages you prepared at a retail establishment;

• Property you leased, licensed, or rented for use by any related person;

• The transmission or distribution of electricity, natural gas, or potable water; or

• The lease, rental, license, sale, exchange, or other disposition of land.

For details, see Form 8903 and its instructions.

### Line 36

Include in the total on line 36 any of the following write-in adjustments. To find out if you can take the deduction, see the form or publication indicated. On the dotted line next to line 36, enter the amount of your deduction and identify it as indicated.

• Archer MSA deduction (see Form 8853). Identify as "MSA."

• Jury duty pay if you gave the pay to your employer because your employer paid your salary while you served on the jury. Identify as "Jury Pay."

• Deductible expenses related to income reported on line 21 from the rental of personal property engaged in for profit. Identify as "PPR."

• Reforestation amortization and expenses (see Pub. 535). Identify as "RFST."

• Repayment of supplemental unemployment benefits under the Trade Act of 1974 (see Pub. 525). Identify as "Sub-Pay TRA."

• Contributions to section 501(c)(18)(D) pension plans (see Pub. 525). Identify as "501(c)(18)(D)."

• Contributions by certain chaplains to section 403(b) plans (see Pub. 517). Identify as "403(b)."

• Attorney fees and court costs for actions settled or decided after October 22, 2004, involving certain unlawful discrimination claims, but only to the extent of gross income from such actions (see Pub. 525). Identify as "UDC."

• Attorney fees and court costs paid by you in connection with an award from the IRS for information you provided after December 19, 2006, that substantially contributed to the detection of tax law violations, up to the amount of the award includible in your gross income. Identify as "WBF."

### Line 37

If line 37 is less than zero, you may have a net operating loss that you can carry to another tax year. See the Instructions for Form 1045 for details.

### **Tax and Credits**

### Line 39a

If you were born before January 2, 1943, or were blind at the end of 2007, check the appropriate box(es) on line 39a. If you were married and checked the box on Form 1040, line 6b, and your spouse was born before January 2, 1943, or was blind at the end of 2007, also check the appropriate box(es) for your spouse. Be sure to enter the total number of boxes checked.

#### Blindness

If you were partially blind as of December 31, 2007, you must get a statement certified

by your eye doctor or registered optometrist that:

• You cannot see better than 20/200 in your better eye with glasses or contact lenses, or

• Your field of vision is 20 degrees or less.

If your eye condition is not likely to improve beyond the conditions listed above, you can get a statement certified by your eye doctor or registered optometrist to this effect instead.

You must keep the statement for your records.

### Line 39b

If your filing status is married filing separately (box 3 is checked), and your spouse itemizes deductions on his or her return, check the box on line 39b. Also check that box if you were a dual-status alien. But if you were a dual-status alien and you file a joint return with your spouse who was a U.S. citizen or resident alien at the end of 2007 and you and your spouse agree to be taxed on your combined worldwide income, do not check the box.

### Line 40

## Itemized Deductions or Standard Deduction

In most cases, your federal income tax will be less if you take the larger of your itemized deductions or standard deduction.



If you checked the box on line 39b, your standard deduction is zero.

#### **Itemized Deductions**

To figure your itemized deductions, fill in Schedule A.

#### Standard Deduction

Most people can find their standard deduction by looking at the amounts listed under "All others" to the left of Form 1040, line 40. But if you, or your spouse if filing jointly, can be claimed as a dependent on someone's 2007 return or you checked any box on line 39a, use the worksheet or the chart on page 32, whichever applies, to figure your standard deduction. Also, if you checked the box on line 39b, your standard deduction is zero, even if you were born before January 2, 1943, or were blind.

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### Standard Deduction Worksheet for Dependents—Line 40

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Use this worksheet only if someone can claim you, or your spouse if f	filing jointly, as a dependent.
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1.	Is your <b>earned income</b> <sup>*</sup> more than \$550?			
	<b>Yes.</b> Add \$300 to your earned income. Enter the total	1		
	<b>No.</b> Enter \$850	} 1		
2.	Enter the amount shown below for your filing status.	·		
	• Single or married filing separately—\$5,350	)		
	• Married filing jointly—\$10,700			
	• Head of household—\$7,850			
3.	Standard deduction.	·		
a.	Enter the smaller of line 1 or line 2. If born after January 1	, 1943, and not blind, stop here and		
	enter this amount on Form 1040, line 40. Otherwise, go to l	ine 3b 3a.		
b.	If born before January 2, 1943, or blind, multiply the number			
	(\$1,300 if single or head of household)			
c.	Add lines 3a and 3b. Enter the total here and on Form 1040	, line 40 3c.		
* Earned income includes wages, salaries, tips, professional fees, and other compensation received for personal services you performed. It				
	includes any amount received as a scholarship that you must include			
amou	int(s) you reported on Form 1040, lines 7, 12, and 18, minus the am	ount, if any, on line 27.		

#### Standard Deduction Chart for People Who Were Born Before January 2, 1943, or Were Blind—Line 40

Do not use this chart if someone can claim you, or your spouse if filing jointly, as a dependent. Instead, use the worksheet above.

Enter the number from the box on Form 1040, line 39a		Do not use the number of exemptions from line 6d.
IF your filing status is	AND the number in the box above is	THEN your standard deduction is
Single	1 2	\$6,650 7,950
Married filing jointly or Qualifying widow(er)	1 2 3 4	\$11,750 12,800 13,850 14,900
Married filing separately	1 2 3 4	\$6,400 7,450 8,500 9,550
Head of household	1 2	\$9,150 10,450

Ded	uction for Exemptions Worksheet—Line 42 Keep	for Your Records
1.	Is the amount on Form 1040, line 38, more than the amount shown on line 4 below for your filing status?	
	<b>No.</b> Stop Multiply \$3,400 by the total number of exemptions claimed on Form 1040, line 6d, and entresult on Form 1040, line 42.	ter the
	Yes. Continue	
2.	Multiply \$3,400 by the total number of exemptions claimed on Form 1040, line 6d	2
3.	Enter the amount from Form 1040, line 38 <b>3.</b>	_
4.	Enter the amount shown below for your filing status. • Single—\$156,400	
	<ul> <li>Married filing jointly or qualifying widow(er)—\$234,600</li> <li>Married filing separately—\$117,300</li> <li>Head of household—\$195,500</li> </ul>	_
5.	Subtract line 4 from line 3	
6.	Is line 5 more than \$122,500 (\$61,250 if married filing separately)?	
	Yes. Multiply \$1,133 by the total number of exemptions claimed on Form 1040, line 6d. Enter the result here and on Form 1040, line 42. Do not complete the rest of this worksheet.	
	<b>No.</b> Divide line 5 by \$2,500 (\$1,250 if married filing separately). If the result is not a whole number, increase it to the next higher whole number (for example, increase 0.0004 to 1)	
7.	Multiply line 6 by 2% (.02) and enter the result as a decimal	7
8.	Multiply line 2 by line 7	8.
9.	Divide line 8 by 1.5	9.
10.	<b>Deduction for exemptions</b> . Subtract line 9 from line 2. Enter the result here and on Form 1040, line 42	10

### Line 44

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Include in the total on line 44 all of the following taxes that apply.

• Tax on your taxable income. Figure the tax using one of the methods described on this page and page 34.

• Tax from Form 8814 (relating to the election to report child's interest or dividends). Check the appropriate box.

• Tax from Form 4972 (relating to lump-sum distributions). Check the appropriate box.

• Tax from Form 8889, Part III (relating to health savings accounts). Check the appropriate box.

• Recapture of an education credit. You may owe this tax if you claimed an education credit in an earlier year, and either tax-free educational assistance or a refund of qualified expenses was received in 2007 for the student. See Form 8863 for more details. Enter the amount and "ECR" in the space next to line 44.

• Additional tax on recapture of a charitable contribution deduction relating to the contribution of a fractional interest in tangible personal property. See the instructions for line 21 on page 24. Enter the amount and "FITPP" in the space next to line 44.

#### Do you want the IRS to figure the tax on your taxable income for you?

❑ Yes. See Pub. 967 for details, including who is eligible and what to do. If you have paid too much, we will send you a refund. If you did not pay enough, we will send you a bill.

**No.** Use one of the following methods to figure your tax.

**Tax Table or Tax Computation Work-sheet.** If your taxable income is less than \$100,000, you must use the Tax Table that begins on page 63 to figure your tax. Be sure you use the correct column. If your taxable income is \$100,000 or more, use the Tax Computation Worksheet on page 75.

However, do not use the Tax Table or Tax Computation Worksheet to figure your tax if any of the following applies.

**Form 8615.** Form 8615 must generally be used to figure the tax for any child who was under age 18 at the end of 2007, and who had more than \$1,700 of investment income, such as taxable interest, ordinary dividends, or capital gains (including capital gain distributions). But if the child files a joint return for 2007 or if neither of the

child's parents was alive at the end of 2007, do not use Form 8615 to figure the child's tax. Also, a child born on January 1, 1990, is considered to be age 18 at the end of 2007. Do not use Form 8615 for such a child.

Schedule D Tax Worksheet. If you have to file Schedule D and Schedule D, line 18 or 19, is more than zero, use the Schedule D Tax Worksheet on page D-10 of the Instructions for Schedule D to figure your tax.

**Qualified Dividends and Capital Gain Tax Worksheet.** If you do not have to use the Schedule D Tax Worksheet (see above), use the worksheet on page 35 to figure your tax if any of the following applies.

• You reported qualified dividends on Form 1040, line 9b.

• You do not have to file Schedule D and you reported capital gain distributions on Form 1040, line 13.

• You are filing Schedule D and Schedule D, lines 15 and 16, are both more than zero.

**Schedule J.** If you had income from farming or fishing, your tax may be less if you choose to figure it using income averaging on Schedule J.

**Foreign Earned Income Tax Worksheet.** If you claimed the foreign earned income exclusion or the housing exclusion on Form

2555 or Form 2555-EZ, you must figure your tax using the worksheet below.

For	reign Earned Income Tax Worksheet—Line 44 Keep for Your Records
В	<b>Defore you begin:</b> $$ See the instructions above to see if you must use this worksheet to figure your tax.
1.	Enter the amount from Form 1040, line 41 <b>1.</b>
2.	
3.	Subtract line 2 from line 1. If less than zero, enter the amount in parentheses 3.
4.	Enter the amount from your (and your spouse's, if filing jointly) Form 2555, line 45, or Form 2555-EZ, line 184.
5.	Enter the total amount of any itemized deductions you could not claim because they are related to excluded income
6.	Subtract line 5 from line 4. If zero or less, enter -0
7.	Combine lines 3 and 6. If zero or less, enter -0
8.	Tax on amount on line 7. Use the Tax Table, Tax Computation Worksheet, Schedule D Tax Worksheet*, Qualified Dividends and Capital Gain Tax Worksheet*, or Form 8615**, whichever applies. See the instructions for line 44 that begin on page 33 to see which tax computation method applies
9.	Tax on amount on line 6. Use the Tax Table or Tax Computation Worksheet, whichever applies 9.
10.	Subtract line 9 from line 8. Enter the result. If zero or less, enter -0 Also include this amount on Form 1040, line 44
you	there the amount from line 7 above on line 1 of the Qualified Dividends and Capital Gain Tax Worksheet or Schedule D Tax Worksheet if use either of those worksheets to figure the tax on line 8 above. Complete the rest of either of those worksheets according to the ksheet's instructions. Then complete lines 9 and 10 above.
files	f you use Form 8615 to figure the tax on line 8 above, enter the amount from line 7 above on line 4 of Form 8615. If the child's parent is Form 2555 or 2555-EZ, enter the amounts from lines 7 and 8 of the parent's Foreign Earned Income Tax Worksheet on lines 6 and 10, pectively, of Form 8615. Complete the rest of Form 8615 according to its instructions. Then complete lines 9 and 10 above .

Form 1040—Line 44

Qua	lified Dividends and	Capital Gain Tax Work	sheet	Line 44	Keep	for Your Records
B	√	See the instructions for line 44 figure your tax. If you do not have to file Sche you checked the box on line 11	dule D	and you receiv	-	
1.	Enter the amount from Form	1040, line 43			1	
2.	Enter the amount from Form	1040, line 9b	2.			
3.	Are you filing Schedule D?					
	<ul> <li>Yes. Enter the smaller of Schedule D. If either loss, enter -0-</li> <li>No. Enter the amount from the second s</li></ul>	r line 15 or line 16 is a	3			
4.	Add lines 2 and 3		4.			
5.	If you are claiming investme 4952, enter the amount from Otherwise, enter -0		5.			
6.	Subtract line 5 from line 4. I	f zero or less, enter -0			6	
7.	Subtract line 6 from line 1. I	f zero or less, enter -0			7	
8.	Enter the smaller of:					
		rried filing separately, g jointly or qualifying widow(e			8.	_
9.		l to or more than the amount o	n line 8	?		

Yes. Skip lines 9 through 11; go to line 12 and check the "No" box.

12. Are the amounts on lines 6 and 10 the same?

Yes. Skip lines 12 through 15; go to line 16.

 No. Enter the amount from line 7
 9.

 10. Subtract line 9 from line 8
 10.

 No. Enter the smaller of line 1 or line 6
 12.

 13. Enter the amount from line 10 (if line 10 is blank, enter -0-)
 13.

 14. Subtract line 13 from line 12
 14.

16. Figure the tax on the amount on line 7. Use the Tax Table or Tax Computation Worksheet,

18. Figure the tax on the amount on line 1. Use the Tax Table or Tax Computation Worksheet,

19. Tax on all taxable income. Enter the smaller of line 17 or line 18. Also include this amount on

**11.** Multiply line 10 by 5% (.05) ......**11.** 

**15.** Multiply line 14 by 15% (.15) ......**15.** 

 whichever applies
 16.

 17.
 Add lines 11, 15, and 16

 17.
 17.

### Line 45 Alternative Minimum Tax

Use the worksheet below to see if you should fill in Form 6251.



An electronic version of this worksheet is available on www.irs.gov. Enter "AMT Assistant" in the search box on the

website.

**Exception.** Fill in Form 6251 instead of using the worksheet below if you claimed or received any of the following items.

• Accelerated depreciation.

• Stock by exercising an incentive stock option and you did not dispose of the stock in the same year.

• Tax-exempt interest from private activity bonds.

• Intangible drilling, circulation, research, experimental, or mining costs.

• Amortization of pollution-control facilities or depletion.

• Income or (loss) from tax-shelter farm activities or passive activities.

• Income from long-term contracts not figured using the percentage-of-completion method.

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### Worksheet To See if You Should Fill in Form 6251—Line 45

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Before you begin: √ Be sure you have read the Exception above to see if you must fill in Form 6251 instead of using this worksheet. √ If you are claiming the foreign tax credit (see the instructions for Form 1040, line 51, that begin on page 37), enter that credit on line 51.	
1. Are you filing Schedule A?	
<b>No.</b> Skip lines 1 through 3; enter on line 4 the amount from Form 1040, line 38, and go to line 5.	
<b>Yes.</b> Enter the amount from Form 1040, line 41	1.
<b>2.</b> Enter the <b>smaller</b> of the amount on Schedule A, line 4, or 2.5% (.025) of the amount on	
Form 1040, line 38. If zero or less, enter -0-	2.
3. Enter the total of the amounts from Schedule A, lines 9 and 27	3.
4. Add lines 1 through 3 above	
5. Enter any tax refund from Form 1040, lines 10 and 21	5.
6. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6.
7. Enter the amount shown below for your filing status.	
• Single or head of household—\$33,750	
Married filing jointly or qualifying widow(er)—\$45,000	7
• Married filing separately—\$22,500	
8. Is the amount on line 6 more than the amount on line 7?	
<b>No.</b> STOP You do not need to fill in Form 6251.	
	8.
9. Enter the amount shown below for your filing status.	
• Single or head of household—\$112,500	0
Married filing jointly or qualifying widow(er)—\$150,000     Married filing compatible \$75,000	9
• Married filing separately—\$75,000	
<ul> <li>10. Is the amount on line 6 more than the amount on line 9?</li> <li>No. Skip lines 10 and 11; enter on line 12 the amount from line 8, and go to line 13.</li> </ul>	
Yes. Subtract line 9 from line 6	10
<b>11.</b> Multiply line 10 by 25% (.25) and enter the <b>smaller</b> of the result or line 7 above	
<b>12.</b> Add lines 8 and 11	
<b>13.</b> Is the amount on line 12 more than \$175,000 (\$87,500 if married filing separately)?	12.
<b>Yes.</b> $\overbrace{\text{STOP}}$ Fill in Form 6251 to see if you owe the alternative minimum tax.	
<b>No.</b> Multiply line 12 by 26% (.26)	13.
14. Enter the amount from Form 1040, line 44, minus the total of any tax from Form 4972 and any amount	
on Form 1040, line 51. If you used Schedule J to figure your tax, the amount for Form 1040, line 44,	
must be refigured without using Schedule J	14.
<b>Next.</b> Is the amount on line 13 more than the amount on line 14?	
Yes. Fill in Form 6251 to see if you owe the alternative minimum tax.	
<b>No.</b> You do not owe alternative minimum tax and do not need to fill in Form 6251. Leave line 45 blank.	

• Interest paid on a home mortgage not used to buy, build, or substantially improve your home.

• Investment interest expense reported on Form 4952.

• Net operating loss deduction.

• Alternative minimum tax adjustments from an estate, trust, electing large partnership, or cooperative.

• Section 1202 exclusion.

• Credit for child care and dependent care expenses.

• Credit for the elderly or the disabled.

• Education credits.

Residential energy credits.

• Mortgage interest credit.

• District of Columbia first-time homebuyer credit.

• Any general business credit claimed on Form 3800.

• Empowerment zone and renewal community employment credit.

• Qualified electric vehicle credit.

• Alternative motor vehicle credit.

• Alternative fuel vehicle refueling property credit.

• Credit for prior year minimum tax.



Form 6251 should be filled in for a child who was under age 18 at the end of 2007 if the child's adjusted gross income

from Form 1040, line 38, exceeds the child's earned income by more than \$6,300.

## Line 47 Credit for Child and Dependent Care Expenses

You may be able to take this credit if you paid someone to care for:

1. Your qualifying child under age 13 whom you claim as your dependent.

2. Your disabled spouse who could not care for himself or herself, and who lived with you for more than half the year.

3. Any disabled person not able to care for himself or herself, who lived with you for more than half the year, and whom you claim as a dependent.

4. Any disabled person not able to care for himself or herself, who lived with you for more than half the year, and whom you could have claimed as a dependent except that:

a. The person filed a joint return,

b. The person had \$3,400 or more of gross income, or

c. You, or your spouse if filing jointly, could be claimed as a dependent on some-one else's 2007 return.

5. Your child whom you could not claim as a dependent because of the rules for *Children of divorced or separated parents* that begin on page 16.

For details, use TeleTax topic 602 (see page 79) or see Form 2441.

## Line 48 Credit for the Elderly or the Disabled

You may be able to take this credit if by the end of 2007 (a) you were age 65 or older, or (b) you retired on permanent and total disability and you had taxable disability income. But you usually cannot take the credit if the amount on Form 1040, line 38, is \$17,500 or more (\$20,000 or more if married filing jointly and only one spouse is eligible for the credit; \$25,000 or more if married filing jointly and both spouses are eligible; \$12,500 or more if married filing separately). See Schedule R and its instructions for details.

**Credit figured by the IRS.** If you can take this credit and you want us to figure it for you, see the Instructions for Schedule R.

## Line 49 Education Credits

If you (or your dependent) paid qualified expenses in 2007 for yourself, your spouse, or your dependent to enroll in or attend an eligible educational institution, you may be able to take an education credit. See Form 8863 for details. However, you cannot take an education credit if any of the following applies.

• You, or your spouse if filing jointly, are claimed as a dependent on someone's (such as your parent's) 2007 tax return.

• Your filing status is married filing separately.

• The amount on Form 1040, line 38, is \$57,000 or more (\$114,000 or more if married filing jointly).

• You are taking a deduction for tuition and fees on Form 1040, line 34, for the same student.

• You, or your spouse, were a nonresident alien for any part of 2007 unless your filing status is married filing jointly.

## Line 50

## **Residential Energy Credits**

Complete Form 5695 to claim either of the following credits.

**Nonbusiness energy property credit.** You may be able to take this credit for any of the

following improvements to your main home located in the United States in 2007 if they are new and meet certain requirements for energy efficiency.

• Any insulation material or system primarily designed to reduce heat gain or loss in your home.

• Exterior windows (including sky-lights).

• Exterior doors.

• A metal roof with pigmented coatings primarily designed to reduce heat gain in your home.

You may also be able to take this credit for the cost of any of the following items if the items meet certain performance and quality standards.

• Certain electric heat pump water heaters, electric heat pumps, geothermal heat pumps, central air conditioners, and natural gas, propane, or oil water heaters.

• A qualified natural gas, propane, or oil furnace or hot water boiler.

• An advanced main air circulating fan used in a natural gas, propane, or oil furnace.

For details, see Form 5695.

**Residential energy efficient property credit.** You may be able to take this credit if you paid for any of the following during 2007.

• Qualified solar electric property for use in your home located in the United States.

• Qualified solar water heating property for use in your home located in the United States.

• Qualified fuel cell property installed on or in connection with your main home located in the United States.

For details, see Form 5695.

**Special rule.** If you are a member of a condominium management association for a condominium you own or a tenant-stockholder in a cooperative housing corporation, you are treated as having paid your proportionate share of any costs of such association or corporation for purposes of these credits.

## Line 51

#### **Foreign Tax Credit**

If you paid income tax to a foreign country, you may be able to take this credit. Generally, you must complete and attach Form 1116 to do so.

**Exception.** You do not have to complete Form 1116 to take this credit if all five of the following apply.

1. All of your gross foreign source income was from interest and dividends and all of that income and the foreign tax paid on it were reported to you on Form 1099-INT, Form 1099-DIV, or Schedule K-1 (or substitute statement).

2. If you had dividend income from shares of stock, you held those shares for at least 16 days.

3. You are not filing Form 4563 or excluding income from sources within Puerto Rico.

4. The total of your foreign taxes was not more than \$300 (not more than \$600 if married filing jointly).

5. All of your foreign taxes were:

a. Legally owed and not eligible for a refund, and

b. Paid to countries that are recognized by the United States and do not support terrorism.

For more details on these requirements, see the Instructions for Form 1116.

Do you meet all five requirements above?

□ Yes. See Election to Claim the Foreign Tax Credit Without Filing Form 1116 in the Instructions for Form 1116 to figure the amount to enter on Form 1040, line 51.

□ No. See Form 1116 to find out if you can take the credit and, if you can, if you have to file Form 1116.

# Line 52—Child Tax Credit

## Three Steps To Take the Child Tax Credit!

- **Step 1.** Make sure you have a qualifying child for the child tax credit (see the instructions for line 6c).
- **Step 2.** Make sure that for each qualifying child you either checked the box on Form 1040, line 6c, column (4), or completed Form 8901 (if the child is not your dependent).
- **Step 3.** Answer the questions on this page to see if you can use the worksheet on page 40 to figure your credit or if you must use Pub. 972.

Questions

Who Must Use Pub. 972



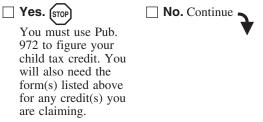
- 1. Is the amount on Form 1040, line 38, more than the amount shown below for your filing status?
  - Married filing jointly \$110,000
  - Single, head of household, or qualifying widow(er) \$75,000

 $\square$  No. Go to question 2.

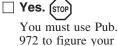
• Married filing separately – \$55,000

You must use Pub. 972 to figure your credit.

- 2. Are you claiming any of the following credits?
  - Residential energy credits, Form 5695.
  - Retirement savings contributions credit, Form 8880.
  - Mortgage interest credit, Form 8396.
  - District of Columbia first-time homebuyer credit, Form 8859.
  - Adoption credit, Form 8839.



- 3. Are you excluding income from Puerto Rico or are you filing any of the following forms?
  - Form 2555 or 2555-EZ (relating to foreign earned income).
  - Form 4563 (exclusion of income for residents of American Samoa).



credit.

**No.** Use the worksheet on page 40 to figure your credit.

## Child Tax Credit Worksheet—Line 52

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To be a qualifying child for the child tax credit, the child must be **under age 17** at the end of 2007 and meet the other requirements listed on page 15.

• Do not use this worksheet if you answered "Yes" to question 1, 2, or 3 on page 39. Instead, use Pub. 972.

1. Number of qualifying children:× \$1,000. Enter the result.	1
2. Enter the amount from Form 1040, line 46.	]
3. Add the amounts from Form 1040:         Line 47         Line 48         Line 49         Line 51         +	]
<ul> <li>Are the amounts on lines 2 and 3 the same?</li> <li>Yes. STOP</li> <li>You cannot take this credit because there is no tax to reduce. However, you may be able to take the additional child tax credit. See the TIP below.</li> <li>No. Subtract line 3 from line 2.</li> </ul>	4
	<b>5</b> Enter this amount on Form 1040, line 52.
<ul> <li>You may be able to take the additional child tax credit on Form 1040, line 68, if you answered "Yes" on line 4 or line 5 above.</li> <li>First, complete your Form 1040 through line 67.</li> <li>Then, use Form 8812 to figure any additional child tax credit.</li> </ul>	1040

## Line 53

## Retirement Savings Contributions Credit (Saver's Credit)

You may be able to take this credit if you, or your spouse if filing jointly, made (a) contributions to a traditional or Roth IRA; (b) elective deferrals to a 401(k) or 403(b) plan (including designated Roth contributions) or to a governmental 457, SEP, or SIMPLE plan; (c) voluntary employee contributions to a qualified retirement plan (including the federal Thrift Savings Plan); or (d) contributions to a 501(c)(18)(D) plan.

However, you cannot take the credit if either of the following applies.

1. The amount on Form 1040, line 38, is more than \$26,000 (\$39,000 if head of household; \$52,000 if married filing jointly).

2. The person(s) who made the qualified contribution or elective deferral (a) was born after January 1, 1990, (b) is claimed as a dependent on someone else's 2007 tax return, or (c) was a student (defined below).

You were a student if during any part of 5 calendar months of 2007 you:

• Were enrolled as a full-time student at a school, or

• Took a full-time, on-farm training course given by a school or a state, county, or local government agency.

A school includes a technical, trade, or mechanical school. It does not include an on-the-job training course, correspondence school, or school offering courses only through the Internet.

For more details, use TeleTax topic 610 (see page 79) or see Form 8880.

## Line 54

Include the following credits on line 54 and check the appropriate box(es). To find out if you can take the credit, see the form indicated.

• Mortgage interest credit. If a state or local government gave you a mortgage credit certificate, see Form 8396.

• District of Columbia first-time homebuyer credit. See Form 8859.

• Adoption credit. You may be able to take this credit if you paid expenses to adopt a child or you adopted a child with special needs and the adoption became final in 2007. See the Instructions for Form 8839.

## Line 55 Other Credits

Include the following credits on line 55 and check the appropriate box(es). If box c is checked, also enter the applicable form number. To find out if you can take the credit, see the form or publication indicated.

• Credit for prior year minimum tax. If you paid alternative minimum tax in a prior year, see Form 8801.

• Qualified electric vehicle credit. This credit does not apply to vehicles placed in service after 2006. However, you may be able to take the credit if you received a 2006 Schedule K-1 showing the credit from an entity with a fiscal year ending in 2007 or have an unallowed passive activity credit from a prior year. See Form 8834.

• General business credit. This credit consists of a number of credits that usually apply only to individuals who are partners, shareholders in an S corporation, self-employed, or who have rental property. See Form 3800 or Pub. 334.

• Empowerment zone and renewal community employment credit. See Form 8844.

• Credit for alcohol used as fuel. See Form 6478.

• Renewable electricity, refined coal, and Indian coal production credit for electricity and refined coal produced at facilities placed in service after October 22, 2004, and Indian coal produced at facilities placed in service after August 8, 2005. See Form 8835, Section B.

• Work opportunity credit. See Form 5884.

• Credit for employer social security and Medicare taxes paid on certain employee tips. See Form 8846.

• New York Liberty Zone business employee credit. If you have a carryforward of this credit, see Form 5884.

• Qualified zone academy bond credit. This credit applies only to S corporation shareholders. See Form 8860.

• Clean renewable energy bond credit. See Form 8912.

• Credit for Gulf tax credit bonds. See Form 8912.

• Alternative motor vehicle credit. If you placed an alternative motor vehicle (such as a qualified hybrid vehicle) in service during 2007, see Form 8910.

• Alternative fuel vehicle refueling property credit. See Form 8911.

## **Other Taxes**

## Line 59

### Unreported Social Security and Medicare Tax from Forms 4137 and 8919

Enter the total of any taxes from Form 4137 and Form 8919. Check the appropriate box(es).

**Form 4137.** If you received tips of \$20 or more in any month and you did not report the full amount to your employer, you must pay the social security and Medicare or railroad retirement (RRTA) tax on the unreported tips. You must also pay this tax if your Form(s) W-2 shows allocated tips that you are including in your income on Form 1040, line 7.

To figure the social security and Medicare tax, use Form 4137. If you owe RRTA tax, contact your employer. Your employer will figure and collect the RRTA tax.



You may be charged a penalty equal to 50% of the social security and Medicare tax due on tips you received but did not re-

port to your employer.

**Form 8919.** If you are an employee who received wages from an employer who did not withhold social security and Medicare tax from your wages, use Form 8919 to figure your share of the unreported tax. Include on line 59 the amount from line 13 of Form 8919. Include the amount from line 6 of Form 8919 on Form 1040, line 7.

## Line 60 Additional Tax on IRAs, Other Qualified Retirement Plans, etc.

If any of the following apply, see Form 5329 and its instructions to find out if you owe this tax and if you must file Form 5329.

1. You received an early distribution from (a) an IRA or other qualified retirement plan, (b) an annuity, or (c) a modified endowment contract entered into after June 20, 1988, and the total distribution was not rolled over in a qualified rollover contribution.

2. Excess contributions were made to your IRAs, Coverdell education savings accounts (ESAs), Archer MSAs, or health savings accounts.

3. You received taxable distributions from Coverdell ESAs or qualified tuition programs.

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4. You were born before July 1, 1936, and did not take the minimum required distribution from your IRA or other qualified retirement plan.

Exception. If only item (1) applies and distribution code 1 is correctly shown in box 7 of Form 1099-R, you do not have to file Form 5329. Instead, multiply the taxable amount of the distribution by 10% (.10) and enter the result on line 60. The taxable amount of the distribution is the part of the distribution you reported on Form 1040, line 15b or line 16b, or on Form 4972. Also, enter "No" under the heading "Other Taxes" to the left of line 60 to indicate that you do not have to file Form 5329. But if distribution code 1 is incorrectly shown in box 7 of Form 1099-R or you qualify for an exception for qualified medical expenses, qualified higher education expenses, qualified first-time homebuyer distributions, or a qualified reservist distribution, you must file Form 5329.

## Line 62 Household Employment Taxes

If any of the following apply, see Schedule H and its instructions to find out if you owe these taxes.

1. You paid any one household employee (defined below) cash wages of \$1,500 or more in 2007. Cash wages include wages paid by check, money order, etc.

2. You withheld federal income tax during 2007 at the request of any household employee.

3. You paid total cash wages of \$1,000 or more in any calendar quarter of 2006 or 2007 to household employees.



For item (1), do not count amounts paid to an employee who was under age 18 at any time in 2007 and was a student.

Household employee. Any person who does household work is a household employee if you can control what will be done and how it will be done. Household work includes work done in or around your home by babysitters, nannies, health aides, maids, yard workers, and similar domestic workers.

# Line 63 Total Tax

Include in the total on line 63 any of the following taxes. To find out if you owe the tax, see the form or publication indicated. On the dotted line next to line 63, enter the

amount of the tax and identify it as indicated.

1. Additional tax on health savings account distributions (see Form 8889, Part II). Identify as "HSA."

2. Additional tax on Archer MSA distributions (see Form 8853). Identify as "MSA."

3. Additional tax on Medicare Advantage MSA distributions (see Form 8853). Identify as "Med MSA."

4. Recapture of the following credits.

a. Investment credit (see Form 4255). Identify as "ICR."

b. Low-income housing credit (see Form 8611). Identify as "LIHCR."

c. Qualified electric vehicle credit (see Form 8834). Identify as "QEVCR."

d. Indian employment credit (see Form 8845). Identify as "IECR."

e. New markets credit (see Form 8874). Identify as "NMCR."

f. Credit for employer-provided child care facilities (see Form 8882). Identify as "ECCFR."

g. Alternative motor vehicle credit (see Form 8910). Identify as "AMVCR."

h. Alternative fuel vehicle refueling property credit (see Form 8911). Identify as "ARPCR."

5. Recapture of federal mortgage subsidy. If you sold your home in 2007 and it was financed (in whole or in part) from the proceeds of any tax-exempt qualified mortgage bond or you claimed the mortgage interest credit, see Form 8828. Identify as "FMSR."

6. Section 72(m)(5) excess benefits tax (see Pub. 560). Identify as "Sec. 72(m)(5)."

7. Uncollected social security and Medicare or RRTA tax on tips or group-term life insurance. This tax should be shown in box 12 of Form W-2 with codes A and B or M and N. Identify as "UT."

8. Golden parachute payments. If you received an excess parachute payment (EPP), you must pay a 20% tax on it. This tax should be shown in box 12 of Form W-2 with code K. If you received a Form 1099-MISC, the tax is 20% of the EPP shown in box 13. Identify as "EPP."

9. Tax on accumulation distribution of trusts (see Form 4970). Identify as "ADT."

10. Excise tax on insider stock compensation from an expatriated corporation. You may owe a 15% excise tax on the value of nonstatutory stock options and certain other stock-based compensation held by you or a member of your family from an expatriated corporation or its expanded affiliated group in which you were an officer, director, or more-than-10% owner. See section 4985. Identify as "ISC." 11. Additional tax on income you received from a nonqualified deferred compensation plan that fails to meet certain requirements. This income should be shown in box 12 of Form W-2 with code Z, or in box 15b of Form 1099-MISC. The tax is 20% of the amount required to be included in income plus an interest amount d etermined under section 409A(a)(1)(B)(ii). See section 409A(a)(1)(B) for details. Identify as "NQDC."

12. Interest on the tax due on installment income from the sale of certain residential lots and timeshares. Identify as "453(1)(3)."

13. Interest on the deferred tax on gain from certain installment sales with a sales price over \$150,000. Identify as "453A(c)."

# **Payments**

## Line 64 Federal Income Tax Withheld

Add the amounts shown as federal income tax withheld on your Forms W-2, W-2G, and 1099-R. Enter the total on line 64. The amount withheld should be shown in box 2 of Form W-2 or W-2G, and in box 4 of Form 1099-R. Attach Forms W-2G and 1099-R to the front of your return if federal income tax was withheld.

If you received a 2007 Form 1099 showing federal income tax withheld on dividends, taxable or tax-exempt interest income, unemployment compensation, social security benefits, or other income you received, include the amount withheld in the total on line 64. This should be shown in box 4 of Form 1099 or box 6 of Form SSA-1099.

## Line 65 2007 Estimated Tax Payments

Enter any estimated federal income tax payments you made for 2007. Include any overpayment from your 2006 return that you applied to your 2007 estimated tax.

If you and your spouse paid joint estimated tax but are now filing separate income tax returns, you can divide the amount paid in any way you choose as long as you both agree. If you cannot agree, you must divide the payments in proportion to each spouse's individual tax as shown on your separate returns for 2007. For an example of how to do this, see Pub. 505. Be sure to show both social security numbers (SSNs) in the space provided on the separate returns. If you or your spouse paid separate estimated tax but you are now filing a joint return, add the amounts you each paid. Follow these instructions even if your spouse died in 2007 or in 2008 before filing a 2007 return.

#### **Divorced Taxpayers**

If you got divorced in 2007 and you made joint estimated tax payments with your former spouse, enter your former spouse's SSN in the space provided on the front of Form 1040. If you were divorced and remarried in 2007, enter your present spouse's SSN in the space provided on the front of Form 1040. Also, under the heading *Payments* to the left of line 65, enter your former spouse's SSN, followed by "DIV."

#### Name Change

If you changed your name because of marriage, divorce, etc., and you made estimated tax payments using your former name, attach a statement to the front of Form 1040. On the statement, explain all the payments you and your spouse made in 2007 and the name(s) and SSN(s) under which you made them.

# Lines 66a and 66b— **Earned Income Credit (EIC)**

## What Is the EIC?

The EIC is a credit for certain people who work. The credit may give you a refund even if you do not owe any tax.

## To Take the EIC:

- Follow the steps below.
- Complete the worksheet that applies to you or let the IRS figure the credit for you.
- If you have a qualifying child, complete and attach Schedule ۲ EIC.

For help in determining if you are eligible for the EIC, go to www.irs.gov/eitc and click on "EITC Assistant." This service is available in English and Spanish.



If you take the EIC even though you are not eligible and it is determined that your error is due to reckless or intentional disregard of the EIC rules, you will not be allowed to take the credit for 2 years even if you are otherwise eligible to do so. If you fraudulently take the EIC, you

will not be allowed to take the credit for 10 years. See Form 8862, who must file, on page 47. You may also have to pay penalties.

#### Step 1 All Filers

- 1. If, in 2007:
  - 2 children lived with you, is the amount on Form 1040, line 38, less than \$37,783 (\$39,783 if married filing jointly)?
  - 1 child lived with you, is the amount on Form 1040, line 38, less than \$33,241 (\$35,241 if married filing jointly)?
  - No children lived with you, is the amount on Form 1040, line 38, less than \$12,590 (\$14,590 if married filing jointly)?

**Yes.** Continue

NO. (STOP You cannot take the credit.

2. Do you, and your spouse if filing a joint return, have a social security number that allows you to work or is valid for EIC purposes (see page 47)?

**Yes.** Continue

NO. (STOP) You cannot take the credit. Enter "No" on the dotted line next to line 66a.

3. Is your filing status married filing separately?

Yes. ISTOP You cannot take the credit.

 $\square$  No. Go to question 4.

4. Are you filing Form 2555 or 2555-EZ (relating to foreign earned income)?

No. Continue

Yes. STOP You cannot take the credit.

Were you or your spouse a nonresident alien for any part of 5. 2007?

 $\square$  Yes. See *Nonresident*  $\square$  No. Go to Step 2. aliens on page 47.

#### Step 2 Investment Income

Add the amounts from Form 1040:

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	Line 8a		
	Line 8b	+	
	Line 9a	+	
	Line 13*	+	
Inves	tment Income	=	
*If line 13 is a	loss, enter -0		
Is your investment incon	ne more than \$2	,900?	
☐ Yes. Continue <b>→</b>	<b>No.</b> SI questio		n 3; go to
Are you filing Form 479 property)?	7 (relating to sa	les of busi	ness
<b>Yes.</b> See Form 47 filers on page 47.	- <	P)	.1 1.

You cannot take the credit.

- 4. Do any of the following apply for 2007?
  - You are filing Schedule E.
  - You are reporting income or a loss from the rental of personal property not used in a trade or business.
  - You are reporting income on Form 1040, line 21, from Form 8814 (relating to election to report child's interest and dividends).
    - **Yes.** You must use  $\square$  No. Go to Step 3. Worksheet 1 in Pub. 596 to see if you can take the credit.

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#### Step 3 **Qualifying Child** Yes. (STOP) **No.** Skip Step 4; go to Step 5 on page 46. You cannot take the credit. Enter "No" on A qualifying child for the EIC is a child who is your... the dotted line next to line 66a. Son, daughter, stepchild, foster child, brother, sister, stepbrother, stepsister, or a descendant of any of them (for example, your grandchild, niece, or nephew) Step 4 Filers Without a Qualifying Child Is the amount on Form 1040, line 38, less than \$12,590 1. (\$14,590 if married filing jointly)? Ves. Continue **NO.** (STOP) was ... Under age 19 at the end of 2007 or Yes. (STOP) **No.** Continue Under age 24 at the end of 2007 and a student (see page 47) You cannot take the or credit. Enter "No" on Any age and permanently and totally disabled (see page 47) the dotted line next to line 66a. 3. Can you, or your spouse if filing a joint return, be claimed as a dependent on someone else's 2007 tax return? **No.** Continue Yes. (STOP who... You cannot take the Lived with you in the United States for more than half credit. of 2007. If the child did not live with you for the 4. required time, see Exception to time lived with you on page 47. **Yes.** Continue NO. STOP You cannot take the credit. If the child meets the conditions to be a qualifying 5. child of any other person (other than your spouse if filing a joint return) for 2007, or the child was married, see page 47. before you answer. Do you have at least one child who meets the conditions to **Yes.** Go to Step 5 1. be your qualifying child? on page 46. **Yes.** The child must $\square$ No. Skip question 2; go to have a valid social se-Step 4. curity number as defined on page 47 unless the child was born and died in 2007. Go to question 2.

2. Could you, or your spouse if filing a joint return, be a qualifying child of another person in 2007?

- You cannot take the credit.
- Could you, or your spouse if filing a joint return, be a qualifying child of another person in 2007?

Were you, or your spouse if filing a joint return, at least age

- 25 but under age 65 at the end of 2007?
- Was your home, and your spouse's if filing a joint return, in the United States for more than half of 2007? Members of the military stationed outside the United States, see page 47

NO. STOP

You cannot take the credit. Enter "No" on the dotted line next to line 66a.

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### Earned Income

- 1. Are you filing Schedule SE because you were a member of the clergy or you had church employee income of \$108.28 or more?
  - □ **Yes.** See *Clergy* or □ **No.** Continue *Church employees,* whichever applies, on this page.
- 2. Figure earned income:

Form 1040, line 7

- Subtract, if included on line 7, any:Taxable scholarship or fellowship grant not reported on a Form W-2.
- Amount received for work performed while an inmate in a penal institution (enter "PRI" and the amount subtracted on the dotted line next to Form 1040, line 7).
- Amount received as a pension or annuity from a nonqualified deferred compensation plan or a nongovernmental section 457 plan (enter "DFC" and the amount subtracted on the dotted line next to Form 1040, line 7). This amount may be shown in box 11 of Form W-2. If you received such an amount but box 11 is blank, contact your employer for the amount received as a pension or annuity.

Add all of your nontaxable combat pay if you elect to include it in earned income. Also enter this amount on Form 1040, line 66b. See *Combat pay, nontaxable* on this page.



ELECTING to include nontaxable combat pay may increase or decrease your EIC. Figure the credit with and without your nontaxable combat pay before making the election.

Earned Income =

- 3. Were you self-employed at any time in 2007, or are you filing Schedule SE because you were a member of the clergy or you had church employee income, or are you filing Schedule C or C-EZ as a statutory employee?
  - ☐ Yes. Skip question 4 ☐ No. Continue and Step 6; go to Worksheet B on page 49.
- 4. If you have:
  - 2 or more qualifying children, is your earned income less than \$37,783 (\$39,783 if married filing jointly)?

- 1 qualifying child, is your earned income less than \$33,241 (\$35,241 if married filing jointly)?
- No qualifying children, is your earned income less than \$12,590 (\$14,590 if married filing jointly)?

NO. STOP

**Yes.** Go to Step 6.

You cannot take the credit.

## Step 6 How To Figure the Credit

1. Do you want the IRS to figure the credit for you?

☐ Yes. See Credit figured by the IRS below. **No.** Go to Worksheet A on page 48.

## **Definitions and Special Rules**

(listed in alphabetical order)

**Adopted child.** An adopted child is always treated as your own child. An adopted child includes a child lawfully placed with you for legal adoption.

**Church employees.** Determine how much of the amount on Form 1040, line 7, was also reported on Schedule SE, line 5a. Subtract that amount from the amount on Form 1040, line 7, and enter the result in the first space of Step 5, line 2. Be sure to answer "Yes" to question 3 in Step 5.

**Clergy.** The following instructions apply to ministers, members of religious orders who have not taken a vow of poverty, and Christian Science practitioners. If you are filing Schedule SE and the amount on line 2 of that schedule includes an amount that was also reported on Form 1040, line 7:

- 1. Enter "Clergy" on the dotted line next to Form 1040, line 66a.
- 2. Determine how much of the amount on Form 1040, line 7, was also reported on Schedule SE, line 2.
- 3. Subtract that amount from the amount on Form 1040, line 7. Enter the result in the first space of Step 5, line 2.
- 4. Be sure to answer "Yes" to question 3 in Step 5.

**Combat pay, nontaxable.** If you were a member of the U.S. Armed Forces who served in a combat zone, certain pay is excluded from your income. See *Combat Zone Exclusion* in Pub. 3. You can elect to include this pay in your earned income when figuring the EIC. The amount of your nontaxable combat pay should be shown in box 12 of Form(s) W-2 with code Q. If you are filing a joint return and both you and your spouse received nontaxable combat pay, you can each make your own election.

Credit figured by the IRS. To have the IRS figure your EIC:

- 1. Enter "EIC" on the dotted line next to Form 1040, line 66a.
- 2. Be sure you enter the nontaxable combat pay you elect to include in earned income on Form 1040, line 66b. See *Combat pay, nontaxable* above.
- 3. If you have a qualifying child, complete and attach Schedule EIC. If your EIC for a year after 1996 was reduced or disallowed, see *Form 8862, who must file* on page 47.

**Form 4797 filers.** If the amount on Form 1040, line 13, includes an amount from Form 4797, you must use Worksheet 1 in Pub. 596 to see if you can take the EIC. Otherwise, stop; you cannot take the EIC.

**Form 8862, who must file.** You must file Form 8862 if your EIC for a year after 1996 was reduced or disallowed for any reason other than a math or clerical error. But do not file Form 8862 if either of the following applies.

- You filed Form 8862 for another year, the EIC was allowed for that year, and your EIC has not been reduced or disallowed again for any reason other than a math or clerical error.
- You are taking the EIC without a qualifying child and the only reason your EIC was reduced or disallowed in the other year was because it was determined that a child listed on Schedule EIC was not your qualifying child.

Also, do not file Form 8862 or take the credit for the:

- 2 years after the most recent tax year for which there was a final determination that your EIC claim was due to reckless or intentional disregard of the EIC rules, or
- 10 years after the most recent tax year for which there was a final determination that your EIC claim was due to fraud.

**Foster child.** A foster child is any child placed with you by an authorized placement agency or by judgment, decree, or other order of any court of competent jurisdiction. For more details on authorized placement agencies, see Pub. 596.

**Married child.** A child who was married at the end of 2007 is a qualifying child only if (a) you can claim him or her as your dependent on Form 1040, line 6c, or (b) you could have claimed him or her as your dependent except for the special rule for *Children of divorced or separated parents* that begins on page 16.

**Members of the military.** If you were on extended active duty outside the United States, your home is considered to be in the United States during that duty period. Extended active duty is military duty ordered for an indefinite period or for a period of more than 90 days. Once you begin serving extended active duty, you are considered to be on extended active duty even if you do not serve more than 90 days.

**Nonresident aliens.** If your filing status is married filing jointly, go to Step 2 on page 44. Otherwise, stop; you cannot take the EIC. Enter "No" on the dotted line next to line 66a.

**Permanently and totally disabled.** A person is permanently and totally disabled if, at any time in 2007, the person cannot engage in any substantial gainful activity because of a physical or mental condition and a doctor has determined that this condition (a) has lasted or can be expected to last continuously for at least a year, or (b) can be expected to lead to death.

**Qualifying child of more than one person.** If the child is the qualifying child of more than one person, only one person can claim the child as a qualifying child for all of the following tax benefits, unless the special rule for *Children of divorced or separated parents* beginning on page 16 applies.

- 1. Dependency exemption (line 6c).
- 2. Child tax credits (lines 52 and 68).
- 3. Head of household filing status (line 4).
- 4. Credit for child and dependent care expenses (line 47).
- 5. Exclusion for dependent care benefits (Form 2441, Part III).
- 6. Earned income credit (lines 66a and 66b).

No other person can take any of the six tax benefits listed above unless he or she has a different qualifying child. If you and any other person claim the child as a qualifying child, the IRS will apply the following rules.

- If only one of the persons is the child's parent, the child will be treated as the qualifying child of the parent.
- If two of the persons are the child's parents, the child will be treated as the qualifying child of the parent with whom the child lived for the longer period of time in 2007. If the child lived with each parent for the same amount of time, the child will be treated as the qualifying child of the parent who had the higher adjusted gross income (AGI) for 2007.
- If none of the persons is the child's parent, the child will be treated as the qualifying child of the person who had the highest AGI for 2007.

**Example.** Your daughter meets the conditions to be a qualifying child for both you and your mother. If you and your mother both claim tax benefits based on the child, the rules above apply. Under these rules, you are entitled to treat your daughter as a qualifying child for all of the six tax benefits listed above for which you otherwise qualify. Your mother would not be entitled to take any of the six tax benefits listed above unless she has a different qualifying child.

If you will not be taking the EIC with a qualifying child, enter "No" on the dotted line next to line 66a. Otherwise, go to Step 3, question 1, on page 45.

**Social security number (SSN).** For the EIC, a valid SSN is a number issued by the Social Security Administration unless "Not Valid for Employment" is printed on the social security card and the number was issued solely to apply for or receive a federally funded benefit.

To find out how to get an SSN, see page 12. If you will not have an SSN by the date your return is due, see *What if You Cannot File on Time?* on page 6.

**Student.** A student is a child who during any part of 5 calendar months of 2007 was enrolled as a full-time student at a school, or took a full-time, on-farm training course given by a school or a state, county, or local government agency. A school includes a technical, trade, or mechanical school. It does not include an on-the-job training course, correspondence school, or school offering courses only through the Internet.

Welfare benefits, effect of credit on. Any refund you receive as a result of taking the EIC will not be used to determine if you are eligible for the following programs or how much you can receive from them. But if the refund you receive because of the EIC is not spent within a certain period of time, it can count as an asset (or resource) and affect your eligibility.

- Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF).
- Medicaid and supplemental security income (SSI).
- Food stamps and low-income housing.

**Before you begin:**  $\sqrt{}$  Be sure you are using the correct worksheet. Use this worksheet only if you answered "No" to Step 5, question 3, on page 46. Otherwise, use Worksheet B that begins on page 49.

Part 1	1. Enter your earned income from Step 5 on page 46.
All Filers Using Worksheet A	<ul> <li>2. Look up the amount on line 1 above in the EIC Table on pages 51–58 to find the credit. Be sure you use the correct column for your filing status and the number of children you have. Enter the credit here.</li> <li>2 If line 2 is zero, You cannot take the credit. Enter "No" on the dotted line next to line 66a.</li> </ul>
	<b>3.</b> Enter the amount from Form 1040, line 38.
	<ul> <li>4. Are the amounts on lines 3 and 1 the same?</li> <li>Yes. Skip line 5; enter the amount from line 2 on line 6.</li> <li>No. Go to line 5.</li> </ul>
Part 2 Filers Who Answered "No" on Line 4	<ul> <li>5. If you have:</li> <li>No qualifying children, is the amount on line 3 less than \$7,000 (\$9,000 if married filing jointly)?</li> <li>1 or more qualifying children, is the amount on line 3 less than \$15,400 (\$17,400 if married filing jointly)?</li> <li>Yes. Leave line 5 blank; enter the amount from line 2 on line 6.</li> <li>No. Look up the amount on line 3 in the EIC Table on pages 51–58 to find the credit. Be sure you use the correct column for your filing status and the number of children you have. Enter the credit here. Look at the amounts on lines 5 and 2. Then, enter the smaller amount on line 6.</li> </ul>
Part 3 Your Earned	6. This is your earned income credit. Enter this amount on Form 1040, line 66a.
Income Credit	Reminder— √ If you have a qualifying child, complete and attach Schedule EIC.
	If your EIC for a year after 1996 was reduced or disallowed, see page 47 to find out if you must file Form 8862 to take the credit for 2007.

# Worksheet **B**—Earned Income Credit (EIC)—Lines 66a and 66b Ke

## Use this worksheet if you answered "Yes" to Step 5, question 3, on page 46.

- $\sqrt{}$  Complete the parts below (Parts 1 through 3) that apply to you. Then, continue to Part 4.
- $\sqrt{}$  If you are married filing a joint return, include your spouse's amounts, if any, with yours to figure the amounts to enter in Parts 1 through 3.

Part 1	<ol> <li>Enter the amount from Schedule SE, Section A, line 3, or Section B, line 3, whichever applies.</li> </ol>	1a
Self-Employed, Members of the	<b>b.</b> Enter any amount from Schedule SE, Section B, line 4b, and line 5a.	+ 1b
Clergy, and	c. Combine lines 1a and 1b.	= 1c
People With Church Employee	<b>d.</b> Enter the amount from Schedule SE, Section A, line 6, or Section B, line 13, whichever applies.	- 1d
Income Filing Schedule SE	e. Subtract line 1d from 1c.	= 1e
Part 2 Self-Employed	2. Do not include on these lines any statutory employee income, any net profit as a notary public, or any amount exempt from self-employment tax as the sapproval of Form 4029 or Form 4361.	
NOT Required To File	a. Enter any net farm profit or (loss) from Schedule F, line 36, and from farm partnerships, Schedule K-1 (Form 1065), box 14, code A*.	2a
<b>Schedule SE</b> For example, your net earnings from self-employment	<b>b.</b> Enter any net profit or (loss) from Schedule C, line 31; Schedule C-EZ, line 3; Schedule K-1 (Form 1065), box 14, code A (other than farming); and Schedule K-1 (Form 1065-B), box 9, code J1*.	+ 2b
were less than \$400.	c. Combine lines 2a and 2b.	= 2c
	*Reduce any Schedule K-1 amounts by any partnership section 179 expense unreimbursed partnership expenses claimed, and depletion claimed on oil an have any Schedule K-1 amounts, complete the appropriate line(s) of Schedu your name and social security number on Schedule SE and attach it to your	nd gas properties. If you ile SE, Section A. Enter
Part 3		
Statutory Employees Filing Schedule C or C-EZ	<b>3.</b> Enter the amount from Schedule C, line 1, or Schedule C-EZ, line 1, that you are filing as a statutory employee.	3
Part 4	4a. Enter your earned income from Step 5 on page 46.	4a
All Filers Using Worksheet B	<b>b.</b> Combine lines 1e, 2c, 3, and 4a. This is your total earned income.	4b
Note. If line 4b includes income on which you should have paid self- employment tax but did not, we may reduce your credit by the amount of self-employment tax not paid.	<ul> <li>If line 4b is zero or less, TOP You cannot take the credit. Enter "No" on the</li> <li>5. If you have: <ul> <li>2 or more qualifying children, is line 4b less than \$37,783 (\$39,783 if m</li> <li>1 qualifying child, is line 4b less than \$33,241 (\$35,241 if married filing</li> <li>No qualifying children, is line 4b less than \$12,590 (\$14,590 if married filing</li> <li>Ves. If you want the IRS to figure your credit, see page 46. If you want the figure the credit yourself, enter the amount from line 4b on line 6 (page 50)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	narried filing jointly)? ; jointly)? filing jointly)? to 0).
	<b>No.</b> You cannot take the credit. Enter "No" on the dotted line ne	ext to line 66a.

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# Worksheet **B**\_Continued from page 49

Part 5 All Filers Using Worksheet B	<ul> <li>6. Enter your total earned income from Part 4, line 4b, </li> <li>6</li> <li>7. Look up the amount on line 6 above in the EIC Table on pages 51–58 to find the credit. Be sure you use the correct column for your filing status and the number of children you have. Enter the credit here.</li> <li>7</li> <li>If line 7 is zero, </li> <li>STOP You cannot take the credit. Enter "No" on the dotted line next to line 66a.</li> <li>8. Enter the amount from Form 1040, line 38.</li> <li>8</li> <li>9. Are the amounts on lines 8 and 6 the same?</li> <li>Yes. Skip line 10; enter the amount from line 7 on line 11.</li> <li>No. Go to line 10.</li> </ul>
Part 6 Filers Who Answered "No" on Line 9	<ul> <li>10. If you have:</li> <li>No qualifying children, is the amount on line 8 less than \$7,000 (\$9,000 if married filing jointly)?</li> <li>1 or more qualifying children, is the amount on line 8 less than \$15,400 (\$17,400 if married filing jointly)?</li> <li>Yes. Leave line 10 blank; enter the amount from line 7 on line 11.</li> <li>No. Look up the amount on line 8 in the EIC Table on pages 51–58 to find the credit. Be sure you use the correct column for your filing status and the number of children you have. Enter the credit here. Look at the amounts on lines 10 and 7. Then, enter the smaller amount on line 11.</li> </ul>
Part 7 Your Earned Income Credit	This is your earned income credit.         Image: Reminder —         ✓         If you have a qualifying child, complete and attach Schedule EIC.         Image: Provide the state of

# 2007 Earned Income Credit (EIC) Table Caution. This is not a tax table.

1. To find your credit, read down the "At least - But less than" columns and find the line that includes the amount you were told to look up from your EIC Worksheet. 2. Then, go to the column that includes your filing status and the number of qualifying children you have. Enter the credit from that column on your EIC Worksheet. **Example.** If your filing status is single, you have one qualifying child, and the amount you are looking up from your EIC Worksheet is \$2,455, you would enter \$842.

	And your filing status is-							
If the amount you are looking up from the worksheet is—	Single, head of household, or qualifying widow(er) and you have— No One Two children child children							
At least But less than	Your credit is—							
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2,450 2,500	189 (842) 990							

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100	150	10	43	50	10	43	50	2,600	2,650	201	893	1,050	201	893	1,050
150	200	13	60	70	13	60	70	2,650	2,700	205	910	1,070	205	910	1,070
200	250	17	77	90	17	77	90	2,700	2,750	208	927	1,090	208	927	1,090
250	300	21	94	110	21	94	110	2,750	2,800	212	944	1,110	212	944	1,110
300	350	25	111	130	25	111	130	2,800	2,850	216	961	1,130	216	961	1,130
350	400	29	128	150	29	128	150	2,850	2,900	220	978	1,150	220	978	1,150
400	450	33	145	170	33	145	170	2,900	2,950	224	995	1,170	224	995	1,170
450	500	36	162	190	36	162	190	2,950	3,000	228	1,012	1,190	228	1,012	1,190
500	550	40	179	210	40	179	210	3,000	3,050	231	1,029	1,210	231	1,029	1,210
550	600	44	196	230	44	196	230	3,050	3,100	235	1,046	1,230	235	1,046	1,230
600	650	48	213	250	48	213	250	3,100	3,150	239	1,063	1,250	239	1,063	1,250
650	700	52	230	270	52	230	270	3,150	3,200	243	1,080	1,270	243	1,080	1,270
700	750	55	247	290	55	247	290	3,200	3,250	247	1,097	1,290	247	1,097	1,290
750	800	59	264	310	59	264	310	3,250	3,300	251	1,114	1,310	251	1,114	1,310
800	850	63	281	330	63	281	330	3,300	3,350	254	1,131	1,330	254	1,131	1,330
850	900	67	298	350	67	298	350	3,350	3,400	258	1,148	1,350	258	1,148	1,350
900	950	71	315	370	71	315	370	3,400	3,450	262	1,165	1,370	262	1,165	1,370
950	1,000	75	332	390	75	332	390	3,450	3,500	266	1,182	1,390	266	1,182	1,390
1,000	1,050	78	349	410	78	349	410	3,500	3,550	270	1,199	1,410	270	1,199	1,410
1,050	1,100	82	366	430	82	366	430	3,550	3,600	273	1,216	1,430	273	1,216	1,430
1,100	1,150	86	383	450	86	383	450	3,600	3,650	277	1,233	1,450	277	1,233	1,450
1,150	1,200	90	400	470	90	400	470	3,650	3,700	281	1,250	1,470	281	1,250	1,470
1,200	1,250	94	417	490	94	417	490	3,700	3,750	285	1,267	1,490	285	1,267	1,490
1,250	1,300	98	434	510	98	434	510	3,750	3,800	289	1,284	1,510	289	1,284	1,510
1,300	1,350	101	451	530	101	451	530	3,800	3,850	293	1,301	1,530	293	1,301	1,530
1,350	1,400	105	468	550	105	468	550	3,850	3,900	296	1,318	1,550	296	1,318	1,550
1,400	1,450	109	485	570	109	485	570	3,900	3,950	300	1,335	1,570	300	1,335	1,570
1,450	1,500	113	502	590	113	502	590	3,950	4,000	304	1,352	1,590	304	1,352	1,590
1,500	1,550	117	519	610	117	519	610	4,000	4,050	308	1,369	1,610	308	1,369	1,610
1,550	1,600	120	536	630	120	536	630	4,050	4,100	312	1,386	1,630	312	1,386	1,630
1,600	1,650	124	553	650	124	553	650	4,100	4,150	316	1,403	1,650	316	1,403	1,650
1,650	1,700	128	570	670	128	570	670	4,150	4,200	319	1,420	1,670	319	1,420	1,670
1,700	1,750	132	587	690	132	587	690	4,200	4,250	323	1,437	1,690	323	1,437	1,690
1,750	1,800	136	604	710	136	604	710	4,250	4,300	327	1,454	1,710	327	1,454	1,710
1,800	1,850	140	621	730	140	621	730	4,300	4,350	331	1,471	1,730	331	1,471	1,730
1,850	1,900	143	638	750	143	638	750	4,350	4,400	335	1,488	1,750	335	1,488	1,750
1,900	1,950	147	655	770	147	655	770	4,400	4,450	339	1,505	1,770	339	1,505	1,770
1,950	2,000	151	672	790	151	672	790	4,450	4,500	342	1,522	1,790	342	1,522	1,790
2,000	2,050	155	689	810	155	689	810	4,500	4,550	346	1,539	1,810	346	1,539	1,810
2,050	2,100	159	706	830	159	706	830	4,550	4,600	350	1,556	1,830	350	1,556	1,830
2,100	2,150	163	723	850	163	723	850	4,600	4,650	354	1,573	1,850	354	1,573	1,850
2,150	2,200	166	740	870	166	740	870	4,650	4,700	358	1,590	1,870	358	1,590	1,870
2,200	2,250	170	757	890	170	757	890	4,700	4,750	361	1,607	1,890	361	1,607	1,890
2,250	2,300	174	774	910	174	774	910	4,750	4,800	365	1,624	1,910	365	1,624	1,910
2,300	2,350	178	791	930	178	791	930	4,800	4,850	369	1,641	1,930	369	1,641	1,930
2,350	2,400	182	808	950	182	808	950	4,850	4,900	373	1,658	1,950	373	1,658	1,950
2,400	2,450	186	825	970	186	825	970	4,900	4,950	377	1,675	1,970	377	1,675	1,970
2,450	2,500	189	842	990	189	842	990	4,950	5,000	381	1,692	1,990	381	1,692	1,990

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17,500 17,550 17,600 17,650 17,700	17,550 17,600 17,650 17,700 17,750	0 0 0 0	2,511 2,503 2,495 2,487 2,479	4,266 4,256 4,245 4,235 4,224	0 0 0 0 0	2,831 2,823 2,815 2,807 2,799	4,688 4,677 4,667 4,656 4,645	20,500 20,550 20,600 20,650 20,700	20,550 20,600 20,650 20,700 20,750	0 0 0 0	2,032 2,024 2,016 2,008 2,000	3,635 3,624 3,614 3,603 3,592	0 0 0 0 0	2,352 2,344 2,336 2,328 2,320	4,056 4,045 4,035 4,024 4,014
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38,050	38,100	0	0	0	0	0	360	39,050	39,100	0	0	0	0	0	149
38,100	38,150	0	0	0	0	0	349	39,100	39,150	0	0	0	0	0	139
38,150	38,200	0	0	0	0	0	339	39,150	39,200	0	0	0	0	0	128
38,200	38,250	0	0	0	0	0	328	39,200	39,250	0	0	0	0	0	118
38,250	38,300	0	0	0	0	0	318	39,250	39,300	0	0	0	0	0	107
38,300	38,350	0	0	0	0	0	307	39,300	39,350	0	0	0	0	0	96
38,350	38,400	0	0	0	0	0	297	39,350	39,400	0	0	0	0	0	86
38,400	38,450	0	0	0	0	0	286	39,400	39,450	0	0	0	0	0	75
38,450	38,500	0	0	0	0	0	275	39,450	39,500	0	0	0	0	0	65
38,500	38,550	0	0	0	0	0	265	39,500	39,550	0	0	0	0	0	54
38,550	38,600	0	0	0	0	0	254	39,550	39,600	0	0	0	0	0	44
38,600	38,650	0	0	0	0	0	244	39,600	39,650	0	0	0	0	0	33
38,650	38,700	0	0	0	0	0	233	39,650	39,700	0	0	0	0	0	23
38,700	38,750	0	0	0	0	0	223	39,700	39,750	0	0	0	0	0	12
38,750	38,800	0	0	0	0	0	212	39,750	39,783	0	0	0	0	0	4
38,800	38,850	0	0	0	0	0	202								
38,850	38,900	0	0	0	0	0	191								
38,900	38,950	0	0	0	0	0	181								
38,950	39,000	0	0	0	0	0	170								

# Line 67

# Excess Social Security and Tier 1 RRTA Tax Withheld

If you, or your spouse if filing a joint return, had more than one employer for 2007 and total wages of more than \$97,500, too much social security or tier 1 railroad retirement (RRTA) tax may have been withheld. You can take a credit on this line for the amount withheld in excess of \$6,045. But if any one employer withheld more than \$6,045, you cannot claim the excess on your return. The employer should adjust the tax for you. If the employer does not adjust the overcollection, you can file a claim for refund using Form 843. Figure this amount separately for you and your spouse.

You cannot claim a refund for excess tier 2 RRTA tax on Form 1040. Instead, use Form 843.

For more details, see Pub. 505.

## Line 68 Additional Child Tax Credit

# What Is the Additional Child Tax Credit?

This credit is for certain people who have at least one qualifying child as defined in the instructions for line 6c on page 15. The additional child tax credit may give you a refund even if you do not owe any tax.

# Two Steps To Take the Additional Child Tax Credit!

**Step 1.** Be sure you figured the amount, if any, of your child tax credit. See the instructions for line 52 that begin on page 39.

**Step 2.** Read the TIP at the end of your Child Tax Credit Worksheet. Use Form 8812 to see if you can take the additional child tax credit, but only if you meet the condition given in that TIP.

## Line 69 Amount Paid With Request for Extension To File

If you filed Form 4868 to get an automatic extension of time to file Form 1040, enter any amount you paid with that form or by electronic funds withdrawal or credit card. If you paid by credit card, do not include on line 69 the convenience fee you were charged. Also, include any amounts paid with Form 2350.

## Line 70

Check the box(es) on line 70 to report any credit from Form 2439, 4136, or 8885.

# Line 71

## Refundable Credit for Prior Year Minimum Tax

If you have an unused minimum tax credit carryforward from 2004, you may be able to claim at least part of it as a refundable credit. Enter on line 71 the amount, if any, from Form 8801, line 27.

# Refund

# Line 73

## Amount Overpaid

If line 73 is under \$1, we will send a refund only on written request.

If you want to check the status of your refund, please wait at least 6 weeks (3 weeks if you filed electronically) from the date you filed your return to do so. But if you filed Form 8379 with your return, allow 14 weeks (11 weeks if you filed electronically). See page 79 for details.



If the amount you overpaid is large, you may want to decrease the amount of income tax withheld from your pay by filing a

new Form W-4. See Income Tax Withholding and Estimated Tax Payments for 2008 on page 76.

#### Refund Offset

If you owe past-due federal tax, state income tax, child support, spousal support, or certain federal nontax debts, such as student loans, all or part of the overpayment on line 73 may be used (offset) to pay the past-due amount. Offsets for federal taxes are made by the IRS. All other offsets are made by the Treasury Department's Financial Management Service (FMS). For federal tax offsets, you will receive a notice from the IRS. For all other offsets, you will receive a notice from FMS. To find out if you may have an offset or if you have any questions about it, contact the agency to which you owe the debt.

#### **Injured Spouse**

If you file a joint return and your spouse has not paid past-due federal tax, state income tax, child support, spousal support, or a federal nontax debt, such as a student loan, part or all of the overpayment on line 73 may be used (offset) to pay the past-due amount. But your part of the overpayment may be refunded to you if certain conditions apply and you complete Form 8379. For details, use TeleTax topic 203 (see page 79) or see Form 8379.

## Lines 74a Through 74d

#### DIRECT DEPOSIT Simple. Safe. Secure.

**Fast Refunds!** Choose direct deposit–a fast, simple, safe, secure way to have your refund deposited automatically to your checking or savings account, including an individual retirement arrangement (IRA). See the information about IRAs on page 60.

### Why Use Direct Deposit?

• You get your refund faster by direct deposit than you do by check.

• Payment is more secure. There is no check that can get lost or stolen.

• It is more convenient. You do not have to make a trip to the bank to deposit your check.

• It saves tax dollars. It costs the government less to refund by direct deposit.

If you want us to directly deposit the amount shown on line 74a to your checking or savings account, including an IRA, at a bank or other financial institution (such as a mutual fund, brokerage firm, or credit union) in the United States:

• Check the box on line 74a and attach Form 8888 if you want to split the direct deposit of your refund among two or three accounts, or

• Complete lines 74b through 74d if you want your refund deposited to only one account.

Otherwise, we will send you a check.

**Note.** If you do not want your refund directly deposited to your account, do not check the box on line 74a. Draw a line through the boxes on lines 74b and 74d.



The IRS is not responsible for a lost refund if you enter the wrong account information. Check with your financial insti-

tution to get the **correct** routing and account numbers and to make sure your direct deposit will be accepted. Do not use the routing number on a deposit slip if it is different from the routing number on your checks.

If you file a joint return and check the box on line 74a and attach Form 8888 or fill in lines 74b through 74d, your spouse may get at least part of the refund.

If the direct deposit to your account(s) is different from the amount you expected, you will receive an explanation in the mail about 2 weeks after your refund is deposited.

#### Line 74a

You cannot file Form 8888 and split your refund among two or three accounts if Form 8379 is filed with your return.

#### Line 74b

The routing number must be nine digits. The first two digits must be 01 through 12 or 21 through 32. Otherwise, the direct deposit will be rejected and a check sent instead. On the sample check below, the routing number is 250250025. Jeffrey and Suzanne Maple would use that routing number unless their financial institution instructed them to use a different routing number for direct deposits.

Ask your financial institution for the correct routing number to enter on line 74b if:

• Your deposit is to a savings account that does not allow you to write checks, or

• Your checks state they are payable through a financial institution different from the one at which you have your checking account.

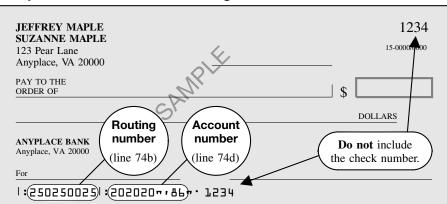
#### Line 74c

Check the appropriate box for the type of account. Do not check more than one box. If the deposit is to an IRA, ask your financial institution whether you should check the "Checking" or "Savings" box. You must check the correct box to ensure your deposit is accepted.

#### Line 74d

The account number can be up to 17 characters (both numbers and letters). Include hyphens but omit spaces and special symbols. Enter the number from left to right and leave any unused boxes blank. On the sample check below, the account number is

ble check below, the account number is if age 50



#### Sample Check—Lines 74b Through 74d



The routing and account numbers may be in different places on your check.

20202086. Do not include the check number.



Some financial institutions will not allow a joint refund to be deposited to an individual account. If the direct deposit is

rejected, a check will be sent instead. The *IRS* is not responsible if a financial institution rejects a direct deposit.

#### Individual Retirement Arrangement (IRA)

You can have your refund directly deposited to a traditional IRA, Roth IRA, or SEP-IRA, but not a SIMPLE IRA. You must establish the IRA at a bank or other financial institution before you request direct deposit. Make sure your direct deposit will be accepted. You must also notify the trustee of your account of the year to which the deposit is to be applied unless the trustee will not accept a deposit for 2007. If you do not, the trustee can assume the deposit is for the year during which you are filing the return. For example, if you file your 2007 return during 2008 and do not notify the trustee in advance, the trustee can assume the deposit to your IRA is for 2008. If you designate your deposit to be for 2007, you must verify that the deposit was actually made to the account by the due date of the return (without regard to extensions). If the deposit is not made to your account by the due date of the return (without regard to extensions), the deposit is not an IRA contribution for 2007. You must file an amended 2007 return and reduce any IRA deduction and any retirement savings contributions credit you claimed.



You and your spouse, if filing jointly, each may be able to contribute up to \$4,000 (\$5,000 if age 50 or older at the end of

2007) to a traditional IRA or Roth IRA for 2007. The limit for 2008 is \$5,000 (\$6,000 if age 50 or older at the end of 2008). A higher limit may apply for 2007 and 2008 if you were a participant in a 401(k) plan and your employer was in bankruptcy in an earlier year. You may owe a penalty if your contributions exceed these limits.



For more information on IRAs, see Pub. 590, Individual Retirement Arrangements (IRAs).

## Line 75 Applied to Your 2008 Estimated Tax

Enter on line 75 the amount, if any, of the overpayment on line 73 you want applied to your 2008 estimated tax. We will apply this amount to your account unless you attach a statement requesting us to apply it to your spouse's account. Include your spouse's social security number in the attached statement.



This election to apply part or all of the amount overpaid to your 2008 estimated tax cannot be changed later.

# Amount You Owe

**IRS** *e-file* offers you the electronic payment option of electronic funds withdrawal (EFW). EFW can be used to pay your current year balance due and can be used to make up to four estimated tax payments. If you are filing early, you can schedule your payment for withdrawal from your account on a future date, up to and including April 15, 2008. If you file your return after April 15, 2008, you can now include interest and penalty in your payment. Visit *www.irs.gov* and enter "e-pay" in the

search box for details.

You can also pay using EFTPS, a free tax payment system that allows you to make payments online or by phone. For more information or details on enrolling, visit *www.eftps.gov* or call Customer Service at 1-800-316-6541. TTY/TDD help is available by calling 1-800-733-4829.

## Line 76 Amount You Owe



To save interest and penalties, pay your taxes in full by April 15, 2008. You do not have to pay if line 76 is under \$1.

Include any estimated tax penalty from line 77 in the amount you enter on line 76.

You can pay by check, money order, or credit card. Do not include any estimated

tax payment for 2008 in your check, money order, or amount you charge. Instead, make the estimated tax payment separately.

To pay by check or money order. Make your check or money order payable to the "United States Treasury" for the full amount due. Do not send cash. Do not attach the payment to your return. Write "2007 Form 1040" and your name, address, daytime phone number, and social security number (SSN) on your payment. If you are filing a joint return, enter the SSN shown first on your tax return.

To help process your payment, enter the amount on the right side of the check like this: XXX.XX. Do not use dashes or lines (for example, do not enter "XXX-" or "XXX<sup>100</sup>.").

Then, complete Form 1040-V following the instructions on that form and enclose it in the envelope with your tax return and payment. Although you do not have to use Form 1040-V, doing so allows us to process your payment more accurately and efficiently.

To pay by credit card. You can use your American Express® Card, Discover® Card, MasterCard® card, or Visa® card. To pay by credit card, call toll-free or visit the website of either service provider listed below and follow the instructions. A convenience fee will be charged by the service provider based on the amount you are paying. Fees may vary between the providers. You will be told what the fee is during the transaction and you will have the option to either continue or cancel the transaction. You can also find out what the fee will be by calling the provider's toll-free automated customer service number or visiting the provider's website shown below.

Link2Gov Corporation 1-888-PAY-1040<sup>SM</sup> (1-888-729-1040) 1-888-658-5465 (Customer Service) *www.PAY1040.com* 

Official Payments Corporation 1-800-2PAY-TAX<sup>SM</sup> (1-800-272-9829) 1-877-754-4413 (Customer Service) www.officialpayments.com



You may need to (a) increase the amount of income tax withheld from your pay by filing a

new Form W-4, (b) increase the tax withheld from other income by filing Form W-4P or W-4V, or (c) make estimated tax payments for 2008. See Income Tax Withholding and Estimated Tax Payments for 2008 on page 76.

#### What If You Cannot Pay?

If you cannot pay the full amount shown on line 76 when you file, you can ask to make monthly installment payments for the full or a partial amount. You may have up to 60 months to pay. However, even if your request to pay in installments is granted, you will be charged interest and may be charged a late payment penalty on the tax not paid by April 15, 2008. You must also pay a fee. To limit the interest and penalty charges, pay as much of the tax as possible when you file. But before requesting an installment agreement, you should consider other less costly alternatives, such as a bank loan or credit card payment.

To ask for an installment agreement, you can apply online or use Form 9465. To apply online, go to *www.irs.gov*, use the pull-down menu under "I need to…" and select "Set Up a Payment Plan." If you use Form 9465, you should receive a response to your request to make installment payments within 30 days. But if you file your return after March 31, it may take us longer to reply.

## Line 77 Estimated Tax Penalty

You may owe this penalty if:

• Line 76 is at least \$1,000 and it is more than 10% of the tax shown on your return, or

• You did not pay enough estimated tax by any of the due dates. This is true even if you are due a refund.

For most people, the "tax shown on your return" is the amount on your 2007 Form 1040, line 63, minus the total of any amounts shown on lines 66a, 68, and 71 and Forms 8828, 4137, 4136, 5329 (Parts III through VIII only), 8885, and 8919. Also subtract from line 63 any tax on an excess parachute payment, any excise tax on insider stock compensation of an expatriated corporation, and any uncollected social security and Medicare or RRTA tax on tips or group-term life insurance. When figuring the amount on line 63, include the amount on line 62 only if line 64 is more than zero or you would owe the penalty even if you did not include those taxes. But if you entered an amount on Schedule H, line 7, include the total of that amount plus the amount on Form 1040, line 62.

**Exception.** You will not owe the penalty if your 2006 tax return was for a tax year of 12 full months and either of the following applies.

1. You had no tax shown on your 2006 return and you were a U.S. citizen or resident for all of 2006, or

2. The total of lines 64, 65, and 67 on your 2007 return is at least 100% of the tax shown on your 2006 return (110% of that amount if you are not a farmer or fisherman and your adjusted gross income shown on that return is more than \$150,000, or if married filing separately for 2007, more than \$75,000). Your estimated tax payments for 2007 must have been made on time and for the required amount.

For most people, the "tax shown on your 2006 return" is the amount on your 2006 Form 1040, line 63, minus the total of any amounts shown on lines 66a and 68 and Forms 8828, 4137, 4136, 5329 (Parts III

through VIII only), and 8885. Also subtract from line 63 any tax on an excess parachute payment, any excise tax on insider stock compensation of an expatriated corporation, and any uncollected social security and Medicare or RRTA tax on tips or group-term life insurance. When figuring the amount on line 63, include the amount on line 62 only if line 64 is more than zero or you would have owed the estimated tax penalty for 2006 even if you did not include those taxes. But if you entered an amount on your 2006 Schedule H, line 7, include the total of that amount plus the amount on your 2006 Form 1040, line 62.

#### **Figuring the Penalty**

If the *Exception* on this page does not apply and you choose to figure the penalty yourself, see Form 2210 (or 2210-F for farmers and fishermen) to find out if you owe the penalty. If you do, you can use the form to figure the amount.

Enter the penalty on line 77. Add the penalty to any tax due and enter the total on line 76. If you are due a refund, subtract the penalty from the overpayment you show on line 73. Do not file Form 2210 with your return unless Form 2210 indicates that you must do so. Instead, keep it for your records.



Because Form 2210 is complicated, you can leave line 77 blank and the IRS will figure the penalty and send you a bill.

We will not charge you interest on the penalty if you pay by the date specified on the bill. If your income varied during the year, the annualized income installment method may reduce the amount of your penalty. But you must file Form 2210 because the IRS cannot figure your penalty under this method. See the Instructions for Form 2210 for other situations in which you may be able to lower your penalty by filing Form 2210.

# **Third Party Designee**

If you want to allow a friend, family member, or any other person you choose to discuss your 2007 tax return with the IRS, check the "Yes" box in the "Third Party Designee" area of your return. Also, enter the designee's name, phone number, and any five digits the designee chooses as his or her personal identification number (PIN). But if you want to allow the paid preparer who signed your return to discuss it with the IRS, just enter "Preparer" in the space for the designee's name. You do not have to provide the other information requested.

If you check the "Yes" box, you, and your spouse if filing a joint return, are authorizing the IRS to call the designee to answer any questions that may arise during the processing of your return. You are also authorizing the designee to:

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• Give the IRS any information that is missing from your return,

• Call the IRS for information about the processing of your return or the status of your refund or payment(s),

· Receive copies of notices or transcripts related to your return, upon request, and

· Respond to certain IRS notices about math errors, offsets, and return preparation.

You are not authorizing the designee to receive any refund check, bind you to anything (including any additional tax liability), or otherwise represent you before the IRS. If you want to expand the designee's authorization, see Pub. 947.

The authorization will automatically end no later than the due date (without regard to extensions) for filing your 2008 tax return. This is April 15, 2009, for most people. If you wish to revoke the authorization before it ends, see Pub. 947.

# **Sign Your Return**

Form 1040 is not considered a valid return unless you sign it. If you are filing a joint return, your spouse must also sign. If your spouse cannot sign the return, see Pub. 501. Be sure to date your return and enter your occupation(s). If you have someone prepare your return, you are still responsible for the correctness of the return. If your return is signed by a representative for you, you must have a power of attorney attached that specifically authorizes the representative to sign your return. To do this, you can use Form 2848. If you are filing a joint return as a surviving spouse, see Death of a Taxpayer on page 77.

### Child's Return

If your child cannot sign the return, either parent can sign the child's name in the space provided. Then, enter "By (your signature), parent for minor child.

### **Daytime Phone Number**

Providing your daytime phone number may help speed the processing of your return. We may have questions about items on your return, such as the earned income credit, credit for child and dependent care expenses, etc. If you answer our questions over the phone, we may be able to continue processing your return without mailing you a letter. If you are filing a joint return, you can enter either your or your spouse's daytime phone number.

#### Paid Preparer Must Sign Your Return

Generally, anyone you pay to prepare your return must sign it in the space provided. The preparer must give you a copy of the return for your records. Someone who prepares your return but does not charge you should not sign your return.



### **Electronic Return** Signatures!

Create your own personal identification number (PIN) and file a paperless return electronically or use a tax professional. If you are married filing jointly, you and your spouse will each need to create a PIN and enter these PINs as your electronic signatures.

A PIN is any combination of five digits you choose except five zeros. If you use a PIN, there is nothing to sign and nothing to mail-not even your Forms W-2.

To verify your identity, you will be prompted to enter your adjusted gross income (AGI) from your originally filed 2006 federal income tax return, if applicable. Do not use your AGI from an amended return (Form 1040X) or a math error correction made by IRS. AGI is the amount shown on your 2006 Form 1040, line 38; Form 1040A, line 21; or Form 1040EZ, line 4. If you do not have your 2006 income tax return, call the IRS at 1-800-829-1040 to get a free transcript of your return. (If you filed electronically last year, you may use your prior year PIN to verify your identity instead of your prior year AGI. The prior year PIN is the five digit PIN you used to electronically sign your 2006 return.) You will also be prompted to enter your date of birth (DOB). Make sure your DOB is accurate and matches the information on record with the Social Security Administration by checking your annual social security statement.

If you are filing your return electronically using a tax practitioner, you are required to sign the return electronically. The practitioner will tell you how.



You cannot sign your return electronically (but can still file electronically) if you are not using a tax practitioner and you

are a first-time filer under age 16 at the end of 2007 or if you are attaching or filing Form 1098-C, 3115, 3468 (if attachments are required), 4136 (if certificate or statement required), 5713, 8283 (if a statement is required for Section A or if Section B is completed), 8332 (or certain pages from a post-1984 decree or agreement), 8858, 8864 (if certification or statement required), 8885, Schedule D-1 (Form 1040) (if you elect not to include your transactions on the electronic STCGL or LTCGL records), or Worksheets 1 through 4 from Pub. 517 (or other statement showing the required information and computations).

For more details, visit

www.irs.gov/efile and click on "Individual Taxpayers.'

Form 8453-OL. Your return is not complete without your signature. If you are not filing through a tax practitioner and you are not eligible or choose not to sign your return with an electronic signature, you must complete, sign, and file Form 8453-OL.

## Assemble Your Return

Assemble any schedules and forms behind Form 1040 in order of the "Attachment Sequence No." shown in the upper right corner of the schedule or form. If you have supporting statements, arrange them in the same order as the schedules or forms they support and attach them last. Do not attach correspondence or other items unless required to do so. Attach a copy of Forms Ŵ-2 and 2439 to the front of Form 1040. If you received a Form W-2c (a corrected Form W-2), attach a copy of your original Forms W-2 and any Forms W-2c. Also attach Forms W-2G and 1099-R to the front of Form 1040 if tax was withheld.

# 2007 Tax Table



See the instructions for line 44 that begin on page 33 to see if you must use the Tax Table below to figure your tax.

**Example.** Mr. and Mrs. Brown are filing a joint return. Their taxable income on Form 1040, line 43, is \$25,300. First, they find the \$25,300-25,350 taxable income line. Next, they find the column for married filing jointly and read down the column. The amount shown where the taxable income line and filing status column meet is \$3,016. This is the tax amount they should enter on Form 1040, line 44.

#### Sample Table

At But least less than	Single	Married filing jointly	Married filing sepa- rately	Head of a house- hold
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25 50 75 100	50 75 100 125	4 6 9 11	4 6 9 11	4 6 9 11	4 6 9 11	1,375 1,400 1,425 1,450	1,400 1,425 1,450 1,475	139 141 144 146	139 141 144 146	139 141 144 146	139 141 144 146	2,77 2,80 2,82 2,85	) 2,825 5 2,850	279 281 284 286	279 281 284 286	279 281 284 286	279 281 284 286
125 150 175	150 175 200	14 16 19	14 16 19	14 16 19	14 16 19	1,475 1,500 1,525	1,500 1,525 1,550	149 151 154	149 151 154	149 151 154	149 151 154	2,87 2,90 2,92	5 2,900 2,925 5 2,950	289 291 294	289 291 294	289 291 294	289 291 294
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15,950	16,000	2,005	1,614	2,005	1,836	18,9	50	19,000	2,455	2,064	2,455	2,286	21,9	6 22,000	2,905	2,514	2,905	2,736
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23,450 23,500		3,123 3,130 3,138 3,145	2,731 2,739 2,746 2,754	3,123 3,130 3,138 3,145	2,954 2,961 2,969 2,976	26,400 26,450 26,500 26,550	26,450 26,500 26,550 26,600	3,573 3,580 3,588 3,595	3,181 3,189 3,196 3,204	3,573 3,580 3,588 3,595	3,404 3,411 3,419 3,426	29,40 29,45 29,50 29,55	0 29,500 0 29,550	4,023 4,030 4,038 4,045	3,631 3,639 3,646 3,654	4,023 4,030 4,038 4,045	3,854 3,861 3,869 3,876
23,600 23,650 23,700 23,750	23,700	3,153 3,160 3,168 3,175	2,761 2,769 2,776 2,784	3,153 3,160 3,168 3,175	2,984 2,991 2,999 3,006	26,600 26,650 26,700 26,750	26,650 26,700 26,750 26,800	3,603 3,610 3,618 3,625	3,211 3,219 3,226 3,234	3,603 3,610 3,618 3,625	3,434 3,441 3,449 3,456	29,60 29,65 29,70 29,75	0 29,700 0 29,750	4,053 4,060 4,068 4,075	3,661 3,669 3,676 3,684	4,053 4,060 4,068 4,075	3,884 3,891 3,899 3,906
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	43,950	7,405 7,418	5,806 5,814	7,405 7,418	6,156 6,169	46,90		8,155 8,168	6,256 6,264	8,155 8,168	6,906 6,919	49,900 49,950	49,950	8,905 8,918	6,706 6,714	8,905 8,918	7,656 7,669

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77,200 77,250 77,300 77,350	77,300 77,350 77,400	15,748 15,762 15,776	12,166 12,179 12,191	16,119 16,133 16,147 16,161	14,494 14,506 14,519	80,250 80,300 80,350	80,400		12,916 12,929 12,941	16,973 16,987 17,001	15,231 15,244 15,256 15,269	83,250 83,300 83,350	83,350 83,400		13,679 13,691	17,813 17,827 17,841	15,981 15,994 16,006 16,019	
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77,600 77,650 77,700 77,750	77,750 77,800	15,846 15,860 15,874 15,888	12,279 12,291		14,581 14,594 14,606 14,619	80,700 80,750	80,700 80,750 80,800	16,686 16,700 16,714 16,728	13,041	17,099 17,113	15,331 15,344 15,356 15,369	83,750	83,700 83,750 83,800	17,526 17,540 17,554 17,568	13,766 13,779 13,791	17,939 17,953	16,081 16,094 16,106 16,119	
77,800 77,850 77,900 77,950	77,900	15,902 15,916 15,930 15,944	12,329	16,287 16,301 16,315 16,329	14,656	80,850 80,900	80,850 80,900 80,950 81,000	16,742 16,756 16,770 16,784	13,066 13,079	17,127 17,141 17,155 17,169	15,381 15,394 15,406 15,419			17,582 17,596 17,610 17,624	13,804 13,816 13,829 13,841	17,981 17,995	16,131 16,144 16,156 16,169	
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86,200 86,250 86,300 86,350 86,400	86,250 86,300 86,350 86,400	18,254 18,268 18,282 18,296 18,310	14,404 14,416 14,429 14,441	18,639 18,653 18,667 18,681 18,695	16,731 16,744 16,756 16,769 16,781	89,200 89,250 89,300 89,350 89,400	) 89,250 ) 89,300 ) 89,350 ) 89,400	19,094 19,108 19,122 19,136 19,150	15,154 15,166	19,479 19,493 19,507 19,521	17,481 17,494 17,506 17,519 17,531	92,200 92,250 92,300 92,350 92,400	92,250 92,300 92,350 92,400	19,934 19,948 19,962 19,976 19,990	15,904 15,916 15,929 15,941	20,319 20,333 20,347 20,361 20,375	18,231 18,244 18,256 18,269 18,281
86,450 86,500 86,550 86,600 86,650	86,500 86,550 86,600 86,650	18,324 18,338 18,352 18,366 18,380	14,466 14,479 14,491 14,504	18,709 18,723 18,737 18,751 18,765	16,794 16,806 16,819 16,831 16,844	89,450 89,500 89,550 89,600 89,600	<ul> <li>89,500</li> <li>89,550</li> <li>89,600</li> <li>89,650</li> </ul>	19,164 19,178 19,192 19,206 19,220	15,216 15,229 15,241 15,254	19,549 19,563 19,577	17,544 17,556 17,569 17,581 17,594	92,450 92,500 92,550 92,600 92,650	92,500 92,550 92,600 92,650	20,004 20,018 20,032 20,046 20,060	15,966 15,979 15,991 16,004	20,389 20,403 20,417	18,294 18,306 18,319 18,331 18,344
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88,450 88,500 88,550	88,450 88,500 88,550 88,600	18,884 18,898 18,912	14,966 14,979 14,991	19,255 19,269 19,283 19,297	17,306 17,319	91,450 91,500 91,550	) 91,450 ) 91,500 ) 91,550 ) 91,600	19,724 19,738 19,752	15,716 15,729 15,741	20,095 20,109 20,123 20,137	18,044 18,056 18,069	94,450 94,500 94,550	94,450 94,500 94,550 94,600	20,564 20,578 20,592	16,479 16,491	20,949 20,963 20,977	18,806 18,819
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95,450 95,500	95,450 95,500 95,550 95,600	20,830 20,844 20,858 20,872	16,716	21,215 21,229 21,243 21,257	19,031 19,044 19,056 19,069	97 97	,450 ,500	97,450 97,500 97,550 97,600	21,390 21,404 21,418 21,432			19,531 19,544 19,556 19,569	99,4 99,4 99,5 99,5	50 99 00 99	,450 ,500 ,550 ,600	21,950 21,964 21,978 21,992	17,716 17,729	,	20,031 20,044 20,056 20,069
	95,650 95,700 95,750 95,800	20,886 20,900 20,914 20,928	16,779	21,271 21,285 21,299 21,313	19,081 19,094 19,106 19,119	97 97	,700	97,650 97,700 97,750 97,800	21,446 21,460 21,474 21,488	17,254 17,266 17,279 17,291	21,859	19,581 19,594 19,606 19,619	99,6 99,6 99,7 99,7	50 99 00 99	,650 ,700 ,750 ,800	22,006 22,020 22,034 22,048	17,766 17,779	,	20,081 20,094 20,106 20,119
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96,800 96,850 96,900 96,950	96,850 96,900 96,950 97,000	21,222 21,236 21,250 21,264	17,066 17,079	21,635	19,381 19,394 19,406 19,419	98 98	,900	98,900 98,950	21,796 21,810			19,881 19,894 19,906 19,919							

\* This column must also be used by a qualifying widow(er)

# 2007 Tax Computation Worksheet—Line 44



See the instructions for line 44 that begin on page 33 to see if you must use the worksheet below to figure your tax.

**Note.** If you are required to use this worksheet to figure the tax on an amount from another form or worksheet, such as the Qualified Dividends and Capital Gain Tax Worksheet, the Schedule D Tax Worksheet, Schedule J, Form 8615, or the Foreign Earned Income Tax Worksheet, enter the amount from that form or worksheet in column (a) of the row that applies to the amount you are looking up. Enter the result on the appropriate line of the form or worksheet that you are completing.

<b>Taxable income.</b> If line 43 is—	(a) Enter the amount from line 43	( <b>b</b> ) Multiplication amount	(c) Multiply (a) by (b)	( <b>d</b> ) Subtraction amount	<b>Tax.</b> Subtract (d) from (c). Enter the result here and on Form 1040, line 44
At least \$100,000 but not over \$160,850	\$	× 28% (.28)	\$	\$ 5,889.25	\$
Over \$160,850 but not over \$349,700	\$	× 33% (.33)	\$	\$ 13,931.75	\$
Over \$349,700	\$	× 35% (.35)	\$	\$ 20,925.75	\$

Section A—Use if your filing status is Single. Complete the row below that applies to you.

Section B—Use if your filing status is Married filing jointly or Qualifying widow(er). Complete the row below that applies to you.

<b>Taxable income.</b> If line 43 is—	(a) Enter the amount from line 43	( <b>b</b> ) Multiplication amount	(c) Multiply (a) by (b)	( <b>d</b> ) Subtraction amount	<b>Tax.</b> Subtract (d) from (c). Enter the result here and on Form 1040, line 44
At least \$100,000 but not over \$128,500	\$	× 25% (.25)	\$	\$ 7,152.50	\$
Over \$128,500 but not over \$195,850	\$	× 28% (.28)	\$	\$ 11,007.50	\$
Over \$195,850 but not over \$349,700	\$	× 33% (.33)	\$	\$ 20,800.00	\$
Over \$349,700	\$	× 35% (.35)	\$	\$ 27,794.00	\$

Section C—Use if your filing status is Married filing separately. Complete the row below that applies to you.

<b>Taxable income.</b> If line 43 is—	(a) Enter the amount from line 43	( <b>b</b> ) Multiplication amount	(c) Multiply (a) by (b)	( <b>d</b> ) Subtraction amount	<b>Tax.</b> Subtract (d) from (c). Enter the result here and on Form 1040, line 44
At least \$100,000 but not over \$174,850	\$	× 33% (.33)	\$	\$ 10,400.00	\$
Over \$174,850	\$	× 35% (.35)	\$	\$ 13,897.00	\$

Section D—Use if your filing status is Head of household. Complete the row below that applies to you.

<b>Taxable income.</b> If line 43 is—	(a) Enter the amount from line 43	( <b>b</b> ) Multiplication amount	(c) Multiply (a) by (b)	( <b>d</b> ) Subtraction amount	<b>Tax.</b> Subtract (d) from (c). Enter the result here and on Form 1040, line 44
At least \$100,000 but not over \$110,100	\$	× 25% (.25)	\$	\$ 4,825.00	\$
Over \$110,100 but not over \$178,350	\$	× 28% (.28)	\$	\$ 8,128.00	\$
Over \$178,350 but not over \$349,700	\$	× 33% (.33)	\$	\$ 17,045.50	\$
Over \$349,700	\$	× 35% (.35)	\$	\$ 24,039.50	\$

# **General Information**

# How To Avoid Common Mistakes

Mistakes can delay your refund or result in notices being sent to you.

• Make sure you entered the correct name and social security number (SSN) for each dependent you claim on line 6c. Check that each dependent's name and SSN agrees with his or her social security card. For each child under age 17 who is a qualifying child for the child tax credit, make sure you either checked the box in line 6c, column (4), or completed Form 8901.

• Check your math, especially for the child tax credit, earned income credit (EIC), taxable social security benefits, total income, itemized deductions or standard deduction, deduction for exemptions, taxable income, total tax, federal income tax withheld, and refund or amount you owe.

• Be sure you use the correct method to figure your tax. See the instructions for line 44 that begin on page 33.

• Be sure to enter your SSN in the space provided on page 1 of Form 1040. If you are married filing a joint or separate return, also enter your spouse's SSN. Be sure to enter your SSN in the space next to your name. Check that your name and SSN agree with your social security card.

• Make sure your name and address are correct on the peel-off label. If not, enter the correct information. If you did not get a peel-off label, enter your (and your spouse's) name in the same order as shown on your last return.

• If you are taking the standard deduction and you checked any box on line 39a or 39b or you (or your spouse if filing jointly) can be claimed as a dependent on someone else's 2007 return, see page 31 to be sure you entered the correct amount on line 40.

• If you received capital gain distributions but were not required to file Schedule D, make sure you checked the box on line 13.

• If you are taking the EIC, be sure you used the correct column of the EIC Table for your filing status and the number of children you have.

• Remember to sign and date Form 1040 and enter your occupation(s).

• Attach your Form(s) W-2 and other required forms and schedules. Put all forms and schedules in the proper order. See *Assemble Your Return* on page 62.

• If you owe tax and are paying by check or money order, be sure to include all the required information on your payment.

See the instructions for line 76 that begin on page 60 for details.

# What Are Your Rights as a Taxpayer?

You have the right to be treated fairly, professionally, promptly, and courteously by IRS employees. Our goal at the IRS is to protect your rights so that you will have the highest confidence in the integrity, efficiency, and fairness of our tax system. To ensure that you always receive such treatment, you should know about the many rights you have at each step of the tax process. For details, see Pub. 1.

## **Innocent Spouse Relief**

Generally, both you and your spouse are each responsible for paying the full amount of tax, interest, and penalties on your joint return. However, you may qualify for relief from liability for tax on a joint return if (a) there is an understatement of tax because your spouse omitted income or claimed false deductions or credits, (b) you are divorced, separated, or no longer living with your spouse, or (c) given all the facts and circumstances, it would not be fair to hold you liable for the tax. To request relief, you generally must file Form 8857 no later than 2 years after the date on which the IRS first attempted to collect the tax from you. For more information, see Pub. 971 and Form 8857 or you can call the Innocent Spouse office toll-free at 1-866-897-4270.

# Income Tax Withholding and Estimated Tax Payments for 2008

If the amount you owe or the amount you overpaid is large, you may want to file a new Form W-4 with your employer to change the amount of income tax withheld from your 2008 pay. For details on how to complete Form W-4, see Pub. 919. If you have pension or annuity income, use Form W-4P. If you receive certain government payments (such as unemployment compensation or social security benefits) you can have tax withheld from those payments by giving the payer Form W-4V.

In general, you do not have to make estimated tax payments if you expect that your 2008 Form 1040 will show a tax refund or a tax balance due of less than \$1,000. If your total estimated tax for 2008 is \$1,000 or more, see Form 1040-ES. It has a worksheet you can use to see if you have to make estimated tax payments. For more details, see Pub. 505.

# Do Both the Name and SSN on Your Tax Forms Agree With Your Social Security Card?

If not, certain deductions and credits may be reduced or disallowed, your refund may be delayed, and you may not receive credit for your social security earnings. If your Form W-2 shows an incorrect SSN or name, notify your employer or the form-issuing agent as soon as possible to make sure your earnings are credited to your social security record. If the name or SSN on your social security card is incorrect, call the Social Security Administration at 1-800-772-1213.

# Secure Your Tax Records from Identity Theft

Identity theft occurs when someone uses your personal information such as your name, social security number (SSN), or other identifying information, without your permission, to commit fraud or other crimes. An identity thief may use your SSN to get a job or may file a tax return using your SSN to receive a refund.

To reduce your risk:

• Protect your SSN,

• Ensure your employer is protecting your SSN, and

• Be careful when choosing a tax preparer.

Call the IRS at 1-800-829-1040 if you think your identity has been used inappropriately for tax purposes.

Victims of identity theft who are experiencing economic harm or a systemic problem, or are seeking help in resolving tax problems that have not been resolved through normal channels, may be eligible for Taxpayer Advocate Service (TAS) assistance. You can reach TAS by calling the TAS toll-free case intake line at 1-877-777-4778 or TTY/TDD 1-800-829-4059.

**Protect yourself from suspicious emails or phishing schemes.** Phishing is the creation and use of email and websites designed to mimic legitimate business emails and websites. The most common form is the act of sending an email to a user falsely claiming to be an established legitimate enterprise in

an attempt to scam the user into surrendering private information that will be used for identity theft.

The IRS does not initiate contacts with taxpayers via emails. Also, the IRS does not request detailed personal information through email or ask taxpayers for the PIN numbers, passwords, or similar secret access information for their credit card, bank, or other financial accounts.

If you receive an unsolicited email claiming to be from the IRS, forward the message to *phishing@irs.gov*. You may also report misuse of the IRS name, logo, forms, or other IRS property to the Treasury Inspector General for Tax Administration toll-free at 1-800-366-4484. You can forward suspicious emails to the Federal Trade Commission at *spam@uce.gov* or contact them at *www.ftc.gov/idtheft* or 1-877-IDTHEFT (1-877-438-4338).

Visit the IRS website at *www.irs.gov* to learn more about identity theft and how to reduce your risk.

# How Do You Make a Gift To Reduce Debt Held By the Public?

If you wish to do so, make a check payable to "Bureau of the Public Debt." You can send it to: Bureau of the Public Debt, Department G, P.O. Box 2188, Parkersburg, WV 26106-2188. Or you can enclose the check with your income tax return when you file. Do not add your gift to any tax you may owe. See page 60 for details on how to pay any tax you owe.



You may be able to deduct this gift on your 2008 tax return.

# How Long Should Records Be Kept?

Keep a copy of your tax return, worksheets you used, and records of all items appearing on it (such as Forms W-2 and 1099) until the statute of limitations runs out for that return. Usually, this is 3 years from the date the return was due or filed or 2 years from the date the tax was paid, whichever is later. You should keep some records longer. For example, keep property records (including those on your home) as long as they are needed to figure the basis of the original or replacement property. For more details, see Pub. 552.

# Amended Return

File Form 1040X to change a return you already filed. Generally, Form 1040X must be filed within 3 years after the date the

original return was filed or within 2 years after the date the tax was paid, whichever is later. But you may have more time to file Form 1040X if you live in a Presidentially declared disaster area or you are physically or mentally unable to manage your financial affairs. See Pub. 556 for details.

# Need a Copy of Your Tax Return?

If you need a copy of your tax return, use Form 4506. There is a \$39 fee (subject to change) for each return requested. If your main home, principal place of business, or tax records are located in a Presidentially declared disaster area, this fee will be waived. If you want a free transcript of your tax return or account, use Form 4506-T or call us. See page 81 for the number.

# Death of a Taxpayer

If a taxpayer died before filing a return for 2007, the taxpayer's spouse or personal representative may have to file and sign a return for that taxpayer. A personal representative can be an executor, administrator, or anyone who is in charge of the deceased taxpayer's property. If the deceased taxpayer did not have to file a return but had tax withheld, a return must be filed to get a refund. The person who files the return must enter "Deceased," the deceased taxpayer's name, and the date of death across the top of the return. If this information is not provided, it may delay the processing of the return.

If your spouse died in 2007 and you did not remarry in 2007, or if your spouse died in 2008 before filing a return for 2007, you can file a joint return. A joint return should show your spouse's 2007 income before death and your income for all of 2007. Enter "Filing as surviving spouse" in the area where you sign the return. If someone else is the personal representative, he or she must also sign.

The surviving spouse or personal representative should promptly notify all payers of income, including financial institutions, of the taxpayer's death. This will ensure the proper reporting of income earned by the taxpayer's estate or heirs. A deceased taxpayer's social security number should not be used for tax years after the year of death, except for estate tax return purposes.

# Claiming a Refund for a Deceased Taxpayer

If you are filing a joint return as a surviving spouse, you only need to file the tax return to claim the refund. If you are a court-appointed representative, file the return and attach a copy of the certificate that shows your appointment. All other filers requesting the deceased taxpayer's refund must file the return and attach Form 1310.

For more details, use TeleTax topic 356 (see page 79) or see Pub. 559.

# **Past Due Returns**

The integrity of our tax system and well-being of our country depend, to a large degree, on the timely filing and payment of taxes by each individual, family, and business in this country. Those choosing not to file and pay their fair share increase the burden on the rest of us to support our schools, maintain and repair roadways, and the many other ways our tax dollars help to make life easier for all citizens.

Some people don't know they should file a tax return; some don't file because they expect a refund; and some don't file because they owe taxes. Encourage your family, neighbors, friends, and coworkers to do their fair share by filing their federal tax returns and paying any tax due on time.

If you or someone you know needs to file past due tax returns, use TeleTax topic 153 (see page 79) or visit *www.irs.gov* and click on "Individuals" for help in filing those returns.

# Other Ways To Get Help

#### Send Your Written Tax Questions to the IRS

You should get an answer in about 30 days. For the mailing address, call us at 1-800-829-1040 (deaf customers with access to TTY/TDD equipment may call 1-800-829-4059). Do not send questions with your return.

#### Research Your Tax Questions Online

You can find answers to many of your tax questions online in several ways by accessing the IRS website at *www.irs.gov/help* and then clicking on "Help With Tax Questions." Here are some of the methods you may want to try.

• Frequently asked questions. This section contains an extensive list of questions and answers. You can select your question by category or keyword.

• Tax trails. This is an interactive section which asks questions you can answer by selecting "Yes" or "No."

• Tax topics. This is an online version of the TeleTax topics listed on pages 79 and 80.

#### Free Help With Your Return

Free help in preparing your return is available nationwide from IRS-sponsored volunteers. These volunteers are trained and certified to prepare federal income tax re-

turns by passing an IRS test. The Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program is designed to help low-income taxpayers. The Tax Counseling for the Elderly (TCE) program is designed to assist taxpayers age 60 or older with their tax return preparation. VITA/TCE tax preparation sites must adhere to strict quality standards necessary to prepare accurate returns. Free electronic filing is offered by IRS authorized e-file providers at many of the VITA/TCE locations nationwide. Volunteers will help vou with claiming the credits and deductions you may be entitled to. If you are a member of the military, you can also get assistance on military tax benefits, such as combat zone tax benefits, at an office within your installation. For more information on these programs, go to www.irs.gov and enter keyword "VITA" in the upper right corner. Or, call us at 1-800-829-1040. To find the nearest AARP Tax-Aide site, visit AARP's website at www.aarp.org/taxaide or call 1-888-227-7669.

When you go for help, take proof of identity and social security numbers (or individual taxpayer identification numbers) for your spouse, your dependents, and yourself. Also take a copy of your 2006 tax return (if available), all your Forms W-2, 1099, and 1098 for 2007, and any other information about your 2007 income and expenses.

### **Everyday Tax Solutions**

You can get face-to-face help solving tax problems every business day in IRS Taxpayer Assistance Centers. An employee can explain IRS letters, request adjustments to your account, or help you set up a payment plan. Call your local Taxpayer Assistance Center for an appointment. To find the number, go to

www.irs.gov/localcontacts or look in the phone book under "United States Government, Internal Revenue Service."

### **Online Services**

If you subscribe to an online service, ask about online filing or tax information.

# Help for People With Disabilities

Telephone help is available using TTY/ TDD equipment by calling 1-800-829-4059. Braille materials are available at libraries that have special services for people with disabilities.

# **Interest and Penalties**

You do not have to figure the amount of any interest or penalties you may owe. Because figuring these amounts can be complicated, we will do it for you if you want. We will send you a bill for any amount due.

If you include interest or penalties (other than the estimated tax penalty) with your payment, identify and enter the amount in the bottom margin of Form 1040, page 2. Do not include interest or penalties (other than the estimated tax penalty) in the amount you owe on line 76.

### Interest

We will charge you interest on taxes not paid by their due date, even if an extension of time to file is granted. We will also charge you interest on penalties imposed for failure to file, negligence, fraud, substantial valuation misstatements, substantial understatements of tax, and reportable transaction understatements. Interest is charged on the penalty from the due date of the return (including extensions).

### Penalties

**Late filing.** If you do not file your return by the due date (including extensions), the

penalty is usually 5% of the amount due for each month or part of a month your return is late, unless you have a reasonable explanation. If you do, attach it to your return. The penalty can be as much as 25% of the tax due. The penalty is 15% per month, up to a maximum of 75%, if the failure to file is fraudulent. If your return is more than 60 days late, the minimum penalty will be \$100 or the amount of any tax you owe, whichever is smaller.

Late payment of tax. If you pay your taxes late, the penalty is usually  $\frac{1}{2}$  of 1% of the unpaid amount for each month or part of a month the tax is not paid. The penalty can be as much as 25% of the unpaid amount. It applies to any unpaid tax on the return. This penalty is in addition to interest charges on late payments.

**Frivolous return.** In addition to any other penalties, the law imposes a penalty of \$5,000 for filing a frivolous return. A frivolous return is one that does not contain information needed to figure the correct tax or shows a substantially incorrect tax because you take a frivolous position or desire to delay or interfere with the tax laws. This includes altering or striking out the preprinted language above the space where you sign. For a list of positions identified as frivolous, see Notice 2007-30, 2007-14 I.R.B. 883, available at

www.irs.gov/irb/2007-14\_IRB/ar20.html.

**Other.** Other penalties can be imposed for negligence, substantial understatement of tax, reportable transaction understatements, filing an erroneous refund claim, and fraud. Criminal penalties may be imposed for willful failure to file, tax evasion, or making a false statement. See Pub. 17 for details on some of these penalties.

# Refund Information

Be sure to have a copy of your 2007 tax return available because you will need to know the filing status and the exact whole-dollar amount of your refund. Then, do one of the following.

• Go to www.irs.gov and click on Where's My Refund.

• Call 1-800-829-4477 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, for automated refund information.

# What Is **TeleTax?**

# **Recorded Tax** Information

Recorded tax information is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Select the number of the topic you want to hear. Then, call 1-800-829-4477. Have paper and pencil handy to take notes.

# Topics by Internet

TeleTax topics are also available through the IRS website at www.irs.gov.

# **TeleTax Topics**

All topics are available in Spanish.

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#### Do not send in a copy of your return unless asked to do so.

To get a refund, you generally must file your return within 3 years from the date the return was due (including extensions).

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You can check on the status of your 2007 refund if it has been at least 6 weeks from the date

you filed your return (3 weeks if you filed electronically). But if you filed Form 8379 with

your return, allow 14 weeks (11 weeks if you filed electronically).

• Call 1-800-829-1954 during the hours

wait until the next week before checking

Refunds are sent out weekly on

Fridays. If you check the status

of your refund and are not given

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Topic numbers are effective January 1, 2008.

# **Calling the IRS**

If you cannot find the answer to your question in these instructions or online, please call us for assistance. See *Making the Call* below. You will not be charged for the call unless your phone company charges you for toll-free calls. Our normal hours of operation are Monday through Friday from 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. local time. Assistance provided to callers from Alaska and Hawaii will be based on the hours of operation in the Pacific time zone.



If you want to check the status of your 2007 refund, see Refund Information on page 79.

# **Before You Call**

IRS representatives care about the quality of the service provided to you, our customer. You can help us provide accurate, complete answers to your questions by having the following information available.

• The tax form, schedule, or notice to which your question relates.

• The facts about your particular situation. The answer to the same question often varies from one taxpayer to another because of differences in their age, income, whether they can be claimed as a dependent, etc.

• The name of any IRS publication or other source of information that you used to look for the answer.

To maintain your account security, you may be asked for the following information, which you should also have available.

• Your social security number.

• The amount of refund and filing status shown on your tax return.

• The "Caller ID Number" shown at the top of any notice you received.

• Your personal identification number (PIN) if you have one.

- Your date of birth.
- The numbers in your street address.
- Your ZIP code.

If you are asking for an installment agreement to pay your tax, you will be asked for the highest amount you can pay each month and the date on which you can pay it.

**Evaluation of services provided.** The IRS uses several methods to evaluate our telephone service. One method is to record telephone calls for quality purposes only. A random sample of recorded calls is selected for review through the quality assurance process. Other methods include listening to live calls in progress and random selection of customers for participation in a customer satisfaction survey.

# **Making the Call**

Call 1-800-829-1040 (deaf customers with access to TTY/TDD equipment may call

1-800-829-4059). Our menu allows you to speak your responses or use your keypad to select a menu option. After receiving your menu selection, the system will direct your call to the appropriate assistance.

# **Before You Hang Up**

If you do not fully understand the answer you receive, or you feel our representative may not fully understand your question, our representative needs to know this. He or she will be happy to take additional time to be sure your question is answered fully.

By law, you are responsible for paying your share of federal income tax. If we should make an error in answering your question, you are still responsible for the payment of the correct tax. Should this occur, however, you will not be charged any penalty.

# Quick and Easy Access to Tax Help and Tax Products

TIP

If you live outside the United States, see Pub. 54 to find out how to get help and tax products.



### Internet

You can access the IRS website 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, at *www.irs.gov*.

Online services and help. Go to www.irs.gov to:

• Access Free File, a free commercial income tax preparation and electronic filing service available to taxpayers with adjusted gross income of \$54,000 or less.

• Check the status of your 2007 refund. Click on "Where's My Refund."

• See answers to many questions. Click on "Frequently Asked Questions."

• Figure your withholding allowances using our

Withholding Calculator at www.irs.gov/individuals.

• Sign up for e-News Subscriptions to get the latest tax news on a variety of topics by email.

- Send us your comments or request help.
- Get disaster relief information. Enter keyword "Disaster."
- Safeguard your privacy. Enter keyword "Privacy Policy."

**View and download products.** Click on "More Forms and Publications" or go to *www.irs.gov/formspubs.* 

• For forms and instructions, click on "Form and Instruction number."

• For publications, click on "Publication number."

• For a subject index to forms, instructions, and publications, click on "Topical index."

• For prior year forms, instructions, and publications, click on "Previous years."

**Online ordering of products.** To order tax products delivered by mail, go to *www.irs.gov/formspubs*.

• For current year products, click on "Forms and publications by U.S. mail."

• For a tax booklet of forms and instructions, click on "Tax packages."

• For tax products on a CD, click on "Tax products on CD-ROM (Pub. 1796)." See *CD/DVD* on this page.



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tions, and publications. You should receive your order within 10 working days.

Tax help and questions. Call 1-800-829-1040.

Hearing Impaired TTY/TDD. Call 1-800-829-4059.

*TeleTax information - 24 hour tax information.* Call 1-800-829-4477. See pages 79 and 80 for topic numbers and details.

Refund hotline. Call 1-800-829-1954.

# Walk-In



You can pick up some of the most requested forms, instructions, and publications at many IRS offices, post offices, and libraries. Also, some grocery stores, copy centers, city and county government offices, credit unions, and

office supply stores have reproducible tax products available to photocopy or print from a CD.



# Mail

You can order forms, instructions, and publications by completing the order blank on page 85. You should receive your order within 10 days after we receive your request.



#### CD/DVD

Buy IRS Publication 1796 (IRS Tax Products CD) for \$35. Price is subject to change. There may be a handling fee. The CD includes current-year and prior-year forms, instructions, and publications; Internal Revenue Bulletins;

and toll-free and email technical support. As a bonus, you will get the IRS Tax Products DVD. The CD is released twice during the year. The first release will ship the beginning of January 2008 and the final release (including the bonus DVD) will ship the beginning of March 2008. The CD does not support electronic filing.

Internet. Buy the CD from:

• National Technical Information Service (NTIS) at *www.irs.gov/cdorders* 

• Government Printing Office (GPO) at http:// bookstore.gpo.gov (search for Pub. 1796)

Telephone. Buy the CD from:

- NTIS at 1-877-233-6767
- GPO at 1-866-512-1800

Tax forms and publications. Call 1-800-TAX-FORM (1-800-829-3676) to order current and prior year forms, instruc-

Other ways to get help. See page 77 for information.

# **Disclosure, Privacy Act, and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice**

The IRS Restructuring and Reform Act of 1998, the Privacy Act of 1974, and the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980 require that when we ask you for information we must first tell you our legal right to ask for the information, why we are asking for it, and how it will be used. We must also tell you what could happen if we do not receive it and whether your response is voluntary, required to obtain a benefit, or mandatory under the law.

This notice applies to all papers you file with us, including this tax return. It also applies to any questions we need to ask you so we can complete, correct, or process your return; figure your tax; and collect tax, interest, or penalties.

Our legal right to ask for information is Internal Revenue Code sections 6001, 6011, and 6012(a), and their regulations. They say that you must file a return or statement with us for any tax you are liable for. Your response is mandatory under these sections. Code section 6109 requires that you provide your social security number or individual taxpayer identification number on what you file. This is so we know who you are, and can process your return and other papers. You must fill in all parts of the tax form that apply to you. But you do not have to check the boxes for the Presidential Election Campaign Fund or for the third-party designee. You also do not have to provide your daytime phone number.

You are not required to provide the information requested on a form that is subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act unless the form displays a valid OMB control number. Books or records relating to a form or its instructions must be retained as long as their contents may become material in the administration of any Internal Revenue law.

We ask for tax return information to carry out the tax laws of the United States. We need it to figure and collect the right amount of tax.

If you do not file a return, do not provide the information we ask for, or provide fraudulent information, you may be charged penalties and be subject to criminal prosecution. We may also have to disallow the exemptions, exclusions, credits, deductions, or adjustments shown on the tax return. This could make the tax higher or delay any refund. Interest may also be charged.

Generally, tax returns and return information are confidential, as stated in Code section 6103. However, Code section 6103 allows or requires the Internal Revenue Service to disclose or give the information shown on your tax return to others as described in the Code. For example, we may disclose your tax information to the Department of Justice to enforce the tax laws, both civil and criminal, and to cities, states, the District of Columbia, U.S. commonwealths or possessions, and certain foreign governments to carry out their tax laws. We may disclose your tax information to the Department of Treasury and contractors for tax administration purposes; and to other persons as necessary to obtain information which we cannot get in any other way in order to determine the amount of or to collect the tax you owe. We may disclose your tax information to the Comptroller General of the United States to permit the Comptroller General to review the Internal Revenue Service. We may disclose your tax information to committees of Congress: federal, state, and local child support agencies; and to other federal agencies for the purposes of determining entitlement for benefits or the eligibility for and the repayment of loans. We may also disclose this information to other countries under a tax treaty, to federal and state agencies to enforce federal nontax criminal laws, or to federal law enforcement and intelligence agencies to combat terrorism.

Please keep this notice with your records. It may help you if we ask you for other information. If you have questions about the rules for filing and giving information, please call or visit any Internal Revenue Service office.

# We Welcome Comments on Forms

We try to create forms and instructions that can be easily understood. Often this is difficult to do because our tax laws are very complex. For some people with income mostly from wages, filling in the forms is easy. For others who have businesses, pensions, stocks, rental income, or other investments, it is more difficult.

If you have suggestions for making these forms simpler, we would be happy to hear from you. You can email us at *\*taxforms@irs.gov*. (The asterisk must be included in the address.) Enter "Forms Comment" on the subject line. Or you can write to Internal Revenue Service, Tax Products Coordinating Committee, SE:W:CAR:MP:T:T:SP, 1111 Constitution Ave. NW, IR-6526, Washington, DC 20224. Do not send your return to this address. Instead, see the back cover.

#### **Estimates of Taxpayer Burden**

The table below shows burden estimates by form type and type of taxpayer. Time burden is further broken out by taxpayer activity. The largest component of time burden for all taxpayers is recordkeeping, as opposed to form completion and submission. In addition, the time burden associated with form completion and submission activities is closely tied to preparation method (self-prepared without software, self-prepared with software, and prepared by paid preparer).

Time spent and out-of-pocket costs are estimated separately. Out-of-pocket costs include any expenses incurred by taxpayers to prepare and submit their tax returns. Examples of out-of-pocket costs include tax return preparation and submission fees, postage, tax preparation software costs, photocopying costs, and phone calls (if not toll-free).

Both time and cost burdens are national averages and do not necessarily reflect a "typical" case. For instance, the average time burden for all taxpayers filing a 1040, 1040A, or 1040EZ was 26.4 hours, with an average cost of \$207 per return. This average includes all associated forms and schedules, across all preparation methods and all taxpayer activities. Taxpayers filing Form 1040 had an average burden of about 34 hours, and taxpayers filing Form 1040A and Form 1040EZ averaged about 10 hours. However, within each of these estimates, there is significant variation in taxpayer activity. Similarly, tax preparation fees vary extensively depending on the taxpayer's tax situation and issues, the type of professional preparer, and the geographic area.

The data shown are the best estimates available as of September 24, 2007, from tax returns filed for 2006. The method used to estimate taxpayer burden incorporates results from a taxpayer burden survey conducted in 2000 and 2001. The estimates are subject to change as new data becomes available. The estimates do not include burden associated with post-filing activities. However, operational IRS data indicates that electronically prepared and e-filed returns have fewer errors, implying a lower overall post-filing burden.

If you have comments concerning the time and cost estimates below, you can contact us at either one of the addresses shown under *We Welcome Comments on Forms* on page 83.

#### Estimated Average Taxpayer Burden for Individuals by Activity

The average time and costs required to complete and file Form 1040, Form 1040A, Form 1040EZ, their schedules, and accompanying forms will vary depending on individual circumstances. The estimated averages are:

		Average Time Burden (Hours)									
Major Form Filed or Type of Taxpayer	Percentage of Returns	Total Time	Record Keeping	Tax Planning	Form Completion	Form Submission	All Other	Average Cost (Dollars)			
All taxpayers	100	26.4	15.0	4.7	3.3	0.6	2.8	\$207			
1040	69	33.5	19.8	5.9	3.7	0.6	3.4	267			
1040A & 1040EZ	31	10.4	4.2	1.8	2.5	0.5	1.4	72			
Type of taxpayer											
Nonbusiness*	71	14.1	5.6	3.3	3.0	0.5	1.6	114			
Business*	29	56.9	38.4	8.0	4.2	0.7	5.7	440			

\* You are a "business" filer if you file one or more of the following with Form 1040: Schedule C, C-EZ, E, or F or Form 2106 or 2106-EZ. You are a "nonbusiness" filer if you did not file any of those schedules or forms with Form 1040.

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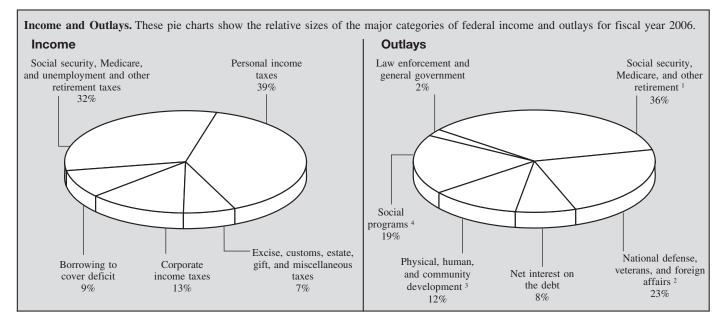
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1040	Schedule H (1040)	1040-ES (2008)	4868	9465	Pub. 525	Pub. 575	Pub. 970
Schedules A&B (1040)	Schedule J (1040)	1040-V	6251	Pub. 1	Pub. 526	Pub. 583	Pub. 972
Schedule C (1040)	Schedule R (1040)	1040X	8283	Pub. 17	Pub. 527	Pub. 587	
Schedule C-EZ (1040)	Schedule SE (1040)	2106	8606	Pub. 334	Pub. 529	Pub. 590	
Schedule D (1040)	1040A	2441	8812	Pub. 463	Pub. 535	Pub. 596	
Schedule D-1 (1040)	Schedule 1 (1040A)	4506	8822	Pub. 501	Pub. 547	Pub. 910	
Schedule E (1040)	Schedule 2 (1040A)	4506-T	8829	Pub. 502	Pub. 550	Pub. 915	
Schedule EIC (1040A or 1040)	Schedule 3 (1040A)	4562	8863	Pub. 505	Pub. 551	Pub. 919	
Schedule F (1040)	1040EZ	4684	8917	Pub. 523	Pub. 554	Pub. 946	

# Major Categories of Federal Income and Outlays for Fiscal Year 2006



On or before the first Monday in February of each year, the President is required by law to submit to the Congress a budget proposal for the fiscal year that begins the following October. The budget plan sets forth the President's proposed receipts, spending, and the surplus or deficit for the Federal Government. The plan includes recommendations for new legislation as well as recommendations to change, eliminate, and add programs. After receiving the President's proposal, the Congress reviews it and makes changes. It first passes a budget resolution setting its own targets for receipts, outlays, and the surplus or deficit. Next, individual spending and revenue bills that are consistent with the goals of the budget resolution are enacted.

In fiscal year 2006 (which began on October 1, 2005, and ended on September 30, 2006), federal income was \$2.407 trillion

and outlays were \$2.655 trillion, leaving a deficit of \$0.248 trillion.

#### Footnotes for Certain Federal Outlays

1. Social security, Medicare, and other retirement: These programs provide income support for the retired and disabled and medical care for the elderly.

2. National defense, veterans, and foreign affairs: About 19% of outlays were to equip, modernize, and pay our armed forces and to fund the Global War on Terrorism and other national defense activities; about 3% were for veterans benefits and services; and about 1% were for international activities, including military and economic assistance to foreign countries and the maintenance of U.S. embassies abroad. 3. Physical, human, and community development: These outlays were for agriculture; natural resources; environment; transportation; aid for elementary and secondary education and direct assistance to college students; job training; deposit insurance, commerce and housing credit, and community development; and space, energy, and general science programs.

4. **Social programs:** About 13% of total outlays were for Medicaid, food stamps, temporary assistance for needy families, supplemental security income, and related programs; and the remaining outlays were for health research and public health programs, unemployment compensation, assisted housing, and social services.

Note. The percentages on this page exclude undistributed offsetting receipts, which were \$68 billion in fiscal year 2006. In the budget, these receipts are offset against spending in figuring the outlay totals shown above. These receipts are for the U.S. Government's share of its employee retirement programs, rents and royalties on the Outer Continental Shelf, and proceeds from the sale of assets.

# 2007 Tax Rate Schedules



The Tax Rate Schedules are shown so you can see the tax rate that applies to all levels of taxable income. Do not use them to figure your tax. Instead, see the instructions for line 44 that begin on page 33.

#### Schedule X—If your filing status is Single

If your taxable income is:		The tax is:	
Over—	But not over—		of the amount over—
\$0	\$7,825	10%	\$0
7,825	31,850	\$782.50 + 15%	7,825
31,850	77,100	4,386.25 + 25%	31,850
77,100	160,850	15,698.75 + 28%	77,100
160,850	349,700	39,148.75 + 33%	160,850
349,700		101,469.25 + 35%	349,700

Schedule Y-1—If your filing status is Married filing jointly or Qualifying widow(er)

If your taxable income is:		The tax is:	of the
Over—	But not over—		amount over—
\$0	\$15,650	10%	\$0
15,650	63,700	\$1,565.00 + 15%	15,650
63,700	128,500	8,772.50 + 25%	63,700
128,500	195,850	24,972.50 + 28%	128,500
195,850	349,700	43,830.50 + 33%	195,850
349,700		94,601.00 + 35%	349,700

Schedule Y-2—If your filing status is Married filing separately

If your taxable income is:		The tax is:	<i>с. н</i>
Over—	But not over—		of the amount over—
\$0	\$7,825	10%	\$0
7,825	31,850	\$782.50 + 15%	7,825
31,850	64,250	4,386.25 + 25%	31,850
64,250	97,925	12,486.25 + 28%	64,250
97,925	174,850	21,915.25 + 33%	97,925
174,850		47,300.50 + 35%	174,850

Schedule Z—If your filing status is Head of household

If your taxable income is:		The tax is:	of the
Over—	But not over—		amount over—
\$0	\$11,200	10%	\$0
11,200	42,650	\$1,120.00 + 15%	11,200
42,650	110,100	5,837.50 + 25%	42,650
110,100	178,350	22,700.00 + 28%	110,100
178,350	349,700	41,810.00 + 33%	178,350
349,700		98,355.50 + 35%	349,700



# **2007 Instructions for Schedules A & B** (Form 1040)

# Instructions for Schedule A, Itemized Deductions

Use Schedule A (Form 1040) to figure your itemized deductions. In most cases, your federal income tax will be less if you take the larger of your itemized deductions or your standard deduction.

If you itemize, you can deduct a part of your medical and dental expenses and unreimbursed employee business expenses, and amounts you paid for certain taxes, interest, contributions, and miscellaneous expenses. You can also deduct certain casualty and theft losses.

If you and your spouse paid expenses jointly and are filing separate returns for 2007, see Pub. 504 to figure the portion of joint expenses that you can claim as itemized deductions.



Do not include on Schedule A items deducted elsewhere, such as on Form 1040 or Schedule C, C-EZ, E, or F.

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

# What's New

**Standard mileage rates.** The 2007 rate for use of your vehicle to get medical care is 20 cents a mile. The special rate for charitable use of your vehicle to provide relief related to Hurricane Katrina has expired.

**State and local general sales taxes.** The option to deduct state and local general sales taxes instead of state and local income taxes was extended through 2007. See the instructions for line 5 that begin on page A-2.

**Mortgage insurance premiums.** Mortgage insurance premiums for mortgage insurance contracts issued after December 31, 2006, may be deductible on new line 13. See the instructions for line 13 on page A-7.

New recordkeeping requirements for contributions of money. For charitable contributions made in cash, regardless of the amount, you must maintain as a record of the contribution a bank record (such as a canceled check) or a written record from the charity. The written record must include the name of the charity, date, and amount of the contribution. See *Gifts to Charity* that begins on page A-7.

# Medical and Dental Expenses

You can deduct only the part of your medical and dental expenses that exceeds 7.5% of the amount on Form 1040, line 38.

Pub. 502 discusses the types of expenses that you can and cannot deduct. It

also explains when you can deduct capital expenses and special care expenses for disabled persons.



If you received a distribution from a health savings account or a medical savings account in 2007, see Pub. 969 to figure

your deduction.

#### Examples of Medical and Dental Payments You Can Deduct

To the extent you were not reimbursed, you can deduct what you paid for:

• Insurance premiums for medical and dental care, including premiums for qualified long-term care contracts as defined in Pub. 502. But see Limit on long-term care premiums you can deduct on page A-2. Reduce the insurance premiums by any self-employed health insurance deduction you claimed on Form 1040, line 29. You cannot deduct insurance premiums paid with pretax dollars because the premiums are not included in box 1 of your Form(s) W-2. If you are a retired public safety officer, you cannot deduct any premiums you paid to the extent they were paid for with a tax-free distribution from your retirement plan.



If, during 2007, you were an eligible trade adjustment assistance (TAA) recipient, alternative TAA recipient, or

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation pension recipient, you must reduce your insurance premiums by any amounts used to figure the health coverage tax credit. See the instructions for line 1 on page A-2

• Prescription medicines or insulin.

• Acupuncturists, chiropractors, dentists, eye doctors, medical doctors, occupational therapists, osteopathic doctors, physical therapists, podiatrists, psychiatrists, psychoanalysts (medical care only), and psychologists.

• Medical examinations, X-ray and laboratory services, insulin treatment, and whirlpool baths your doctor ordered.

• Nursing help (including your share of the employment taxes paid). If you paid someone to do both nursing and housework, you can deduct only the cost of the nursing help.

• Hospital care (including meals and lodging), clinic costs, and lab fees.

• Qualified long-term care services (see Pub. 502).

• The supplemental part of Medicare insurance (Medicare B).

• The premiums you pay for Medicare Part D insurance.

• A program to stop smoking and for prescription medicines to alleviate nicotine withdrawal.

• A weight-loss program as treatment for a specific disease (including obesity) diagnosed by a doctor.

• Medical treatment at a center for drug or alcohol addiction.

• Medical aids such as eyeglasses, contact lenses, hearing aids, braces, crutches, wheelchairs, and guide dogs, including the cost of maintaining them.

• Surgery to improve defective vision, such as laser eye surgery or radial keratotomy.

• Lodging expenses (but not meals) while away from home to receive medical care in a hospital or a medical care facility related to a hospital, provided there was no significant element of personal pleasure, recreation, or vacation in the travel. Do not deduct more than \$50 a night for each eligible person.

• Ambulance service and other travel costs to get medical care. If you used your own car, you can claim what you spent for

gas and oil to go to and from the place you received the care; or you can claim 20 cents a mile. Add parking and tolls to the amount you claim under either method.

Note. Certain medical expenses paid out of a deceased taxpayer's estate can be claimed on the deceased taxpayer's final return. See Pub. 502 for details.

Limit on long-term care premiums you can deduct. The amount you can deduct for qualified long-term care contracts (as defined in Pub. 502) depends on the age, at the end of 2007, of the person for whom the premiums were paid. See the chart below for details.

IF the person was, at the end of 2007, age	THEN the most you can deduct is
40 or under	\$ 290
41-50	\$ 550
51-60	\$ 1,110
61-70	\$ 2,950
71 or older	\$ 3,680

#### Examples of Medical and **Dental Payments You Cannot Deduct**

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· Cosmetic surgery unless it was necessary to improve a deformity related to a congenital abnormality, an injury from an accident or trauma, or a disfiguring disease.

• Life insurance or income protection policies.

 The Medicare tax on your wages and tips or the Medicare tax paid as part of the self-employment tax or household employment taxes.



If you were age 65 or older but not entitled to social security benefits, you can deduct premiums you voluntarily paid for Medicare A coverage.

• Nursing care for a healthy baby. But you may be able to take a credit for the amount you paid. See the instructions for Form 1040, line 47.

• Illegal operations or drugs.

• Imported drugs not approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA). This includes foreign-made versions of U.S.-approved drugs manufactured without FDA approval.

 Nonprescription medicines (including nicotine gum and certain nicotine patches).

• Travel your doctor told you to take for rest or a change.

• Funeral, burial, or cremation costs.

## Line 1 **Medical and Dental** Expenses

Enter the total of your medical and dental expenses (see page A-1), after you reduce these expenses by any payments received from insurance or other sources. See Reim*bursements* below.



Do not forget to include insurance premiums you paid for medical and dental care. But if you claimed the self-employed

health insurance deduction on Form 1040, line 29, reduce the premiums by the amount on line 29.

Note. If, during 2007, you were an eligible trade adjustment assistance (TAA) recipient, alternative TAA recipient, or Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation pension recipient, you must complete Form 8885 before completing Schedule A, line 1. When figuring the amount of insurance premiums you can deduct on Schedule A, do not include:

• Any amounts you included on Form 8885, line 4,

· Any qualified health insurance premiums you paid to "U.S. Treasury -HCTC," or

• Any health coverage tax credit advance payments shown in box 1 of Form 1099-H.

Whose medical and dental expenses can you include? You can include medical and dental bills you paid for:

• Yourself and your spouse.

• All dependents you claim on your return.

• Your child whom you do not claim as a dependent because of the rules for children of divorced or separated parents.

• Any person you could have claimed as a dependent on your return except that person received \$3,400 or more of gross income or filed a joint return.

• Any person you could have claimed as a dependent except that you, or your spouse if filing jointly, can be claimed as a dependent on someone else's 2007 return.

Example. You provided over half of your mother's support but cannot claim her as a dependent because she received wages of \$3,400 in 2007. You can include on line 1 any medical and dental expenses you paid in 2007 for your mother.

Reimbursements. If your insurance company paid the provider directly for part of your expenses, and you paid only the amount that remained, include on line 1 only the amount you paid. If you received a reimbursement in 2007 for medical or dental expenses you paid in 2007, reduce your 2007 expenses by this amount. If you received a reimbursement in 2007 for prior year medical or dental expenses, do not reduce your 2007 expenses by this amount.

But if you deducted the expenses in the earlier year and the deduction reduced your tax, you must include the reimbursement in income on Form 1040, line 21. See Pub. 502 for details on how to figure the amount to include.

Cafeteria plans. Do not include on line 1 insurance premiums paid by an employer-sponsored health insurance plan (cafeteria plan) unless the premiums are included in box 1 of your Form(s) W-2. Also, do not include any other medical and dental expenses paid by the plan unless the amount paid is included in box 1 of your Form(s) W-2.

# **Taxes You Paid Taxes You Cannot Deduct**

Federal income and excise taxes.

 Social security, Medicare, federal unemployment (FUTA), and railroad retirement (RRTA) taxes.

• Customs duties.

• Federal estate and gift taxes. But see the instructions for line 28 on page A-10.

· Certain state and local taxes, including: tax on gasoline, car inspection fees, assessments for sidewalks or other improvements to your property, tax you paid for someone else, and license fees (marriage, driver's, dog, etc.).

### Line 5



You can elect to deduct state and local general sales taxes instead of state and local income taxes. You cannot deduct

#### State and Local Income Taxes

If you deduct state and local income taxes, check box a on line 5. Include on this line the state and local income taxes listed below.

• State and local income taxes withheld from your salary during 2007. Your Form(s) W-2 will show these amounts. Forms W-2G, 1099-G, 1099-R, and 1099-MISC may also show state and local income taxes withheld.

• State and local income taxes paid in 2007 for a prior year, such as taxes paid with your 2006 state or local income tax return. Do not include penalties or interest.

• State and local estimated tax payments made during 2007, including any part of a prior year refund that you chose to have credited to your 2007 state or local income taxes.

• Mandatory contributions you made to the California, New Jersey, or New York Nonoccupational Disability Benefit Fund, Rhode Island Temporary Disability Benefit Fund, or Washington State Supplemental Workmen's Compensation Fund.

• Mandatory contributions to the Alaska, New Jersey, or Pennsylvania state unemployment fund.

Do not reduce your deduction by any:

• State or local income tax refund or credit you expect to receive for 2007, or

• Refund of, or credit for, prior year state and local income taxes you actually received in 2007. Instead, see the instructions for Form 1040, line 10.

# State and Local General Sales Taxes

If you elect to deduct state and local general sales taxes, you **must** check **box b** on line 5. To figure your deduction, you can use either your actual expenses or the optional sales tax tables.

#### **Actual Expenses**

Generally, you can deduct the actual state and local general sales taxes (including compensating use taxes) you paid in 2007 if the tax rate was the same as the general sales tax rate. However, sales taxes on food, clothing, medical supplies, and motor vehicles are deductible as a general sales tax even if the tax rate was less than the general sales tax rate. If you paid sales tax on a motor vehicle at a rate higher than the general sales tax rate, you can deduct only the amount of tax that you would have paid at the general sales tax rate on that vehicle. Motor vehicles include cars, motorcycles, motor homes, recreational vehicles, sport utility vehicles, trucks, vans, and off-road vehicles. Also include any state and local general sales taxes paid for a leased motor vehicle. Do not include sales taxes paid on items used in your trade or business.



You must keep your actual receipts showing general sales taxes paid to use this method.

**Refund of general sales taxes.** If you received a refund of state or local general sales taxes in 2007 for amounts paid in 2007, reduce your **actual** 2007 state and local general sales taxes by this amount. If you received a refund of state or local general sales taxes in 2007 for prior year purchases, do not reduce your 2007 state and local general sales taxes by this amount. But if you deducted your **actual** state and local general sales taxes in the earlier year and the deduction reduced your tax, you may have to include the refund in income on Form 1040, line 21. See *Recoveries* in Pub. 525 for details.

#### **Optional Sales Tax Tables**

Instead of using your actual expenses, you can use the tables on pages A-11 through A-13 to figure your state and local general sales tax deduction. You may also be able to add the state and local general sales taxes paid on certain specified items.

To figure your state and local general sales tax deduction using the tables, complete the worksheet on page A-4 or use the 2007 Sales Tax Deduction Calculator on the IRS website. To use the 2007 Sales Tax Deduction Calculator, go to www.irs.gov

and enter "Sales tax deduction calculator" in the search box.



If your filing status is married filing separately, both you and your spouse elect to deduct

sales taxes, **and** your spouse elects to use the optional sales tax tables, you also must use the tables to figure your state and local general sales tax deduction.

#### Instructions for Line 5b Worksheet

Line 1. If you lived in the same state for all of 2007, enter the applicable amount, based on your 2007 income and exemptions, from the optional state sales tax table for your state on page A-11 or A-12. Read down the "At least–But less than" columns for your state and find the line that includes your 2007 income. If married filing separately, do not include your spouse's income. Your 2007 income is the amount shown on your Form 1040, line 38, **plus** any nontaxable items, such as the following.

- Tax-exempt interest.
- Veterans' benefits.
- Nontaxable combat pay.
- Workers' compensation.

• Nontaxable part of social security and railroad retirement benefits.

• Nontaxable part of IRA, pension, or annuity distributions. Do not include rollovers.

• Public assistance payments. The exemptions column refers to the number of exemptions claimed on Form 1040, line 6d.

What if you lived in more than one state? If you lived in more than one state during 2007, look up the table amount for each state using the above rules. If there is no table for your state, the table amount is considered to be zero. Multiply the table amount for each state you lived in by a fraction. The numerator of the fraction is the number of days you lived in the state during 2007 and the denominator is the total number of days in the year (365). Enter the total of the prorated table amounts for each state on line 1. However, if you also lived in a locality during 2007 that imposed a local general sales tax, do not enter the total on line 1. Instead, complete a separate worksheet for each state you lived in and enter the prorated amount for that state on line 1.

*Example.* You lived in State A from January 1 through August 31, 2007 (243 days), and in State B from September 1 through December 31, 2007 (122 days). The table amount for State A is \$500. The table amount for State B is \$400. You would figure your state general sales tax as follows.

State A:	\$500 x 243/365 =	\$333
State B:	\$400 x 122/365 =	134
Total	=	\$467

If none of the localities in which you lived during 2007 imposed a local general sales tax, enter \$467 on line 1 of your worksheet. Otherwise, complete a separate worksheet for State A and State B. Enter \$333 on line 1 of the State A worksheet and \$134 on line 1 of the State B worksheet.

Line 2. If you checked the "No" box, enter -0- on line 2, and go to line 3. If you checked the "Yes" box and lived in the same locality for all of 2007, enter the applicable amount, based on your 2007 income and exemptions, from the optional local sales tax table for your locality on page A-13. Read down the "At least–But less than" columns for your locality and find the line that includes your 2007 income. See the line 1 instructions on this page to figure your 2007 income. The exemptions column refers to the number of exemptions claimed on Form 1040, line 6d.

What if you lived in more than one locality? If you lived in more than one locality during 2007, look up the table amount for each locality using the above rules. If there is no table for your locality, the table amount is considered to be zero. Multiply the table amount for each locality you lived in by a fraction. The numerator of the fraction is the number of days you lived in the locality during 2007 and the denominator is the total number of days in the year (365). If you lived in more than one locality in the same state and the local general sales tax rate was the same for each locality, enter the total of the prorated table amounts for each locality in that state on line 2. Otherwise, complete a separate worksheet for lines 2 through 6 for each locality and enter each prorated table amount on line 2 of the applicable worksheet.

**Example.** You lived in Locality 1 from January 1 through August 31, 2007 (243 days), and in Locality 2 from September 1 through December 31, 2007 (122 days). The table amount for Locality 1 is \$100. The table amount for Locality 2 is \$150. You would figure the amount to enter on line 2 as follows. Note that this amount may not equal your local sales tax deduction, which is figured on line 6 of the worksheet.

Locality 1:	\$100 x 243/365 =	\$ 67
Locality 2:	\$150 x 122/365 =	50
Total	=	\$117

Line 3. If you lived in California, check the "No" box if your combined state and local general sales tax rate is 7.25%. Otherwise, check the "Yes" box and include on line 3 only the part of the combined rate that is more than 7.25%.

If you lived in Nevada, check the "No" box if your combined state and local general sales tax rate is 6.5%. Otherwise, check the "Yes" box and include on line 3 only the part of the combined rate that is more than 6.5%.

If you lived in Texarkana, Arkansas, check the "Yes" box and enter "4.0" on line 3. Your local general sales tax rate of 4.0% includes the additional 2.5% sales tax rate for Texarkana and the 1.5% sales tax rate for Miller County.

What if your local general sales tax rate changed during 2007? If you checked the "Yes" box and your local general sales tax rate changed during 2007, figure the rate to enter on line 3 as follows. Multiply each tax

rate for the period it was in effect by a fraction. The numerator of the fraction is the number of days the rate was in effect during 2007 and the denominator is the total number of days in the year (365). Enter the total of the prorated tax rates on line 3.

*Example.* Locality 1 imposed a 1% local general sales tax from January 1 through September 30, 2007 (273 days). The rate increased to 1.75% for the period

from October 1 through December 31, 2007 (92 days). You would enter "1.189" on line 3, figured as follows.

January 1 –			
September 30:	1.00 x	273/365 =	0.748
October 1 –			
December 31:	1.75 x	92/365 =	0.441
Total		=	1.189

What if you lived in more than one locality in the same state during 2007? Complete a separate worksheet for lines 2 through 6 for each locality in your state if you lived in more than one locality in the same state during 2007 and either of the following applies.

• Each locality did not have the same local general sales tax rate.

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• You lived in Texarkana, AR, or Los Angeles County, CA.

To figure the amount to enter on line 3 of the worksheet for each locality in which you lived (except a locality for which you used the table on page A-13 to figure your local general sales tax deduction), multiply the local general sales tax rate by a fraction. The numerator of the fraction is the number of days you lived in the locality during 2007 and the denominator is the total number of days in the year (365).

**Example.** You lived in Locality 1 from January 1 through August 31, 2007 (243 days), and in Locality 2 from September 1 through December 31, 2007 (122 days). The local general sales tax rate for Locality 1 is 1%. The rate for Locality 2 is 1.75%. You would enter "0.666" on line 3 for the Locality 1 worksheet and "0.585" for the Locality 2 worksheet, figured as follows.

Locality 1:	1.00 x 243/365 =	0.666
Locality 2:	1.75 x 122/365 =	0.585

Line 6. If you lived in more than one locality in the same state during 2007, you should have completed line 1 only on the first worksheet for that state and separate worksheets for lines 2 through 6 for any other locality within that state in which you lived during 2007. If you checked the "Yes" box on line 6 of any of those worksheets, multiply line 5 of that worksheet by the amount that you entered on line 1 for that state on the first worksheet.

**Line 7.** Enter on line 7 any state and local general sales taxes paid on the following specified items. If you are completing more than one worksheet, include the total for line 7 on only one of the worksheets.

1. A motor vehicle (including a car, motorcycle, motor home, recreational vehicle, sport utility vehicle, truck, van, and off-road vehicle). Also include any state and local general sales taxes paid for a leased motor vehicle. If the state sales tax rate on these items is higher than the general sales tax rate, only include the amount of tax you would have paid at the general sales tax rate.

2. An aircraft or boat, if the tax rate was the same as the general sales tax rate.

3. A home (including a mobile home or prefabricated home) or substantial addition to or major renovation of a home, but only if the tax rate was the same as the general sales tax rate and any of the following applies.

a. Your state or locality imposes a general sales tax directly on the sale of a home or on the cost of a substantial addition or major renovation.

b. You purchased the materials to build a home or substantial addition or to perform a major renovation and paid the sales tax directly.

c. Under your state law, your contractor is considered your agent in the construction of the home or substantial addition or the performance of a major renovation. The contract must state that the contractor is authorized to act in your name and must follow your directions on construction decisions. In this case, you will be considered to have purchased any items subject to a sales tax and to have paid the sales tax directly.

Do not include sales taxes paid on items used in your trade or business. If you received a refund of state or local general sales taxes in 2007, see *Refund of general sales taxes* on page A-3.

# Line 6 Real Estate Taxes

Include taxes (state, local, or foreign) you paid on real estate you own that was not used for business, but only if the taxes are based on the assessed value of the property. Also, the assessment must be made uniformly on property throughout the community, and the proceeds must be used for general community or governmental purposes. Pub. 530 explains the deductions homeowners can take.

Do not include the following amounts on line 6.

• Itemized charges for services to specific property or persons (for example, a \$20 monthly charge per house for trash collection, a \$5 charge for every 1,000 gallons of water consumed, or a flat charge for mowing a lawn that had grown higher than permitted under a local ordinance).

• Charges for improvements that tend to increase the value of your property (for example, an assessment to build a new sidewalk). The cost of a property improvement is added to the basis of the property. However, a charge is deductible if it is used only to maintain an existing public facility in service (for example, a charge to repair an existing sidewalk, and any interest included in that charge).

If your mortgage payments include your real estate taxes, you can deduct only the amount the mortgage company actually paid to the taxing authority in 2007.

If you sold your home in 2007, any real estate tax charged to the buyer should be shown on your settlement statement and in box 5 of any Form 1099-S you received. This amount is considered a refund of real estate taxes. See *Refunds and rebates* below. Any real estate taxes you paid at closing should be shown on your settlement statement.

**Refunds and rebates.** If you received a refund or rebate in 2007 of real estate taxes you paid in 2007, reduce your deduction by the amount of the refund or rebate. If you received a refund or rebate in 2007 of real estate taxes you paid in an earlier year, do not reduce your deduction by this amount. Instead, you must include the refund or rebate in income on Form 1040, line 21, if you deducted the real estate taxes in the earlier year and the deduction reduced your tax. See *Recoveries* in Pub. 525 for details on how to figure the amount to include in income.

# Line 7 Personal Property Taxes

Enter the state and local personal property taxes you paid, but only if the taxes were based on value alone and were imposed on a yearly basis.

**Example.** You paid a yearly fee for the registration of your car. Part of the fee was based on the car's value and part was based on its weight. You can deduct only the part of the fee that was based on the car's value.

# Line 8 Other Taxes

If you had any deductible tax not listed on line 5, 6, or 7, list the type and amount of tax. Enter only one total on line 8. Include on this line income tax you paid to a foreign country or U.S. possession.



You may want to take a credit for the foreign tax instead of a deduction. See the instructions for Form 1040, line 51, for

details.

# **Interest You Paid**

Whether your interest expense is treated as investment interest, personal interest, or business interest depends on how and when you used the loan proceeds. See Pub. 535 for details.

In general, if you paid interest in 2007 that applies to any period after 2007, you can deduct only amounts that apply for 2007.

# Lines 10 and 11 Home Mortgage Interest

A home mortgage is any loan that is secured by your main home or second home. It includes first and second mortgages, home equity loans, and refinanced mortgages.

A home can be a house, condominium, cooperative, mobile home, boat, or similar property. It must provide basic living accommodations including sleeping space, toilet, and cooking facilities.

Limit on home mortgage interest. If you took out any mortgages after October 13, 1987, your deduction may be limited. Any additional amounts borrowed after October 13, 1987, on a line-of-credit mortgage you had on that date are treated as a mortgage taken out after October 13, 1987. If you refinanced a mortgage you had on October 13, 1987, treat the new mortgage as taken out on or before October 13, 1987. But if you refinanced for more than the balance of the old mortgage, treat the excess as a mortgage taken out after October 13, 1987.

See Pub. 936 to figure your deduction if either (1) or (2) below applies. If you had more than one home at the same time, the dollar amounts in (1) and (2) apply to the total mortgages on both homes.

1. You took out any mortgages after October 13, 1987, and used the proceeds for purposes other than to buy, build, or improve your home, and all of these mortgages totaled over \$100,000 at any time during 2007. The limit is \$50,000 if married filing separately. An example of this type of mortgage is a home equity loan used to pay off credit card bills, buy a car, or pay tuition.

2. You took out any mortgages after October 13, 1987, and used the proceeds to buy, build, or improve your home, and these mortgages plus any mortgages you took out on or before October 13, 1987, totaled over \$1 million at any time during 2007. The limit is \$500,000 if married filing separately.



If the total amount of all mortgages is more than the fair market value of the home, additional limits apply. See

Pub. 936.

#### Line 10

Enter on line 10 mortgage interest and points reported to you on Form 1098 under your social security number (SSN). If this form shows any refund of overpaid interest, do not reduce your deduction by the refund. Instead, see the instructions for Form 1040, line 21. If you and at least one other person (other than your spouse if filing jointly) were liable for and paid interest on the mortgage, and the interest was reported on Form 1098 under the other person's SSN, report your share of the interest on line 11 (as explained in the line 11 instructions below).

If you paid more interest to the recipient than is shown on Form 1098, see Pub. 936 to find out if you can deduct the additional interest. If you can, attach a statement explaining the difference and enter "See attached" to the right of line 10.



If you are claiming the mortgage interest credit (for holders of qualified mortgage credit certificates issued by state or lo-

cal governmental units or agencies), subtract the amount shown on Form 8396, line 3, from the total deductible interest you paid on your home mortgage. Enter the result on line 10.

#### Line 11

If you did not receive a Form 1098 from the recipient, report your deductible mortgage interest on line 11.

If you bought your home from the recipient, be sure to show that recipient's name, identifying number, and address on the dotted lines next to line 11. If the recipient is an individual, the identifying number is his or her social security number (SSN). Otherwise, it is the employer identification number. You must also let the recipient know your SSN. If you do not show the required information about the recipient or let the recipient know your SSN, you may have to pay a \$50 penalty.

If you and at least one other person (other than your spouse if filing jointly) were liable for and paid interest on the mortgage, and the other person received the Form 1098, attach a statement to your return showing the name and address of that person. To the right of line 11, enter "See attached."

### Line 12 Points Not Reported on Form 1098

Points are shown on your settlement statement. Points you paid only to borrow money are generally deductible over the life of the loan. See Pub. 936 to figure the amount you can deduct. Points paid for other purposes, such as for a lender's services, are not deductible.

**Refinancing.** Generally, you must deduct points you paid to refinance a mortgage over the life of the loan. This is true even if the new mortgage is secured by your main home.

If you used part of the proceeds to improve your main home, you may be able to deduct the part of the points related to the improvement in the year paid. See Pub. 936 for details.



If you paid off a mortgage early, deduct any remaining points in the year you paid off the mortgage.

# Line 13 Qualified Mortgage Insurance Premiums

Enter the qualified mortgage insurance premiums you paid under a mortgage insurance contract issued during 2007 in connection with home acquisition debt that was secured by your first or second home. See Prepaid mortgage insurance below if you paid any premiums allocable to any period after 2007. Box 4 of Form 1098 may show the amount of premiums you paid in 2007. If you and at least one other person (other than your spouse if filing jointly) were liable for and paid the premiums in connection with the loan, and the premiums were reported on Form 1098 under the other person's SSN, report your share of the premiums on line 13.

Qualified mortgage insurance is mortgage insurance provided by the Department of Veterans Affairs, the Federal Housing Administration, or the Rural Housing Service, and private mortgage insurance (as defined in section 2 of the Homeowners Protection Act of 1998 as in effect on December 20, 2006).

Mortgage insurance provided by the Department of Veterans Affairs and the Rural Housing Service is commonly known as a funding fee and guarantee fee respectively. These fees can be deducted fully in 2007 if the mortgage insurance contract was issued in 2007. Contact the mortgage insurance issuer to determine the deductible amount if it is not included in box 4 of Form 1098.

**Prepaid mortgage insurance.** If you paid premiums for qualified mortgage insurance

that are allocable to periods after 2007, such premiums are treated as paid in the year to which they are allocated. No deduction is allowed for the unamortized balance if the mortgage is satisfied before its term. The two preceding sentences do not apply to qualified mortgage insurance provided by the Department of Veterans Affairs or the Rural Housing Service.

Limit on amount you can deduct. You cannot deduct your mortgage insurance premiums if the amount on Form 1040, line 38, is more than \$109,000 (\$54,500 if married filing separately). If the amount on Form 1040, line 38, is more than \$100,000 (\$50,000 if married filing separately), your deduction is limited and you must use the worksheet below to figure your deduction.

# Line 14

#### **Investment Interest**

Investment interest is interest paid on money you borrowed that is allocable to property held for investment. It does not include any interest allocable to passive activities or to securities that generate tax-exempt income.

Complete and attach Form 4952 to figure your deduction.

**Exception.** You do not have to file Form 4952 if all three of the following apply.

1. Your investment interest expense is not more than your investment income from interest and ordinary dividends minus any qualified dividends.

2. You have no other deductible investment expenses.

3. You have no disallowed investment interest expense from 2006.



Alaska Permanent Fund dividends, including those reported on Form 8814, are not investment income.

For more details, see Pub. 550.

# **Gifts to Charity**

You can deduct contributions or gifts you gave to organizations that are religious, charitable, educational, scientific, or literary in purpose. You can also deduct what you gave to organizations that work to prevent cruelty to children or animals. Certain whaling captains may be able to deduct expenses paid in 2007 for Native Alaskan subsistence bowhead whale hunting activities. See Pub. 526 for details.

To verify an organization's charitable status, you can:

• Check with the organization to which you made the donation. The organization should be able to provide you with verification of its charitable status.

• See Pub. 78 for a list of most qualified organizations. You can access Pub. 78 on the IRS website at *www.irs.gov* under *Charities and Non-Profits.* 

• Call our Tax Exempt/Government Entities Customer Account Services at 1-877-829-5500. Assistance is available Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to

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Be	<b>efore you begin:</b> $\checkmark$ See the instructions for line 13 above to see if you must use this worksheet to figure your deduction.
1.	Enter the total premiums you paid in 2007 for qualified mortgage insurance for a contract issued in 2007
2.	Enter the amount from Form 1040, line 38 <b>2.</b>
3.	Enter \$100,000 (\$50,000 if married filing separately) <b>3.</b>
4.	<ul> <li>Is the amount on line 2 more than the amount on line 3?</li> <li>No. Your deduction is not limited. Enter the amount from line 1 above on Schedule A, line 13. Do not complete the rest of this worksheet.</li> <li>Yes. Subtract line 3 from line 2. If the result is not a multiple of \$1,000 (\$500 if married filing separately), increase it to the next multiple of \$1,000 (\$500 if married filing separately). For example, increase \$425 to \$1,000, increase \$2,025 to \$3,000; or if married filing separately, increase \$425 to \$500, increase \$2,025 to \$2,500, etc</li></ul>
5.	Divide line 4 by \$10,000 (\$5,000 if married filing separately). Enter the result as a decimal. If the result is 1.0 or more, enter 1.0
6.	Multiply line 1 by line 5
7.	Qualified mortgage insurance premiums deduction. Subtract line 6 from line 1. Enter the result here and on Schedule A, line 13

6:30 p.m. Eastern time. These hours are subject to change.

# Examples of Qualified Charitable Organizations

• Churches, mosques, synagogues, temples, etc.

• Boy Scouts, Boys and Girls Clubs of America, CARE, Girl Scouts, Goodwill Industries, Red Cross, Salvation Army, United Way, etc.

• Fraternal orders, if the gifts will be used for the purposes listed on page A-7.

• Veterans' and certain cultural groups.

• Nonprofit schools, hospitals, and organizations whose purpose is to find a cure for, or help people who have, arthritis, asthma, birth defects, cancer, cerebral palsy, cystic fibrosis, diabetes, heart disease, hemophilia, mental illness or retardation, multiple sclerosis, muscular dystrophy, tuberculosis, etc.

• Federal, state, and local governments if the gifts are solely for public purposes.

# Contributions You Can Deduct

Contributions can be in cash, property, or out-of-pocket expenses you paid to do volunteer work for the kinds of organizations described earlier. If you drove to and from the volunteer work, you can take the actual cost of gas and oil or 14 cents a mile. Add parking and tolls to the amount you claim under either method. But do not deduct any amounts that were repaid to you.

Gifts from which you benefit. If you made a gift and received a benefit in return, such as food, entertainment, or merchandise, you can generally only deduct the amount that is more than the value of the benefit. But this rule does not apply to certain membership benefits provided in return for an annual payment of \$75 or less. For details, see Pub. 526.

*Example.* You paid \$70 to a charitable organization to attend a fund-raising dinner and the value of the dinner was \$40. You can deduct only \$30.

**Gifts of \$250 or more.** You can deduct a gift of \$250 or more only if you have a statement from the charitable organization showing the information in (1) and (2) below.

1. The amount of any money contributed and a description (but not value) of any property donated.

2. Whether the organization did or did not give you any goods or services in return for your contribution. If you did receive any goods or services, a description and estimate of the value must be included. If you received only intangible religious benefits (such as admission to a religious ceremony), the organization must state this, but it does not have to describe or value the benefit. In figuring whether a gift is \$250 or more, do not combine separate donations. For example, if you gave your church \$25 each week for a total of \$1,300, treat each \$25 payment as a separate gift. If you made donations through payroll deductions, treat each deduction from each paycheck as a separate gift. See Pub. 526 if you made a separate gift of \$250 or more through payroll deduction.



You must get the statement by the date you file your return or the due date (including extensions) for filing your return,

whichever is earlier. Do not attach the statement to your return. Instead, keep it for your records.

**Limit on the amount you can deduct.** See Pub. 526 to figure the amount of your deduction if any of the following applies.

1. Your cash contributions or contributions of ordinary income property are more than 30% of the amount on Form 1040, line 38.

2. Your gifts of capital gain property are more than 20% of the amount on Form 1040, line 38.

3. You gave gifts of property that increased in value or gave gifts of the use of property.

#### Contributions You Cannot Deduct

• Travel expenses (including meals and lodging) while away from home, unless there was no significant element of personal pleasure, recreation, or vacation in the travel.

• Political contributions.

• Dues, fees, or bills paid to country clubs, lodges, fraternal orders, or similar groups.

• Cost of raffle, bingo, or lottery tickets. But you may be able to deduct these expenses on line 28. See page A-10 for details.

• Cost of tuition. But you may be able to deduct this expense on line 21 (see page A-9), or Form 1040, line 34, or take a credit for this expense (see Form 8863).

• Value of your time or services.

• Value of blood given to a blood bank.

• The transfer of a future interest in tangible personal property (generally, until the entire interest has been transferred).

• Gifts to individuals and groups that are run for personal profit.

• Gifts to foreign organizations. But you may be able to deduct gifts to certain U.S. organizations that transfer funds to foreign charities and certain Canadian, Israeli, and Mexican charities. See Pub. 526 for details.

• Gifts to organizations engaged in certain political activities that are of direct financial interest to your trade or business. See section 170(f)(9).

• Gifts to groups whose purpose is to lobby for changes in the laws.

• Gifts to civic leagues, social and sports clubs, labor unions, and chambers of commerce.

• Value of benefits received in connection with a contribution to a charitable organization. See Pub. 526 for exceptions.

# Line 16 Gifts by Cash or Check

Enter on line 16 the total gifts you made in cash or by check (including out-of-pocket expenses).

**Recordkeeping.** For any contribution made in cash, regardless of the amount, you must maintain as a record of the contribution a bank record (such as a canceled check) or a written record from the charity. The written record must include the name of the charity, date, and amount of the contribution. Do not attach the record to your tax return. Instead, keep it with your other tax records.

### Line 17 Other Than by Cash or Check

Enter your contributions of property. If you gave used items, such as clothing or furniture, deduct their fair market value at the time you gave them. Fair market value is what a willing buyer would pay a willing seller when neither has to buy or sell and both are aware of the conditions of the sale. For more details on determining the value of donated property, see Pub. 561.

If the amount of your deduction is more than \$500, you must complete and attach Form 8283. For this purpose, the "amount of your deduction" means your deduction before applying any income limits that could result in a carryover of contributions. If you deduct more than \$500 for a contribution of a motor vehicle, boat, or airplane, you must also attach a statement from the charitable organization to your return. The organization may use Form 1098-C to provide the required information. If your total deduction is over \$5,000, you may also have to get appraisals of the values of the donated property. This amount is \$500 for certain contributions of clothing and household items (see below). See Form 8283 and its instructions for details.

**Contributions of clothing and household items.** A deduction for these contributions will be allowed only if the items are in good used condition or better. However, this rule does not apply to a contribution of any single item for which a deduction of more than \$500 is claimed and for which you include a qualified appraisal and Form 8283 with your tax return.

**Recordkeeping.** If you gave property, you should keep a receipt or written statement from the organization you gave the property to, or a reliable written record, that shows the organization's name and address, the date and location of the gift, and a description of the property. For each gift of property, you should also keep reliable written records that include:

• How you figured the property's value at the time you gave it. If the value was determined by an appraisal, keep a signed copy of the appraisal.

• The cost or other basis of the property if you must reduce it by any ordinary income or capital gain that would have resulted if the property had been sold at its fair market value.

• How you figured your deduction if you chose to reduce your deduction for gifts of capital gain property.

• Any conditions attached to the gift.



If your total deduction for gifts of property is over \$500, you gave less than your entire interest in the property, or you made

a "qualified conservation contribution," your records should contain additional information. See Pub. 526 for details.

# Line 18 Carryover From Prior Year

Enter any carryover of contributions that you could not deduct in an earlier year because they exceeded your adjusted gross income limit. See Pub. 526 for details.

# Casualty and Theft Losses

## Line 20

Complete and attach Form 4684 to figure the amount of your loss to enter on line 20.

You may be able to deduct part or all of each loss caused by theft, vandalism, fire, storm, or similar causes, and car, boat, and other accidents. You may also be able to deduct money you had in a financial institution but lost because of the insolvency or bankruptcy of the institution.

You can deduct nonbusiness casualty or theft losses only to the extent that:

1. The amount of each separate casualty or theft loss is more than \$100, and

2. The total amount of all losses during the year (reduced by the 100 limit discussed in (1) above) is more than 10% of the amount on Form 1040, line 38.

Special rules apply if you had both gains and losses from nonbusiness casualties or thefts. See Form 4684 and its instructions for details.

Use Schedule A, line 23, to deduct the costs of proving that you had a property

loss. Examples of these costs are appraisal fees and photographs used to establish the amount of your loss.

For information on federal disaster area losses, see Pub. 547.

# Job Expenses and Certain Miscellaneous Deductions

You can deduct only the part of these expenses that exceeds 2% of the amount on Form 1040, line 38.

Pub. 529 discusses the types of expenses that can and cannot be deducted.

# Examples of Expenses You Cannot Deduct

• Political contributions.

• Legal expenses for personal matters that do not produce taxable income.

• Lost or misplaced cash or property.

• Expenses for meals during regular or extra work hours.

• The cost of entertaining friends.

• Commuting expenses. See Pub. 529 for the definition of commuting.

• Travel expenses for employment away from home if that period of employment exceeds 1 year. See Pub. 529 for an exception for certain federal employees.

• Travel as a form of education.

• Expenses of attending a seminar, convention, or similar meeting unless it is related to your employment.

• Club dues. See Pub. 529 for exceptions.

• Expenses of adopting a child. But you may be able to take a credit for adoption expenses. See Form 8839 for details.

• Fines and penalties.

• Expenses of producing tax-exempt income.

# Line 21 Unreimbursed Employee

# Expenses

Enter the total ordinary and necessary job expenses you paid for which you were not reimbursed. (Amounts your employer included in box 1 of your Form W-2 are not considered reimbursements.)

An ordinary expense is one that is common and accepted in your field of trade, business, or profession. A necessary expense is one that is helpful and appropriate for your business. An expense does not have to be required to be considered necessary.

But you must fill in and attach Form 2106 if either (1) or (2) below applies.

1. You claim any travel, transportation, meal, or entertainment expenses for your job.

2. Your employer paid you for any of your job expenses that you would otherwise report on line 21.



If you used your own vehicle and (2) above does not apply, you may be able to file Form 2106-EZ instead.

If you do not have to file Form 2106 or 2106-EZ, list the type and amount of each expense on the dotted line next to line 21. If you need more space, attach a statement showing the type and amount of each expense. Enter the total of all these expenses on line 21.



Do not include on line 21 any educator expenses you deducted on Form 1040, line 23.

Examples of other expenses to include on line 21 are:

• Safety equipment, small tools, and supplies needed for your job.

• Uniforms required by your employer that are not suitable for ordinary wear.

• Protective clothing required in your work, such as hard hats, safety shoes, and glasses.

• Physical examinations required by your employer.

• Dues to professional organizations and chambers of commerce.

• Subscriptions to professional journals.

• Fees to employment agencies and other costs to look for a new job in your present occupation, even if you do not get a new job.

• Certain business use of part of your home. For details, including limits that apply, use TeleTax topic 509 (see page 79 of the Form 1040 instructions) or see Pub. 587.

• Certain educational expenses. For details, use TeleTax topic 513 (see page 79 of the Form 1040 instructions) or see Pub. 970. Reduce your educational expenses by any tuition and fees deduction you claimed on Form 1040, line 34.



You may be able to take a credit for your educational expenses instead of a deduction. See Form 8863 for details.

# Line 22 Tax Preparation Fees

Enter the fees you paid for preparation of your tax return, including fees paid for filing your return electronically. If you paid your tax by credit card, do not include the convenience fee you were charged.

# Line 23 Other Expenses

Enter the total amount you paid to produce or collect taxable income and manage or protect property held for earning income. But do not include any personal expenses. List the type and amount of each expense on the dotted lines next to line 23. If you need more space, attach a statement showing the type and amount of each expense. Enter one total on line 23.

Examples of expenses to include on line 23 are:

- Certain legal and accounting fees.
- Clerical help and office rent.

• Custodial (for example, trust account) fees.

• Your share of the investment expenses of a regulated investment company.

• Certain losses on nonfederally insured deposits in an insolvent or bankrupt financial institution. For details, including limits that apply, see Pub. 529.

• Casualty and theft losses of property used in performing services as an employee from Form 4684, lines 32 and 38b, or Form 4797, line 18a.

• Deduction for repayment of amounts under a claim of right if \$3,000 or less.

# Other Miscellaneous Deductions

# Line 28

Only the expenses listed next can be deducted on this line. List the type and amount of each expense on the dotted lines next to line 28. If you need more space, attach a statement showing the type and amount of each expense. Enter one total on line 28.

• Gambling losses, but only to the extent of gambling winnings reported on Form 1040, line 21.

• Casualty and theft losses of income-producing property from Form 4684, lines 32 and 38b, or Form 4797, line 18a.

• Loss from other activities from Schedule K-1 (Form 1065-B), box 2.

• Federal estate tax on income in respect of a decedent.

• Amortizable bond premium on bonds acquired before October 23, 1986.

• Deduction for repayment of amounts under a claim of right if over \$3,000. See Pub. 525 for details. • Certain unrecovered investment in a pension.

• Impairment-related work expenses of a disabled person.

For more details, see Pub. 529.

# Total Itemized Deductions

# Line 29

Use the worksheet below to figure the amount to enter on line 29 if the amount on Form 1040, line 38, is over \$156,400 (\$78,200 if married filing separately).

# Line 30

If you elect to itemize for state tax or other purposes even though your itemized deductions are less than your standard deduction, check the box on line 30.

Itemized	Deductions	Worksheet—Line 29	

Keep for Your Records

	Enter the total of the amounts from Schedule A, lines 4, 9, 15, 19, 20, 27, and 28 Enter the total of the amounts from Schedule A, lines 4, 14, and 20, plus any gambling and casualty or theft losses included on line 28	
	Be sure your total gambling and casualty or theft losses are clearly identified on the dotted lines next to line 28.	
3.	Is the amount on line 2 less than the amount on line 1?	
	<b>No.</b> Your deduction is not limited. Enter the amount from line 1 above on Schedule A, line 29.	
	<b>Yes.</b> Subtract line 2 from line 1	3.
4.	Multiply line 3 by 80% (.80) 4.	
5.	Enter the amount from Form 1040, line 38 5.	
6.	Enter \$156,400 (\$78,200 if married filing separately) 6.	
7.	Is the amount on line 6 less than the amount on line 5?	
	<b>No.</b> (stop) Your deduction is not limited. Enter the amount from line 1 above on Schedule A, line 29.	
	□ Yes. Subtract line 6 from line 5	
8.	Multiply line 7 by 3% (.03)	
9.	Enter the smaller of line 4 or line 8	9
10.	Divide line 9 by 3.0	10
11.	Subtract line 10 from line 9	
12.	Total itemized deductions. Subtract line 11 from line 1. Enter the result here and on Schedule A,	
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# Which Optional Local Sales Tax Table Should I Use?

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California	Los Angeles County	В						
Colorado	City of Denver							
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	Boulder County, Denver County, Pueblo County, or any other locality							
Georgia	DeKalb County, Rockdale County, Taliaferro County, or Webster	В						
	Any other locality	С						
Illinois	Any locality	С						
Louisiana	Any locality	С						
New York	New York City, or one of the following counties: Albany, Allegany, Cattaraugus, Cayuga, Chemung, Clinton, Cortland, Erie, Essex, Franklin, Fulton, Genesee, Herkimer, Jefferson, Lewis, Livingston, Madison, Monroe, Montgomery, Nassau, Niagara, Oneida, Onondaga, Ontario, Orange, Orleans, Oswego, Otsego, Putnam, Rensselaer, Rockland, St. Lawrence, Saratoga, Schenectady, Schoharie, Seneca, Steuben, Suffolk, Sullivan, Tompkins, Ulster, Warren, Washington, Westchester, Wyoming, or Yates	В						
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# 2007 Optional Local Sales Tax Tables for Certain Local Jurisdictions (Based on a local sales tax rate of 1 percent)

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# Instructions for Schedule B, Interest and Ordinary Dividends



You can list more than one payer on each entry space for lines 1 and 5, but be sure to clearly show the amount paid a payer's name Add the separate

next to the payer's name. Add the separate amounts paid by the payers listed on an entry space and enter the total in the "Amount" column. If you still need more space, attach separate statements that are the same size as the printed schedule. Use the same format as lines 1 and 5, but show your totals on Schedule B. Be sure to put your name and social security number (SSN) on the statements and attach them at the end of your return.

# Part I. Interest

# Line 1

#### Interest

Report on line 1 all of your taxable interest. Interest should be shown on your Forms 1099-INT, Forms 1099-OID, or substitute statements. Include interest from series EE and I U.S. savings bonds. List each payer's name and show the amount.

#### **Special Rules**

#### **Seller-Financed Mortgages**

If you sold your home or other property and the buyer used the property as a personal residence, list first any interest the buyer paid you on a mortgage or other form of seller financing. Be sure to show the buyer's name, address, and SSN. You must also let the buyer know your SSN. If you do not show the buyer's name, address, and SSN, or let the buyer know your SSN, you may have to pay a \$50 penalty.

#### Nominees

If you received a Form 1099-INT that includes interest you received as a nominee (that is, in your name, but the interest actually belongs to someone else), report the total on line 1. Do this even if you later distributed some or all of this income to others. Under your last entry on line 1, put a subtotal of all interest listed on line 1. BeUse Schedule B (Form 1040) if any of the following applies.

- You had over \$1,500 of taxable interest.
- Any of the Special Rules listed in the instructions for line 1 apply to you.

• You are claiming the exclusion of interest from series EE or I U.S. savings bonds issued after 1989.

- You had over \$1,500 of ordinary dividends.
- You received ordinary dividends as a nominee.

• You had a foreign account or you received a distribution from, or were a grantor of, or transferor to, a foreign trust. Part III of the schedule has questions about foreign accounts and trusts.

low this subtotal, enter "Nominee Distribution" and show the total interest you received as a nominee. Subtract this amount from the subtotal and enter the result on line 2.



If you received interest as a nominee, you must give the actual owner a Form 1099-INT unless the owner is your

a Form 1099-INT with the IRS. For more details, see the General Instructions for Forms 1099, 1098, 5498, and W-2G and the Instructions for Forms 1099-INT and 1099-OID.

#### Accrued Interest

When you buy bonds between interest payment dates and pay accrued interest to the seller, this interest is taxable to the seller. If you received a Form 1099 for interest as a purchaser of a bond with accrued interest, follow the rules earlier under *Nominees* to see how to report the accrued interest on Schedule B. But identify the amount to be subtracted as "Accrued Interest."

#### **Original Issue Discount (OID)**

If you are reporting OID in an amount less than the amount shown on Form 1099-OID, follow the rules earlier under *Nominees* to see how to report the OID on Schedule B. But identify the amount to be subtracted as "OID Adjustment."

#### Amortizable Bond Premium

If you are reducing your interest income on a bond by the amount of amortizable bond premium, follow the rules earlier under *Nominees* to see how to report the interest on Schedule B. But identify the amount to be subtracted as "ABP Adjustment."

## Line 3

### Excludable Interest on Series EE and I U.S. Savings Bonds Issued After 1989

If, during 2007, you cashed series EE or I U.S. savings bonds issued after 1989 and

you paid qualified higher education expenses for yourself, your spouse, or your dependents, you may be able to exclude part or all of the interest on those bonds. See Form 8815 for details.

# Part II. Ordinary Dividends



You may have to file Form 5471 if, in 2007, you were an officer or director of a foreign corporation. You may also have

to file Form 5471 if, in 2007, you owned 10% or more of the total (a) value of a foreign corporation's stock, or (b) combined voting power of all classes of a foreign corporation's stock with voting rights. For details, see Form 5471 and its instructions.

# Line 5 Ordinary Dividends

Report on line 5 all of your ordinary dividends. This amount should be shown in box 1a of your Forms 1099-DIV or substitute statements. List each payer's name and show the amount.

#### Nominees

If you received a Form 1099-DIV that includes ordinary dividends you received as a nominee (that is, in your name, but the ordinary dividends actually belong to someone else), report the total on line 5. Do this even if you later distributed some or all of this income to others. Under your last entry on line 5, put a subtotal of all ordinary dividends listed on line 5. Below this subtotal, enter "Nominee Distribution" and show the total ordinary dividends you received as a nominee. Subtract this amount from the subtotal and enter the result on line 6.



If you received dividends as a nominee, you must give the actual owner a Form 1099-DIV unless the owner is your

spouse. You must also file a Form 1096 and a Form 1099-DIV with the IRS. For more details, see the General Instructions for Forms 1099, 1098, 5498, and W-2G and the Instructions for Form 1099-DIV.

# Part III. Foreign Accounts and Trusts

# Lines 7a and 7b Foreign Accounts

#### Line 7a

Check the "Yes" box on line 7a if either (1) or (2) below applies.

1. You own more than 50% of the stock in any corporation that owns one or more foreign bank accounts.

2. At any time during 2007 you had an interest in or signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account).



For line 7a, item (2) does not apply to foreign securities held in a U.S. securities account.

**Exceptions.** Check the "No" box if any of the following applies to you.

• The combined value of the accounts was \$10,000 or less during the whole year.

• The accounts were with a U.S. military banking facility operated by a U.S. financial institution.

• You were an officer or employee of a commercial bank that is supervised by the Comptroller of the Currency, the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, or the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation; the account was in your employer's name; and you did not have a personal financial interest in the account.

• You were an officer or employee of a domestic corporation with securities listed on national securities exchanges or with assets of more than \$10 million and 500 or more shareholders of record; the account was in your employer's name; you did not have a personal financial interest in the account; and the corporation's chief financial officer has given you written notice that the corporation has filed a current report that includes the account.

See Form TD F 90-22.1 to find out if you are considered to have an interest in or signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account). You can get Form TD F 90-22.1 by visiting the IRS website at www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/f90221.pdf.

If you checked the "Yes" box on line 7a, file Form TD F 90-22.1 by June 30, 2008, with the Department of the Treasury at the address shown on that form. Do not attach it to Form 1040.



If you are required to file Form TD F 90-22.1 but do not do so, you may have to pay a penalty of up to \$10,000 (more in some

#### cases).

#### Line 7b

If you checked the "Yes" box on line 7a, enter the name of the foreign country or countries in the space provided on line 7b. Attach a separate statement if you need more space.

# Line 8 Foreign Trusts

If you received a distribution from a foreign trust, you must provide additional information. For this purpose, a loan of cash or marketable securities generally is considered to be a distribution. See Form 3520 for details.

If you were the grantor of, or transferor to, a foreign trust that existed during 2007, you may have to file Form 3520.

If you were treated as the owner of a foreign trust under the grantor trust rules, you are also responsible for ensuring that the foreign trust files Form 3520-A. Form 3520-A is due on March 17, 2008, for a calendar year trust. See the instructions for Form 3520-A for more details.



# **2007 Instructions for Schedule C**

# **Profit or Loss From Business**

Use Schedule C (Form 1040) to report income or loss from a business you operated or a profession you practiced as a sole proprietor. An activity qualifies as a business if your primary purpose for engaging in the activity is for income or profit and you are involved in the activity with continuity and regularity. For example, a sporadic activity or a hobby does not qualify as a business. To report income from a nonbusiness activity, see the instructions for Form 1040, line 21, or Form 1040NR, line 21.

Also, use Schedule C to report (a) wages and expenses you had as a statutory employee, and (b) certain income shown on Form 1099-MISC, Miscellaneous Income. See the *Instructions for Recipients* (back of Copy B of Form 1099-MISC) for the types of income to report on Schedule C.

Small businesses and statutory employees with expenses of \$5,000 or less may be able to file Schedule C-EZ instead of Schedule C. See Schedule C-EZ for details.

You may be subject to state and local taxes and other requirements such as business licenses and fees. Check with your state and local governments for more information.

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

## What's New

**Revised activity codes.** Some of the principal business or professional activity codes beginning on page C-8 have been revised and some codes have been deleted. Be sure to check the list before you enter your code on line B.

**Indian employment credit has been extended.** The Indian employment credit has been extended for qualified wages paid to an employee through December 31, 2007.

Work opportunity credit and welfare-to-work credit extended and combined. For 2007, both credits have been combined, modified, and extended for qualified wages paid to an employee.

**Husband-wife business.** Beginning in 2007, you and your spouse, if you are filing married filing jointly, may be able to make a joint election to be taxed as a qualified joint venture instead of a partnership. See *Exception—Qualified joint venture* under *Husband-wife business* on this page.

**Section 179 deduction increased.** For property placed in service in 2007, the limit for the section 179 deduction to expense certain depreciable business property has been increased to \$125,000. This limit will be reduced when the total cost of section 179 property placed in service during the tax year exceeds \$500,000.

**Hurricane Katrina housing credit has expired.** This credit was available for lodging furnished to qualified employees between January 1, 2006, and July 1, 2006, and was claimed on Section B of Form 5884-A.

# **General Instructions**

#### Other Schedules and Forms You May Have To File

• Schedule A to deduct interest, taxes, and casualty losses not related to your business.

• Schedule E to report rental real estate and royalty income or (loss) that is not subject to self-employment tax.

• Schedule F to report profit or (loss) from farming.

• Schedule J to figure your tax by averaging your farming or fishing income over the previous 3 years. Doing so may reduce your tax.

• Schedule SE to pay self-employment tax on income from any trade or business.

• Form 4562 to claim depreciation on assets placed in service in 2007, to claim amortization that began in 2007, to make an election under section 179 to expense certain property, or to report information on listed property.

• Form 4684 to report a casualty or theft gain or loss involving property used in your trade or business or income-producing property.

• Form 4797 to report sales, exchanges, and involuntary conversions (not from a casualty or theft) of trade or business property.

• Form 8594 to report certain purchases or sales of groups of assets that constitute a trade or business.

• Form 8824 to report like-kind exchanges.

• Form 8826 to claim a credit for expenditures to improve access to your business for individuals with disabilities.

• Form 8829 to claim expenses for business use of your home.

• Form 8903 to take a deduction for income from domestic production activities. • Form 8910 to claim a credit for placing a new alternative motor vehicle in service for business use.

• Form 8911 to claim a credit for placing qualified alternative fuel vehicle refueling property in service for business use.

**Husband-wife business.** If you and your spouse jointly own and operate a business and share in the profits and losses, you are partners in a partnership, whether or not you have a formal partnership agreement. Do not use Schedule C or C-EZ. Instead, file Form 1065. See Pub. 541 for more details.

Exception—Qualified joint venture. If you and your spouse materially participate (see Material participation beginning on page C-2) as the only members of a jointly owned and operated business, and you file a joint return for the tax year, you can make a joint election to be taxed as a qualified joint venture instead of a partnership. To make this election, you must divide all items of income, gain, loss, deduction, and credit between you and your spouse in accordance with your respective interests in the venture. Each of you must file a separate Schedule C or C-EZ. On each line of your separate Schedule C or C-EZ, you must enter your share of the applicable income, deduction, or loss.

As long as you remain qualified, your election cannot be revoked without IRS consent.

*Exception—Community income.* If you and your spouse wholly own an unincorporated business as community property under the community property laws of a state, foreign country, or U.S. possession, you can treat the business either as a sole proprietorship (of the spouse who carried on the business) or a partnership. The only states with community property laws are Arizona, California, Idaho, Louisiana, Nevada, New Mexico, Texas, Washington, and Wisconsin. A change in your reporting position will be treated as a conversion of the entity.

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Single-member limited liability company (LLC). Generally, a single-member domestic LLC is not treated as a separate entity for federal income tax purposes. If you are the sole member of a domestic LLC, file Schedule C or C-EZ (or Schedule E or F, if applicable). However, you can elect to treat a domestic LLC as a corporation. See Form 8832 for details on the election and the tax treatment of a foreign LLC.

Heavy highway vehicle use tax. If you use certain highway trucks, truck-trailers, tractor-trailers, or buses in your trade or business, you may have to pay a federal highway motor vehicle use tax. See the Instructions for Form 2290 to find out if you owe this tax.

**Information returns.** You may have to file information returns for wages paid to employees, certain payments of fees and other nonemployee compensation, interest, rents, royalties, real estate transactions, annuities, and pensions. You may also have to file an information return if you sold \$5,000 or more of consumer products to a person on a buy-sell, deposit-commission, or other similar basis for resale. For details, see the 2007 General Instructions for Forms 1099, 1098, 5498, and W-2G.

If you received cash of more than \$10,000 in one or more related transactions in your trade or business, you may have to file Form 8300. For details, see Pub. 1544.

#### Reportable Transaction Disclosure Statement

Use Form 8886 to disclose information for each reportable transaction in which you participated. Form 8886 must be filed for each tax year that your federal income tax liability is affected by your participation in the transaction. You may have to pay a penalty if you are required to file Form 8886 but do not do so. You may also have to pay interest and penalties on any reportable transaction understatements. The following are reportable transactions.

• Any listed transaction that is the same as or substantially similar to tax avoidance transactions identified by the IRS.

• Any transaction offered under conditions of confidentiality for which you paid an advisor a fee of at least \$50,000.

• Certain transactions for which you have contractual protection against disallowance of the tax benefits.

• Certain transactions resulting in a loss of at least \$2 million in any single tax year or \$4 million in any combination of tax years. (At least \$50,000 for a single tax year if the loss arose from a foreign currency transaction defined in section 988(c)(1), whether or not the loss flows through from an S corporation or partnership.)

• Certain transactions resulting in a tax credit of more than \$250,000, if you held the asset generating the credit for 45 days or less.

See the Instructions for Form 8886 for more details.

#### **Capital Construction Fund**

Do not claim on Schedule C or C-EZ the deduction for amounts contributed to a capital construction fund set up under the Merchant Marine Act of 1936. Instead, reduce the amount you would otherwise enter on Form 1040, line 43, by the amount of the deduction. Next to line 43, enter "CCF" and the amount of the deduction. For details, see Pub. 595.

#### **Additional Information**

See Pub. 334 for more information for small businesses.

# **Specific Instructions**

Filers of Form 1041. Do not complete the block labeled "Social security number (SSN)." Instead, enter your employer identification number (EIN) on line D.

# Line A

Describe the business or professional activity that provided your principal source of income reported on line 1. If you owned more than one business, you must complete a separate Schedule C for each business. Give the general field or activity and the type of product or service. If your general field or activity is wholesale or retail trade, or services connected with production services (mining, construction, or manufacturing), also give the type of customer or client. For example, "wholesale sale of hardware to retailers" or "appraisal of real estate for lending institutions."

# Line D

You need an employer identification number (EIN) only if you had a qualified retirement plan or were required to file an employment, excise, estate, trust, or alcohol, tobacco, and firearms tax return. If you need an EIN, see the Instructions for Form SS-4. If you do not have an EIN, leave line D blank. Do not enter your SSN.

# Line E

Enter your business address. Show a street address instead of a box number. Include the suite or room number, if any. If you conducted the business from your home located at the address shown on Form 1040, page 1, you do not have to complete this line.

# Line F

Generally, you can use the cash method, accrual method, or any other method permitted by the Internal Revenue Code. In all cases, the method used must clearly reflect income. Unless you are a qualifying taxpayer or a qualifying small business taxpayer (see the Part III instructions on page C-7), you must use the accrual method for sales and purchases of inventory items. Special rules apply to long-term contracts. See section 460 for details.

If you use the cash method, show all items of taxable income actually or constructively received during the year (in cash, property, or services). Income is constructively received when it is credited to your account or set aside for you to use. Also, show amounts actually paid during the year for deductible expenses. However, if the payment of an expenditure creates an asset having a useful life that extends substantially beyond the close of the year, it may not be deductible or may be deductible only in part for the year of the payment. See Pub. 535.

If you use the accrual method, report income when you earn it and deduct expenses when you incur them even if you do not pay them during the tax year. Accrual-basis taxpayers are put on a cash basis for deducting business expenses owed to a related cash-basis taxpayer. Other rules determine the timing of deductions based on economic performance. See Pub. 538.

To change your accounting method, you generally must file Form 3115. You may also have to make an adjustment to prevent amounts of income or expense from being duplicated or omitted. This is called a section 481(a) adjustment.

**Example.** You change to the cash method of accounting and choose to account for inventoriable items in the same manner as materials and supplies that are not incidental. You accrued sales in 2006 for which you received payment in 2007. You must report those sales in both years as a result of changing your accounting method and must make a section 481(a) adjustment to prevent duplication of income.

A net negative section 481(a) adjustment is taken into account entirely in the year of the change. A net positive section 481(a) adjustment is generally taken into account over a period of 4 years. Include any net positive section 481(a) adjustments on line 6. If the net section 481(a) adjustment is negative, report it in Part V.

For details on figuring section 481(a) adjustments, see the Instructions for Form 3115, and Rev. Proc. 2006-12, 2006-3 I.R.B. 310, available at www.irs.gov/irb/2006-03\_IRB/ar14.html.

# Line G

If your business activity was not a rental activity and you met any of the material participation tests below or the exception for oil and gas applies (explained on page C-3), check the "Yes" box. Otherwise, check the "No" box. If you check the "No" box, this business is a passive activity. If you have a loss from this business, see *Limit on losses* on page C-3. If you have a profit from this business activity but have current year losses from other passive activities or you have prior year unallowed passive activity losses, see the Instructions for Form 8582.

**Material participation.** Participation, for purposes of the seven material participation tests listed on page C-3, generally includes any work you did in connection with an activity if you owned an interest in the activity at the time you did the work. The capacity in which you did the work does not matter. However, work is not treated as participation if it is work that an owner would not customarily do in the same type of activity and one of your main reasons for doing the work was to avoid the disallowance of losses or credits from the activity under the passive activity rules.

Work you did as an investor in an activity is not treated as participation unless you were directly involved in the day-to-day management or operations of the activity. Work done as an investor includes:

• Studying and reviewing financial statements or reports on the activity,

• Preparing or compiling summaries or analyses of the finances or operations of the activity for your own use, and

• Monitoring the finances or operations of the activity in a nonmanagerial capacity.

Participation by your spouse during the tax year in an activity you own can be counted as your participation in the activity. This applies even if your spouse did not own an interest in the activity and whether or not you and your spouse file a joint return. However, this does not apply if you and your spouse elect to have your business taxed as a qualified joint venture (see *Husband-wife business* on page C-1).

For purposes of the passive activity rules, you materially participated in the operation of this trade or business activity during 2007 if you met any of the following seven tests.

1. You participated in the activity for more than 500 hours during the tax year.

2. Your participation in the activity for the tax year was substantially all of the participation in the activity of all individuals (including individuals who did not own any interest in the activity) for the tax year.

3. You participated in the activity for more than 100 hours during the tax year, and you participated at least as much as any other person for the tax year. This includes individuals who did not own any interest in the activity.

4. The activity is a significant participation activity for the tax year, and you participated in all significant participation activities for more than 500 hours during the year. An activity is a "significant participation activity" if it involves the conduct of a trade or business, you participated in the activity for more than 100 hours during the tax year, and you did not materially participate under any of the material participation tests (other than this test 4).

5. You materially participated in the activity for any 5 of the prior 10 tax years.

6. The activity is a personal service activity in which you materially participated for any 3 prior tax years. A personal service activity is an activity that involves performing personal services in the fields of health, law, engineering, architecture, accounting, actuarial science, performing arts, consulting, or any other trade or business in which capital is not a material income-producing factor.

7. Based on all the facts and circumstances, you participated in the activity on a regular, continuous, and substantial basis for more than 100 hours during the tax year. Your participation in managing the activity does not count in determining if you meet this test if any person (except you) (a) received compensation for performing management services in connection with the activity or (b) spent more hours during the tax year than you spent performing management services in connection with the activity (regardless of whether the person was compensated for the services).

**Rental of personal property.** A rental activity (such as long-term equipment leasing) is a passive activity even if you materially participated in the activity. However, if you met any of the five exceptions listed under *Rental Activities* in the Instructions for Form 8582, the rental of the property is not treated as a rental activity and the material participation rules above apply.

**Exception for oil and gas.** If you are filing Schedule C to report income and deductions from an oil or gas well in which you own a working interest directly or through an entity that does not limit your liability, check the "Yes" box. The activity of owning a working interest is not a passive activity, regardless of your participation.

Limit on losses. If you checked the "No" box and you have a loss from this business, you may have to use Form 8582 to figure your allowable loss, if any, to enter on Schedule C, line 31. Generally, you can deduct losses from passive activities only to the extent of income from passive activities. For details, see Pub. 925.

# Line H

If you started or acquired this business in 2007, check the box on line H. Also check the box if you are reopening or restarting this business after temporarily closing it, and you did not file a 2006 Schedule C or C-EZ for this business.

# Part I. Income

Except as otherwise provided in the Internal Revenue Code, gross income includes income from whatever source derived. In certain circumstances, however, gross income does not include extraterritorial income that is qualifying foreign trade income. Use Form 8873 to figure the extraterritorial income exclusion. Report it on Schedule C as explained in the Instructions for Form 8873.

If you were a debtor in a chapter 11 bankruptcy case during 2007, see page 18 of the instructions for Form 1040 and page SE-2 of the instructions for Schedule SE (Form 1040).

# Line 1

Enter gross receipts from your trade or business. Include amounts you received in your trade or business that were properly shown on Forms 1099-MISC. If the total amounts that were reported in box 7 of Forms 1099-MISC are more than the total you are reporting on line 1, attach a statement explaining the difference.

**Statutory employees.** If you received a Form W-2 and the "Statutory employee" box in box 13 of that form was checked, report your income and expenses related to that income on Schedule C or C-EZ. Enter your statutory employee income from box 1 of Form W-2 on line 1 of Schedule C or C-EZ and check the box on that line. Social security and Medicare tax should have been withheld from your earnings; therefore, you do not owe self-employment tax on these earnings. Statutory employees include full-time life insurance agents, certain agent or commission drivers and traveling salespersons, and certain homeworkers.

If you had both self-employment income and statutory employee income, you must file two Schedules C. You cannot use Schedule C-EZ or combine these amounts on a single Schedule C.

**Installment sales.** Generally, the installment method cannot be used to report income from the sale of (a) personal property regularly sold under the installment method, or (b) real property held for resale to customers. But the installment method can be used to report income from sales of certain residential lots and timeshares if you elect to pay interest on the tax due on that income after the year of sale. See section 453(l)(2)(B) for details. If you make this election, include the interest in the total on Form 1040, line 63. Also, enter "453(l)(3)" and the amount of the interest on the dotted line to the left of line 63.

If you use the installment method, attach a schedule to your return. Show separately for 2007 and the 3 preceding years: gross sales, cost of goods sold, gross profit, percentage of gross profit to gross sales, amounts collected, and gross profit on amounts collected.

# Line 6

Report on line 6 amounts from finance reserve income, scrap sales, bad debts you recovered, interest (such as on notes and accounts receivable), state gasoline or fuel tax refunds you got in 2007, credit for biodiesel and renewable diesel fuels claimed on Form 8864, credit for alcohol used as fuel claimed on Form 6478, credit for federal tax paid on gasoline or other fuels claimed on your 2006 Form 1040, prizes and awards related to your trade or business, and other kinds of miscellaneous business income. Include amounts you received in your trade or business as shown on Form 1099-PATR. Also, include any recapture of the deduction for clean-fuel vehicles and clean-fuel vehicle refueling property used in your business. See Regulations section 1.179A-1 for details..

If, in 2007, you received or accrued a credit or refund of the federal telephone excise tax, include in income:

• The interest part of the credit or refund, and • The smaller of the amounts deducted or the amount from Form 8913, line 15, column (d), if you deducted the federal telephone excise tax as a business expense in one or more prior years, except to the extent the deduction did not reduce federal income tax in the prior year(s).

If the business use percentage of any listed property (defined in the instructions for line 13 on this page) decreased to 50% or less in 2007, report on this line any recapture of excess depreciation, including any section 179 expense deduction. Use Form 4797 to figure the recapture. Also, if the business use percentage drops to 50% or less on leased listed property (other than a vehicle), include on this line any inclusion amount. See Pub. 946 to figure the amount.

# Part II. Expenses

Capitalizing costs of property. If you produced real or tangible personal property or acquired property for resale, certain expenses attributable to the property generally must be included in inventory costs or capitalized. In addition to direct costs, pro-ducers of inventory property generally must also include part of certain indirect costs in their inventory. Purchasers of personal property acquired for resale must include part of certain indirect costs in inventory only if the average annual gross receipts for the 3 prior tax years exceed \$10 million. Also, you must capitalize part of the indirect costs that benefit real or tangible personal property constructed for use in a trade or business, or noninventory property produced for sale to customers. Reduce the amounts on lines 8 through 26 and Part V by amounts capitalized. See Pub. 538 for a discussion of uniform capitalization rules.

*Exception for certain producers.* Producers who account for inventoriable items in the same manner as materials and supplies that are not incidental can currently deduct expenditures for direct labor and all indirect costs that would otherwise be included in inventory costs. See *Part III. Cost of Goods Sold* on page C-7 for more details.

*Exception for creative property.* If you are an artist, author, or photographer, you may be exempt from the capitalization rules. However, your personal efforts must have created (or reasonably be expected to create) the property. This exception does not apply to any expense related to printing, photographic plates, motion picture films, video tapes, or similar items. These expenses are subject to the capitalization rules. For details, see Pub. 538.

### Line 9

You can deduct the actual expenses of running your car or truck or take the standard mileage rate. You must use actual expenses if you used your vehicle for hire (such as a taxicab) or you used five or more vehicles simultaneously in your business (such as in fleet operations). You cannot use actual expenses for a leased vehicle if you previously used the standard mileage rate for that vehicle.

You can take the standard mileage rate for 2007 only if you:

• Owned the vehicle and used the standard mileage rate for the first year you placed the vehicle in service, or

• Leased the vehicle and are using the standard mileage rate for the entire lease period (except the period, if any, before 1998).

If you take the standard mileage rate:

• Multiply the number of business miles driven by 48.5 cents, and

• Add to this amount your parking fees and tolls, and enter the total on line 9.

Do not deduct depreciation, rent or lease payments, or your actual operating expenses.

If you deduct actual expenses:

• Include on line 9 the business portion of expenses for gasoline, oil, repairs, insurance, tires, license plates, etc., and

• Show depreciation on line 13 and rent or lease payments on line 20a.

For details, see Pub. 463.

**Information on your vehicle.** If you claim any car and truck expenses, you must provide certain information on the use of your vehicle by completing one of the following.

• Schedule C, Part IV, or Schedule C-EZ, Part III, if: (a) you are claiming the standard mileage rate, you lease your vehicle, or your vehicle is fully depreciated, and (b) you are not required to file Form 4562 for any other reason. If you used more than one vehicle during the year, attach your own schedule with the information requested in Schedule C, Part IV, or Schedule C-EZ, Part III, for each additional vehicle.

• Form 4562, Part V, if you are claiming depreciation on your vehicle or you are required to file Form 4562 for any other reason (see the instructions for line 13).

# Line 11

Enter the total cost of contract labor for the tax year. Contract labor includes payments to persons you do not treat as employees (for example, independent contractors) for services performed for your trade or business. Do not include contract labor deducted elsewhere on your return, such as contract labor that is includible on line 17, 21, 26, or 37. Also, do not include salaries and wages paid to your employees, instead see line 26.

You must file Form 1099-MISC, Miscellaneous Income, to report contract labor payments of \$600 or more during the year. See the Instructions for Form 1099-MISC for details.

# Line 12

Enter your deduction for depletion on this line. If you have timber depletion, attach Form T. See Pub. 535 for details.

# Line 13

Depreciation and section 179 expense deduction. Depreciation is the annual deduction allowed to recover the cost or other basis of business or investment property having a useful life substantially beyond the tax year. You can also depreciate improvements made to leased business property. However, stock in trade, inventories, and land are not depreciable. Depreciation starts when you first use the property in your business or for the production of income. It ends when you take the property out of service, deduct all your depreciable cost or other basis, or no longer use the property in your business or for the production of income. You can also elect under section 179 to expense part or all of the cost of certain property you bought in 2007 for use in your business. See the Instructions for Form 4562 and Pub. 946 to figure the amount to enter on line 13.

When to attach Form 4562. You must complete and attach Form 4562 only if:

• You are claiming depreciation on property placed in service during 2007;

• You are claiming depreciation on listed property (defined below), regardless of the date it was placed in service; or

• You are claiming a section 179 expense deduction.

If you acquired depreciable property for the first time in 2007, see Pub. 946.

Listed property generally includes, but is not limited to:

• Passenger automobiles weighing 6,000 pounds or less;

• Any other property used for transportation if the nature of the property lends itself to personal use, such as motorcycles, pickup trucks, etc.;

• Any property used for entertainment or recreational purposes (such as photographic, phonographic, communication, and video recording equipment);

• Cellular telephones or other similar telecommunications equipment; and

• Computers or peripheral equipment.

**Exceptions.** Listed property does not include photographic, phonographic, communication, or video equipment used exclusively in your trade or business or at your regular business establishment. It also does not include any computer or peripheral equipment used exclusively at a regular business establishment and owned or leased by the person operating the establishment. For purposes of these exceptions, a portion of your home is treated as a regular business establishment only if that portion meets the requirements under section 280A(c)(1) for deducting expenses for the business use of your home.

See the instructions for line 6 beginning on page C-3 if the business use percentage of any listed property decreased to 50% or less in 2007.

# Line 14

Deduct contributions to employee benefit programs that are not an incidental part of a pension or profit-sharing plan included on line 19. Examples are accident and health plans, group-term life insurance, and dependent care assistance programs. If you made contributions on your behalf as a self-employed person to a dependent care assistance program, complete Form 2441, Parts I and III, to figure your deductible contributions to that program.

You cannot deduct contributions you made on your behalf as a self-employed person for group-term life insurance.

Do not include on line 14 any contributions you made on your behalf as a self-employed person to an accident and health plan. However, you may be able to deduct on Form 1040, line 29, or Form 1040NR, line 28, the amount you paid for health insurance on behalf of yourself, your spouse, and dependents, even if you do not itemize your deductions. See the instructions for Form 1040, line 29, or Form 1040NR, line 28, for details.

### Line 15

Deduct premiums paid for business insurance on line 15. Deduct on line 14 amounts paid for employee accident and health insurance. Do not deduct amounts credited to a reserve for self-insurance or premiums paid for a policy that pays for your lost earnings due to sickness or disability. For details, see Pub. 535.

# Lines 16a and 16b

Interest allocation rules. The tax treatment of interest expense differs depending on its type. For example, home mortgage interest and investment interest are treated differently. "Interest allocation" rules require you to allocate (classify) your interest expense so it is deducted (or capitalized) on the correct line of your return and receives the right tax treatment. These rules could affect how much interest you are allowed to deduct on Schedule C or C-EZ.

Generally, you allocate interest expense by tracing how the proceeds of the loan were used. See Pub. 535 for details.

If you paid interest on a debt secured by your main home and any of the proceeds from that debt were used in connection with your trade or business, see Pub. 535 to figure the amount that is deductible on Schedule C or C-EZ.

How to report. If you have a mortgage on real property used in your business (other than your main home), enter on line 16a the interest you paid for 2007 to banks or other financial institutions for which you received a Form 1098 (or similar statement). If you did not receive a Form 1098, enter the interest on line 16b.

If you paid more mortgage interest than is shown on Form 1098, see Pub. 535 to find out if you can deduct the additional interest. If you can, include the amount on line 16a. Attach a statement to your return explaining the difference and enter "See attached" in the margin next to line 16a.

If you and at least one other person (other than your spouse if you file a joint return) were liable for and paid interest on the mortgage and the other person received the Form 1098, include your share of the interest on line 16b. Attach a statement to your return showing the name and address of the person who received the Form 1098. In the margin next to line 16b, enter "See attached."

If you paid interest in 2007 that also applies to future years, deduct only the part that applies to 2007.

# Line 17

Include on this line fees charged by accountants and attorneys that are ordinary and necessary expenses directly related to operating your business.

Include fees for tax advice related to your business and for preparation of the tax forms related to your business. Also, include expenses incurred in resolving asserted tax deficiencies relating to your business.

For more information, see Pub. 334 or 535.

# Line 18

Include on this line your expenses for office supplies and postage.

# Line 19

Enter your deduction for contributions to a pension, profit-sharing, or annuity plan, or plan for the benefit of your employees. If the plan included you as a self-employed person, enter contributions made as an employer on your behalf on Form 1040, line 28, or Form 1040NR, line 27, not on Schedule C.

Generally, you must file the applicable form listed below if you maintain a pension, profit-sharing, or other funded-deferred compensation plan. The filing requirement is not affected by whether or not the plan qualified under the Internal Revenue Code, or whether or not you claim a deduction for the current tax year. There is a penalty for failure to timely file these forms.

**Form 5500-EZ.** File this form if you have a one-participant retirement plan that meets certain requirements. A one-participant plan is a plan that covers only you (or you and your spouse).

**Form 5500.** File this form for a plan that does not meet the requirements for filing Form 5500-EZ.

For details, see Pub. 560.

# Lines 20a and 20b

If you rented or leased vehicles, machinery, or equipment, enter on line 20a the business portion of your rental cost. But if you leased a vehicle for a term of 30 days or more, you may have to reduce your deduction by an amount called the inclusion amount. See *Leasing a Car* in Pub. 463 to figure your inclusion amount.

Enter on line 20b amounts paid to rent or lease other property, such as office space in a building.

# Line 21

Deduct the cost of incidental repairs and maintenance that do not add to the value of the property or appreciably prolong its life. Do not deduct the value of your own labor. Do not deduct amounts spent to restore or replace property; they must be capitalized.

# Line 22

Generally, you can deduct the cost of materials and supplies only to the extent you actually consumed and used them in your business during the tax year (unless you deducted them in a prior tax year). However, if you had incidental materials and supplies on hand for which you kept no inventories or records of use, you can deduct the cost of those you actually purchased during the tax year, provided that method clearly reflects income.

You can also deduct the cost of books, professional instruments, equipment, etc., if you normally use them within a year. However, if their usefulness extends substantially beyond the year they are placed in service, you must generally recover their costs through depreciation.

# Line 23

You can deduct the following taxes and licenses on this line.

• State and local sales taxes imposed on you as the seller of goods or services. If you collected this tax from the buyer, you must also include the amount collected in gross receipts or sales on line 1.

• Real estate and personal property taxes on business assets.

• Licenses and regulatory fees for your trade or business paid each year to state or local governments. But some licenses, such as liquor licenses, may have to be amortized. See Pub. 535 for details.

• Social security and Medicare taxes paid to match required withholding from your employees' wages. Reduce your deduction by the amount shown on Form 8846, line 4.

- Federal unemployment tax paid.
- Federal highway use tax.

Do not deduct the following.

• Federal income taxes, including your self-employment tax. However, you can deduct one-half of your self-employment tax on Form 1040, line 27.

Estate and gift taxes.

• Taxes assessed to pay for improvements, such as paving and sewers.

• Taxes on your home or personal use property.

• State and local sales taxes on property purchased for use in your business. Instead, treat these taxes as part of the cost of the property.

• State and local sales taxes imposed on the buyer that you were required to collect and pay over to state or local governments. These taxes are not included in gross receipts or sales nor are they a deductible expense. However, if the state or local government allowed you to retain any part of the sales tax you collected, you must include that amount as income on line 6.

• Other taxes and license fees not related to your business.

### Line 24a

Enter your expenses for lodging and transportation connected with overnight travel for business while away from your tax home. Generally, your tax home is your main place of business, regardless of where you maintain your family home. You cannot deduct expenses paid or incurred in connection with employment away from home if that period of employment exceeds 1 year. Also, you cannot deduct travel expenses for your spouse, your dependent, or any other individual unless that person is your employee, the travel is for a bona fide business purpose, and the expenses would otherwise be deductible by that person.

Do not include expenses for meals and entertainment on this line. Instead, see the instructions for line 24b on this page.

Instead of keeping records of your actual incidental expenses, you can use an optional method for deducting incidental expenses only if you did not pay or incur meal expenses on a day you were traveling away from your tax home. The amount of the deduction is \$3 a day. Incidental expenses include fees and tips given to porters, baggage carriers, bellhops, hotel maids, stewards or stewardesses and others on ships, and hotel servants in foreign countries. They do not include expenses for laundry, cleaning and pressing of clothing, lodging taxes, or the costs of telegrams or telephone calls. You cannot use this method on any day that you use the standard meal allowance (as explained in the instructions for line 24b).

You cannot deduct expenses for attending a convention, seminar, or similar meeting held outside the North American area unless the meeting is directly related to your trade or business and it is as reasonable for the meeting to be held outside the North American area as within it. These rules apply to both employers and employees. Other rules apply to luxury water travel.

For details on travel expenses, see Pub. 463.

### Line 24b

Enter your total deductible business meal and entertainment expenses. This includes expenses for meals while traveling away from home for business and for meals that are business-related entertainment.

**Deductible expenses.** Business meal expenses are deductible only if they are (a) directly related to or associated with the active conduct of your trade or business, (b) not lavish or extravagant, and (c) incurred

while you or your employee is present at the meal.

You cannot deduct any expense paid or incurred for a facility (such as a yacht or hunting lodge) used for any activity usually considered entertainment, amusement, or recreation.

Also, you cannot deduct membership dues for any club organized for business, pleasure, recreation, or other social purpose. This includes country clubs, golf and athletic clubs, airline and hotel clubs, and clubs operated to provide meals under conditions favorable to business discussion. But it does not include civic or public service organizations, professional organizations (such as bar and medical associations), business leagues, trade associations, chambers of commerce, boards of trade, and real estate boards, unless a principal purpose of the organization is to entertain, or provide entertainment facilities for, members or their guests.

There are exceptions to these rules as well as other rules that apply to sky-box rentals and tickets to entertainment events. See Pub. 463.

Standard meal allowance. Instead of deducting the actual cost of your meals while traveling away from home, you can use the standard meal allowance for your daily meals and incidental expenses. Under this method, you deduct a specified amount, depending on where you travel, instead of keeping records of your actual meal expenses. However, you must still keep records to prove the time, place, and business purpose of your travel.

The standard meal allowance is the federal M&IE rate. You can find these rates on the Internet at *www.gsa.gov*. Click on "Per Diem Rates" for links to locations inside and outside the continental United States.

See Pub. 463 for details on how to figure your deduction using the standard meal allowance, including special rules for partial days of travel.

Amount of deduction. Generally, you can deduct only 50% of your business meal and entertainment expenses, including meals incurred while away from home on business. For individuals subject to the Department of Transportation (DOT) hours of service limits, that percentage is increased to 75% for business meals consumed during, or incident to, any period of duty for which those limits are in effect. Individuals subject to the DOT hours of service limits include the following.

• Certain air transportation workers (such as pilots, crew, dispatchers, mechanics, and control tower operators) who are under Federal Aviation Administration regulations.

• Interstate truck operators who are under DOT regulations.

• Certain merchant mariners who are under Coast Guard regulations.

However, you can fully deduct meals, incidentals, and entertainment furnished or reimbursed to an employee if you properly treat the expense as wages subject to withholding. You can also fully deduct meals, incidentals, and entertainment provided to a nonemployee to the extent the expenses are includible in the gross income of that person and reported on Form 1099-MISC. See Pub. 535 for details and other exceptions.

**Daycare providers.** If you qualify as a family daycare provider, you can use the standard meal and snack rates, instead of actual costs, to compute the deductible cost of meals and snacks provided to eligible children. See Pub. 587 for details, including recordkeeping requirements.

### Line 25

Deduct utility expenses only for your trade or business.

Local telephone service. If you used your home phone for business, do not deduct the base rate (including taxes) of the first phone line into your residence. But you can deduct expenses for any additional costs you incurred for business that are more than the cost of the base rate for the first phone line. For example, if you had a second line, you can deduct the business percentage of the charges for that line, including the base rate charges.

# Line 26

Enter the total salaries and wages for the tax year. Do not include salaries and wages deducted elsewhere on your return or amounts paid to yourself. Reduce your deduction by the amounts claimed on:

• Form 5884, Work Opportunity Credit, line 2;

• Form 8844, Empowerment Zone and Renewal Community Employment Credit, line 2; and

• Form 8861, Welfare-to-Work Credit, line 2.



If you provided taxable fringe benefits to your employees, such as personal use of a car, do not deduct as wages the amount le to depreciation and other ex-

applicable to depreciation and other expenses claimed elsewhere.

Generally, you are required to file Form W-2, Wage and Tax Statement, for each employee. See the Instructions for Forms W-2 and W-3.

## Line 30

**Business use of your home.** You may be able to deduct certain expenses for business use of your home, subject to limitations. You must attach Form 8829 if you claim this deduction. For details, see the Instructions for Form 8829 and Pub. 587.

# Line 31

If you have a loss, the amount of loss you can deduct this year may be limited. Go to line 32 before entering your loss on line 31. If you answered "No" on Schedule C, line G, also see the Instructions for Form 8582. Enter the net profit or deductible loss here. Combine this amount with any profit or loss from other businesses, and enter the

total on both Form 1040, line 12, and Schedule SE, line 2, or on Form 1040NR, line 13. Estates and trusts should enter the total on Form 1041, line 3.

**Rental real estate activity.** Unless you are a qualifying real estate professional, a rental real estate activity is a passive activity, even if you materially participated in the activity. If you have a loss, you may need to file Form 8582 to figure your deductible loss to enter on line 31. See the Instructions for Form 8582.

**Statutory employees.** Include your net profit or deductible loss from line 31 with other Schedule C amounts on Form 1040, line 12, or on Form 1040NR, line 13. However, do not report this amount on Schedule SE, line 2. If you are required to file Schedule SE because of other self-employment income, see the Instructions for Schedule SE.

**Notary public.** Do not enter your net profit from line 31 on Schedule SE, line 2, unless you are required to file Schedule SE because of other self-employment income. See page SE-3 of the instructions for Schedule SE.

**Community income.** If you and your spouse had community income and are filing separate returns, see page SE-2 of the instructions for Schedule SE before figuring self-employment tax.

**Earned income credit.** If you have a net profit on line 31, this amount is earned income and may qualify you for the earned income credit (EIC).



To figure your EIC, use the instructions for Form 1040, lines 66a and 66b. Complete all applicable stars plus Workshed

*Plicable steps plus Worksheet B. If you are required to file Schedule SE, remember to subtract one-half of your self-employment tax in Part 1 of Worksheet B.* 

### Line 32

At-risk rules. Generally, if you have a business loss and amounts invested in the business for which you are not at risk, you must complete Form 6198 to figure your allowable loss. The at-risk rules generally limit the amount of loss (including loss on the disposition of assets) you can claim to the amount you could actually lose in the business.

Check box 32b if you have amounts invested in this business for which you are not at risk, such as the following.

• Nonrecourse loans used to finance the business, to acquire property used in the business, or to acquire the business that are not secured by your own property (other than property used in the business). However, there is an exception for certain non-recourse financing borrowed by you in connection with holding real property.

• Cash, property, or borrowed amounts used in the business (or contributed to the business, or used to acquire the business) that are protected against loss by a guarantee, stop-loss agreement, or other similar arrangement (excluding casualty insurance and insurance against tort liability). • Amounts borrowed for use in the business from a person who has an interest in the business, other than as a creditor, or who is related under section 465(b)(3)(C) to a person (other than you) having such an interest.

*Figuring your deductible loss.* If all amounts are at risk in this business, check box 32a. If you answered "Yes" on line G, enter your loss on line 31. But if you answered "No" on line G, you may need to complete Form 8582 to figure your allowable loss to enter on line 31. See the Instructions for Form 8582 for details.

If you checked box 32b, first complete Form 6198 to determine the amount of your deductible loss. If you answered "Yes" on line G, enter that amount on line 31. But if you answered "No" on line G, your loss may be further limited. See the Instructions for Form 8582. If your at-risk amount is zero or less, enter -0- on line 31. Be sure to attach Form 6198 to your return. If you checked box 32b and you do not attach Form 6198, the processing of your tax return may be delayed.

Any loss from this business not allowed for 2007 only because of the at-risk rules is treated as a deduction allocable to the business in 2008.

For details, see the Instructions for Form 6198 and Pub. 925.

# Part III. Cost of Goods Sold

Generally, if you engaged in a trade or business in which the production, purchase, or sale of merchandise was an income-producing factor, you must take inventories into account at the beginning and end of your tax year.

However, if you are a qualifying taxpayer or a qualifying small business taxpayer, you can account for inventoriable items in the same manner as materials and supplies that are not incidental. To change your accounting method, see the instructions for line F on page C-2.

A qualifying taxpayer is a taxpayer (a) whose average annual gross receipts for the 3 prior tax years are \$1 million or less, and (b) whose business is not a tax shelter (as defined in section 448(d)(3)).

A qualifying small business taxpayer is a taxpayer (a) whose average annual gross receipts for the 3 prior tax years are \$10 million or less, (b) whose business is not a tax shelter (as defined in section 448(d)(3)), and (c) whose principal business activity is not an ineligible activity as explained in Rev. Proc. 2002-28. You can find Rev. Proc. 2002-28 on page 815 of Internal Revenue Bulletin 2002-18 at www.irs.gov/pub/irs-irbs/irb02-18.pdf.

Under this accounting method, inventory costs for raw materials purchased for use in producing finished goods and merchandise purchased for resale are deductible in the year the finished goods or merchandise are sold (but not before the year you paid for the raw materials or merchandise, if you are also using the cash method). Enter amounts paid for all raw materials and merchandise during 2007 on line 36. The amount you can deduct for 2007 is figured on line 42.

**Additional information.** For additional guidance on this method of accounting for inventoriable items, see the following.

• Pub. 538 discusses both exceptions.

• If you are a qualifying taxpayer, see Rev. Proc. 2001-10, on page 272 of Internal Revenue Bulletin 2001-2 at www.irs.gov/pub/irs-irbs/irb01-02.pdf.

• If you are a qualifying small business taxpayer, see Rev. Proc. 2002-28, on page 815 of Internal Revenue Bulletin 2002-18 at www.irs.gov/pub/irs-irbs/irb02-18.pdf.



Certain direct and indirect expenses may have to be capitalized or included in inventory. See the instructions for Part II

beginning on page C-4. See Pub. 538 for additional information.

## Line 33

Your inventories can be valued at cost; cost or market value, whichever is lower; or any other method approved by the IRS. However, you are required to use cost if you are using the cash method of accounting.

## Line 35

If you are changing your method of accounting beginning with 2007, refigure last year's closing inventory using your new method of accounting and enter the result on line 35. If there is a difference between last year's closing inventory and the refigured amount, attach an explanation and take it into account when figuring your section 481(a) adjustment. For details, see the example on page C-2 under *Line F*.

## Line 41

If you account for inventoriable items in the same manner as materials and supplies that are not incidental, enter on line 41 the portion of your raw materials and merchandise purchased for resale that is included on line 40 and was not sold during the year.

# Part IV. Information on Your Vehicle

## Line 44b

Generally, commuting is travel between your home and a work location. If you converted your vehicle during the year from personal to business use (or vice versa), enter your commuting miles only for the period you drove your vehicle for business. For information on certain travel that is considered a business expense rather than commuting, see the Instructions for Form 2106.

# Part V. Other Expenses

Include all ordinary and necessary business expenses not deducted elsewhere on Schedule C. List the type and amount of each expense separately in the space provided. Enter the total on lines 48 and 27. Do not include the cost of business equipment or furniture, replacements or permanent improvements to property, or personal, living, and family expenses. Do not include charitable contributions. Also, you cannot deduct fines or penalties paid to a government for violating any law. For details on business expenses, see Pub. 535.

**Amortization.** Include amortization in this part. For amortization that begins in 2007, you must complete and attach Form 4562.

You can elect to amortize such costs as:

• The cost of pollution-control facilities.

• Amounts paid for research and experimentation.

• Qualified revitalization expenditures.

• Amounts paid to acquire, protect, expand, register, or defend trademarks or trade names.

• Goodwill and certain other intangibles.

• Certain expenses paid or incurred to create or acquire a musical composition or its copyright.

In general, you cannot amortize real property construction period interest and taxes. Special rules apply for allocating interest to real or personal property produced in your trade or business.

For a complete list, see the Instructions for Form 4562, Part VI.

At-risk loss deduction. Any loss from this business that was not allowed as a deduction last year only because of the at-risk rules is treated as a deduction allocable to this business in 2007. For the loss to be deductible, the amount that is "at risk" must be increased.

**Bad debts.** Include debts and partial debts from sales or services that were included in income and are definitely known to be worthless. If you later collect a debt that you deducted as a bad debt, include it as income in the year collected. For details, see Pub. 535.

**Business start-up costs.** If your business began in 2007, you can elect to deduct up to \$5,000 of certain business start-up costs. This limit is reduced (but not below zero) by the amount by which your total start-up costs exceed \$50,000. Your remaining start-up costs can be amortized over a 180-month period, beginning with the month the business began.

For details, see Pub. 535. For amortization that begins in 2007, you must complete and attach Form 4562.

Deduction for removing barriers to individuals with disabilities and the elderly. You may be able to deduct up to \$15,000 of costs paid or incurred in 2007 to remove architectural or transportation barriers to individuals with disabilities and the elderly. However, you cannot take both the credit (discussed on page C-1) and the deduction on the same expenditures.

**Film and television production expenses.** You can elect to deduct costs of certain qualified film and television productions. For details, see Pub. 535.

**Forestation and reforestation costs.** Reforestation costs are generally capital expenditures. However, for each qualified timber property you can elect to expense up to \$10,000 (\$5,000 if married filing separately) of qualifying reforestation costs paid or incurred in 2007. This limit is increased for small timber producers with qualified timber property located in the GO Zone, the Rita GO Zone, or the Wilma GO Zone. For GO Zone information, see Pub. 4492.

You can elect to amortize the remaining costs over 84 months. For amortization that begins in 2007, you must complete and attach Form 4562.

The amortization election does not apply to trusts and the expense election does not apply to estates and trusts. For details on reforestation expenses, see Pub. 535.

**GO Zone clean-up costs.** You can deduct 50% of qualified GO Zone clean-up costs paid or incurred in 2007 for the removal of debris from, or the demolition of structures on, real property located in the GO Zone. The property must be held for use in a trade or business, for the production of income, or as inventory. The remaining 50% of these costs must be capitalized. See Pub. 4492 for the areas included in the GO Zone.

**Costs of making commercial buildings energy efficient.** You may be able to deduct part or all of the cost of modifying existing commercial buildings to make them energy efficient. For details, see section 179D and Notice 2006-52. You can find Notice 2006-52 on page 1175 of Internal Revenue Bulletin 2006-26 at www.irs.gov/irb/2006-26\_IRB/ar11.html.

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Preparing the form	1 hr.
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If you have comments concerning the accuracy of these time estimates or suggestions for making this form simpler, we would be happy to hear from you. See the instructions for the tax return with which this form is filed.

#### Principal Business or Professional Activity Codes

These codes for the Principal Business or Professional Activity classify sole proprietorships by the type of activity they are engaged in to facilitate the administration of the Internal Revenue Code. These six-digit codes are based on the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS).

Select the category that best describes your primary business activity (for example, Real Estate). Then select the activity that best identifies the principal source of your sales or receipts (for example, real estate agent). Now find the six-digit code assigned to this activity (for example, 531210, the code for offices of real estate agents and brokers) and enter it on Schedule C or C-EZ, line B.

**Note.** If your principal source of income is from farming activities, you should file Schedule F.

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21210	Offices of dentists	339900	Wood product mfg.
21330	Offices of mental health		Other miscellaneous mfg.
	practitioners (except		al Manufacturing
	physicians)	325100	Basic chemical mfg.
21320	Offices of optometrists	325500	Paint, coating, & adhesive
21340	Offices of physical,		mfg.
	occupational & speech therapists, & audiologists	325300	Pesticide, fertilizer, & other agricultural chemical mfg.
21111	Offices of physicians (except mental health specialists)	325410	Pharmaceutical & medicine mfg.
21112	Offices of physicians, mental health specialists	325200	Resin, synthetic rubber, & artificial & synthetic fibers
21391	Offices of podiatrists	225600	filaments mfg.
21399	Offices of all other	325600	Soap, cleaning compound,
	miscellaneous health	225000	toilet preparation mfg.
	practitioners	325900	Other chemical product &
21400	Outpatient care centers		preparation mfg.
21900	Other ambulatory health care	Food M	anufacturing
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	services, blood, & organ	311800	Bakeries & tortilla mfg.
	banks)	311500	Dairy product mfg.
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23000	Nursing & residential care	311610	Animal slaughtering &
	facilities	511010	processing
ocial A	ssistance	311710	Seafood product preparation
24410	Child day care services	511/10	& packaging
24200	Community food & housing,	311300	Sugar & confectionery
24200	& emergency & other relief	511500	product mfg.
	services	311900	Other food mfg. (including
24100	Individual & family services	511900	coffee, tea, flavorings, &
24310	Vocational rehabilitation		seasonings)
24510	services	Leather	& Allied Product
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mfg. Pesticide, fertilizer, & other agricultural chemical mfg. Pharmaceutical & medicine mfg. Resin, synthetic rubber, & artificial & synthetic fibers & filaments mfg. Soap, cleaning compound, & toilet preparation mfg. Other chemical product & preparation mfg. nufacturing Animal food mfg. Bakeries & tortilla mfg. Dairy product mfg. Fruit & vegetable preserving & speciality food mfg. Grain & oilseed milling Animal slaughtering & processing Seafood product preparation & packaging Sugar & confectionery product mfg. Other food mfg. (including coffee, tea, flavorings, & seasonings) & Allied Product turing Footwear mfg. (including leather, rubber, & plastics) Leather & hide tanning & finishing Other leather & allied product mfg. allic Mineral Product turing Cement & concrete product mfg. Clay product & refractory mfg. Glass & glass product mfg. Lime & gypsum product mfg. Other nonmetallic mineral product mfg. Coal mining Metal ore mining Nonmetallic mineral mining & quarrying Oil & gas extraction Support activities for mining Services & Laundry Services Barber shops Beauty salons Cemeteries & crematories Coin-operated laundries & drycleaners Drycleaning & laundry services (except coin-operated) (including laundry & drycleaning dropoff & pickup sites) Funeral homes & funeral services 812330 Linen & uniform supply

#### Principal Business or Professional Activity Codes (continued)

Princip	bal Business or Profession
812113	Nail salons
812930	Parking lots & garages
812910	Pet care (except veterinary)
	services
812920	Photofinishing
812190	Other personal care services
	(including diet & weight
012000	reducing centers)
812990	All other personal services
-	& Maintenance
811120	Automotive body, paint,
811110	interior, & glass repair Automotive mechanical &
011110	electrical repair &
	maintenance
811190	Other automotive repair &
	maintenance (including oil
	change & lubrication shops &
811310	car washes) Commercial & industrial
011510	machinery & equipment
	(except automotive &
	electronic) repair &
011010	maintenance
811210	Electronic & precision equipment repair &
	maintenance
811430	Footwear & leather goods
	repair
811410	Home & garden equipment &
	appliance repair &
011420	maintenance
811420	Reupholstery & furniture repair
811490	Other personal & household
	goods repair & maintenance
Ductor	sismal Osiantifia 0
	sional, Scientific, & ical Services
541100	
541211	Legal services Offices of certified public
341211	accountants
541214	Payroll services
541213	Tax preparation services
541219	Other accounting services
	ctural, Engineering, &
	Services
541310	Architectural services
541350	Building inspection services
541340	Drafting services
541330	Engineering services
541360	Geophysical surveying & mapping services
541320	Landscape architecture
0.11020	services
541370	Surveying & mapping (except
	geophysical) services
541380	Testing laboratories
Comput Services	er Systems Design & Related
541510	Computer systems design & related services
Speciali	zed Design Services
541400	Specialized design services
	(including interior, industrial,
	graphic, & fashion design)
Other P	rofessional, Scientific, & al Services
541800	Advertising & related services
541600	Management, scientific, & technical consulting services
541910	Market research & public
541910	opinion polling
541920	Photographic services
541700	Scientific research &
	development services
541930	Translation & interpretation
541040	services
541940	Veterinary services

541990	All other professional, scientific, & technical services	<b>Gasoline</b> 447100
Real E Leasin Real Est	•	General 452000 Health a
531100	Lessors of real estate	446120
	(including miniwarehouses &	446130
531210	self-storage units) Offices of real estate agents	446110
551210	& brokers	446190
531320	Offices of real estate	
521210	appraisers	Motor V
531310 531390	Real estate property managers Other activities related to real	441300
551590	estate	441222
Rental &	& Leasing Services	441221
532100	Automotive equipment rental	441110
532400	& leasing Commercial & industrial	441210
552400	machinery & equipment	
	rental & leasing	441120
532210	Consumer electronics &	441229
532220	appliances rental Formal wear & costume	Sporting
552220	rental	Sporting Music S
532310	General rental centers	451211
532230	Video tape & disc rental	451120
532290	Other consumer goods rental	451140
Profes	ous, Grantmaking, Civic, sional, & Similar izations	451212 451220
813000	Religious, grantmaking, civic, professional, & similar	451130
	organizations	451110
Retail	Trade	Miscella
	Material & Garden	453920
	ent & Supplies Dealers	453110
444130	Hardware stores	453220
444110	Home centers	453930
444200	Lawn & garden equipment & supplies stores	155750
444120	Paint & wallpaper stores	453210
444190	Other building materials	453910
	dealers	453310
	g & Accessories Stores	453990
448130	Children's & infants' clothing stores	
448150	Clothing accessories stores	Nonstor
448140	Family clothing stores	454112
448310	Jewelry stores	454111
448320	Luggage & leather goods stores	454310
448110	Men's clothing stores	454113
448210	Shoe stores	454210
448120	Women's clothing stores	454390
448190	Other clothing stores	
	ic & Appliance Stores	
443130	Camera & photographic supplies stores	
443120	Computer & software stores	
443111	Household appliance stores	Transp
443112	Radio, television, & other	Wareh
Easd &	electronics stores	481000
<b>F000 &amp;</b> 445310	Beverage Stores Beer, wine, & liquor stores	485510
445220	Fish & seafood markets	484110
445230	Fruit & vegetable markets	484120
445100	Grocery stores (including	485210
	supermarkets & convenience	100210
445210	stores without gas) Meat markets	486000
445290	Other specialty food stores	482110
	re & Home Furnishing Stores	487000
442110	Furniture stores	485410
442200	Home furnishings stores	

Gasoline	eStations	484200	Specialized freight trucking
447100	Gasoline stations (including convenience stores with gas)		(including household moving vans)
General	Merchandise Stores	485300	Taxi & limousine service
452000	General merchandise stores	485110	Urban transit systems
Health &	& Personal Care Stores	483000	Water transportation
446120	Cosmetics, beauty supplies, & perfume stores	485990	Other transit & ground passenger transportation
446130	Optical goods stores	488000	Support activities for transportation (including
446110	Pharmacies & drug stores		transportation (including motor vehicle towing)
446190	Other health & personal care	Couriers	s & Messengers
Motor V	stores <b>ehicle &amp; Parts Dealers</b>	492000	Couriers & messengers
441300	Automotive parts, accessories,	Wareho	using & Storage Facilities
441500	& tire stores	493100	Warehousing & storage
441222	Boat dealers		(except leases of miniwarehouses &
441221	Motorcycle dealers		self-storage units)
441110	New car dealers	Utilitie	6
441210	Recreational vehicle dealers (including motor home &		Utilities
	travel trailer dealers)	221000	oundes
441120	Used car dealers	Whole	sale Trade
441229	All other motor vehicle dealers	Merchai Goods	nt Wholesalers, Durable
	g Goods, Hobby, Book, &	423600	Electrical & electronic goods
Music S		423200	Furniture & home furnishing
451211	Book stores	423700	Hardware, & plumbing &
451120 451140	Hobby, toy, & game stores Musical instrument &	4220.40	heating equipment & supplies
	supplies stores	423940	Jewelry, watch, precious stone, & precious metals
451212	News dealers & newsstands	423300	Lumber & other construction materials
451220	Prerecorded tape, compact disc, & record stores	423800	Machinery, equipment, &
451130	Sewing, needlework, & piece goods stores	423500	supplies Metal & mineral (except
451110	Sporting goods stores		petroleum)
	neous Store Retailers	423100	Motor vehicle & motor vehicle parts & supplies
453920 453110	Art dealers	423400	Professional & commercial
453220	Florists Gift, novelty, & souvenir	423930	equipment & supplies Recyclable materials
453930	stores Manufactured (mobile) home	423910	Sporting & recreational goods
453210	dealers Office supplies & stationery	423920	& supplies Toy & hobby goods &
453910	stores Pet & pet supplies stores	423990	supplies Other miscellaneous durable
453310	Used merchandise stores		goods
453990	All other miscellaneous store	Goods	nt Wholesalers, Nondurable
	retailers (including tobacco, candle, & trophy shops)	424300	Apparel, piece goods, &
Nonstor	e Retailers	424800	notions Beer, wine, & distilled
454112	Electronic auctions	424800	alcoholic beverage
	Electronic shopping	424920	Books, periodicals, &
454310 454113	Fuel dealers Mail-order houses	121600	newspapers
454210	Vending machine operators	424600 424210	Chemical & allied products
454390	Other direct selling	424210	Drugs & druggists' sundries Farm product raw materials
	establishments (including	424910	Farm supplies
	door-to-door retailing, frozen food plan providers, party	424930	Flower, nursery stock, &
	plan merchandisers, &		florists' supplies
	coffee-break service	424400	Grocery & related products
	providers)	424950 424100	Paint, varnish, & supplies Paper & paper products
	ortation &	424700	Petroleum & petroleum
	ousing	121700	products
481000	Air transportation	424940	Tobacco & tobacco products
485510 484110	Charter bus industry	424990	Other miscellaneous
484110	General freight trucking, local General freight trucking, long		nondurable goods
	distance		sale Electronic Markets gents & Brokers
485210	Interurban & rural bus transportation	425110	Business to business
486000	Pipeline transportation		electronic markets
482110	Rail transportation	425120	Wholesale trade agents &
487000	Scenic & sightseeing		brokers
485410	transportation School & employee bus	999999	Unclassified establishments

(unable to classify)

School & employee bus

transportation



# **2007 Instructions for Schedule D**

# Capital Gains and Losses

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

# What's New

**Self-created musical works.** You can elect to treat certain musical compositions or copyrights as capital assets. See Pub. 550 for details.

**Sale of your home.** The election to suspend the 5-year test period for ownership and use of a main home now can be made by employees of the intelligence community. See *Sale of Your Home* on page D-2.

**Renewal community businesses.** If you sold or exchanged a qualified community asset acquired after December 31, 2001, and held more than 5 years, you may be able to exclude any qualified capital gain. See *Exclusion of Gain From Qualified Community Assets* on page D-6.

### **General Instructions** Other Forms You May Have To File

Use Form 4797 to report the following.

1. The sale or exchange of:

a. Property used in a trade or business;

b. Depreciable and amortizable property;

c. Oil, gas, geothermal, or other mineral property; and

d. Section 126 property.

2. The involuntary conversion (other than from casualty or theft) of property used in a trade or business and capital assets held for business or profit.

3. The disposition of noncapital assets other than inventory or property held primarily for sale to customers in the ordinary course of your trade or business. Use Schedule D (Form 1040) to report the following.

• The sale or exchange of a capital asset (defined on this page) not reported on another form or schedule.

• Gains from involuntary conversions (other than from casualty or theft) of capital assets not held for business or profit.

• Capital gain distributions not reported directly on Form 1040, line 13 (or effectively connected capital gain distributions not reported directly on Form 1040NR, line 14).

• Nonbusiness bad debts.

Additional information. See Pub. 544 and Pub. 550 for more details. For a comprehensive filled-in example of Schedule D, see Pub. 550.

4. Ordinary loss on the sale, exchange, or worthlessness of small business investment company (section 1242) stock.

5. Ordinary loss on the sale, exchange, or worthlessness of small business (section 1244) stock.

6. Ordinary gain or loss on securities held in connection with your trading business, if you previously made a mark-to-market election. See *Traders in Securities* on page D-3.

Use Form 4684 to report involuntary conversions of property due to casualty or theft.

Use Form 6781 to report gains and losses from section 1256 contracts and straddles.

Use Form 8824 to report like-kind exchanges. A like-kind exchange occurs when you exchange business or investment property for property of a like kind.

### **Capital Asset**

Most property you own and use for personal purposes, pleasure, or investment is a capital asset. For example, your house, furniture, car, stocks, and bonds are capital assets. A capital asset is any property held by you except the following.

• Stock in trade or other property included in inventory or held mainly for sale to customers. But see the *Tip* on this page.

• Accounts or notes receivable for services performed in the ordinary course of your trade or business or as an employee, or from the sale of stock in trade or other property held mainly for sale to customers.

• Depreciable property used in your trade or business, even if it is fully depreciated.

• Real estate used in your trade or business.

• Copyrights, literary, musical, or artistic compositions, letters or memoranda, or similar property: (a) created by your personal efforts; (b) prepared or produced for you (in the case of letters, memoranda, or similar property); or (c) that you received from someone who created them or for whom they were created, as mentioned in (a) or (b), in a way (such as by gift) that entitled you to the basis of the previous owner. But see the *Tip* below.

• U.S. Government publications, including the Congressional Record, that you received from the Government, other than by purchase at the normal sales price, or that you got from someone who had received it in a similar way, if your basis is determined by reference to the previous owner's basis.

• Certain commodities derivative financial instruments held by a dealer. See section 1221(a)(6).

• Certain hedging transactions entered into in the normal course of your trade or business. See section 1221(a)(7).

• Supplies regularly used in your trade or business.



You can elect to treat as capital assets certain musical compositions or copyrights you sold or exchanged. See Pub. 550 for

details.

### **Basis and Recordkeeping**

Basis is the amount of your investment in property for tax purposes. You need to know your basis to figure any gain or loss on the sale or other disposition of the property. You must keep accurate records that show the basis and adjusted basis of your property. Your records should show the purchase price, including commissions; increases to basis, such as the cost of improvements; and decreases to basis, such as depreciation, nondividend distributions on stock, and stock splits.

For more information on basis, see page D-7 and these publications.

• Pub. 551, Basis of Assets.

• Pub. 550, Investment Income and Expenses (Including Capital Gains and Losses).

• Pub. 564, Mutual Fund Distributions.

If you lost or did not keep records to determine your basis in securities, contact your broker for help.



The IRS partners with companies that offer Schedule D software that can import trades from many brokerage firms and

accounting software to help you keep track of your adjusted basis in securities. To find out more, go to www.irs.gov/efile.

### Short Term or Long Term

Separate your capital gains and losses according to how long you held or owned the property. The holding period for short-term capital gains and losses is 1 year or less. The holding period for long-term capital gains and losses is more than 1 year. To figure the holding period, begin counting on the day after you received the property and include the day you disposed of it.

If you disposed of property that you acquired by inheritance, report the disposition as a long-term gain or loss, regardless of how long you held the property.

A nonbusiness bad debt must be treated as a short-term capital loss. See Pub. 550 for what qualifies as a nonbusiness bad debt and how to enter it on Schedule D.

### **Capital Gain Distributions**

These distributions are paid by a mutual fund (or other regulated investment company) or real estate investment trust from its net realized long-term capital gains. Distributions of net realized short-term capital gains are not treated as capital gains. Instead, they are included on Form 1099-DIV as ordinary dividends.

Enter on line 13 the total capital gain distributions paid to you during the year, regardless of how long you held your investment. This amount is shown in box 2a of Form 1099-DIV.

If there is an amount in box 2b, include that amount on line 11 of the Unrecaptured Section 1250 Gain Worksheet on page D-9 if you complete line 19 of Schedule D.

If there is an amount in box 2c, see *Exclusion of Gain on Qualified Small Business (QSB) Stock* on page D-4.

If there is an amount in box 2d, include that amount on line 4 of the 28% Rate Gain Worksheet on page D-8 if you complete line 18 of Schedule D.

If you received capital gain distributions as a nominee (that is, they were paid to you but actually belong to someone else), report on line 13 only the amount that belongs to you. Attach a statement showing the full amount you received and the amount you received as a nominee. See the Instructions for Schedule B for filing requirements for Forms 1099-DIV and 1096.

### Sale of Your Home

If you sold or exchanged your main home, do not report it on your tax return unless your gain is more than your exclusion amount. Your exclusion amount is zero if: • You acquired your home in a like-kind exchange in which all or part of the gain was not recognized, and

• You sold or exchanged the home during the 5-year period beginning on the date you acquired it.

Generally, if you meet the two following tests, you can exclude up to \$250,000 of gain. If both you and your spouse meet these tests and you file a joint return, you can exclude up to \$500,000 of gain (but only one spouse needs to meet the ownership requirement in *Test 1*).

**Test 1.** You owned and used the home as your main home for 2 years or more during the 5-year period ending on the date you sold or exchanged your home.

**Test 2.** You have not excluded gain on the sale or exchange of another main home during the 2-year period ending on the date of the sale or exchange of your home.

Even if you do not meet one or both of the above two tests, you still can claim an exclusion if you sold or exchanged the home because of a change in place of employment, health, or certain unforeseen circumstances. In this case, the maximum amount of gain you can exclude is reduced.

You can choose to have the 5-year test period for ownership and use in *Test 1* above suspended during any period you or your spouse serve on qualified official extended duty as a member of the uniformed services or Foreign Service of the United States or as an employee of the intelligence community. This means you may be able to meet *Test 1* even if, because of your service, you did not actually use the home as your main home for at least the required 2 years during the 5-year period ending on the date of sale.

See Pub. 523 for details, including how to report any taxable gain if:

• You (or your spouse if married) used any part of the home for business or rental purposes after May 6, 1997, or

• Your gain is more than your exclusion amount.

### **Partnership Interests**

A sale or other disposition of an interest in a partnership may result in ordinary income, collectibles gain (28% rate gain), or unrecaptured section 1250 gain. For details on 28% rate gain, see the instructions for line 18 on page D-8. For details on unrecaptured section 1250 gain, see the instructions for line 19 beginning on page D-8.

### Capital Assets Held for Personal Use

Generally, gain from the sale or exchange of a capital asset held for personal use is a capital gain. Report it on Schedule D, Part I or Part II. However, if you converted depreciable property to personal use, all or part of the gain on the sale or exchange of that property may have to be recaptured as ordinary income. Use Part III of Form 4797 to figure the amount of ordinary income recapture. The recapture amount is included on line 31 (and line 13) of Form 4797. Do not enter any gain for this property on line 32 of Form 4797. If you are not completing Part III for any other properties, enter "N/A" on line 32. If the total gain is more than the recapture amount, enter "From Form 4797" in column (a) of line 1 or line 8 of Schedule D, skip columns (b) through (e), and in column (f) enter the excess of the total gain over the recapture amount.

Loss from the sale or exchange of a capital asset held for personal use is not deductible. But if you had a loss from the sale or exchange of real estate held for personal use for which you received a Form 1099-S, you must report the transaction on Schedule D even though the loss is not deductible. For example, you have a loss on the sale of a vacation home that is not your main home and you received a Form 1099-S for the transaction. Report the transaction on line 1 or 8, depending on how long you owned the home. Complete columns (a) through (e). Because the loss is not deductible, enter -0- in column (f).

### **Capital Losses**

You can deduct capital losses up to the amount of your capital gains plus \$3,000 (\$1,500 if married filing separately). You may be able to use capital losses that exceed this limit in future years. Be sure to report all of your capital gains and losses (except nondeductible losses) even if you cannot use all of your losses in 2007. See Pub. 550 to figure the amount of unused capital losses you can carry forward to 2008.

### **Nondeductible Losses**

Do not deduct a loss from the direct or indirect sale or exchange of property between any of the following.

• Members of a family.

• A corporation and an individual owning more than 50% of the corporation's stock (unless the loss is from a distribution in complete liquidation of a corporation).

• A grantor and a fiduciary of a trust.

• A fiduciary and a beneficiary of the same trust.

• A fiduciary and a beneficiary of another trust created by the same grantor.

• An executor of an estate and a beneficiary of that estate, unless the sale or exchange was to satisfy a pecuniary bequest (that is, a bequest of a sum of money).

• An individual and a tax-exempt organization controlled by the individual or the individual's family.

See Pub. 544 for more details on sales and exchanges between related parties.

If you disposed of (a) an asset used in an activity to which the at-risk rules apply or (b) any part of your interest in an activity to which the at-risk rules apply, and you have amounts in the activity for which you are not at risk, see the Instructions for Form 6198.

If the loss is allowable under the at-risk rules, it then may be subject to the passive activity rules. See Form 8582 and its instructions for details on reporting capital gains and losses from a passive activity.

### **Items for Special Treatment**

• Transactions by a securities dealer. See section 1236.

• Bonds and other debt instruments. See Pub. 550.

• Certain real estate subdivided for sale that may be considered a capital asset. See section 1237.

• Gain on the sale of depreciable property to a more than 50% owned entity or to a trust of which you are a beneficiary. See Pub. 544.

• Gain on the disposition of stock in an interest charge domestic international sales corporation. See section 995(c).

• Gain on the sale or exchange of stock in certain foreign corporations. See section 1248.

• Transfer of property to a partnership that would be treated as an investment company if it were incorporated. See Pub. 541.

• Sales of stock received under a qualified public utility dividend reinvestment plan. See Pub. 550.

• Transfer of appreciated property to a political organization. See section 84.

• In general, no gain or loss is recognized on the transfer of property from an individual to a spouse or a former spouse if the transfer is incident to a divorce. See Pub. 504.

• Amounts received on the retirement of a debt instrument generally are treated as received in exchange for the debt instrument. See Pub. 550.

• Any loss on the disposition of converted wetland or highly erodible cropland that is first used for farming after March 1, 1986, is reported as a long-term capital loss on Schedule D, but any gain is reported as ordinary income on Form 4797.

• If qualified dividends that you reported on Form 1040, line 9b, or Form 1040NR, line 10b, include extraordinary dividends, any loss on the sale or exchange of the stock is a long-term capital loss to the extent of the extraordinary dividends. An extraordinary dividend is a dividend that equals or exceeds 10% (5% in the case of preferred stock) of your basis in the stock.

• Amounts received by shareholders in corporate liquidations. See Pub. 550.

• Cash received in lieu of fractional shares of stock as a result of a stock split or stock dividend. See Pub. 550.

• Load charges to acquire stock in a regulated investment company (including a mutual fund), which may not be taken into account in determining gain or loss on certain dispositions of the stock if reinvestment rights were exercised. See Pub. 564.

• The sale or exchange of S corporation stock or an interest in a trust held for more

than 1 year, which may result in collectibles gain (28% rate gain). See the instructions for line 18 on page D-8.

• Gain or loss on the disposition of securities futures contracts. See Pub. 550.

• Gain on the constructive sale of certain appreciated financial positions. See Pub. 550.

 Certain constructive ownership transactions. Gain in excess of the gain you would have recognized if you had held a financial asset directly during the term of a derivative contract must be treated as ordinary income. See section 1260. If any portion of the constructive ownership transaction was open in any prior year, you may have to pay interest. See section 1260(b) for details, including how to figure the interest. Include the interest as an additional tax on Form 1040, line 63 (or Form 1040NR, line 58). Write "Section 1260(b) interest" and the amount of the interest to the left of line 63 (or Form 1040NR, line 58). This interest is not deductible.

• The sale of publicly traded securities, if you elect to postpone gain by purchasing common stock or a partnership interest in a specialized small business investment company during the 60-day period that began on the date of the sale. See Pub. 550.

• The sale of qualified securities, held for at least 3 years, to an employee stock ownership plan or eligible worker-owned cooperative, if you elect to postpone gain by purchasing qualified replacement property. See Pub. 550.

• Gain or loss from the disposition of stock or other securities in an investment club. See Pub. 550.

### Wash Sales

A wash sale occurs when you sell or otherwise dispose of stock or securities (including a contract or option to acquire or sell stock or securities) at a loss and, within 30 days before or after the sale or disposition, you:

• Buy substantially identical stock or securities,

• Acquire substantially identical stock or securities in a fully taxable trade, or

• Enter into a contract or option to acquire substantially identical stock or securities.

You cannot deduct losses from wash sales unless the loss was incurred in the ordinary course of your business as a dealer in stock or securities. The basis of the substantially identical property (or contract or option to acquire such property) is its cost increased by the disallowed loss. For more details on wash sales, see Pub. 550.

Report a wash sale transaction on line 1 or 8. Enter the full amount of the (loss) in column (f). Directly below the line on which you reported the loss, enter "Wash Sale" in column (a), and enter as a positive amount in column (f) the amount of the loss not allowed.

### **Traders in Securities**

You are a trader in securities if you are engaged in the business of buying and selling securities for your own account. To be engaged in business as a trader in securities, all of the following statements must be true.

• You must seek to profit from daily market movements in the prices of securities and not from dividends, interest, or capital appreciation.

• Your activity must be substantial.

• You must carry on the activity with continuity and regularity.

The following facts and circumstances should be considered in determining if your activity is a business.

• Typical holding periods for securities bought and sold.

• The frequency and dollar amount of your trades during the year.

• The extent to which you pursue the activity to produce income for a livelihood.

• The amount of time you devote to the activity.

You are considered an investor, and not a trader, if your activity does not meet the above definition of a business. It does not matter whether you call yourself a trader or a "day trader."

Like an investor, a trader must report each sale of securities (taking into account commissions and any other costs of acquiring or disposing of the securities) on Schedule D or D-1 or on an attached statement containing all the same information for each sale in a similar format. However, if a trader previously made the mark-to-market election (see below), each transaction is reported in Part II of Form 4797 instead of Schedules D and D-1. Regardless of whether a trader reports his or her gains and losses on Schedules D and D-1 or Form 4797, the gain or loss from the disposition of securities is not taken into account when figuring net earnings from self-employment on Schedule SE. See the Instructions for Schedule SE for an exception that applies to section 1256 contracts.

The limitation on investment interest expense that applies to investors does not apply to interest paid or incurred in a trading business. A trader reports interest expense and other expenses (excluding commissions and other costs of acquiring or disposing of securities) from a trading business on Schedule C (instead of Schedule A).

A trader also may hold securities for investment. The rules for investors generally will apply to those securities. Allocate interest and other expenses between your trading business and your investment securities.

#### Mark-To-Market Election for Traders

A trader may make an election under section 475(f) to report all gains and losses from securities held in connection with a trading business as ordinary income (or loss), including those from securities held at the end of the year. Securities held at the end of the year are "marked to market" by treating them as if they were sold (and reacquired) for fair market value on the last business day of the year. Generally, the election must be made by the due date (not including extensions) of the tax return for the year prior to the year for which the election becomes effective. To be effective for 2007, the election must have been made by April 17, 2007.

Starting with the year the election becomes effective, a trader reports all gains and losses from securities held in connection with the trading business, including securities held at the end of the year, in Part II of Form 4797. If you previously made the election, see the Instructions for Form 4797. For details on making the mark-to-market election for 2008, see Pub. 550 or Rev. Proc. 99-17, 1999-1 C.B. 503. You can find Rev. Proc. 99-17 on page 52 of Internal Revenue Bulletin 1999-7 at *www.irs.gov/pub/irs-irbs/irb99-07.pdf*.

If you hold securities for investment, you must identify them as such in your records on the day you acquired them (for example, by holding the securities in a separate brokerage account). Securities held for investment are not marked-to-market.

### **Short Sales**

A short sale is a contract to sell property you borrowed for delivery to a buyer. At a later date, you either buy substantially identical property and deliver it to the lender or deliver property that you held but did not want to transfer at the time of the sale. Usually, your holding period is the amount of time you actually held the property eventually delivered to the lender to close the short sale. However, your gain when closing a short sale is short term if you (a) held substantially identical property for 1 year or less on the date of the short sale or (b) acquired property substantially identical to the property sold short after the short sale but on or before the date you close the short sale. If you held substantially identical property for more than 1 year on the date of a short sale, any loss realized on the short sale is a long-term capital loss, even if the property used to close the short sale was held 1 year or less.

### **Gain or Loss From Options**

Report on Schedule D gain or loss from the closing or expiration of an option that is not a section 1256 contract but is a capital asset in your hands. If an option you purchased expired, enter the expiration date in column (c) and enter "EXPIRED" in column (d). If an option that was granted (written) expired, enter the expiration date in column (b) and enter "EXPIRED" in column (e). Fill in the other columns as appropriate. See Pub. 550 for details.

### **Undistributed Capital Gains**

Include on line 11 the amount from box 1a of Form 2439. This represents your share of the undistributed long-term capital gains of

the regulated investment company (including a mutual fund) or real estate investment trust.

If there is an amount in box 1b, include that amount on line 11 of the Unrecaptured Section 1250 Gain Worksheet on page D-9 if you complete line 19 of Schedule D.

If there is an amount in box 1c, see *Exclusion of Gain on Qualified Small Business (QSB) Stock* on this page.

If there is an amount in box 1d, include that amount on line 4 of the 28% Rate Gain Worksheet on page D-8 if you complete line 18 of Schedule D.

Enter on Form 1040, line 70, or Form 1040NR, line 64, the tax paid as shown in box 2 of Form 2439. Also check the box for Form 2439. Add to the basis of your stock the excess of the amount included in income over the amount of the credit for the tax paid. See Pub. 550 for details.

### **Installment Sales**

If you sold property (other than publicly traded stocks or securities) at a gain and you will receive a payment in a tax year after the year of sale, you generally must report the sale on the installment method unless you elect not to. Use Form 6252 to report the sale on the installment method. Also use Form 6252 to report any payment received in 2007 from a sale made in an earlier year that you reported on the installment method.

To elect out of the installment method, report the full amount of the gain on Schedule D on a timely filed return (including extensions) for the year of the sale. If your original return was filed on time, you can make the election on an amended return filed no later than 6 months after the due date of your return (excluding extensions). Write "Filed pursuant to section 301.9100-2" at the top of the amended return.

### Demutualization of Life Insurance Companies

Demutualization of a life insurance company occurs when a mutual life insurance company changes to a stock company. If you were a policyholder or annuitant of the mutual company, you may have received either stock in the stock company or cash in exchange for your equity interest in the mutual company. The basis of your equity interest in the mutual company is considered to be zero.

If the demutualization transaction qualifies as a tax-free reorganization, no gain is recognized on the exchange of your equity interest in the mutual company for stock. The company can advise you if the transaction is a tax-free reorganization. Because the basis of your equity interest in the mutual company is considered to be zero, your basis in the stock received is zero. Your holding period for the new stock includes the period you held an equity interest in the mutual company. If you received cash in exchange for your equity interest, you must recognize a capital gain in an amount equal to the cash received. If you held the equity interest for more than 1 year, report the gain as a long-term capital gain on line 8. If you held the equity interest for 1 year or less, report the gain as a short-term capital gain on line 1.

If the demutualization transaction does not qualify as a tax-free reorganization, you must recognize a capital gain in an amount equal to the cash and fair market value of the stock received. If you held the equity interest for more than 1 year, report the gain as a long-term capital gain on line 8. If you held the equity interest for 1 year or less, report the gain as a short-term capital gain on line 1. Your holding period for the new stock begins on the day after you received the stock.

### Exclusion of Gain on Qualified Small Business (QSB) Stock

Section 1202 allows for an exclusion of up to 50% of the eligible gain on the sale or exchange of QSB stock. The section 1202 exclusion applies only to QSB stock held for more than 5 years. The exclusion can be up to 60% for certain empowerment zone business stock. See *Empowerment Zone Business Stock* on page D-5.

To be QSB stock, the stock must meet all of the following tests.

1. It must be stock in a C corporation (that is, not S corporation stock).

2. It must have been originally issued after August 10, 1993.

3. As of the date the stock was issued, the corporation was a domestic C corporation with total gross assets of \$50 million or less (a) at all times after August 9, 1993, and before the stock was issued and (b) immediately after the stock was issued. Gross assets include those of any predecessor of the corporation. All corporations that are members of the same parent-subsidiary controlled group are treated as one corporation.

4. You must have acquired the stock at its original issue (either directly or through an underwriter), either in exchange for money or other property or as pay for services (other than as an underwriter) to the corporation. In certain cases, you may meet the test if you acquired the stock from another person who met the test (such as by gift or inheritance) or through a conversion or exchange of QSB stock you held.

5. During substantially all the time you held the stock:

a. The corporation was a C corporation,

b. At least 80% of the value of the corporation's assets were used in the active conduct of one or more qualified businesses (defined on page D-5), and

c. The corporation was not a foreign corporation, DISC, former DISC, regulated investment company, real estate investment trust, REMIC, FASIT, cooperative, or a corporation that has made (or that has a subsidiary that has made) a section 936 election.



**SSBIC.** A specialized small business investment company (SSBIC) is treated as having met test 5b on page D-4.

#### **Qualified Business**

A qualified business is any business that is not one of the following.

• A business involving services performed in the fields of health, law, engineering, architecture, accounting, actuarial science, performing arts, consulting, athletics, financial services, or brokerage services.

• A business whose principal asset is the reputation or skill of one or more employees.

• A banking, insurance, financing, leasing, investing, or similar business.

• A farming business (including the raising or harvesting of trees).

• A business involving the production of products for which percentage depletion can be claimed.

• A business of operating a hotel, motel, restaurant, or similar business.

For more details about limits and additional requirements that may apply, see section 1202.

# Empowerment Zone Business Stock

You generally can exclude up to 60% of your gain if you meet the following additional requirements.

1. The stock you sold or exchanged was stock in a corporation that qualified as an empowerment zone business during substantially all of the time you held the stock.

2. You acquired the stock after December 21, 2000.

Requirement 1 will still be met if the corporation ceased to qualify after the 5-year period that began on the date you acquired the stock. However, the gain that qualifies for the 60% exclusion cannot be more than the gain you would have had if you had sold the stock on the date the corporation ceased to qualify.

For more information about empowerment zone businesses, see Pub. 954.

#### **Pass-Through Entities**

If you held an interest in a pass-through entity (a partnership, S corporation, or mutual fund or other regulated investment company) that sold QSB stock, to qualify for the exclusion you must have held the interest on the date the pass-through entity acquired the QSB stock and at all times thereafter until the stock was sold.

#### How To Report

Report on line 8 the entire gain realized on the sale of QSB stock. Complete all columns as indicated. Directly below the line on which you reported the gain, enter in column (a) "Section 1202 exclusion" and enter as a loss in column (f) the amount of the allowable exclusion. If you are completing line 18 of Schedule D, enter as a positive number the amount of your allowable exclusion on line 2 of the 28% Rate Gain Worksheet on page D-8; if you excluded 60% of the gain, enter  $\frac{2}{3}$  of the exclusion.

Gain from Form 1099-DIV. If you received a Form 1099-DIV with a gain in box 2c, part or all of that gain (which is also included in box 2a) may be eligible for the section 1202 exclusion. In column (a) of line 8, enter the name of the corporation whose stock was sold. In column (f), enter the amount of your allowable exclusion as a loss. If you are completing line 18 of Schedule D, enter as a positive number the amount of your allowable exclusion on line 2 of the 28% Rate Gain Worksheet on page D-8; if you excluded 60% of the gain, enter  $\frac{1}{3}$  of the exclusion.

Gain from Form 2439. If you received a Form 2439 with a gain in box 1c, part or all of that gain (which is also included in box 1a) may be eligible for the section 1202 exclusion. In column (a) of line 8, enter the name of the corporation whose stock was sold. In column (f), enter the amount of your allowable exclusion as a loss. If you are completing line 18 of Schedule D, enter as a positive number the amount of your allowable exclusion on line 2 of the 28% Rate Gain Worksheet on page D-8; if you excluded 60% of the gain, enter  $\frac{2}{3}$  of the exclusion.

Gain from an installment sale of QSB stock. If all payments are not received in the year of sale, a sale of QSB stock that is not traded on an established securities market generally is treated as an installment sale and is reported on Form 6252. Figure the allowable section 1202 exclusion for the year by multiplying the total amount of the exclusion by a fraction, the numerator of which is the amount of eligible gain to be recognized for the tax year and the denominator of which is the total amount of eligible gain. In column (a) of line 8, enter the name of the corporation whose stock was sold. In column (f), enter the amount of your allowable exclusion as a loss. If you are completing line 18 of Schedule D, enter as a positive number the amount of your allowable exclusion on line 2 of the 28% Rate Gain Worksheet on page D-8; if you excluded 60% of the gain, enter  $\frac{2}{3}$  of the exclusion.

**Alternative minimum tax.** You must enter 7% of your allowable exclusion for the year on line 12 of Form 6251.

# Rollover of Gain From QSB Stock

If you sold QSB stock (defined on page D-4) that you held for more than 6 months, you can elect to postpone gain if you purchase other QSB stock during the 60-day period that began on the date of the sale. A pass-through entity also can make the election to postpone gain. The benefit of the postponed gain applies to your share of the entity's postponed gain if you held an interest in the entity for the entire period the entity held the QSB stock. If a pass-through

entity sold QSB stock held for more than 6 months and you held an interest in the entity for the entire period the entity held the stock, you also can elect to postpone gain if you, rather than the pass-through entity, purchase the replacement QSB stock within the 60-day period. If you were a partner in a partnership that sold or bought QSB stock, see box 11 of the Schedule K-1 (Form 1065) sent to you by the partnership and Regulations section 1.1045-1.

You must recognize gain to the extent the sale proceeds exceed the cost of the replacement stock. Reduce the basis of the replacement stock by any postponed gain.

You must make the election no later than the due date (including extensions) for filing your tax return for the tax year in which the QSB stock was sold. If your original return was filed on time, you can make the election on an amended return filed no later than 6 months after the due date of your return (excluding extensions). Write "Filed pursuant to section 301.9100-2" at the top of the amended return.

To make the election, report the entire gain realized on the sale on line 1 or 8. Directly below the line on which you reported the gain, enter in column (a) "Section 1045 rollover," and enter the amount of the postponed gain as a (loss) in column (f).

### Rollover of Gain From Empowerment Zone Assets

If you sold a qualified empowerment zone asset that you held for more than 1 year, you may be able to elect to postpone part or all of the gain that you would otherwise include on Schedule D. If you make the election, the gain on the sale generally is recognized only to the extent, if any, that the amount realized on the sale exceeds the cost of qualified empowerment zone assets (replacement property) you purchased during the 60-day period beginning on the date of the sale. The following rules apply.

• No portion of the cost of the replacement property may be taken into account to the extent the cost is taken into account to exclude gain on a different empowerment zone asset.

• The replacement property must qualify as an empowerment zone asset with respect to the same empowerment zone as the asset sold.

• You must reduce the basis of the replacement property by the amount of postponed gain.

• This election does not apply to any gain (a) treated as ordinary income or (b) attributable to real property, or an intangible asset, that is not an integral part of an enterprise zone business.

• The District of Columbia enterprise zone is not treated as an empowerment zone for this purpose.

• The election is irrevocable without IRS consent.

See Pub. 954 for the definition of empowerment zone and enterprise zone busi-

ness. You can find out if your business is located within an empowerment zone by using the RC/EZ/EC Address Locator at *www.hud.gov/crlocator*.

Qualified empowerment zone assets are:

1. Tangible property, if:

a. You acquired the property after December 21, 2000,

b. The original use of the property in the empowerment zone began with you, and

c. Substantially all of the use of the property, during substantially all of the time that you held it, was in your enterprise zone business; and

2. Stock in a domestic corporation or a capital or profits interest in a domestic partnership, if:

a. You acquired the stock or partnership interest after December 21, 2000, solely in exchange for cash, from the corporation at its original issue (directly or through an underwriter) or from the partnership;

b. The business was an enterprise zone business (or a new business being organized as an enterprise zone business) as of the time you acquired the stock or partnership interest; and

c. The business qualified as an enterprise zone business during substantially all of the time during which you held the stock or partnership interest.

How to report. Report the entire gain realized from the sale as you otherwise would without regard to the election. On Schedule D, line 8, enter "Section 1397B Rollover" in column (a) and enter as a loss in column (f) the amount of gain included on Schedule D that you are electing to postpone. If you are reporting the sale directly on Schedule D, line 8, use the line directly below the line on which you are reporting the sale.

See section 1397B for more details.

# Exclusion of Gain From DC Zone Assets

If you sold or exchanged a District of Columbia Enterprise Zone (DC Zone) asset that you held for more than 5 years, you may be able to exclude the amount of qualified capital gain that you would otherwise include on Schedule D. The exclusion applies to an interest in, or property of, certain businesses operating in the District of Columbia.

**DC Zone asset.** A DC Zone asset is any of the following.

- DC Zone business stock.
- DC Zone partnership interest.
- DC Zone business property.

**Qualified capital gain.** Qualified capital gain is any gain recognized on the sale or exchange of a DC Zone asset that is a capital asset or property used in a trade or business. It does not include any of the following gains.

• Gain treated as ordinary income under section 1245.

• Section 1250 gain figured as if section 1250 applied to all depreciation rather than the additional depreciation.

• Gain attributable to real property, or an intangible asset, that is not an integral part of a DC Zone business.

• Gain from a related-party transaction. See *Sales and Exchanges Between Related Persons* in chapter 2 of Pub. 544.

See Pub. 954 and section 1400B for more details on DC Zone assets and special rules.

How to report. Report the entire gain realized from the sale or exchange as you otherwise would without regard to the exclusion. On Schedule D, line 8, enter "DC Zone Asset" in column (a) and enter as a loss in column (f) the amount of the allowable exclusion. If you are reporting the sale directly on Schedule D, line 8, use the line directly below the line on which you are reporting the sale.

### Exclusion of Gain From Qualified Community Assets

If you sold or exchanged a qualified community asset acquired after December 31, 2001, that you held for more than 5 years, you may be able to exclude the qualified capital gain that you would otherwise include on Schedule D. The exclusion applies to an interest in, or property of, certain renewal community businesses.

**Qualified community asset.** A qualified community asset is any of the following.

• Qualified community stock.

• Qualified community partnership interest.

• Qualified community business property.

**Qualified capital gain.** Qualified capital gain is any gain recognized on the sale or exchange of a qualified community asset but does not include any of the following.

• Gain treated as ordinary income under section 1245.

• Section 1250 gain figured as if section 1250 applied to all depreciation rather than the additional depreciation.

• Gain attributable to real property, or an intangible asset, that is not an integral part of a qualified community business.

• Gain from a related-party transaction. See *Sales and Exchanges Between Related Persons* in chapter 2 of Pub. 544.

See Pub. 954 and section 1400F for more details and special rules.

How to report. Report the entire gain realized from the sale or exchange as you otherwise would without regard to the exclusion. On Schedule D, line 8, enter "Qualified Community Asset" in column (a) and enter as a loss in column (f) the amount of the allowable exclusion. If you are reporting the sale directly on Schedule D, line 8, use the line directly below the line on which you are reporting the sale.

# Specific Instructions Lines 1 and 8

Enter all sales and exchanges of capital assets, including stocks, bonds, etc., and real estate (if not reported on Form 4684, 4797, 6252, 6781, or 8824). But do not report the sale or exchange of your main home unless required (see page D-2). Include these transactions even if you did not receive a Form 1099-B or 1099-S (or substitute statement) for the transaction. You can use stock ticker symbols or abbreviations to describe the property as long as they are based on the descriptions of the property as shown on Form 1099-B or 1099-S (or substitute statement).

You must enter the details of each transaction on a separate line of Schedule D. If you have more than five transactions to report on line 1 or line 8, you can report the additional transactions on Schedule D-1. Instead of reporting your transactions on Schedules D and D-1, you can report them on an attached statement containing all the same information as Schedules D and D-1 and in a similar format. Use as many Schedules D-1 or attached statements as you need. Enter on Schedule D, lines 2 and 9, the combined totals from all your Schedules D-1 or the attached statements. Do not enter "available upon request" and summary totals in lieu of reporting the details of each transaction on Schedules D and D-1 or attached statements.



Add the following amounts reported to you for 2007 on Forms 1099-B and 1099-S (or substitute statements) that you

are not reporting on another form or schedule included with your return: (a) proceeds from transactions involving stocks, bonds, and other securities and (b) gross proceeds from real estate transactions (other than the sale of your main home if you are not required to report it). If this total is more than the total of lines 3 and 10, attach an explanation of the difference (for example, you were the nominee for the actual owner of the property).

#### Column (b)—Date Acquired

Enter in this column the date you acquired the asset. Use the trade date for stocks and bonds traded on an exchange or over-the-counter market. For stock or other property sold short, enter the date the stock or property was delivered to the broker or lender to close the short sale.

The date acquired for an asset you held on January 1, 2001, for which you made an election to recognize any gain in a deemed sale is the date of the deemed sale and reacquisition.

If you disposed of property that you acquired by inheritance, report the gain or (loss) on line 8 and enter "INHERITED" in column (b) instead of the date you acquired the property.

If you sold a block of stock (or similar property) that you acquired through several

different purchases, you may report the sale on one line and enter "VARIOUS" in column (b). However, you still must report the short-term gain or (loss) on the sale in Part I and the long-term gain or (loss) in Part II.

### Column (c)—Date Sold

Enter in this column the date you sold the asset. Use the trade date for stocks and bonds traded on an exchange or over-the-counter market. For stock or other property sold short, enter the date you sold the stock or property you borrowed to open the short sale transaction.

### Column (d)—Sales Price

Enter in this column either the gross sales price or the net sales price from the sale. If you sold stocks or bonds and you received a Form 1099-B (or substitute statement) from your broker that shows gross sales price, enter that amount in column (d). But if Form 1099-B (or substitute statement) indicates that gross proceeds minus commissions and option premiums were reported to the IRS, enter that net amount in column (d). If you enter the net amount in column (d), do not include the commissions and option premiums from the sale in column (e).

You should not have received a Form 1099-B (or substitute statement) for a transaction merely representing the return of your original investment in a nontransferable obligation, such as a savings bond or a certificate of deposit. But if you did, report the amount shown on Form 1099-B (or substitute statement) in both columns (d) and (e).



Be sure to add all sales price entries on lines 1 and 8, column (d), to amounts on lines 2 and 9, column (d). Enter the totals on

lines 3 and 10.

#### Column (e)—Cost or Other Basis

In general, the cost or other basis is the cost of the property plus purchase commissions and improvements, minus depreciation, amortization, and depletion. If you inherited the property, got it as a gift, or received it in a tax-free exchange, involuntary conversion, or "wash sale" of stock, you may not be able to use the actual cost as the basis. If you do not use the actual cost, attach an explanation of your basis.

If you sold stock, adjust your basis by subtracting all the nondividend distributions you received before the sale. Also adjust your basis for any stock splits. See Pub. 550 for details.

If you elected to recognize gain on an asset held on January 1, 2001, your basis in the asset is its closing market price or fair market value, whichever applies, on the date of the deemed sale and reacquisition, whether the deemed sale resulted in a gain or an unallowed loss.

You may elect to use an average basis for all shares of a mutual fund (or other regulated investment company) if you acquired the shares at various times and prices and you left the shares on deposit in an account handled by a custodian or agent who acquired or redeemed those shares. If you are reporting an average basis, include "AVGB" in column (a) of Schedule D. For details on making the election and how to figure average basis, see Pub. 564.

The basis of property acquired by gift is generally the basis of the property in the hands of the donor. The basis of property acquired from a decedent is generally the fair market value at the date of death. See Pub. 551 for details.

Increase the cost or other basis of an original issue discount (OID) debt instrument by the amount of OID that has been included in gross income for that instrument. See Pub. 550 for details.

If a charitable contribution deduction is allowed because of a bargain sale of property to a charitable organization, the adjusted basis for purposes of determining gain from the sale is the amount that has the same ratio to the adjusted basis as the amount realized has to the fair market value. See Pub. 544 for details.

Increase your cost or other basis by any expense of sale, such as broker's fees, commissions, state and local transfer taxes, and

### Capital Loss Carryover Worksheet—Lines 6 and 14

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Use this worksheet to figure your capital loss carryovers from 2006 to 2007 if your 2006 Schedule D, line 21, is a loss and (a) that loss is a smaller loss than the loss on your 2006 Schedule D, line 16, or (b) the amount on your 2006 Form 1040, line 41 (or your 2006 Form 1040NR, line 38, if applicable), reduced by any amount on your 2006 Form 8914, line 6, is less than zero. Otherwise, you do not have any carryovers.

	• Enter the amount from your 2006 Form 1040, line 41, or Form 1040NR, line 38. If a loss, enclose the amount in parentheses	
	<ul> <li>Did you file Form 8914 (to claim an exemption amount for housing someone displaced by Hurricane Katrina) for 2006?</li> <li>No. Enter -0</li> <li>Yes. Enter the amount from your 2006 Form 8914, line 6</li></ul>	
3.	• Subtract line 2 from line 1. If the result is less than zero, enclose it in parentheses	
	. Enter the loss from your 2006 Schedule D, line 21, as a positive amount	
5.	. Combine lines 3 and 4. If zero or less, enter -0 5.	
6.	. Enter the smaller of line 4 or line 5 6.	
	If line 7 of your 2006 Schedule D is a loss, go to line 7; otherwise, enter -0- on line 7 and go to line 11.	
	Enter the loss from your 2006 Schedule D, line 7, as a positive amount	
8.	• Enter any gain from your 2006 Schedule D, line 15. If a loss, enter -0 8.	
9.	• Add lines 6 and 8	
	. Short-term capital loss carryover for 2007. Subtract line 9 from line 7. If zero or less, enter -0 If more	
	than zero, also enter this amount on Schedule D, line 6 10.	
	If line 15 of your 2006 Schedule D is a loss, go to line 11; otherwise, skip lines 11 through 15.	
	Enter the loss from your 2006 Schedule D, line 15, as a positive amount	
	• Enter any gain from your 2006 Schedule D, line 7. If a loss, enter -0 12.	
	. Subtract line 7 from line 6. If zero or less, enter -0 13	
	. Add lines 12 and 13 14.	
	. Long-term capital loss carryover for 2007. Subtract line 14 from line 11. If zero or less, enter -0 If more	
	than zero, also enter this amount on Schedule D, line 14 15.	

option premiums, before making an entry in column (e), unless you reported the net sales price in column (d).

For more details, see Pub. 551.

#### Column (f)—Gain or (Loss)

You must make a separate entry in this column for each transaction reported on lines 1 and 8 and any other line(s) that applies to you. For lines 1 and 8, subtract the amount in column (e) from the amount in column (d). Enter negative amounts in parentheses.

### Line 18

If you checked "Yes" on line 17, complete the worksheet below if either of the following apply for 2007.

• You reported in Part II a section 1202 exclusion from the eligible gain on qualified small business stock (see page D-4), or

• You reported in Part II a collectibles gain or (loss). A collectibles gain or (loss) is any long-term gain or deductible long-term loss from the sale or exchange of a collectible that is a capital asset.

Collectibles include works of art, rugs, antiques, metals (such as gold, silver, and platinum bullion), gems, stamps, coins, alcoholic beverages, and certain other tangible property.

Include on the worksheet any gain (but not loss) from the sale or exchange of an interest in a partnership, S corporation, or trust held for more than 1 year and attributable to unrealized appreciation of collectibles. For details, see Regulations section 1.1(h)-1. Also, attach the statement required under Regulations section 1.1(h)-1(e).

### Line 19

If you checked "Yes" on line 17, complete the worksheet on page D-9 if any of the following apply for 2007.

• You sold or otherwise disposed of section 1250 property (generally, real prop-

erty that you depreciated) held more than 1 year.

• You received installment payments for section 1250 property held more than 1 year for which you are reporting gain on the installment method.

• You received a Schedule K-1 from an estate or trust, partnership, or S corporation that shows "unrecaptured section 1250 gain."

• You received a Form 1099-DIV or Form 2439 from a real estate investment trust or regulated investment company (including a mutual fund) that reports "unrecaptured section 1250 gain."

• You reported a long-term capital gain from the sale or exchange of an interest in a partnership that owned section 1250 property.

# Instructions for the Unrecaptured Section 1250 Gain Worksheet

Lines 1 through 3. If you had more than one property described on line 1, complete lines 1 through 3 for each property on a separate worksheet. Enter the total of the line 3 amounts for all properties on line 3 and go to line 4.

Line 4. To figure the amount to enter on line 4, follow the steps below for each installment sale of trade or business property held more than 1 year.

*Step 1.* Figure the smaller of (a) the depreciation allowed or allowable or (b) the total gain for the sale. This is the smaller of line 22 or line 24 of your 2007 Form 4797 (or the comparable lines of Form 4797 for the year of sale) for the property.

Step 2. Reduce the amount figured in step 1 by any section 1250 ordinary income recapture for the sale. This is the amount from line 26g of your 2007 Form 4797 (or the comparable line of Form 4797 for the year of sale) for the property. The result is your total unrecaptured section 1250 gain that must be allocated to the installment payments received from the sale.

Step 3. Generally, the amount of section 1231 gain on each installment payment is treated as unrecaptured section 1250 gain until the total unrecaptured section 1250 gain figured in step 2 has been used in full. Figure the amount of gain treated as unrecaptured section 1250 gain for installment payments received in 2007 as the smaller of (a) the amount from line 26 or line 37 of your 2007 Form 6252, whichever applies, or (b) the amount of unrecaptured section 1250 gain remaining to be reported. This amount is generally the total unrecaptured section 1250 gain for the sale reduced by all gain reported in prior years (excluding section 1250 ordinary income recapture). However, if you chose not to treat all of the gain from payments received after May 6, 1997, and before August 24, 1999, as unrecaptured section 1250 gain, use only the amount you chose to treat as unrecaptured section 1250 gain for those payments to reduce the total unrecaptured section 1250 gain remaining to be reported for the sale. Include this amount on line 4.

Line 10. Include on line 10 your share of the partnership's unrecaptured section 1250 gain that would result if the partnership had transferred all of its section 1250 property in a fully taxable transaction immediately before you sold or exchanged your interest in that partnership. If you recognized less than all of the realized gain, the partnership will be treated as having transferred only a proportionate amount of each section 1250 property. For details, see Regulations section 1.1(h)-1. Also attach the statement required under Regulations section 1.1(h)-1(e).

Line 12. An example of an amount to include on line 12 is unrecaptured section 1250 gain from the sale of a vacation home you previously used as a rental property but converted to personal use prior to the sale. To figure the amount to enter on line 12,

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### 28% Rate Gain Worksheet—Line 18

	Enter the total of all collectibles gain or (loss) from items you reported on line 8, column (f), of Schedules D and D-1 Enter as a positive number the amount of any section 1202 exclusion you reported on line 8, column (f), of Schedules D and D-1, for which you excluded 50% of the gain, plus $\frac{1}{2}$ of any section 1202 exclusion you reported on line 8, column	1
	(f), of Schedules D and D-1, for which you excluded 60% of the gain	2.
3.	Enter the total of all collectibles gain or (loss) from Form 4684, line 4 (but only if Form 4684, line 15, is more than zero); Form 6252; Form 6781, Part II; and Form 8824	3.
4.	Enter the total of any collectibles gain reported to you on:	
	• Form 1099-DIV, box 2d;	4
	• Form 2439, box 1d; and	4
	• Schedule K-1 from a partnership, S corporation, estate, or trust.	
5.	Enter your long-term capital loss carryovers from Schedule D, line 14, and Schedule K-1 (Form 1041), box 11, code C	5. ()
6.	If Schedule D, line 7, is a (loss), enter that (loss) here. Otherwise, enter -0-	<b>6.</b> ()
7.	Combine lines 1 through 6. If zero or less, enter -0 If more than zero, also enter this amount on Schedule D, line 18	7

follow the applicable instructions below.

**Installment sales.** To figure the amount to include on line 12, follow the steps below for each installment sale of property held more than 1 year for which you did not make an entry in Part I of your Form 4797 for the year of sale.

• Step 1. Figure the smaller of (a) the depreciation allowed or allowable or (b) the total gain for the sale. This is the smaller of line 22 or line 24 of your 2007 Form 4797 (or the comparable lines of Form 4797 for the year of sale) for the property.

• Step 2. Reduce the amount figured in step 1 by any section 1250 ordinary income recapture for the sale. This is the amount from line 26g of your 2007 Form 4797 (or the comparable line of Form 4797 for the year of sale) for the property. The result is your total unrecaptured section 1250 gain that must be allocated to the installment payments received from the sale.

• Step 3. Generally, the amount of capital gain on each installment payment is treated as unrecaptured section 1250 gain until the total unrecaptured section 1250 gain figured in step 2 has been used in full. Figure the amount of gain treated as unre-

captured section 1250 gain for installment payments received in 2007 as the smaller of (a) the amount from line 26 or line 37 of your 2007 Form 6252, whichever applies, or (b) the amount of unrecaptured section 1250 gain remaining to be reported. This amount is generally the total unrecaptured section 1250 gain for the sale reduced by all gain reported in prior years (excluding section 1250 ordinary income recapture). However, if you chose not to treat all of the gain from payments received after May 6, 1997, and before August 24, 1999, as unrecaptured section 1250 gain, use only the amount you chose to treat as unrecaptured section 1250 gain for those payments to reduce the total unrecaptured section 1250 gain remaining to be reported for the sale. Include this amount on line 12.

Other sales or dispositions of section 1250 property. For each sale of property held more than 1 year (for which you did not make an entry in Part I of Form 4797), figure the smaller of (a) the depreciation allowed or allowable or (b) the total gain for the sale. This is the smaller of line 22 or line 24 of Form 4797 for the property.

Next, reduce that amount by any section 1250 ordinary income recapture for the sale. This is the amount from line 26g of Form 4797 for the property. The result is the total unrecaptured section 1250 gain for the sale. Include this amount on line 12.

### Line 21

You have a capital loss carryover from 2007 to 2008 if you have a loss on line 16 and either:

• That loss is more than the loss on line 21, or

• The amount on Form 1040, line 41 (or Form 1040NR, line 38, if applicable) is less than zero.

To figure any capital loss carryover to 2008, you will use the Capital Loss Carryover Worksheet in the 2008 Instructions for Schedule D. If you want to figure your carryover now, see Pub. 550.



You will need a copy of your 2007 Form 1040 and Schedule D to figure your capital loss carryover to 2008.

### Unrecaptured Section 1250 Gain Worksheet—Line 19

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If you are not reporting a gain on Form 4797, line 7, skip lines 1 through 9 and go to line 10.
<ol> <li>If you have a section 1250 property in Part III of Form 4797 for which you made an entry in Part I of Form 4797 (but not on Form 6252), enter the smaller of line 22 or line 24 of Form 4797 for that property. If you did not have any such property, go to line 4. If you had more than one such property, see instructions</li></ol>
<b>3.</b> Subtract line 2 from line 1
4. Enter the total unrecaptured section 1250 gain included on line 26 or line 37 of Form(s) 6252 from installment
sales of trade or business property held more than 1 year (see instructions) 4.
5. Enter the total of any amounts reported to you on a Schedule K-1 from a partnership or an S corporation as
"unrecaptured section 1250 gain" 5.
<b>6.</b> Add lines 3 through 5 <b>6. 7.</b> Enter the smaller of line 6 or the gain from Form 4797, line 7 <b>7.</b>
8. Enter the amount, if any, from Form 4797, line 8       8.         9. Subtract line 8 from line 7. If zero or less, enter -0-       9.
<b>10.</b> Enter the amount of any gain from the sale or exchange of an interest in a partnership attributable to
unrecaptured section 1250 gain (see instructions)
<b>11.</b> Enter the total of any amounts reported to you on a Schedule K-1, Form 1099-DIV, or Form 2439 as
"unrecaptured section 1250 gain" from an estate, trust, real estate investment trust, or mutual fund (or other
regulated investment company)
12. Enter the total of any unrecaptured section 1250 gain from sales (including installment sales) or other
dispositions of section 1250 property held more than 1 year for which you did not make an entry in Part I of Form 4797 for the year of sale (see instructions)
13. Add lines 9 through 12       13.
13. Add mics 9 through 12    13.      14. If you had any section 1202 gain or collectibles gain or (loss), enter the total of lines 1
through 4 of the <b>28% Rate Gain Worksheet</b> on page D-8. Otherwise, enter -0 <b>14.</b>
<b>15.</b> Enter the (loss), if any, from Schedule D, line 7. If Schedule D, line 7, is zero or a gain,
enter -0
16. Enter your long-term capital loss carryovers from Schedule D, line 14, and Schedule K-1
(Form 1041), box 11, code C
17. Combine lines 14 through 16. If the result is a (loss), enter it as a positive amount. If the result is zero or a
gain, enter -0
<b>18. Unrecaptured section 1250 gain.</b> Subtract line 17 from line 13. If zero or less, enter -0 If more than zero,
enter the result here and on Schedule D, line 19

### Schedule D Tax Worksheet

Sche	dule D Tax Worksheet Keep for Y	our Records
	pplete this worksheet only if line 18 or line 19 of Schedule D is more than zero. Otherwise, complete the Qualified ital Gain Tax Worksheet on page 35 of the Instructions for Form 1040 (or in the Instructions for Form 1040NR)	
•	eption: Do not use the Qualified Dividends and Capital Gain Tax Worksheet or this worksheet to figure your tax if: Line 15 or line 16 of Schedule D is zero or less and you have no qualified dividends on Form 1040, line 9b (or Form 1	040NR, line 10b);
or •	Form 1040, line 43 (or Form 1040NR, line 40) is zero or less.	
Inst	ead, see the instructions for Form 1040, line 44 (or Form 1040NR, line 41).	
	Enter your taxable income from Form 1040, line 43 (or Form 1040NR, line 40)         Enter your qualified dividends from Form 1040, line 9b (or         Form 1040NR, line 10b) <b>2.</b>	1
3.	Enter the amount from Form 4952 (used to figure investment interest expense deduction) line 4g	
4.	deduction), line 4g       3.         Enter the amount from Form 4952, line         4e*       4.	
5.	Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-       5.         Subtract line 5 from line 2. If zero or less, enter -0-       6.	
7.	Enter the <b>smaller</b> of line 15 or line 16 of Schedule D <b>7.</b>	
8.	Enter the smaller of line 3 or line 4 8 9.	
10.	Add lines 6 and 9 10.	
11. 12.	Add lines 18 and 19 of Schedule D       11.         Enter the smaller of line 9 or line 11       12.	
	Subtract line 12 from line 10	13.
	Subtract line 13 from line 1. If zero or less, enter -0 Enter the <b>smaller</b> of:	14
15.	The amount on line 1 on	
	<ul> <li>The amount on line 1 or</li> <li>\$31,850 if single or married filing separately;</li> <li>\$63,700 if married filing jointly or qualifying widow(er); or</li> <li>15</li> </ul>	
	\$63,700 if married filing jointly or qualifying widow(er); or	
16	\$42,650 if head of household J Enter the <b>smaller</b> of line 14 or line 15 16.	
17.	Subtract line 10 from line 1. If zero or less, enter -0 17.	
18.	Enter the <b>larger</b> of line 16 or line 17 <b>18.</b>	
10	If lines 15 and 16 are the same, skip lines 19 and 20 and go to line 21. Otherwise, go to line 19. Subtract line 16 from line 15	
	Multiply line 19 by 5% (.05)	20.
	If lines 1 and 15 are the same, skip lines 21 through 33 and go to line 34. Otherwise, go to line 21.	
	Enter the <b>smaller</b> of line 1 or line 13 <b>21.</b> Enter the amount from line 19 (if line 19 is blank, enter -0-) <b>22.</b>	
	Subtract line 22 from line 21. If zero or less, enter -0	
24.	Multiply line 23 by 15% (.15)	24.
25	If Schedule D, line 19, is zero or blank, skip lines 25 through 30 and go to line 31. Otherwise, go to line 25. Enter the smaller of line 9 above or Schedule D, line 19	
	Add lines 10 and 18	
27.	Enter the amount from line 1 above	
28.	Subtract line 27 from line 26. If zero or less, enter -0	
	Subtract line 28 from line 25. If zero or less, enter -0	30.
001	If Schedule D, line 18, is zero or blank, skip lines 31 through 33 and go to line 34. Otherwise, go to line 31.	
	Add lines 18, 19, 23, and 29	
	Subtract line 31 from line 1       32.         Multiply line 32 by 28% (.28)	22
	Figure the tax on the amount on <b>line 18</b> . Use the Tax Table or Tax Computation Worksheet, whichever applies	
35.	Add lines 20, 24, 30, 33, and 34	35.
	Figure the tax on the amount on <b>line 1.</b> Use the Tax Table or Tax Computation Worksheet, whichever applies Tax an all taxable income (including capital gains and gualified dividends). Enter the gradient of line 25 or line 26	36.
57.	<b>Tax on all taxable income (including capital gains and qualified dividends).</b> Enter the <b>smaller</b> of line 35 or line 36. Also include this amount on Form 1040, line 44 (or Form 1040NR, line 41)	37.
	*If applicable, enter instead the smaller amount you entered on the dotted line next to line 4e of Form 4952.	



# 2007 Instructions for Schedule E (Form 1040)

# Supplemental Income and Loss

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

## What's New

**Husband-wife qualified joint venture.** Beginning in 2007, you and your spouse, if you are married filing jointly, may be able to elect to be taxed as a qualified joint venture for purposes of reporting income and expenses from a business that you jointly own and operate. To make this election, each of you must file a separate Schedule C or C-EZ. See *Husband-wife qualified joint venture* on page E-3.

# **General Instructions**

### **At-Risk Rules**

Generally, you must complete Form 6198 to figure your allowable loss if you have:

• A loss from an activity carried on as a trade or business or for the production of income, and

• Amounts in the activity for which you are not at risk.

The at-risk rules generally limit the amount of loss (including loss on the disposition of assets) you can claim to the amount you could actually lose in the activity. However, the at-risk rules do not apply to losses from an activity of holding real property placed in service before 1987. They also do not apply to losses from your interest acquired before 1987 in a pass-through entity that is engaged in such activity. The activity of holding mineral property does not qualify for this exception.

In most cases, you are not at risk for amounts such as the following.

• Nonrecourse loans used to finance the activity, to acquire property used in the activity, or to acquire your interest in the activity that are not secured by your own property (other than property used in the activity). However, there is an exception for certain nonrecourse financing borrowed

Use Schedule E (Form 1040) to report income or loss from rental real estate, royalties, partnerships, S corporations, estates, trusts, and residual interests in REMICs.

You can attach your own schedule(s) to report income or loss from any of these sources. Use the same format as on Schedule E.

Enter separately on Schedule E the total income and the total loss for each part. Enclose loss figures in (parentheses).

by you in connection with the activity of holding real property (other than mineral property). See *Qualified nonrecourse financing* below.

• Cash, property, or borrowed amounts used in the activity (or contributed to the activity, or used to acquire your interest in the activity) that are protected against loss by a guarantee, stop-loss agreement, or other similar arrangement (excluding casualty insurance and insurance against tort liability).

• Amounts borrowed for use in the activity from a person who has an interest in the activity (other than as a creditor) or who is related, under section 465(b)(3)(C), to a person (other than you) having such an interest.

**Qualified nonrecourse financing.** Qualified nonrecourse financing is treated as an amount at risk if it is secured by real property used in an activity of holding real property that is subject to the at-risk rules. Qualified nonrecourse financing is financing for which no one is personally liable for repayment and is:

• Borrowed by you in connection with the activity of holding real property (other than mineral property),

• Not convertible from a debt obligation to an ownership interest, and

• Loaned or guaranteed by any federal, state, or local government, or borrowed by you from a qualified person.

**Qualified person.** A qualified person is a person who actively and regularly engages in the business of lending money, such as a bank or savings and loan association. A qualified person cannot be:

• Related to you (unless the nonrecourse financing obtained is commercially reasonable and on substantially the same terms as loans involving unrelated persons),

• The seller of the property (or a person related to the seller), or

• A person who receives a fee due to your investment in real property (or a person related to that person).

For more details about the at-risk rules, see the Instructions for Form 6198 and Pub. 925.

### **Passive Activity Loss Rules**

The passive activity loss rules may limit the amount of losses you can deduct. These rules apply to losses in Parts I, II, and III, and line 40 of Schedule E.

Losses from passive activities may be subject first to the at-risk rules. Losses deductible under the at-risk rules are then subject to the passive activity loss rules.

You generally can deduct losses from passive activities only to the extent of income from passive activities. An exception applies to certain rental real estate activities (explained on page E-2).

#### **Passive Activity**

A passive activity is any business activity in which you did not materially participate and any rental activity, except as explained on this page and page E-2. If you are a limited partner, you generally are not treated as having materially participated in the partnership's activities for the year.

The rental of real or personal property is generally a rental activity under the passive activity loss rules, but exceptions apply. If your rental of property is not treated as a rental activity, you must determine whether it is a trade or business activity, and if so, whether you materially participated in the activity for the tax year.

See the Instructions for Form 8582 to determine whether you materially participated in the activity and for the definition of "rental activity."

See Pub. 925 for special rules that apply to rentals of:

• Substantially nondepreciable property,

• Property incidental to development activities, and

• Property related to activities in which you materially participate.

#### Activities That Are Not Passive Activities

Activities of real estate professionals. If you were a real estate professional for 2007, any rental real estate activity in which you materially participated is not a passive activity. You were a real estate professional for the year, only if you met both of the following conditions.

• More than half of the personal services you performed in trades or businesses during the year were performed in real property trades or businesses in which you materially participated.

• You performed more than 750 hours of services during the year in real property trades or businesses in which you materially participated.

For purposes of this rule, each interest in rental real estate is a separate activity, unless you elect to treat all your interests in rental real estate as one activity. To make this election, attach a statement to your original tax return that declares you are a qualifying taxpayer for the year and you are making the election under section 469(c)(7)(A). The election applies for the year made and all later years in which you are a real estate professional. You can revoke the election only if your facts and circumstances materially change.

If you are married filing jointly, either you or your spouse must meet both of the above conditions, without taking into account services performed by the other spouse.

A real property trade or business is any real property development, redevelopment, construction, reconstruction, acquisition, conversion, rental, operation, management, leasing, or brokerage trade or business. Services you performed as an employee are not treated as performed in a real property trade or business unless you owned more than 5% of the stock (or more than 5% of the capital or profits interest) in the employer.

If you were a real estate professional for 2007, complete Schedule E, line 43.

**Other activities.** The rental of your home that you also used for personal purposes is not a passive activity. See the instructions for line 2 on page E-3.

A working interest in an oil or gas well that you held directly or through an entity that did not limit your liability is not a passive activity even if you did not materially participate.

Royalty income not derived in the ordinary course of a trade or business reported on Schedule E generally is not considered income from a passive activity.

For more details on passive activities, see the Instructions for Form 8582 and Pub. 925.

# Exception for Certain Rental Real Estate Activities

If you meet all of the following conditions, your rental real estate losses are not limited by the passive activity loss rules. If you do not meet all of these conditions, see the Instructions for Form 8582 to find out if you must complete and attach Form 8582 to figure any losses allowed.

1. Rental real estate activities are your only passive activities.

2. You do not have any prior year unallowed losses from any passive activities.

3. All of the following apply if you have an overall net loss from these activities:

a. You actively participated (defined on this page) in all of the rental real estate activities;

b. If married filing separately, you lived apart from your spouse all year;

c. Your overall net loss from these activities is \$25,000 or less (\$12,500 or less if married filing separately);

d. You have no current or prior year unallowed credits from passive activities; and

e. Your modified adjusted gross income (defined below) is \$100,000 or less (\$50,000 or less if married filing separately).

Active participation. You can meet the active participation requirement without regular, continuous, and substantial involvement in real estate activities. But you must have participated in making management decisions or arranging for others to provide services (such as repairs) in a significant and bona fide sense. Such management decisions include:

- Approving new tenants,
- Deciding on rental terms,

• Approving capital or repair expenditures, and

• Other similar decisions.

You are not considered to actively participate if, at any time during the tax year, your interest (including your spouse's interest) in the activity was less than 10% by value of all interests in the activity. If you are a limited partner, you are also not treated as actively participating in a partnership's rental real estate activities.

**Modified adjusted gross income.** This is your adjusted gross income from Form 1040, line 38, or Form 1040NR, line 36, without taking into account:

• Any allowable passive activity loss,

• Rental real estate losses allowed for real estate professionals (see *Activities of real estate professionals* on this page),

• Taxable social security or tier 1 railroad retirement benefits, • Deductible contributions to a traditional IRA or certain other qualified retirement plans under section 219,

• The student loan interest deduction,

- The tuition and fees deduction,
- The domestic production activities deduction.

• The deduction for one-half of self-employment tax,

• The exclusion from income of interest from series EE and I U.S. savings bonds used to pay higher education expenses, and

• Any excluded amounts under an employer's adoption assistance program.

### Reportable Transaction Disclosure Statement

Use Form 8886 to disclose information for each reportable transaction in which you participated. Form 8886 must be filed for each tax year that your federal income tax liability is affected by your participation in the transaction. You may have to pay a penalty if you are required to file Form 8886 but do not do so. The following are reportable transactions.

• Any listed transaction that is the same as or substantially similar to tax avoidance transactions identified by the IRS.

• Any transaction offered under conditions of confidentiality for which you paid an advisor a fee of at least \$50,000.

• Certain transactions for which you have contractual protection against disallowance of the tax benefits.

• Certain transactions resulting in a loss of at least \$2 million in any single tax year or \$4 million in any combination of tax years. (At least \$50,000 for a single tax year if the loss arose from a foreign currency transaction defined in section 988(c)(1), whether or not the loss flows through from an S corporation or partnership.)

• Certain transactions resulting in a tax credit of more than \$250,000, if you held the asset generating the credit for 45 days or less.

See the Instructions for Form 8886 for more details.

# **Specific Instructions**

### Filers of Form 1041

If you are a fiduciary filing Schedule E with Form 1041, enter the estate's or trust's employer identification number (EIN) in the space for "Your social security number."

# Part I

## Income or Loss From Rental Real Estate and Royalties

Use Part I to report:

• Income and expenses from rental real estate (including personal property leased with real estate), and

• Royalty income and expenses.

• For an estate or trust **only**, farm rental income and expenses based on crops or livestock produced by the tenant. **Do not** use Form 4835 or Schedule F (Form 1040) for this purpose.

See the instructions for lines 3 and 4 to determine if you should report your rental real estate and royalty income on Schedule C, Schedule C-EZ, or Form 4835 instead of Schedule E.

If you own a part interest in a rental real estate property, report only your part of the income and expenses on Schedule E.

Complete lines 1 and 2 for each rental real estate property. Leave these lines blank for each royalty property.

If you have more than three rental real estate or royalty properties, complete and attach as many Schedules E as you need to list them. But fill in the "Totals" column on only one Schedule E. The figures in the "Totals" column on that Schedule E should be the combined totals for all properties reported on your Schedules E. If you are also using page 2 of Schedule E, use the same Schedule E on which you entered the combined totals for Part I.

**Personal property.** Do not use Schedule E to report income and expenses from the rental of personal property, such as equipment or vehicles. Instead, use Schedule C or C-EZ if you are in the business of renting personal property. You are in the business of renting personal property if the primary purpose for renting the property is income or profit and you are involved in the rental activity with continuity and regularity.

If your rental of personal property is not a business, see the instructions for Form 1040, lines 21 and 36, to find out how to report the income and expenses.

**Husband-wife qualified joint venture.** Do not use Schedule E to report income and expenses from a rental real estate business that is a qualified joint venture conducted by you and your spouse, if you file a joint return for the tax year.

Generally, if you and your spouse jointly own and operate a business and share in the profits and losses, you are taxed as a partnership. However, your business is a qualified joint venture if you and your spouse materially participate as the only members of a jointly owned and operated business and you jointly elect to be taxed as a qualified joint venture instead of a partnership. For an explanation of "material participation," see the instructions for Schedule C, line G, that begin on page C-2.

To make the election, each of you must report, on a separate Schedule C or C-EZ, his or her share of income and deductions in accordance with your respective interests in the venture. See the instructions for Schedule C or C-EZ and Publication 527 for more details.

As long as you remain qualified, your election cannot be revoked without IRS consent.

**Note.** Rental income reported on Schedule E is not taxable for self-employment tax purposes. However, if you and your spouse make the election described above, each of you may also be subject to self-employment tax figured on Schedule SE.

**Extraterritorial income exclusion.** Except as otherwise provided in the Internal Revenue Code, gross income includes all income from whatever source derived. Gross income, however, does not include extraterritorial income that is qualifying foreign trade income under certain circumstances. Use Form 8873 to figure the extraterritorial income exclusion. Report it on Schedule E as explained in the Instructions for Form 8873.

**Chapter 11 bankruptcy cases.** If you were a debtor in a chapter 11 bankruptcy case, see page 18 of the instructions for Form 1040.

### Line 1

For rental real estate property only, show all of the following.

• The kind of property you rented (for example, townhouse).

• The street address, city or town, and state. You do not have to give the ZIP code.

• Your percentage of ownership in the property, if less than 100%.

### Line 2

If you rented out a dwelling unit that you also used for personal purposes during the year, you may not be able to deduct all the expenses for the rental part. "Dwelling unit" (unit) means a house, apartment, condominium, or similar property.

A day of personal use is any day, or part of a day, that the unit was used by:

• You for personal purposes,

• Any other person for personal purposes, if that person owns part of the unit (unless rented to that person under a "shared equity" financing agreement),

• Anyone in your family (or in the family of someone else who owns part of the unit), unless the unit is rented at a fair rental price to that person as his or her main home, • Anyone who pays less than a fair rental price for the unit, or

• Anyone under an agreement that lets you use some other unit.

Do not count as personal use:

• Any day you spent working substantially full time repairing and maintaining the unit, even if family members used it for recreational purposes on that day, or

• Any days you used the unit as your main home before or after renting it or offering it for rent, if you rented or tried to rent it for at least 12 consecutive months (or for a period of less than 12 consecutive months at the end of which you sold or exchanged it).

Check "Yes" if you or your family used the unit for personal purposes in 2007 more than the greater of:

• 14 days, or

• 10% of the total days it was rented to others at a fair rental price.

Otherwise, check "No."

If you checked "No" you can deduct all your expenses for the rental part, subject to the *At-Risk Rules* and the *Passive Activity Loss Rules* explained beginning on page E-1.

If you checked "Yes" and rented the unit out for fewer than 15 days in 2007, do not report the rental income and do not deduct any rental expenses. If you itemize deductions on Schedule A, you can deduct allowable interest, taxes, and casualty losses.

If you checked "Yes" and rented the unit out for at least 15 days in 2007, you may not be able to deduct all your rental expenses. You can deduct all of the following expenses for the rental part on Schedule E.

- Mortgage interest.
- Real estate taxes.
- Casualty losses.

• Other rental expenses not related to your use of the unit as a home, such as advertising expenses and rental agents' fees.

If any income is left after deducting these expenses, you can deduct other expenses, including depreciation, up to the amount of remaining income. You can carry over to 2008 the amounts you cannot deduct.

See Pub. 527 for details.

### Line 3

If you received rental income from real estate (including personal property leased with real estate) and you were not in the real estate business, report the income on line 3. Use a separate column (A, B, or C) for each rental property. Include income received for renting a room or other space. If you received services or property instead of money as rent, report the fair market value of what you received as rental income.

Be sure to enter the total of all your rents in the "Totals" column even if you have only one property.

If you provided significant services to the renter, such as maid service, report the rental activity on Schedule C or C-EZ, not on Schedule E. Significant services do not include the furnishing of heat and light, cleaning of public areas, trash collection, or similar services.

If you were in the real estate sales business, include on line 3 only the rent received from real estate (including personal property leased with real estate) you held for investment or speculation. Do not use Schedule E to report income and expenses from rentals of real estate held for sale to customers in the ordinary course of your real estate sales business. Instead, use Schedule C or C-EZ for these rentals.

For more details on rental income use TeleTax topic 414 (see the Instructions for Form 1040, page 79), or see Pub. 527.

**Rental income from farm production or crop shares.** Report farm rental income and expenses on Form 4835 if:

• You are an individual,

• You received rental income based on crops or livestock produced by the tenant, and

• You did not materially participate in the management or operation of the farm.

### Line 4

Report on line 4 royalties from oil, gas, or mineral properties (not including operating interests); copyrights; and patents. Use a separate column (A, B, or C) for each royalty property. Be sure to enter the total of all your royalties in the "Totals" column even if you have only one source of royalties.

If you received \$10 or more in royalties during 2007, the payer should send you a Form 1099-MISC or similar statement by January 31, 2008, showing the amount you received.

If you are in business as a self-employed writer, inventor, artist, etc., report your royalty income and expenses on Schedule C or C-EZ.

You may be able to treat amounts received as "royalties" for the transfer of a patent or amounts received on the disposal of coal and iron ore as the sale of a capital asset. For details, see Pub. 544.

Enter on line 4 the gross amount of royalty income, even if state or local taxes were withheld from oil or gas payments you received. Include taxes withheld by the producer on line 16.

# General Instructions for Lines 5 Through 21

Enter your rental and royalty expenses for each property in the appropriate column. You can deduct all ordinary and necessary expenses, such as taxes, interest, repairs, insurance, management fees, agents' commissions, and depreciation.

Do not deduct the value of your own labor or amounts paid for capital investments or capital improvements.

Enter your total expenses for mortgage interest (line 12), total expenses before depreciation expense or depletion (line 19), and depreciation expenses or depletion (line 20) in the "Totals" column even if you have only one property.

**Renting out part of your home.** If you rent out only part of your home or other property, deduct the part of your expenses that applies to the rented part.

**Credit or deduction for access expenditures.** You may be able to claim a tax credit for eligible expenditures paid or incurred in 2007 to provide access to your business for individuals with disabilities. See Form 8826 for details.

You can also elect to deduct up to \$15,000 of qualified costs paid or incurred in 2007 to remove architectural or transportation barriers to individuals with disabilities and the elderly.

You cannot take both the credit and the deduction for the same expenditures.

### Line 6

You can deduct ordinary and necessary auto and travel expenses related to your rental activities, including 50% of meal expenses incurred while traveling away from home. You generally can either deduct your actual expenses or take the standard mileage rate. You must use actual expenses if you used more than four vehicles simultaneously in your rental activities (as in fleet operations). You cannot use actual expenses for a leased vehicle if you previously used the standard mileage rate for that vehicle.

You can use the standard mileage rate for 2007 only if:

• You owned the vehicle and used the standard mileage rate for the first year you placed the vehicle in service, or

• You leased the vehicle and are using the standard mileage rate for the entire lease period (except the period, if any, before 1998).

If you deduct actual auto expenses:

• Include on line 6 the rental activity portion of the cost of gasoline, oil, repairs, insurance, tires, license plates, etc., and

• Show auto rental or lease payments on line 18 and depreciation on line 20.

If you take the standard mileage rate, multiply the number of miles you drove

your auto in connection with your rental activities by 48.5 cents. Include this amount and your parking fees and tolls on line 6.

If you claim any auto expenses (actual or the standard mileage rate), you must complete Part V of Form 4562 and attach Form 4562 to your tax return.

See Pub. 527 and Pub. 463 for details.

### Line 10

Include on line 10 fees for tax advice and the preparation of tax forms related to your rental real estate or royalty properties.

Do not deduct legal fees paid or incurred to defend or protect title to property, to recover property, or to develop or improve property. Instead, you must capitalize these fees and add them to the property's basis.

### Lines 12 and 13

In general, to determine the interest expense allocable to your rental activities, you must have records to show how the proceeds of each debt were used. Specific tracing rules apply for allocating debt proceeds and repayment. See Pub. 535 for details.

If you have a mortgage on your rental property, enter on line 12 the amount of interest you paid for 2007 to banks or other financial institutions. Be sure to enter the total of all your mortgage interest in the "Totals" column even if you have only one property.

Do not deduct prepaid interest when you paid it. You can deduct it only in the year to which it is properly allocable. Points, including loan origination fees, charged only for the use of money must be deducted over the life of the loan.

If you paid \$600 or more in interest on a mortgage during 2007, the recipient should send you a Form 1098 or similar statement by January 31, 2008, showing the total interest received from you.

If you paid more mortgage interest than is shown on your Form 1098 or similar statement, see Pub. 535 to find out if you can deduct part or all of the additional interest. If you can, enter the entire deductible amount on line 12. Attach a statement to your return explaining the difference. On the dotted line next to line 12, enter "See attached."

**Note.** If the recipient was not a financial institution or you did not receive a Form 1098 from the recipient, report your deductible mortgage interest on line 13.

If you and at least one other person (other than your spouse if you file a joint return) were liable for and paid interest on the mortgage, and the other person received Form 1098, report your share of the deductible interest on line 13. Attach a statement to your return showing the name and address of the person who received Form 1098. On the dotted line next to line 13, enter "See attached."

### Line 14

You can deduct the cost of repairs made to keep your property in good working condition. Repairs generally do not add significant value to the property or extend its life. Examples of repairs are fixing a broken lock or painting a room. Improvements that increase the value of the property or extend its life, such as replacing a roof or renovating a kitchen, must be capitalized and depreciated (that is, they cannot be deducted in full in the year they are paid or incurred). See the instructions for line 20.

### Line 17

You can deduct the cost of ordinary and necessary telephone calls related to your rental activities or royalty income (for example, calls to the renter). However, the base rate (including taxes and other charges) for local telephone service for the first telephone line into your residence is a personal expense and is not deductible.

### Line 20

Depreciation is the annual deduction you must take to recover the cost or other basis of business or investment property having a useful life substantially beyond the tax year. Land is not depreciable.

Depreciation starts when you first use the property in your business or for the production of income. It ends when you deduct all your depreciable cost or other basis or no longer use the property in your business or for the production of income.

See the Instructions for Form 4562 to figure the amount of depreciation to enter on line 20. Be sure to enter the total of all your depreciation in the "Totals" column even if you have only one property.

You must complete and attach Form 4562 only if you are claiming:

• Depreciation on property first placed in service during 2007,

• Depreciation on listed property (defined in the Instructions for Form 4562), including a vehicle, regardless of the date it was placed in service, or

• A section 179 expense deduction or amortization of costs that began in 2007.

See Pub. 527 for more information on depreciation of residential rental property. See Pub. 946 for a more comprehensive guide to depreciation.

If you have an economic interest in mineral property, you may be able to take a deduction for depletion. Mineral property includes oil and gas wells, mines, and other natural deposits (including geothermal deposits). See Pub. 535 for details.

### Line 22

If you have amounts for which you are not at risk, use Form 6198 to determine the amount of your deductible loss. Enter that amount in the appropriate column of Schedule E, line 22. In the space to the left of line 22, enter "Form 6198." Attach Form 6198 to your return. For details on the at-risk rules, see page E-1.

### Line 23

Do not complete line 23 if the amount on line 22 is from royalty properties.

If you have a rental real estate loss from a passive activity (defined on page E-1), the amount of loss you can deduct may be limited by the passive activity loss rules. You may need to complete Form 8582 to figure the amount of loss, if any, to enter on line 23.

If your rental real estate loss is not from a passive activity or you meet the exception for certain rental real estate activities (explained on page E-2), you do not have to complete Form 8582. Enter the loss from line 22 on line 23.

# Parts II and III

If you need more space in Part II or III to list your income or losses, attach a continuation sheet using the same format as shown in Part II or III. However, be sure to complete the "Totals" columns for lines 29a and 29b, or lines 34a and 34b, as appropriate. If you also completed Part I on more than one Schedule E, use the same Schedule E on which you entered the combined totals in Part I.

**Tax preference items.** If you are a partner, a shareholder in an S corporation, or a beneficiary of an estate or trust, you must take into account your share of preferences and adjustments from these entities for the alternative minimum tax on Form 6251 or Schedule I of Form 1041.

# Part II

### Income or Loss From Partnerships and S Corporations

If you are a member of a partnership or joint venture or a shareholder in an S corporation, use Part II to report your share of the partnership or S corporation income (even if not received) or loss.

You should receive a Schedule K-1 from the partnership or S corporation. You should also receive a copy of the Partner's or Shareholder's Instructions for Schedule K-1. Your copy of Schedule K-1 and its instructions will tell you where on your return to report your share of the items. If you did not receive these instructions with your Schedule K-1, see the Instructions for Form 1040, page 82, or the Instructions for Form 1040NR, page 31, for how to get a copy. Do not attach Schedules K-1 to your return. Keep them for your records.

If you are treating items on your tax return differently from the way the partnership (other than an electing large partnership) or S corporation reported them on its return, you may have to file Form 8082. If you are a partner in an electing large partnership, you must report the items shown on Schedule K-1 (Form 1065-B) on your tax return the same way that the partnership reported the items on Schedule K-1.

**Special rules that limit losses.** Please note the following.

• If you have a current year loss, or a prior year unallowed loss, from a partnership or an S corporation, see *At-Risk Rules* and *Passive Activity Loss Rules* on page E-1.

Partners and S corporation shareholders should get a separate statement of income, expenses, deductions, and credits for each activity engaged in by the partnership and S corporation. If you are subject to the at-risk rules for any activity, check the box on the appropriate line in Part II, column (e) of Schedule E, and use Form 6198 to figure the amount of any deductible loss. If the activity is nonpassive, enter any deductible loss from Form 6198 on the appropriate line in Part II, column (h) of Schedule E.

• If you have a passive activity loss, you generally need to complete Form 8582 to figure the amount of the allowable loss to enter in Part II, column (f), for that activity. But if you are a general partner or an S corporation shareholder reporting your share of a partnership or an S corporation loss from a rental real estate activity and you meet all of the conditions listed on page E-2 under *Exception for Certain Rental Real Estate Activities*, you do not have to complete Form 8582. Instead, enter your allowable loss in Part II, column (f).

If you have passive activity income, complete Part II, column (g), for that activity.

If you have nonpassive income or losses, complete Part II, columns (h) through (j), as appropriate.

#### **Partnerships**

See the Schedule K-1 instructions before entering on your return other partnership items from a passive activity or income or loss from any publicly traded partnership.

You can deduct unreimbursed ordinary and necessary expenses you paid on behalf of the partnership if you were required to pay these expenses under the partnership agreement. See the instructions for line 27 on page E-6 for how to report these expenses.

Report allowable interest expense paid or incurred from debt-financed acquisitions in Part II or on Schedule A depending on the type of expenditure to which the interest is allocated. See Pub. 535 for details.

If you claimed a credit for federal tax on gasoline or other fuels on your 2006 Form 1040, or Form 1040NR, based on information received from the partnership, enter as income in column (g) or column (j), whichever applies, the amount of the credit claimed for 2006.

Part or all of your share of partnership income or loss from the operation of the business may be considered net earnings from self-employment that must be reported on Schedule SE. Enter the amount from Schedule K-1 (Form 1065), box 14, code A (or from Schedule K-1 (Form 1065-B), box 9 (code J1)), on Schedule SE, after you reduce this amount by any allowable expenses attributable to that income.

**Foreign partnerships.** If you are a U.S. person, you may have to file Form 8865 if any of the following applies.

1. You controlled a foreign partnership (that is, you owned more than a 50% direct or indirect interest in the partnership).

2. You owned at least a 10% direct or indirect interest in a foreign partnership while U.S. persons controlled that partnership.

3. You had an acquisition, disposition, or change in proportional interest of a foreign partnership that:

a. Increased your direct interest to at least 10% or reduced your direct interest of at least 10% to less than 10%, or

b. Changed your direct interest by at least a 10% interest.

4. You contributed property to a foreign partnership in exchange for a partnership interest if:

a. Immediately after the contribution, you owned, directly or indirectly, at least a 10% interest in the partnership, or

b. The value of the property you contributed, when added to the value of any other property you or any related person contributed to the partnership during the 12-month period ending on the date of transfer, exceeds \$100,000.

Also, you may have to file Form 8865 to report certain dispositions by a foreign partnership of property you previously contributed to that partnership if you were a partner at the time of the disposition.

For more details, including penalties for failing to file Form 8865, see Form 8865 and its separate instructions.

#### S Corporations

If you are a shareholder in an S corporation, your share of the corporation's aggregate losses and deductions (combined income, losses, and deductions) is limited to the adjusted basis of your corporate stock and any debt the corporation owes you. Any loss or deduction not allowed this year because of the basis limitation can be carried forward and deducted in a later year subject to the basis limitation for that year.

If you are claiming a deduction for your share of an aggregate loss, attach to your return a computation of the adjusted basis of your corporate stock and of any debt the corporation owes you. See the Schedule K-1 instructions for details.

After applying the basis limitation, the deductible amount of your aggregate losses and deductions may be further reduced by the at-risk rules and the passive activity loss rules. See page E-1.

Distributions of prior year accumulated earnings and profits of S corporations are dividends and are reported on Form 1040, line 9a.

Interest expense relating to the acquisition of shares in an S corporation may be fully deductible on Schedule E. For details, see Pub. 535.

Your share of the net income of an S corporation is not subject to self-employment tax.

### Line 27

If you answered "Yes" on line 27, follow the instructions below. If you fail to follow these instructions, the IRS may send you a notice of additional tax due because the amounts reported by the partnership or S corporation on Schedule K-1 do not match the amounts you reported on your tax return.

#### Losses Not Allowed in Prior Years Due to the At-Risk or Basis Limitations

• Enter your total prior year unallowed losses that are now deductible on a separate line in column (h) of line 28. Do not combine these losses with, or net them against, any current year amounts from the partnership or S corporation.

• Enter "PYA" (prior year amount) in column (a) of the same line.

#### Prior Year Unallowed Losses From a Passive Activity Not Reported on Form 8582

• Enter on a separate line in column (f) of line 28 your total prior year unallowed losses not reported on Form 8582. Such losses include prior year unallowed losses that are now deductible because you did not have an overall loss from all passive activities or you disposed of your entire interest in a passive activity in a fully taxable transaction. Do not combine these losses with, or net them against, any current year amounts from the partnership or S corporation.

• Enter "PYA" (prior year amount) in column (a) of the same line.

#### Unreimbursed Partnership Expenses

• You can deduct unreimbursed ordinary and necessary partnership expenses you paid on behalf of the partnership on Schedule E if you were required to pay these expenses under the partnership agreement (except amounts deductible only as itemized deductions, which you must enter on Schedule A).

• Enter unreimbursed partnership expenses from nonpassive activities on a separate line in column (h) of line 28. Do not combine these expenses with, or net them against, any other amounts from the partnership.

• If the expenses are from a passive activity and you are not required to file Form 8582, enter the expenses related to a passive activity on a separate line in column (f) of line 28. Do not combine these expenses with, or net them against, any other amounts from the partnership.

• Enter "UPE" (unreimbursed partnership expenses) in column (a) of the same line.

### Line 28

For nonpassive income or loss (and passive income or losses for which you are not filing Form 8582), enter in the applicable column of line 28 your current year ordinary income or loss from the partnership or S corporation. Report each related item required to be reported on Schedule E (including items of income or loss stated separately on Schedule K-1) in the applicable column of a separate line following the line on which you reported the current year ordinary income or loss. Also enter a description of the related item (for example, depletion) in column (a) of the same line.

If you are required to file Form 8582, see the Instructions for Form 8582 before completing Schedule E.

## Part III

# Income or Loss From Estates and Trusts

If you are a beneficiary of an estate or trust, use Part III to report your part of the income (even if not received) or loss. You should receive a Schedule K-1 (Form 1041) from the fiduciary. Your copy of Schedule K-1 and its instructions will tell you where on your return to report the items from Schedule K-1. Do not attach Schedule K-1 to your return. Keep it for your records.

If you are treating items on your tax return differently from the way the estate or trust reported them on its return, you may have to file Form 8082. If you have estimated taxes credited to you from a trust (Form 1041, Schedule K-1, box 13, code A), enter "ES payment claimed" and the amount on the dotted line next to line 37. Do not include this amount in the total on line 37. Instead, enter the amount on Form 1040, line 65.

A U.S. person who transferred property to a foreign trust may have to report the income received by the trust as a result of the transferred property if, during 2007, the trust had a U.S. beneficiary. See section 679. An individual who received a distribution from, or who was the grantor of or transferor to, a foreign trust must also complete Part III of Schedule B (Form 1040) and may have to file Form 3520. In addition, the owner of a foreign trust must ensure that the trust files an annual information return on Form 3520-A.

# Part IV

### Income or Loss From Real Estate Mortgage Investment Conduits (REMICs)

If you are the holder of a residual interest in a REMIC, use Part IV to report your total share of the REMIC's taxable income or loss for each quarter included in your tax year. You should receive Schedule Q (Form 1066) and instructions from the REMIC for each quarter. Do not attach Schedules Q to your return. Keep them for your records.

If you are treating REMIC items on your tax return differently from the way the REMIC reported them on its return, you may have to file Form 8082.

If you are the holder of a residual interest in more than one REMIC, attach a continuation sheet using the same format as in Part IV. Enter the combined totals of columns (d) and (e) on Schedule E, line 39. If you also completed Part I on more than one Schedule E, use the same Schedule E on which you entered the combined totals in Part I.

REMIC income or loss is not income or loss from a passive activity.

**Note.** If you are the holder of a regular interest in a REMIC, do not use Schedule E to report the income you received. Instead, report it on Form 1040, line 8a.

**Column (c).** Report the total of the amounts shown on Schedule(s) Q, line 2c. This is the smallest amount you are allowed to report as your taxable income (Form 1040, line 43). It is also the smallest amount you are allowed to report as your alternative minimum taxable income (AMTI) on Form 6251, line 28.

If the amount in column (c) is larger than your taxable income would otherwise be, enter the amount from column (c) on Form 1040, line 43. Similarly, if the amount in column (c) is larger than your AMTI would otherwise be, enter the amount from column (c) on Form 6251, line 28. Enter "Sch. Q" on the dotted line to the left of this amount on Form 1040, line 43, and Form 6251, line 28, if applicable.

**Note.** These rules also apply to estates and trusts that hold a residual interest in a REMIC. Be sure to make the appropriate entries on the comparable lines on Form 1041.



Do not include the amount shown in column (c) in the total on Schedule E, line 39.

**Column (e).** Report the total of the amounts shown on Schedule(s) Q, line 3b. If you itemize your deductions, include this amount on Form 1040, Schedule A, line 23.

# Part V Summary Line 42

You will not be charged a penalty for underpayment of estimated tax if:

1. Your gross farming or fishing income for 2006 or 2007 is at least two-thirds of your gross income, and

2. You file your 2007 tax return and pay the tax due by March 3, 2008.

**Paperwork Reduction Act Notice.** We ask for the information on this form to carry out the Internal Revenue laws of the United States. You are required to give us the information. We need it to ensure that you are complying with these laws and to allow us to figure and collect the right amount of tax.

You are not required to provide the information requested on a form that is subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act unless the form displays a valid OMB control number. Books or records relating to a form or its instructions must be retained as long as their contents may become material in the administration of any Internal Revenue law. Generally, tax returns and return information are confidential, as required by section 6103.

The time needed to complete and file this form will vary depending on individual circumstances. The estimated burden for individual taxpayers filing this form is included in the estimates shown in the instructions for their individual income tax return. The estimated burden for all other taxpayers who file this form is approved under OMB control number 1545–1972 and is shown below.

Recordkeeping	3 hr.
Learning about the law or	
the form	1 hr., 13 min.
Preparing the form	1 hr., 27 min.
Copying, assembling, and	
sending the form to the IRS	34 min.

If you have comments concerning the accuracy of these time estimates or suggestions for making this form simpler, we would be happy to hear from you. See the instructions for the tax return with which this form is filed.



# **2007 Instructions for Schedule F**

# **Profit or Loss** From Farming

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

# What's New

**Husband-wife farm.** Beginning in 2007, you and your spouse, if you are filing married filing jointly, may be able to make a joint election to be taxed as a qualified joint venture instead of a partnership. See *Exception—Qualified joint venture* under *Husband-wife farm* on this page.

Section 179 deduction increased. For property placed in service in 2007, the limit for the section 179 deduction to expense certain depreciable business property has been increased to \$125,000. This limit will be reduced when the total cost of section 179 property placed in service during the tax year exceeds \$500,000.

Work opportunity credit and welfare-to-work credit extended and combined. For 2007, both credits have been combined, modified, and extended for qualified wages paid to an employee.

**Indian employment credit has been extended.** The Indian employment credit has been extended for qualified wages paid to an employee through December 31, 2007.

Hurricane Katrina housing credit has expired. This credit was available for lodging furnished to qualified employees between January 1, 2006 and July 1, 2006, and was claimed on Section B of Form 5884-A.

# **General Instructions**

### Other Schedules and Forms You May Have To File

• Schedule E, Part I, to report rental income from pastureland that is based on a flat charge. Report on Schedule F, line 10, pasture income received from taking care of someone else's livestock. Also, use Schedule E, Part I, to report farm rental Use Schedule F (Form 1040) to report farm income and expenses. File it with Form 1040, 1040NR, 1041, 1065, or 1065-B.

Your farming activity may subject you to state and local taxes and other requirements such as business licenses and fees. Check with your state and local governments for more information.

Additional information. Pub. 225 has samples of filled-in forms and schedules, and lists important dates that apply to farmers.

income and expenses of a trust or estate based on crops or livestock produced by a tenant.

• Schedule J to figure your tax by averaging your farm income over the previous 3 years. Doing so may reduce your tax.

• Schedule SE to pay self-employment tax on income from your farming business.

• Form 4562 to claim depreciation on assets placed in service in 2007, to claim amortization that began in 2007, to make an election under section 179 to expense certain property, or to report information on vehicles and other listed property.

• Form 4684 to report a casualty or theft gain or loss involving farm business property, including purchased livestock held for draft, breeding, sport, or dairy purposes. See Pub. 225 for more information on how to report various farm losses, such as losses due to death of livestock or damage to crops or other farm property.

• Form 4797 to report sales, exchanges, or involuntary conversions (other than from a casualty or theft) of certain farm property. Also use this form to report sales of livestock held for draft, breeding, sport, or dairy purposes.

• Form 4835 to report rental income based on crop or livestock shares produced by a tenant if you are an individual who did not materially participate in the management or operation of a farm. This income is not subject to self-employment tax. See Pub. 225.

• Form 8824 to report like-kind exchanges.

• Form 8903 to take a deduction for income from domestic production activities.

• Form 8910 to claim a credit for placing a new alternative motor vehicle in service for business use.

• Form 8911 to claim a credit for placing qualified alternative fuel vehicle refueling property in service for business use.

Heavy highway vehicle use tax. If you use certain highway trucks, truck-trailers, tractor trailers, or buses in your farming business, you may have to pay a federal highway motor vehicle use tax. See the Instructions for Form 2290 to find out if you owe this tax.

**Information returns.** You may have to file information returns for wages paid to employees, certain payments of fees and other nonemployee compensation, interest, rents, royalties, real estate transactions, annuities, and pensions. You may also have to file an information return if you sold \$5,000 or more of consumer products to a person on a buy-sell, deposit-commission, or other similar basis for resale. For details, see the 2007 General Instructions for Forms 1099, 1098, 5498, and W-2G.

If you received cash of more than \$10,000 in one or more related transactions in your farming business, you may have to file Form 8300. For details, see Pub. 1544.

**Reportable transaction disclosure statement.** If you entered into a reportable transaction in 2007, you must file Form 8886 to disclose information if your federal income tax liability is affected by your participation in the transaction. You may have to pay a penalty if you are required to file Form 8886 but do not do so. You may also have to pay interest and penalties on any reportable transaction understatements. For more information on reportable transactions, see *Reportable Transaction Disclosure Statement* on page C-2 of the instructions for Schedule C.

**Husband-wife farm.** If you and your spouse jointly own and operate a farm and share in the profits and losses, you are partners in a partnership whether or not you have a formal partnership agreement. File Form 1065 instead of Schedule F.

**Exception**—Qualified joint venture. If you and your spouse materially participate as the only members of a jointly owned and operated farm and you file a joint tax return, you can make a joint election to be taxed as a qualified joint venture instead of a partnership. For an explanation of "material participation," see the instructions for Schedule C, line G, that begin on page C-2, and the instructions for line E on page F-2. You must divide all items of income, gain, loss, deduction, and credit between you and your spouse in accordance with your re-

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spective interests in the venture. Each of you must file a separate Schedule F.

### **Estimated Tax**

If you had to make estimated tax payments for 2007 and you underpaid your estimated tax, you will not be charged a penalty if both of the following apply.

• Your gross farming or fishing income for 2006 or 2007 is at least two-thirds of your gross income.

• You file your 2007 tax return and pay the tax due by March 3, 2008.

For details, see Pub. 225.

# **Specific Instructions**

Filers of Forms 1041, 1065, and 1065-B. Do not complete the block labeled "Social security number (SSN)." Instead, enter your employer identification number (EIN) on line D.

## Line B

On line B, enter one of the 14 principal agricultural activity codes listed in Part IV on page 2 of Schedule F. Select the code that best describes the source of most of your income.

# Line C

If you use the cash method, check box 1, labeled "Cash." Complete Schedule F, Parts I and II. Generally, report income in the year in which you actually or constructively received it and deduct expenses in the year you paid them. However, if the payment of an expenditure creates an asset having a useful life that extends substantially beyond the close of the year, it may not be deductible or may be deductible only in part for the year of the payment. See Pub. 225.

If you use an accrual method, check box 2, labeled "Accrual." Complete Schedule F, Parts II, III, and Part I, line 11. Generally, report income in the year in which you earned it and deduct expenses in the year you incurred them, even if you did not pay them in that year. Accrual basis taxpayers are put on a cash basis for deducting business expenses owed to a related cash-basis taxpayer. Other rules determine the timing of deductions based on economic performance. See Pub. 538.

Farming syndicates cannot use the cash method of accounting. A farming syndicate may be a partnership, any other noncorporate group, or an S corporation if:

• The interests in the business have at any time been offered for sale in a way that would require registration with any federal or state agency, or • More than 35% of the loss during any tax year is shared by limited partners or limited entrepreneurs. A limited partner is one who can lose only the amount invested or required to be invested in the partnership. A limited entrepreneur is a person who does not take any active part in managing the business.

# Line D

You need an employer identification number (EIN) only if you had a qualified retirement plan or were required to file an employment, excise, estate, trust, partnership, or alcohol, tobacco, and firearms tax return. If you need an EIN, see the Instructions for Form SS-4. If you do not have an EIN, leave line D blank.

# Line E

**Material participation.** For the definition of material participation for purposes of the passive activity rules, see the instructions for Schedule C, line G, that begin on page C-2. If you meet any of the material participation tests described in those instructions, check the "Yes" box.

If you are a retired or disabled farmer, you are treated as materially participating in a farming business if you materially participated 5 or more of the 8 years preceding your retirement or disability. Also, a surviving spouse is treated as materially participating in a farming activity if he or she actively manages the farm and the real property used for farming meets the estate tax rules for special valuation of farm property passed from a qualifying decedent.

Check the "No" box if you did not materially participate. If you checked "No" and you have a loss from this business, see *Limit on passive losses* below. If you have a profit from this business activity but have current year losses from other passive activities or prior year unallowed passive activity losses, see the Instructions for Form 8582.

Limit on passive losses. If you checked the "No" box and you have a loss from this business, you may have to use Form 8582 to figure your allowable loss, if any, to enter on Schedule F, line 36. Generally, you can deduct losses from passive activities only to the extent of income from passive activities. For details, see Pub. 925.

# Part I. Farm Income— Cash Method

In Part I, show income received for items listed on lines 1 through 10. Generally, include both the cash actually or constructively received and the fair market value of goods or other property received for these items. Income is constructively received when it is credited to your account or set aside for you to use. However, direct payments or counter-cyclical payments received under the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 are required to be included in income only in the year of actual receipt.

If you ran the farm yourself and received rents based on crop shares or farm production, report these rents as income on line 4.

Sales of livestock because of weather-related conditions. If you sold livestock because of drought, flood, or other weather-related conditions, you can elect to report the income from the sale in the year after the year of sale if all of the following apply.

• Your main business is farming.

• You can show that you sold the livestock only because of weather-related conditions.

- Your area qualified for federal aid.
- See Pub. 225 for details.

**Chapter 11 bankruptcy.** If you were a debtor in a chapter 11 bankruptcy case during 2007, see page 18 in the instructions for Form 1040 and page SE-2 of the instructions for Schedule SE (Form 1040).

Forms 1099 or CCC-1099-G. If you received Forms 1099 or CCC-1099-G showing amounts paid to you, first determine if the amounts are to be included with farm income. Then, use the following chart to determine where to report the income on Schedule F. Include the Form 1099 or CCC-1099-G amounts in the total amount reported on that line.

Form	Where to report
1099-PATR	Line 5a
1099-A	Line 7b
1099-MISC for crop	
insurance	Line 8a
1099-G or CCC-1099-G	
• for disaster payments	Line 8a
• for other agricultural	
program payments	Line 6a

You may also receive Form 1099-MISC for other types of income. In this case, report it on whichever line best describes the income. For example, if you received a Form 1099-MISC for custom farming work, include this amount on line 9, "Custom hire (machine work) income."

# Lines 5a and 5b

If you received distributions from a cooperative in 2007, you should receive a Form 1099-PATR. On line 5a, show your total distributions from cooperatives. This includes patronage dividends, nonpatronage distributions, per-unit retain allocations, and redemptions of nonqualified written notices of allocation and per-unit retain certificates.

Show patronage dividends received in cash and the dollar amount of qualified written notices of allocation. If you received property as patronage dividends, report the fair market value of the property as income. Include cash advances received from a marketing cooperative. If you received per-unit retains in cash, show the amount of cash. If you received qualified per-unit retain certificates, show the stated dollar amount of the certificates.

Do not include as income on line 5b patronage dividends from buying personal or family items, capital assets, or depreciable assets. Enter these amounts on line 5a only. Because you do not report patronage dividends from these items as income, you must subtract the amount of the dividend from the cost or other basis of these items.

### Lines 6a and 6b

Enter on line 6a the total of the following amounts.

- Direct payments.
- Counter-cyclical payments.
- Price support payments.

• Market gain from the repayment of a secured Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC) loan for less than the original loan amount.

- Diversion payments.
- Cost-share payments (sight drafts).

• Payments in the form of materials (such as fertilizer or lime) or services (such as grading or building dams).

These amounts are government payments you received and are usually reported to you on Form 1099-G. You may also receive Form CCC-1099-G from the Department of Agriculture showing the amounts and types of payments made to you.

On line 6b, report only the taxable amount. For example, do not report the market gain shown on Form CCC-1099-G on line 6b if you elected to report CCC loan proceeds as income in the year received (see *Lines 7a Through 7c* below). No gain results from redemption of the commodity because you previously reported the CCC loan proceeds as income. You are treated as repurchasing the commodity for the amount of the loan repayment. However, if you did not report the CCC loan proceeds under the election, you must report the market gain on line 6b.

# Lines 7a Through 7c

**Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC) loans.** Generally, you do not report CCC loan proceeds as income. However, if you pledge part or all of your production to secure a CCC loan, you can elect to report the loan proceeds as income in the year you receive them, instead of the year you sell the crop. If you make this election (or made the election in a prior year), report loan proceeds you received in 2007 on line 7a. Attach a statement to your return showing the details of the loan(s).

**Forfeited CCC loans.** Include the full amount forfeited on line 7b, even if you reported the loan proceeds as income. This amount may be reported to you on Form 1099-A.

If you did not elect to report the loan proceeds as income, also include the forfeited amount on line 7c.

If you did elect to report the loan proceeds as income, you generally will not have an entry on line 7c. But if the amount forfeited is different from your basis in the commodity, you may have an entry on line 7c.

See Pub. 225 for details on the tax consequences of electing to report CCC loan proceeds as income or forfeiting CCC loans.

## Lines 8a Through 8d

In general, you must report crop insurance proceeds in the year you receive them. Federal crop disaster payments are treated as crop insurance proceeds. However, if 2007 was the year of damage, you can elect to include certain proceeds in income for 2008. To make this election, check the box on line 8c and attach a statement to your return. See Pub. 225 for a description of the proceeds for which an election can be made and for what you must include in your statement.

Generally, if you elect to defer any eligible crop insurance proceeds, you must defer all such crop insurance proceeds (including federal crop disaster payments).

Enter on line 8a the total crop insurance proceeds you received in 2007, even if you elect to include them in income for 2008.

Enter on line 8b the taxable amount of the proceeds you received in 2007. Do not include proceeds you elect to include in income for 2008.

Enter on line 8d the amount, if any, of crop insurance proceeds you received in 2006 and elected to include in income for 2007.

# Line 10

Use this line to report income not shown on lines 1 through 9, such as the following.

• Illegal federal irrigation subsidies. See Pub. 225.

• Bartering income.

• Income from cancellation of debt. Generally, if a debt is canceled or forgiven, you must include the canceled amount in income. If a federal agency, financial institution, or credit union canceled or forgave a debt you owed of \$600 or more, it should send you a Form 1099-C, or similar statement, by January 31, 2008, showing the amount of debt canceled in 2007. However, certain solvent farmers can exclude canceled qualified farm indebtedness from income. To find out if you must include any cancellation of debt in income, see Pub. 225.

• State gasoline or fuel tax refunds you received in 2007.

• The amount of credit for federal tax paid on fuels, if you deducted the total cost of the fuel on your 2006 Form 1040.

• The amount of credit for alcohol used as fuel that was claimed on Form 6478.

• The interest part of the credit or refund of the federal telephone excise tax paid for your farming business telephone lines from Form 8913, line 15, column (e).

• The amount of credit or refund of the federal telephone excise tax paid for your farming business telephone lines if you deducted any telephone excise tax. Include the smaller of the amount deducted or the amount from Form 8913, line 15, column (d), except to the extent the deduction did not reduce federal income tax.

• The amount of credit for biodiesel and renewable diesel fuels that was claimed on Form 8864.

• Any recapture of excess depreciation on any listed property, including any section 179 expense deduction, if the business use percentage of that property decreased to 50% or less in 2007. Use Form 4797 to figure the recapture. See the instructions for Schedule C, line 13, on page C-4 for the definition of listed property.

• The inclusion amount on leased listed property (other than vehicles) when the business use percentage drops to 50% or less. See Pub. 946 to figure the amount.

• Any recapture of the deduction for clean-fuel vehicles and clean-fuel vehicle refueling property used in your farming business. For details on how to figure recapture, see Regulations section 1.179A-1.

• The gain or loss on the sale of commodity futures contracts if the contracts were made to protect you from price changes. These are a form of business insurance and are considered hedges. If you had a loss in a closed futures contract, enclose the amount of the loss in parentheses.



For property acquired and hedging positions established, you must clearly identify on your books and records both the

hedging transaction and the item(s) or aggregate risk that is being hedged.

Purchase or sales contracts are not true hedges if they offset losses that already occurred. If you bought or sold commodity futures with the hope of making a profit due to favorable price changes, report the profit or loss on Form 6781 instead of this line.

# Part II. Farm Expenses

Do not deduct the following.

• Personal or living expenses (such as taxes, insurance, or repairs on your home) that do not produce farm income.

• Expenses of raising anything you or your family used.

• The value of animals you raised that died.

• Inventory losses.

• Personal losses.

If you were repaid for any part of an expense, you must subtract the amount you were repaid from the deduction.

**Capitalizing costs of property.** If you produced real or tangible personal property or acquired property for resale, certain expenses must be included in inventory costs or capitalized. These expenses include the direct costs of the property and the share of any indirect costs allocable to that property. However, these rules generally do not apply to expenses of:

1. Producing any plant that has a preproductive period of 2 years or less,

2. Raising animals, or

3. Replanting certain crops if they were lost or damaged by reason of freezing temperatures, disease, drought, pests, or casualty.



Exceptions (1) and (2) do not apply to tax shelters, farming syndicates, partnerships, or corporations required to use the ac-

crual method of accounting under section 447 or 448(a)(3).

If you capitalize your expenses, do not reduce your deductions on lines 12 through 34e by the capitalized expenses. Instead, enter the total amount capitalized in parentheses on line 34f. See *Preproductive period expenses* on page F-6 for details.

But you may be able to currently deduct rather than capitalize the expenses of producing a plant with a preproductive period of more than 2 years. See *Election to deduct certain preproductive period expenses* below.

Election to deduct certain preproductive period expenses. If the preproductive period of any plant you produce is more than 2 years, you can elect to currently deduct the expenses rather than capitalize them. But you cannot make this election for the costs of planting or growing citrus or almond groves that are incurred before the end of the 4th tax year beginning with the tax year you planted them in their permanent grove. You are treated as having made the election by deducting the preproductive period expenses in the first tax year for which you can make this election and by applying the special rules, discussed below.



In the case of a partnership or S corporation, the election must be made by the partner, share-holder, or member. This elec-

tion cannot be made by tax shelters, farming syndicates, partnerships, or corporations required to use the accrual method of accounting under section 447 or 448(a)(3).

Unless you obtain IRS consent, you must make this election for the first tax year in which you engage in a farming business involving the production of property subject to the capitalization rules. You cannot revoke this election without IRS consent.

**Special rules.** If you make the election to deduct preproductive expenses for plants, any gain you realize when disposing of the plants is ordinary income up to the amount of the preproductive expenses you deducted. Also, the alternative depreciation rules apply to property placed in service in any tax year your election is in effect.

For details, see Pub. 225.

Prepaid farm supplies. Generally, if you use the cash method of accounting and your prepaid farm supplies are more than 50% of your other deductible farm expenses, your deduction for those supplies may be limited. Prepaid farm supplies include expenses for feed, seed, fertilizer, and similar farm supplies not used or consumed during the year. They also include the cost of poultry that would be allowable as a deduction in a later tax year if you were to (a) capitalize the cost of poultry bought for use in your farming business and deduct it ratably over the lesser of 12 months or the useful life of the poultry, and (b) deduct the cost of poultry bought for resale in the year you sell or otherwise dispose of it.

If the limit applies, you can deduct prepaid farm supplies that do not exceed 50% of your other deductible farm expenses in the year of payment. You can deduct the excess only in the year you use or consume the supplies (other than poultry, which is deductible as explained above). For details and exceptions to these rules, see Pub. 225. Whether or not this 50% limit applies, your expenses for livestock feed paid during the year but consumed in the later year, may be subject to the rules explained later in the line 18 instructions.

## Line 12

You can deduct the actual expenses of running your car or truck or take the standard mileage rate. You must use actual expenses if you used your vehicle for hire or you used five or more vehicles simultaneously in your farming business (such as in fleet operations). You cannot use actual expenses for a leased vehicle if you previously used the standard mileage rate for that vehicle.

You can take the standard mileage rate for 2007 only if you:

• Owned the vehicle and used the standard mileage rate for the first year you placed the vehicle in service, or

• Leased the vehicle and are using the standard mileage rate for the entire lease period (except the period, if any, before 1998).

If you take the standard mileage rate, multiply the number of business miles driven by 48.5 cents. Add to this amount your parking fees and tolls, and enter the total on line 12. Do not deduct depreciation, rent or lease payments, or your actual operating expenses.

If you deduct actual expenses:

• Include on line 12 the business portion of expenses for gasoline, oil, repairs, insurance, tires, license plates, etc., and

• Show depreciation on line 16 and rent or lease payments on line 26a.

If you claim any car or truck expenses (actual or the standard mileage rate), you must provide the information requested on Form 4562, Part V. Be sure to attach Form 4562 to your return.

For details, see Pub. 463.

### Line 14

Deductible soil and water conservation expenses generally are those that are paid to conserve soil and water or to prevent erosion of land used for farming. These expenses include (but are not limited to) costs for the following:

• The treatment or movement of earth, such as leveling, grading, conditioning, terracing, contour furrowing, and the restoration of soil fertility.

• The construction, control, and protection of diversion channels, drainage ditches, irrigation ditches, earthen dams, watercourses, outlets, and ponds.

- The eradication of brush.
- The planting of windbreaks.

These expenses can be deducted only if they are consistent with a conservation plan approved by the Natural Resources Conservation Service of the Department of Agriculture for the area in which your land is located. If no plan exists, the expenses must be consistent with a plan of a comparable state agency. You cannot deduct the expenses if they were paid or incurred for land used in farming in a foreign country.

Do not deduct expenses you paid or incurred to drain or fill wetlands, to prepare land for center pivot irrigation systems, or to clear land. Your deduction cannot exceed 25% of your gross income from farming (excluding certain gains from selling assets such as farm machinery and land). If your conservation expenses are more than the limit, the excess can be carried forward and deducted in later tax years. However, the amount deductible for any 1 year cannot exceed the 25% gross income limit for that year.

For details, see Pub. 225.

## Line 15

Enter amounts paid for custom hire or machine work (the machine operator furnished the equipment).

Do not include amounts paid for rental or lease of equipment that you operated yourself. Instead, report those amounts on line 26a.

## Line 16

You can deduct depreciation of buildings, improvements, cars and trucks, machinery, and other farm equipment of a permanent nature.

Do not deduct depreciation on your home, furniture or other personal items, land, livestock you bought or raised for resale, or other property in your inventory.

You can also elect under section 179 to expense a portion of the cost of certain property you bought in 2007 for use in your farming business. The section 179 election is made on Form 4562.

For information about depreciation and the section 179 deduction, see Pub. 946.

For details on the increased depreciation and section 179 deductions for qualified property in the GO Zone, see Pub. 225.

See the Instructions for Form 4562 for information on when you must complete and attach Form 4562.

# Line 17

Deduct contributions to employee benefit programs that are not an incidental part of a pension or profit-sharing plan included on line 25. Examples are accident and health plans, group-term life insurance, and dependent care assistance programs. If you made contributions on your behalf as a self-employed person to a dependent care assistance program, complete Form 2441, Parts I and III, to figure your deductible contributions to that program.

Contributions you made on your behalf as a self-employed person to an accident and health plan or for group-term life insurance are not deductible on Schedule F. However, you may be able to deduct on Form 1040, line 29 (or on Form 1040NR, line 28), the amount you paid for health insurance on behalf of yourself, your spouse, and dependents even if you do not itemize your deductions. See the instructions for Form 1040, line 29, or Form 1040NR, line 28, for details.

### Line 18

If you use the cash method, you cannot deduct when paid the cost of feed your livestock will consume in a later year unless all of the following apply.

• The payment was for the purchase of feed rather than a deposit.

• The prepayment had a business purpose and was not made merely to avoid tax.

• Deducting the prepayment will not materially distort your income.

If all of the above apply, you can deduct the prepaid feed when paid, subject to the overall limit for *Prepaid farm supplies* explained on page F-4. If all of the above do not apply, you can deduct the prepaid feed only in the year it is consumed.

### Line 20

Do not include the cost of transportation incurred in purchasing livestock held for resale as freight paid. Instead, add these costs to the cost of the livestock, and deduct them when the livestock is sold.

### Line 22

Deduct on this line premiums paid for farm business insurance. Deduct on line 17 amounts paid for employee accident and health insurance. Amounts credited to a reserve for self-insurance or premiums paid for a policy that pays for your lost earnings due to sickness or disability are not deductible.

### Lines 23a and 23b

**Interest allocation rules.** The tax treatment of interest expense differs depending on its type. For example, home mortgage interest and investment interest are treated differently. "Interest allocation" rules require you to allocate (classify) your interest expense so it is deducted on the correct line of your return and receives the right tax treatment. These rules could affect how much interest you are allowed to deduct on Schedule F.

Generally, you allocate interest expense by tracing how the proceeds of the loan are used. See Pub. 535 for details.

If you paid interest on a debt secured by your main home and any of the proceeds from that debt were used in your farming business, see Pub. 535 to figure the amount to include on lines 23a and 23b. How to report. If you have a mortgage on real property used in your farming business (other than your main home), enter on line 23a the interest you paid for 2007 to banks or other financial institutions for which you received a Form 1098 (or similar statement). If you did not receive a Form 1098, enter the interest on line 23b.

If you paid more mortgage interest than is shown on Form 1098, see Pub. 535 to find out if you can deduct the additional interest. If you can, include the amount on line 23a. Attach a statement to your return explaining the difference and enter "See attached" in the margin next to line 23a.

If you and at least one other person (other than your spouse if you file a joint return) were liable for and paid interest on the mortgage and the other person received the Form 1098, include your share of the interest on line 23b. Attach a statement to your return showing the name and address of the person who received the Form 1098. In the margin next to line 23b, enter "See attached."

Do not deduct interest you prepaid in 2007 for later years; include only the part that applies to 2007.

### Line 24

Enter the amounts you paid for farm labor. Do not include amounts paid to yourself. Reduce your deduction by the amounts claimed on:

• Form 5884, Work Opportunity Credit, line 2;

• Form 8844, Empowerment Zone and Renewal Community Employment Credit, line 2;

• Form 8845, Indian Employment Credit, line 4; and

• Form 8861, Welfare-to-Work Credit, line 2.

Include the cost of boarding farm labor but not the value of any products they used from the farm. Include only what you paid household help to care for farm laborers.



If you provided taxable fringe benefits to your employees, such as personal use of a car, do not include in farm labor the

amounts you depreciated or deducted elsewhere.

# Line 25

Enter your deduction for contributions to employee pension, profit-sharing, or annuity plans. If the plan included you as a self-employed person, enter contributions made as an employer on your behalf on Form 1040, line 28 (or on Form 1040NR, line 27), not on Schedule F.

Generally, you must file the applicable form listed below if you maintain a pension, profit-sharing, or other funded-deferred compensation plan. The filing requirement is not affected by whether or not the plan qualified under the Internal Revenue Code, or whether or not you claim a deduction for the current tax year. There is a penalty for failure to timely file these forms.

**Form 5500-EZ.** File this form if you have a one-participant retirement plan that meets certain requirements. A one-participant plan is a plan that only covers you (or you and your spouse).

**Form 5500.** File this form for a plan that does not meet the requirements for filing Form 5500-EZ.

For details, see Pub. 560.

## Lines 26a and 26b

If you rented or leased vehicles, machinery, or equipment, enter on line 26a the business portion of your rental cost. But if you leased a vehicle for a term of 30 days or more, you may have to reduce your deduction by an inclusion amount. See *Leasing a Car* in Pub. 463 to figure your inclusion amount.

Enter on line 26b amounts paid to rent or lease other property such as pasture or farmland.

### Line 27

Enter amounts you paid for incidental repairs and maintenance of farm buildings, machinery, and equipment that do not add to the value of the property or appreciably prolong its life. You can also include what you paid for tools of short life or minimal cost, such as shovels and rakes.

Do not deduct repairs or maintenance on your home.

## Line 31

You can deduct the following taxes on this line.

• Real estate and personal property taxes on farm business assets.

• Social security and Medicare taxes you paid to match what you are required to withhold from farm employees' wages.

- Federal unemployment tax.
- Federal highway use tax.

Do not deduct the following taxes on this line.

• Federal income taxes, including your self-employment tax. However, you can deduct one-half of your self-employment tax on Form 1040, line 27.

• Estate and gift taxes.

• Taxes assessed for improvements, such as paving and sewers.

• Taxes on your home or personal use property.

• State and local sales taxes on property purchased for use in your farming business. Instead, treat these taxes as part of the cost of the property.

• Other taxes not related to your farming business.

# Line 32

Enter amounts you paid for gas, electricity, water, and other utilities for business use on the farm. Do not include personal utilities. You cannot deduct the base rate (including taxes) of the first telephone line into your residence, even if you use it for your farming business. But you can deduct expenses you paid for your farming business that are more than the cost of the base rate for the first phone line. For example, if you had a second phone line, you can deduct the business percentage of the charges for that line, including the base rate charges.

## Lines 34a Through 34f

Include all ordinary and necessary farm expenses not deducted elsewhere on Schedule F, such as advertising, office supplies, etc. Do not include fines or penalties paid to a government for violating any law.

At-risk loss deduction. Any loss from this activity that was not allowed as a deduction last year because of the at-risk rules is treated as a deduction allocable to this activity in 2007. However, for the loss to be deductible, the amount "at risk" must be increased.

Bad debts. See Pub. 535.

**Business start-up costs.** If your business began in 2007, you can elect to deduct up to \$5,000 of certain business start-up costs. This limit is reduced (but not below zero) by the amount by which your start-up costs exceed \$50,000. You can amortize any remaining qualified business start-up costs over 180 months. For details, see Pub. 225. For amortization that begins in 2007, you must complete and attach Form 4562.

**Business use of your home.** You may be able to deduct certain expenses for business use of your home, subject to limitations. Use the worksheet in Pub. 587 to figure your allowable deduction. Do not use Form 8829.

**Forestation and reforestation costs.** Reforestation costs are generally capital expenditures. However, for each qualified timber property, you can elect to expense up to \$10,000 (\$5,000 if married filing separately) of qualifying reforestation costs paid or incurred in 2007. This limit is increased for small timber producers with qualified timber property located in the GO Zone, the Rita GO Zone, or the Wilma GO Zone. For GO Zone information, see Pub. 4492.

You can elect to amortize the remaining costs over 84 months.

The amortization election does not apply to trusts and the expense election does not apply to estates and trusts. For details on reforestation expenses, see Pub. 225. For amortization that begins in 2007, you must complete and attach Form 4562.

**GO Zone clean-up costs.** You can deduct 50% of any qualified GO Zone clean-up costs paid or incurred in 2007 for the removal of debris from, or the demolition of structures on, real property located in the GO Zone that is used in your farming business. The rest of the GO Zone clean-up costs must be capitalized. See Pub. 4492 for the areas included in the GO Zone and the applicable dates for this deduction.

Legal and professional fees. You can include on this line fees charged by accountants and attorneys that are ordinary and necessary expenses directly related to your farming business. Include fees for tax advice and for the preparation of tax forms related to your farming business. Also include expenses incurred in resolving asserted tax deficiencies related to your farming business.

**Travel, meals, and entertainment.** Generally, you can deduct expenses for farm business travel and 50% of your business meals and entertainment. But there are exceptions and limitations. See the instructions for Schedule C, lines 24a and 24b, that begin on page C-6.

**Preproductive period expenses.** If you had preproductive period expenses in 2007 that you are capitalizing, enter the total of these expenses in parentheses on line 34f and enter "263A" in the space to the left of the total.

For details, see page F-4, *Capitalizing* costs of property, and Pub. 225.

## Line 35

If line 34f is a negative amount, subtract the amount on line 34f from the total of lines 12 through 34e. Enter the result on line 35.

## Line 36

If you have a loss, the amount of loss you can deduct this year may be limited. Individuals, estates, and trusts must complete line 37 before entering the loss on line 36. If you checked the "No" box on line E, also see the Instructions for Form 8582.

Enter the net profit or deductible loss here and on Form 1040, line 18, and Schedule SE, line 1. Nonresident aliens—enter the net profit or deductible loss here and on Form 1040NR, line 19. Estates and trusts—enter the net profit or deductible loss here and on Form 1041, line 6. Partnerships—do not complete line 37; instead, stop here and enter the profit or loss on this line and on Form 1065, line 5 (or Form 1065-B, line 7).

**Community income.** If you and your spouse had community income and are filing separate returns, see page SE-2 of the instructions for Schedule SE before figuring self-employment tax.

**Earned income credit.** If you have a net profit on line 36, this amount is earned income and may qualify you for the earned income credit if you meet certain conditions. See the instructions for Form 1040, lines 66a and 66b, for details.

## Line 37

At-risk rules. Generally, if you have a loss from a farming activity and amounts invested in the activity for which you are not at risk, you must complete Form 6198 to figure your allowable loss. The at-risk rules generally limit the amount of loss (including loss on the disposition of assets) you can claim to the amount you could actually lose in the activity.

Check box 37b if you have amounts invested in this activity for which you are not at risk, such as the following.

• Nonrecourse loans used to finance the activity, to acquire property used in the activity, or to acquire the activity that are not secured by your own property (other than property used in the activity). However, there is an exception for certain nonrecourse financing borrowed by you in connection with holding real property.

• Cash, property, or borrowed amounts used in the activity (or contributed to the activity, or used to acquire the activity) that are protected against loss by a guarantee, stop-loss agreement, or other similar arrangement (excluding casualty insurance and insurance against tort liability).

• Amounts borrowed for use in the activity from a person who has an interest in the activity, other than as a creditor, or who is related under section 465(b)(3)(C) to a person (other than you) having such an interest.

Figuring your deductible loss. If all amounts are at risk in this activity, check

box 37a. If you checked the "Yes" box on line E, enter your loss on line 36. But if you checked the "No" box on line E, you may need to complete Form 8582 to figure your allowable loss to enter on line 36. See the Instructions for Form 8582.

If you checked box 37b, first complete Form 6198 to determine the amount of your deductible loss. If you checked the "Yes" box on line E, enter that amount on line 36. But if you checked the "No" box on line E, your loss may be further limited. See the Instructions for Form 8582. If your at-risk amount is zero or less, enter -0- on line 36. Be sure to attach Form 6198 to your return. If you checked box 37b and you do not attach Form 6198, the processing of your tax return may be delayed.

Any loss from this activity not allowed for 2007 only because of the at-risk rules is treated as a deduction allocable to the activity in 2008.

For details, see Pub. 925 and the Instructions for Form 6198.

# Part III. Farm Income—Accrual Method

If you use an accrual method, report farm income when you earn it, not when you receive it. Generally, you must include animals and crops in your inventory if you use this method. See Pub. 225 for exceptions, inventory methods, how to change methods of accounting, and for rules that require certain costs to be capitalized or included in inventory.

**Chapter 11 bankruptcy.** If you were a debtor in a chapter 11 bankruptcy case during 2007, see page 18 of the instructions for Form 1040 and page SE-2 of the instructions for Schedule SE (Form 1040).

# Lines 39a Through 41c

See the instructions for lines 5a through 7c that begin on page F-2.

# Line 44

See the instructions for line 10 on page F-3.

**Paperwork Reduction Act Notice.** We ask for the information on this form to carry out the Internal Revenue laws of the United States. You are required to give us the information. We need it to ensure that you are complying with these laws and to allow us to figure and collect the right amount of tax.

You are not required to provide the information requested on a form that is subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act unless the form displays a valid OMB control number. Books or records relating to a form or its instructions must be retained as long as their contents may become material in the administration of any Internal Revenue law. Generally, tax returns and return information are confidential, as required by section 6103.

The time needed to complete and file this form will vary depending on individual circumstances. The estimated burden for individual taxpayers filing this form is included in the estimates shown in the instructions for their individual income tax return. The estimated burden for all other taxpayers who file this form is approved under OMB control numbers 1545-1975 and 1545-1976 and is shown below.

Recordkeeping	7 hr., 5 min.
Learning about the law or the form	1 hr., 2 min.
Preparing the form	2 hr., 52 min.
Copying, assembling, and sending the form to the IRS	40 min.

If you have comments concerning the accuracy of these time estimates or suggestions for making this form simpler, we would be happy to hear from you. See the instructions for the tax return with which this form is filed.



# **2007 Instructions for Schedule J**

# Income Averaging for Farmers and Fishermen

# **General Instructions**

### **Prior Year Tax Returns**

You may need copies of your original or amended income tax returns for 2004, 2005, and 2006 to figure your tax on Schedule J.

If you do not have copies of those returns, you can get them by filing Form 4506. There is a \$39 fee for each return requested. If your main home, principal place of business, or tax records are located in a Presidentially declared disaster area, the fee will be waived if the word "Disaster" is written across the top of Form 4506 when filed. If you want a free transcript of your tax return, use Form 4506-T. See your Form 1040 instruction booklet to find out how to get these forms.

Keep a copy of your 2007 income tax return to use for income averaging in 2008, 2009, or 2010.

### Definitions

**Farming business.** A farming business is the trade or business of cultivating land or raising or harvesting any agricultural or horticultural commodity. This includes:

1. Operating a nursery or sod farm;

2. Raising or harvesting of trees bearing fruits, nuts, or other crops;

3. Raising ornamental trees (but not every ergreen trees that are more than 6 years old when severed from the roots);

4. Raising, shearing, feeding, caring for, training, and managing animals; and

5. Leasing land to a tenant engaged in a farming business, but only if the lease payments are (a) based on a share of the tenant's production (not a fixed amount), and (b) determined under a written agreement entered into before the tenant begins significant activities on the land.

Use Schedule J (Form 1040) to elect to figure your 2007 income tax by averaging, over the previous 3 years (base years), all or part of your 2007 taxable income from your trade or business of farming or fishing. This election may give you a lower tax if your 2007 income from farming or fishing is high and your taxable income for one or more of the 3 prior years was low.

In order to qualify for this election, you are not required to have been in the business of farming or fishing during any of the base years.

You may elect to average farming or fishing income even if your filing status was not the same in the election year and the base years.

This election does not apply when figuring your alternative minimum tax on Form 6251. Also, you do not have to recompute, because of this election, the tax liability of any minor child who was required to use your tax rates in the prior years.

A farming business does not include:

• Contract harvesting of an agricultural or horticultural commodity grown or raised by someone else, or

• Merely buying or reselling plants or animals grown or raised by someone else.

**Fishing business.** A fishing business is the trade or business of fishing in which the fish harvested, either in whole or in part, are intended to enter commerce or enter commerce through sale, barter, or trade. This includes:

1. The catching, taking, or harvesting of fish;

2. The attempted catching, taking, or harvesting of fish;

3. Any other activity which can reasonably be expected to result in the catching, taking, or harvesting of fish; or

4. Any operations at sea in support of, or in preparation for, any activity described in (1) through (3) above.



At the time these instructions went to print, there were pending Regulations that could change the definition of a fish-

ing business.

The word fish means finfish, mollusks, crustaceans, and all other forms of marine animal and plant life other than marine mammals and birds.

A fishing business does not include any scientific research activity which is conducted by a scientific research vessel.

### **Additional Information**

See Pub. 225 and Regulations section 1.1301-1 for more information.

# **Specific Instructions**

## Line 2 Elected Farm Income

To figure your elected farm income, first figure your taxable income from farming or fishing. This includes all income, gains, losses, and deductions attributable to any farming or fishing business. Include the deduction for one-half of self-employment tax only to the extent that deduction is attributable to your farming or fishing business. However, it does not include gain from the sale or other disposition of land.

You should find your income, gains, losses and deductions from farming or fishing reported on different tax forms, such as:

• Form 1040, line 7, income from wages and other compensation you received as a shareholder in an S corporation engaged in a farming or fishing business;

- Schedule C or C-EZ;
- Schedule D;
- Schedule E, Part II;
- Schedule F;
- Form 4797; and
- Form 4835.

Your elected farm income is the amount of your taxable income from farming or fishing that you elect to include on line 2. However, you do not have to include all of your taxable income from farming or fishing on line 2. It may be to your advantage to include less than the entire amount, depending on how the amount you include on line 2 affects your tax bracket for the current and prior 3 tax years.

Your elected farm income cannot exceed your taxable income. Also, the portion of your elected farm income treated as a net capital gain cannot exceed the smaller of

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your total net capital gain or your net capital gain attributable to your farming or fishing business. If your elected farm income includes net capital gain, you must allocate an equal portion of the net capital gain to each of the base years. If, for any base year, you had a capital loss that resulted in a capital loss carryover to the next tax year, do not reduce the elected farm income allocated to that base year by any part of the carryover.

## Line 4

Figure the tax on the amount on line 3 using the 2007 Tax Table, Tax Computation Worksheet, Qualified Dividends and Capital Gain Tax Worksheet, or Foreign Earned Income Tax Worksheet from the 2007 Instructions for Form 1040. The tax can also be figured on the Schedule D Tax Worksheet in the 2007 Instructions for Schedule D. Enter the tax on line 4.

If you use the Foreign Earned Income Tax Worksheet, enter the amount from Schedule J, line 3, on line 3 of the worksheet. Do not complete lines 1 and 2 of the worksheet.

# Line 5

If you used Schedule J to figure your tax for 2006 (that is, you entered the amount from the 2006 Schedule J, line 22, on your 2006 Form 1040, line 44, 2006 Form 1040NR, line 41, or on Form 1040X), enter on line 5 the amount from your 2006 Schedule J, line 11. If you used Schedule J to figure your tax for 2005 but not 2006, enter on line 5 the amount from your 2005 Schedule J, line 15. If you used Schedule J to figure your tax for 2004 but not 2005 or 2006, enter on line 5 the amount from your 2004 Schedule J, line 15. If you used Schedule J to figure your tax for 2004 but not 2005 or 2006, enter on line 5 the amount from your 2004 Schedule J, line 3.

If you figured your tax for 2004, 2005, and 2006 without using Schedule J, enter

2004 Taxable Income Worksheet—Line 5

on line 5 the taxable income from your 2004 tax return (or as previously adjusted by the IRS, or corrected on an amended return). But if that amount is zero or less, complete the worksheet below to figure the amount to enter on line 5.

If you filed your 2004 tax return using TeleFile, enter the taxable income from your TeleFile Tax Record. If you did not file a tax return for 2004, use the amount you would have reported as your taxable income had you been required to file a tax return. Be sure to keep all your records for 2004 for at least 3 years after April 15, 2008 (or the date you file your 2007 tax return, if later).

# Instructions for 2004 Taxable Income Worksheet

Line 2. Any net capital loss deduction on your 2004 Schedule D, line 21, is not allowed for income averaging purposes to the extent it did not reduce your capital loss carryover to 2005. This could happen if the taxable income before subtracting exemptions-shown on your 2004 Form 1040, line 40 (or as previously adjusted)-was less than zero. Enter on line 2 the amount by which your 2004 capital loss carryover to 2005 (the sum of your short- and long-term capital loss carryovers) exceeds the excess of the loss on your 2004 Schedule D, line 16, over the loss on your 2004 Schedule D, line 21. If you had any net operating loss (NOL) carrybacks to 2004, be sure you refigured your 2004 capital loss carryover to 2005.

Line 3. If you had an NOL for 2004, enter the amount of that NOL from line 24 of the 2004 Form 1045, Schedule A, you filed with Form 1045 or Form 1040X. If you did not have an NOL for 2004, enter the portion, if any, of the NOL carryovers and carrybacks to 2004 that were not used in 2004 and were carried to years after 2004.

**Example.** John Farmington, who is single, did not use income averaging for 2004, 2005, or 2006. For 2007, John has \$18,000

of elected farm income on Schedule J, line 2. The taxable income before subtracting exemptions on his 2004 Form 1040, line 40, is \$4,050. A deduction for exemptions of \$3,100 is shown on line 41, and line 42, taxable income, is \$950. However, John had a \$21,900 NOL for 2005, \$9,000 of which was remaining to carry to 2004 after the NOL was carried back to 2003. To complete line 1 of the worksheet, John combines the \$9,000 NOL deduction with the \$950 from his 2004 Form 1040, line 42. The result is a negative \$8,050, John's 2004 taxable income, which he enters as a positive amount on line 1 of the 2004 worksheet.

When John filed his 2004 tax return, he had a \$3,000 net capital loss deduction on Schedule D, line 21 (which was also entered on Form 1040, line 13), a \$7,000 loss on Schedule D, line 16, and a \$4,000 capital loss carryover to 2005. However, when John carried back the 2005 NOL to 2004, he refigured his 2004 capital loss carryover to 2005 as \$7,000. John adds the \$3,000 from Schedule D, line 21, and the \$7,000 carryover. He subtracts from the \$10,000 result the \$7,000 loss on his Schedule D, line 16, and enters \$3,000 on line 2 of the worksheet.

John had \$950 of taxable income in 2004 that reduced the 2005 NOL carryback. The \$3,100 of exemptions and \$3,000 net capital loss deduction also reduced the amount of the 2005 NOL carryback. Therefore, only \$1,950 was available to carry to 2006 and later years, as shown on line 9 of his 2005 Form 1045, Schedule B. John enters the \$1,950 on line 3 of the worksheet, and \$4,950 (\$1,950 plus the \$3,000 line 2 amount) on line 4. He then subtracts the \$4,950 from the \$8,050 on line 1 and enters the result, \$3,100, on line 5 of the worksheet. He enters a negative \$3,100 on Schedule J, line 5. He combines that amount with the \$6,000 on Schedule J, line 6, and enters \$2,900 on Schedule J, line 7.

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Complete this worksheet if you did not use Schedule J to figure your tax for both 2005 and 2006 **and** your 2004 taxable income was zero or less. See the instructions above before completing this worksheet.

1.	Figure the taxable income from your 2004 tax return (or as previously adjusted) without limiting it to zero. If you had an NOL for 2004, <b>do not</b> include any NOL carryovers or carrybacks to 2004. Enter				
	the result as a positive amount			1.	
2.	If there is a loss on your 2004 Schedule D, line 21, add that loss (as a positive amount) and your 2004 capital loss carryover to 2005. Subtract from that sum the amount of the loss on your 2004 Schedule D, line 16, and enter the result			-	
3.	If you had an NOL for 2004, enter it as a positive amount. Otherwise, enter as a positive amount the portion, if any, of the NOL carryovers and carrybacks to 2004 that were not used in 2004 and were carried to years after 2004	3.			
	Add lines 2 and 3 Subtract line 4 from line 1. Enter the result as a negative amount on Schedule J, line			4. 5.	

## Line 8

If line 7 is zero, enter -0- on line 8. Otherwise, figure the tax on the amount on line 7 using:

• The 2004 Tax Rate Schedules below,

• The 2004 Qualified Dividends and Capital Gain Tax Worksheet on the next page, or

### 2004 Tax Rate Schedules—Line 8

Schedule Y-2—Use if your 2004 filing status was Married filing Schedule X-Use if your 2004 filing status was Single or you checked separately or you checked filing status box 3, 4, or 5 on filing status box 1 or 2 on Form 1040NR Form 1040NR Enter on If Schedule J. Enter on of the If Schedule J, of the line 7, is: But not Schedule J, amount line 7, is: But not Schedule J, amount line 8 Overover-Overline 8 overoverover-\$0 \$7,150 10% \$0 \$0 \$7,150 10% \$0 . . . . . . . . . . . 7,150 29,050 \$715.00 + 15% 7,150 7,150 29,050 \$715.00 + 15% 7,150 29,050 29,050 70,350 4,000.00 +25% 29,050 29,050 58,625 4,000.00 + 25% 70,350 146,750 14,325.00 +28% 70,350 58,625 89,325 11,393.75 + 28% 58,625 35,717.00 + 146,750 19,989.75 + 89,325 146,750 319,100 33% 89,325 159,550 33% 92.592.50 + 43.164.00 + 159,550 319,100 35% 319,100 159,550 35% ..... Schedule Y-1—Use if your 2004 filing status was Married filing jointly or Qualifying widow(er) or you checked filing status box 6 on Form 1040NR Schedule Z—Use if your 2004 filing status was Head of household If Schedule J. Enter on of the If Schedule J, Enter on of the line 7, is: But not Schedule J, amount line 7, is: But not Schedule J, amount Overoverline 8 over-Overoverline 8 over-\$14,300 10% \$10,200 10% \$0 \$0 \$0 **\$0** ..... . . . . . . . . . . . 14,300 58,100 \$1,430.00 + 15% 14,300 10,200 \$1,020.00 + 15% 10,200 38,900 58,100 117,250 8,000.00 + 25% 58,100 100,500 25% 38,900 38,900 5,325.00 +22.787.50 +100.500 20.725.00 +100.500 117.250 178.650 28% 117.250 162,700 28% 178,650 319,100 39,979.50 + 33% 178,650 162,700 319,100 38,141.00 +33% 162,700 319,100 86,328.00 + 35% 319,100 319,100 89,753.00 + 35% 319,100

The 2004 Schedule D Tax Worksheet

in the Schedule D instructions (but use the

2004 Tax Rate Schedules below instead of

the 2004 Tax Table when figuring the tax on lines 34 and 36 of the Schedule D Tax Worksheet.)

### 2004 Qualified Dividends and Capital Gain Tax Worksheet—Line 8

Use th	is worksheet	only if	both	of the	following	apply.
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• Your elected farm income on Schedule J, lines 5 and 6, does not include any net capital gain.

• You (a) entered qualified dividends on your 2004 Form 1040, line 9b (or your 2004 Form 1040A, line 9b, or 2004 Form 1040NR, line 10b), (b) entered capital gain distributions directly on your 2004 Form 1040, line 13 (or your 2004 Form 1040A, line 10, or 2004 Form 1040NR, line 14) and checked the box on that line, or (c) filed Schedule D in 2004 and you answered "Yes" on lines 17 and 20 of that Schedule D.

1.	Amount from Schedule J, line 7
2.	Amount from your 2004 Form 1040, line 9b (or Form
	1040A, line 9b, or Form 1040NR, line 10b) 2.
3.	Did you file Schedule D in 2004?
	<b>Yes.</b> Enter the <b>smaller</b> of line 15 or 16 of your
	2004 Schedule D, but do not enter less than
	-0- <b>3.</b>
	(or Form 1040A, line 10, or Form 1040NR,
	line 14)
4.	Add lines 2 and 3 4.
5.	Amount, if any, from your 2004 Form 4952, line 4g <b>5.</b>
6.	Subtract line 5 from line 4. If zero or less, enter -0
7.	Subtract line 6 from line 1. If zero or less, enter -0
8.	Enter the smaller of:
	• The amount on line 1, or
	• \$29,050 if single or married filing separately or if you
	checked filing status box 1, 2, 3, 4, or 5 on Form 1040NR, 8
	or if you checked filing status box 6 on Form 1040NR,
	\$38,900 if head of household.
9.	Is the amount on line 7 equal to or more than the amount on line 8?
	<b>Yes.</b> Skip lines 9 through 11; go to line 12 and check the "No" box.
	<b>No.</b> Enter the amount from line 7
	Subtract line 9 from line 8         10.
	Multiply line 10 by 5% (.05)
12.	Are the amounts on lines 6 and 10 the same?
	Yes. Skip lines 12 through 15; go to line 16.
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	Enter the amount from line 10 (if line 10 is blank, enter -0-)       13.         Subtract line 13 from line 12       14.
	Multiply line 14 by 15% (.15)
	Add lines 11, 15, and 16
	Tax. Enter the smaller of line 17 or line 18 here and on Schedule J, line 8
19.	

## Line 9

If you used Schedule J to figure your tax for 2006 (that is, you entered the amount from the 2006 Schedule J, line 22, on your 2006 Form 1040, line 44, 2006 Form 1040NR, line 41, or on Form 1040X), enter on line 9 the amount from your 2006 Schedule J, line 15. If you used Schedule J to figure your tax for 2005 but not 2006, enter on line 9 the amount from your 2005 Schedule J, line 3.

If you figured your tax for both 2005 and 2006 without using Schedule J, enter on line 9 the taxable income from your 2005 tax return (or as previously adjusted by the IRS or corrected on an amended return). But if that amount is zero or less, complete the worksheet below to figure the amount to enter on line 9.

If you did not file a tax return for 2005, use the amount you would have reported as your taxable income had you been required to file a tax return. Be sure to keep all your records for 2005 until at least 3 years after April 15, 2008 (or the date you file your 2007 tax return, if later).

# Instructions for 2005 Taxable Income Worksheet

Line 2. Any net capital loss deduction on your 2005 Schedule D, line 21, is not allowed for income averaging purposes to the extent it did not reduce your capital loss carryover to 2006. This could happen if the taxable income before subtracting exemptions—shown on your 2005 Form 1040, line 41 (or as previously adjusted)—was less than zero. Enter on line 2 the amount by which your 2005 capital loss carryover to 2006 (the sum of your short- and long-term capital loss carryovers) exceeds the excess of the loss on your 2005 Schedule D, line 16, over the loss on your 2005 Schedule D, line 21. If you had any NOL carrybacks to 2005, be sure you refigured your 2005 capital loss carryover to 2006.

Line 3. If you had an NOL for 2005, enter the amount of that NOL from line 25 of the 2005 Form 1045, Schedule A, you filed with Form 1045 or Form 1040X. If you did not have an NOL for 2005, enter the portion, if any, of the NOL carryovers and carrybacks to 2005 that were not used in 2005 and were carried to years after 2005.

**Example.** John Farmington did not use income averaging for 2004, 2005, or 2006. The taxable income before subtracting exemptions on his 2005 Form 1040, line 41, is a negative \$29,900. A deduction for exemptions of \$3,200 is shown on line 42, and line 43, taxable income, is limited to zero. John subtracts from the \$29,900 loss the \$3,200 deduction for exemptions. The result is a negative \$33,100, John's 2005 taxable income, which he enters as a positive amount on line 1 of the 2005 work-sheet.

When John filed his 2005 tax return, he had a \$3,000 net capital loss deduction on Schedule D, line 21 (which was also entered on Form 1040, line 13), and a \$7,000 loss on Schedule D, line 16 (as adjusted). He also had a \$7,000 capital loss carryover to 2006. John adds the \$3,000 from Schedule D, line 21, and the \$7,000 carryover. He subtracts from the \$10,000 result the \$7,000 loss on his Schedule D, line 16, and enters \$3,000 on line 2 of the worksheet.

John enters \$21,900 on line 3 of the worksheet, the 2005 NOL from his 2005 Form 1045, Schedule A, line 25. Of the \$33,100 negative taxable income, the \$3,200 deduction for exemptions, the \$3,000 capital loss deduction, and his \$5,000 standard deduction were not allowed in figuring the NOL. John had a \$21,900 loss on his 2005 Schedule F, the only other item on his 2005 tax return.

John enters \$24,900 (the \$3,000 line 2 amount plus the \$21,900 line 3 amount) on line 4 and \$8,200 (the \$33,100 line 1 amount minus the \$24,900 line 4 amount) on line 5. He enters \$8,200 as a negative amount on Schedule J, line 9. He enters \$6,000 on Schedule J, line 10, and a negative \$2,200 on Schedule J, line 11. If he uses Schedule J to figure his tax for 2008, he will enter the negative \$2,200 amount on his 2008 Schedule J as his 2005 taxable income for income averaging purposes.

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### 2005 Taxable Income Worksheet—Line 9

Complete this worksheet if you did not use Schedule J to figure your tax for 2006 **and** your 2005 taxable income was zero or less. See the instructions above before completing this worksheet.

1.	Figure the taxable income from your 2005 tax return (or as previously adjusted) wit zero. If you had an NOL for 2005, <b>do not</b> include any NOL carryovers or carryback the result as a positive amount	cs to	2005. Enter	1.	
	If there is a loss on your 2005 Schedule D, line 21, add that loss (as a positive amount) and your 2005 capital loss carryover to 2006. Subtract from that sum the amount of the loss on your 2005 Schedule D, line 16, and enter the result	2.			
3.	If you had an NOL for 2005, enter it as a positive amount. Otherwise, enter as a positive amount the portion, if any, of the NOL carryovers and carrybacks to 2005 that were not used in 2005 and were carried to years after 2005	3.			
4.	Add lines 2 and 3.			4.	
	Subtract line 4 from line 1. Enter the result as a negative amount on Schedule J, line				

# Line 12

If line 11 is zero or less, enter -0- on line 12. Otherwise, figure the tax on the amount on line 11 using:

• The 2005 Tax Rate Schedules below,

• The 2005 Qualified Dividends and Capital Gain Tax Worksheet on page J-7, or

• The 2005 Schedule D Tax Worksheet in the Schedule D instructions (but use the

2005 Tax Rate Schedules below instead of the 2005 Tax Table when figuring the tax on the Schedule D Tax Worksheet, lines 34 and 36).

### 2005 Tax Rate Schedules—Line 12

Schedule X—Use if your 2005 filing status was Single or you checked filing status box 1 or 2 on Form 1040NR					Schedule Y-2—Use if your 2005 filing status was Married filing separately or you checked filing status box 3, 4, or 5 on Form 1040NR					
If Schedule J, line 11, is: <i>Over</i> —	But not over—	Enter on Schedule J, line 12	of the amount over—	If Schedule J, line 11, is: Over—	But not over—	Enter on Schedule J line 12	•	of the amount over—		
\$0 7,300 29,700 71,950 150,150 326,450 Schedule Y-1	jointly or Q	\$730.00 + 1 4,090.00 + 2 14,652.50 + 2 36,548.50 + 3	0		\$7,300 29,700 59,975 91,400 163,225 	\$730.00 + 4,090.00 + 11,658.75 + 20,457.75 + 44,160.00 +	10% 15% 25% 28% 33% 35%	\$0 7,300 29,700 59,975 91,400 163,225		
If Schedule J, line 11, is: Over—	But not over—	Enter on Schedule J, line 12	of the amount over—	If Schedule J, line 11, is: Over—	But not over—	Enter on Schedule J line 12	·	of the amount over—		
\$0 14,600 59,400 119,950 182,800 326,450	\$14,600 59,400 119,950 182,800 326,450	\$1,460.00 + 1 8,180.00 + 2 23,317.50 + 2 40,915.50 + 3	10%         \$0           15%         14,600           25%         59,400           28%         119,950           33%         182,800           35%         326,450	\$0 10,450 39,800 102,800 166,450 326,450	\$10,450 39,800 102,800 166,450 326,450	\$1,045.00 + 5,447.50 + 21,197.50 + 39,019.50 + 91,819.50 +	10% 15% 25% 28% 33% 35%	\$0 10,450 39,800 102,800 166,450 326,450		

### 2005 Qualified Dividends and Capital Gain Tax Worksheet—Line 12

Use this worksheet **only** if both of the following apply.

• Your elected farm income on Schedule J, line 2, does not include any net capital gain.

• You (a) entered qualified dividends on your 2005 Form 1040, line 9b (or your 2005 Form 1040A, line 9b, or 2005 Form 1040NR, line 10b) (b) entered capital gain distributions directly on your 2005 Form 1040, line 13 (or your 2005 Form 1040A, line 10, or 2005 Form 1040NR, line 14) and checked the box on that line, or (c) filed Schedule D in 2005 and you answered "Yes" on lines 17 and 20 of that Schedule D.

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1.	Amount from Schedule J, line 11
2.	Amount from Form 1040, line 9b (or Form 1040A, line
	9b, or Form 1040NR, line 10b) 2.
3.	Did you file Schedule D in 2005?
	<b>Yes.</b> Enter the smaller of line 15 or 16 of your
	2005 Schedule D, but do not enter less than -0- <b>3.</b>
	No. Enter the amount from Form 1040, line 13
	(or Form 1040A, line 10, or Form 1040NR,
	line 14)
	Add lines 2 and 3 4.
5.	Amount, if any, from your 2005 Form 4952, line 4g <b>5.</b>
6.	Subtract line 5 from line 4. If zero or less, enter -0
7.	Subtract line 6 from line 1. If zero or less, enter -0
8.	Enter the smaller of:
	• The amount on line 1, or
	• \$29,700 if single or married filing separately or if you checked filing status box 1, 2, 3, 4, or 5 on Form 1040NR,
	\$59,400 if married filing jointly or qualifying widow(er)
	or if you checked filing status box 6 on Form 1040NR,
	\$39,800 if head of household.
9.	Is the amount on line 7 equal to or more than the amount on line 8?
	<b>Yes.</b> Skip lines 9 through 11; go to line 12 and check the "No" box.
	<b>No.</b> Enter the amount from line 7
	Subtract line 9 from line 8
	Multiply line 10 by 5% (.05)
12.	Are the amounts on lines 6 and 10 the same?
	Yes. Skip lines 12 through 15; go to line 16.         No. Enter the smaller of line 1 or line 6
13	Enter the amount from line 10 (if line 10 is blank, enter -0-)
	Subtract line 13 from line 12         14.
	Multiply line 14 by 15% (.15)
	Figure the tax on the amount on line 7. Use the 2005 Tax Rate Schedules on page J-6
	Add lines 11, 15, and 16
	Figure the tax on the amount on line 1. Use the 2005 Tax Rate Schedules on page J-6
	Tax. Enter the smaller of line 17 or line 18 here and on Schedule J, line 12

# Line 13

If you used Schedule J to figure your tax for 2006 (that is, you entered the amount from the 2006 Schedule J, line 22, on your 2006 Form 1040, line 44, 2006 Form 1040NR, line 41, or on Form 1040X), enter on line 13 the amount from your 2006 Schedule J, line 3.

If you did not use Schedule J to figure your tax for 2006, enter on line 13 the taxable income from your 2006 tax return (or as previously adjusted by the IRS or corrected on an amended return). But if that amount is zero or less, complete the worksheet below to figure the amount to enter on line 13.

If you did not file a tax return for 2006, use the amount you would have reported as your taxable income had you been required to file a tax return. Be sure to keep all your records for 2006 until at least 3 years after April 15, 2008 (or the date you file your 2007 tax return, if later).

# Instructions for 2006 Taxable Income Worksheet

Line 2. Any net capital loss deduction on your 2006 Schedule D, line 21, is not allowed for income averaging purposes to the extent it did not reduce your capital loss carryover to 2007. This could happen if the taxable income before subtracting exemptions—shown on your 2006 Form 1040, line 41 (or as previously adjusted)—was less than zero. Enter the amount by which your 2006 capital loss carryover to 2007 (the sum of your short- and long-term capital loss carryovers) exceeds the excess of the loss on your 2006 Schedule D, line 16, over the loss on your 2006 Schedule D, line 21. Line 3. If you had an NOL for 2006, enter the amount of that NOL from line 25 of the 2006 Form 1045, Schedule A, you filed with Form 1045 or Form 1040X. If you did not have an NOL for 2006, enter the portion, if any, of the NOL carryovers and carrybacks to 2006 that were not used in 2006 and were carried to years after 2006.

Example. John Farmington did not use income averaging for 2004, 2005, or 2006. The taxable income before subtracting exemptions on his 2006 Form 1040, line 41, is a negative \$1,000. This amount includes an NOL deduction on his 2006 Form 1040, line 21, of \$1,950. The \$1,950 is the portion of the 2005 NOL that was remaining from 2004 to be carried to 2006. See the examples on pages J-2 and J-5. A deduction for exemptions of \$3,300 is shown on Form 1040, line 42, and line 43, taxable income, is limited to zero. John does not have an NOL for 2006. John subtracts from the \$1,000 negative amount on Form 1040, line 41, the \$3,300 deduction for exemptions. The result is a negative \$4,300, John's 2006 taxable income, which he enters as a positive amount on line 1 of the 2006 worksheet.

When John filed his 2006 tax return, he had a \$3,000 net capital loss deduction on Schedule D, line 21 (which was also entered on Form 1040, line 13), a \$7,000 loss on Schedule D, line 16, and a \$5,000 capital loss carryover to 2007 (his 2006 capital loss carryover to 2007 was \$5,000, not \$4,000, because the amount on his Form 1040, line 41, was a negative \$1,000). John adds the \$3,000 from Schedule D, line 21, and the \$5,000 carryover. He subtracts from the \$8,000 result the \$7,000 loss on his Schedule D, line 16, and enters \$1,000 on line 2 of the worksheet.

John enters -0- on line 3 of the worksheet because he does not have an NOL for 2006 and did not have an NOL carryover from 2006 available to carry to 2007 and later years. The NOL deduction for 2006 of \$1,950 was reduced to zero because it did not exceed his modified taxable income of \$3,950. Modified taxable income is figured by adding back the \$3,000 net capital loss deduction and the \$3,300 of exemptions to negative taxable income (figured without regard to the NOL deduction) of \$2,350. John enters \$1,000 on line 4 and \$3,300 on line 5. He enters \$3,300 as a negative amount on Schedule J, line 13. He enters \$6,000 on Schedule J, line 14, and \$2,700 on Schedule J, line 15. If he uses Schedule J to figure his tax for 2008, he will enter \$2,700 on his 2008 Schedule J as his 2006 taxable income for income averaging purposes.

# Line 16

If line 15 is zero or less, enter -0- on line 16. Otherwise, figure the tax on the amount on line 15 using:

• The 2006 Tax Rate Schedules on page J-9,

• The 2006 Qualified Dividends and Capital Gain Tax Worksheet on page J-10,

• The 2006 Schedule D Tax Worksheet in the Schedule D instructions (but use the 2006 Tax Rate Schedules on page J-9 instead of the 2006 Tax Table when figuring the tax on the Schedule D Tax Worksheet, lines 34 and 36), or

• The 2006 Foreign Earned Income Tax Worksheet on page J-11.

### 2006 Taxable Income Worksheet—Line 13

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	mplete this worksheet if your 2006 taxable income is zero or less. See the instruction orksheet.	s abo	ve before com	pleting this
1.	Figure the taxable income from your 2006 tax return (or as previously adjusted) wit zero. If you had an NOL for 2006, <b>do not</b> include any NOL carryovers or carryback the result as a positive amount	ks to 2	2006. Enter	1.
2.	If there is a loss on your 2006 Schedule D, line 21, add that loss (as a positive amount) and your 2006 capital loss carryover to 2007. Subtract from that sum the amount of the loss on your 2006 Schedule D, line 16, and enter the result	2.		
3.	If you had an NOL for 2006, enter it as a positive amount. Otherwise, enter as a positive amount the portion, if any, of the NOL carryovers and carrybacks to 2006 that were not used in 2006 and were carried to years after 2006	3.		
4.	Add lines 2 and 3	_		4.
	Subtract line 4 from line 1. Enter the result as a negative amount on Schedule J, line			5

## 2006 Tax Rate Schedules—Line 16

Schedule X—		<b>006</b> filing status w ox 1 or 2 on Form		or you checked	Schedule Y-2-	separately or y	6 filing status was ou checked filing on Form 1040NR		filing
If Schedule J, line 15, is: <i>Over</i> —	But not over—	Enter on Schedule J, line 16		of the amount over—	If Schedule J, line 15, is: Over—	But not over—	Enter on Schedule J line 16	,	of the amount over—
\$0 7,550 30,650 74,200 154,800 336,550 Schedule Y-1	jointly or Q	\$755.00+ 4,220.00+ 15,107.50+ 37,675.50+ 97,653.00+ 2006 filing status pualifying widow( on Form 1040NF	er) or you	0	\$0 7,550 30,650 61,850 94,225 168,275 Schedule Z1	\$7,550 30,650 61,850 94,225 168,275 	\$755.00 + 4,220.00 + 12,020.00 + 21,085.00 + 45,521.50 +	10% 15% 25% 28% 33% 35%	\$0 7,550 30,650 61,850 94,225 168,275
If Schedule J, line 15, is: Over—	But not over—	Enter on Schedule J, line 16		of the amount over—	If Schedule J, line 15, is: Over—	But not over—	Enter on Schedule J line 16	,	of the amount over—
\$0 15,100 61,300 123,700 188,450 336,550	\$15,100 61,300 123,700 188,450 336,550	\$1,510.00+ 8,440.00+ 24,040.00+ 42,170.00+ 91,043.00+	10% 15% 25% 28% 33% 35%	\$0 15,100 61,300 123,700 188,450 336,550	\$0 10,750 41,050 106,000 171,650 336,550	\$10,750 41,050 106,000 171,650 336,550	\$1,075.00 + 5,620.00 + 21,857.50 + 40,239.50 + 94,656.50 +	10% 15% 25% 28% 33% 35%	\$0 10,750 41,050 106,000 171,650 336,550

### 2006 Qualified Dividends and Capital Gain Tax Worksheet—Line 16

Keep for Your Records

Use this worksheet **only** if both of the following apply.

• Your elected farm income on Schedule J, line 2, does not include any net capital gain.

• You (a) entered qualified dividends on your 2006 Form 1040, line 9b (or your 2006 Form 1040A, line 9b, or 2006 Form

1040NR, line 10b), (**b**) entered capital gain distributions directly on your 2006 Form 1040, line 13 (or your 2006 Form 1040A, line 10, or 2006 Form 1040NR, line 14) and checked the box on that line, or (**c**) filed Schedule D in 2006 and you answered "Yes" on lines 17 and 20 of that Schedule D.

1.	Amount from Schedule J, line 15
2.	Amount from Form 1040, line 9b (or Form 1040A, line
	9b, or Form 1040NR, line 10b) 2
3.	Did you file Schedule D in 2006?
	<b>Yes.</b> Enter the <b>smaller</b> of line 15 or 16 of your
	2006 Schedule D, but do not enter less than -0- 3.
	<b>No.</b> Enter the amount from Form 1040, line 13 (or
	Form 1040A, line 10, or Form 1040NR, line
	14)
	Add lines 2 and 3 4.
	Amount, if any, from your 2006 Form 4952, line 4g <b>5.</b>
	Subtract line 5 from line 4. If zero or less, enter -0 6.
	Subtract line 6 from line 1. If zero or less, enter -0
8.	Enter the smaller of:
	<ul> <li>The amount on line 1, or</li> <li>\$30,650 if single or married filing separately, or if you</li> </ul>
	checked filing status 1, 2, 3, 4, or 5 on Form 1040NR,
	\$61,300 if married filing jointly or qualifying widow(er) or
	if you checked filing status box 6 on Form 1040NR,
0	\$41,050 if head of household.
9.	Is the amount on line 7 equal to or more than the amount on line 8?
	Yes. Skip lines 9 through 11; go to line 12 and check the "No" box.         No. Enter the amount from line 7
10	Subtract line 9 from line 8         10.
	Subtract line 9 from line 8       10.         Multiply line 10 by 5% (.05)       11.
	Are the amounts on lines 6 and 10 the same?
12.	<b>Yes.</b> Skip lines 12 through 15; go to line 16.
	<b>No.</b> Enter the <b>smaller</b> of line 1 or line $6 \dots 12$ .
13.	Enter the amount from line 10 (if line 10 is blank, enter -0-) 13.
	Subtract line 13 from line 12
15.	Multiply line 14 by 15% (.15)
	Figure the tax on the amount on line 7. Use the 2006 Tax Rate Schedules on page J-916.
	Add lines 11, 15, and 16
18.	Figure the tax on the amount on line 1. Use the 2006 Tax Rate Schedules on page J-9
	Tax. Enter the smaller of line 17 or line 18 here and on Schedule J, line 16

### 2006 Foreign Earned Income Tax Worksheet—Line 16

Keep for Your Records

Use this worksheet if you claimed the foreign earned income exclusion or the housing exclusion on your 2006 Form 2555 or Form 2555-EZ.

1.	Enter the amount from Schedule J, line 15 <b>1.</b>		
2.	Enter the amount from your (and your spouse's, if filing jointly) Form 2555, line 45, or Form 2555-EZ, line 18		
3.	Enter the total amount of any itemized deductions you could not claim because they are related to excluded income		
4.	Subtract line 3 from line 2. If zero or less, enter -0		
5.	Combine lines 1 and 4. If zero or less, enter -0		
6.	Tax on amount on line 5. Use the 2006 Tax Rate Schedules on page J-9, the 2006 Schedule D Tax         Worksheet*, or the Qualified Dividends and Capital Gain Tax Worksheet*, whichever applies 6.		
7.	Tax on amount on line 4. Use the 2006 Tax Rate Schedules on page J-9 7.		
8.	Subtract line 7 from line 6. Enter the result here and on Schedule J, line 16		
*Enter the amount from line 5 above on line 1 of the Qualified Dividends and Capital Gain Tax Worksheet on page J-10 or Schedule D Tax Worksheet in the 2006 Schedule D instructions if you use either of those worksheets to figure the tax on line 6 above. Complete the rest of either of those worksheets according to the worksheet's instructions. Then complete lines 7 and 8 above.			

### Lines 18, 19, and 20

If you filed your 2004 tax return using TeleFile, enter your tax from your TeleFile Tax Record. The TeleFile Program was discontinued in 2005. If you amended your return or the IRS made changes to it, enter the corrected amount.



# 2007 Instructions for Schedule SE (Form 1040)

# Self-Employment Tax

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

## What's New

For 2007, the maximum amount of self-employment income subject to social security tax is \$97,500.

**Husband-wife business.** Beginning in 2007, if you and your spouse file a joint return and jointly own and operate a business, you may be able to make a joint election to be taxed as a qualified joint venture instead of a partnership and determine self-employment tax based on your respective share of the business. See *Qualified Joint Ventures* on page SE-2.

# **General Instructions**

### Who Must File Schedule SE

You must file Schedule SE if:

• Your net earnings from self-employment (see page SE-2) from other than church employee income were \$400 or more, or

• You had church employee income of \$108.28 or more—see *Employees of Churches and Church Organizations* below.

### Who Must Pay Self-Employment (SE) Tax?

#### **Self-Employed Persons**

You must pay SE tax if you had net earnings of \$400 or more as a self-employed person. If you are in business for yourself or you are a farmer, you are self-employed.

You must also pay SE tax on your share of certain partnership income and your guaranteed payments. See *Partnership Income or Loss* on page SE-2.

# Employees of Churches and Church Organizations

If you had church employee income of \$108.28 or more, you must pay SE tax. Church employee income is wages you received as an employee (other than as a minUse Schedule SE (Form 1040) to figure the tax due on net earnings from self-employment. The Social Security Administration uses the information from Schedule SE to figure your benefits under the social security program. This tax applies no matter how old you are and even if you are already getting social security or Medicare benefits.

Additional information. See Pub. 225 or Pub. 334.

ister or member of a religious order) of a church or qualified church-controlled organization that has a certificate in effect electing an exemption from employer social security and Medicare taxes.

# Ministers and Members of Religious Orders

In most cases, you must pay SE tax on salaries and other income for services you performed as a minister, a member of a religious order who has not taken a vow of poverty, or a Christian Science practitioner. But if you filed Form 4361 and received IRS approval, you will be exempt from paying SE tax on those net earnings. If you had no other income subject to SE tax, enter "Exempt—Form 4361" on Form 1040, line 58. However, if you had other earnings of \$400 or more subject to SE tax, see line A at the top of Long Schedule SE.



If you have ever filed Form 2031 to elect social security coverage on your earnings as a minister, you cannot revoke

that election.

If you must pay SE tax, include this income on either Short or Long Schedule SE, line 2. But do not report it on Long Schedule SE, line 5a; it is not considered church employee income. Also, include on line 2:

• The rental value of a home or an allowance for a home furnished to you (including payments for utilities), and

• The value of meals and lodging provided to you, your spouse, and your dependents for your employer's convenience.

However, do not include on line 2:

• Retirement benefits you received from a church plan after retirement, or

• The rental value of a home or an allowance for a home furnished to you (including payments for utilities) after retirement.

If you were a duly ordained minister who was an employee of a church and you must pay SE tax, the unreimbursed business expenses that you incurred as a church employee are allowed only as an itemized deduction for income tax purposes. Subtract the allowable amount from your SE earnings when figuring your SE tax. If you were a U.S. citizen or resident alien serving outside the United States as a minister or member of a religious order and you must pay SE tax, you cannot reduce your net earnings by the foreign housing exclusion or deduction.

See Pub. 517 for details.

# Members of Certain Religious Sects

If you have conscientious objections to social security insurance because of your membership in and belief in the teachings of a religious sect recognized as being in existence at all times since December 31, 1950, and which has provided a reasonable level of living for its dependent members, you are exempt from SE tax if you received IRS approval by filing Form 4029. In this case, do not file Schedule SE. Instead, enter "Exempt—Form 4029" on Form 1040, line 58. See Pub. 517 for details.

#### U.S. Citizens Employed by Foreign Governments or International Organizations

You must pay SE tax on income you earned as a U.S. citizen employed by a foreign government (or, in certain cases, by a wholly owned instrumentality of a foreign government or an international organization under the International Organizations Immunities Act) for services performed in the United States, Puerto Rico, Guam, American Samoa, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, or the U.S. Virgin Islands. Report income from this employment on either Short or Long Schedule SE, line 2. If you performed services elsewhere as an employee of a foreign government or an international organization, those earnings are exempt from SE tax.

### U.S. Citizens or Resident Aliens Living Outside the United States

If you are a self-employed U.S. citizen or resident alien living outside the United States, in most cases you must pay SE tax. You cannot reduce your foreign earnings from self-employment by your foreign earned income exclusion.

**Exception.** The United States has social security agreements with many countries to eliminate dual taxes under two social secur-

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ity systems. Under these agreements, you must generally pay social security and Medicare taxes to only the country you live in.

The United States now has social security agreements with the following countries: Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Chile, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, South Korea, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, and the United Kingdom. Additional agreements are expected in the future. If you have questions about international social security agreements, you can:

1. Visit the Social Security Administration (SSA) website at *www.socialsecurity. gov/international*,

2. Call the SSA's Office of International Programs at:

a. (410) 965-0144 for questions on benefits under agreements, or

b. (410) 965-3549 for questions on the coverage rules of the agreements, or

3. Write to Social Security Administration, Office of International Programs, P.O. Box 17741, Baltimore, MD 21235-7741.

If your self-employment income is exempt from SE tax, you should get a statement from the appropriate agency of the foreign country verifying that your self-employment income is subject to social security coverage in that country. If the foreign country will not issue the statement, contact the SSA at the address shown above. Do not complete Schedule SE. Instead, attach a copy of the statement to Form 1040 and enter "Exempt, see attached statement" on Form 1040, line 58.

#### Chapter 11 Bankruptcy Cases

While you are a debtor in a chapter 11 bankruptcy case, your net profit or loss from self-employment (for example, from Schedule C or Schedule F) will not be included in your Form 1040 income. Instead, it will be included on the income tax return (Form 1041) of the bankruptcy estate. However, you—not the bankruptcy estate—are responsible for paying self-employment tax on your net earnings from self-employment.

Enter on the dotted line to the left of Schedule SE, line 3, "Chap. 11 bankruptcy income" and the amount of your net profit or (loss). Combine that amount with the total of lines 1 and 2 (if any) and enter the result on line 3.

For other reporting requirements, see page 18 in the instructions for Form 1040.

### More Than One Business

If you had two or more businesses, your net earnings from self-employment are the combined net earnings from all of your businesses. If you had a loss in one business, it reduces the income from another. Figure the combined SE tax on one Schedule SE.

#### **Joint Returns**

Show the name of the spouse with SE income on Schedule SE. If both spouses have SE income, each must file a separate Schedule SE. However, if one spouse qualifies to use Short Schedule SE (front of form) and the other must use Long Schedule SE (back of form), both can use the same form. One spouse should complete the front and the other the back.

Include the total profits or losses from all businesses on Form 1040, as appropriate. Enter the combined SE tax on Form 1040, line 58.

### **Community Income**

If any of the income from a business (including farming) is community income, then all of the income is considered SE earnings and the SE earnings must be reported based on the following.

• If only one spouse participates in the business, all of the income from that business is the SE earnings of the spouse who carried on the business.

• If you and your spouse are partners in a partnership, see *Partnership Income or Loss* on this page.

• If you and your spouse elected to treat the business as a qualifying joint venture, see *Qualified Joint Ventures* on this page.

**Married filing separately.** If you and your spouse had community income and file separate returns, attach Schedule SE to the return of the spouse with the SE income. Also, attach Schedule(s) C, C-EZ, or F to the return of each spouse.

If you are the spouse who carried on the business, you must include on Schedule SE, line 3, the net profit or (loss) reported on the other spouse's Schedule C, C-EZ, or F (except income not included in net earnings from self-employment as explained on page SE-3). Enter on the dotted line to the left of Schedule SE, line 3, "Community income taxed to spouse" and the amount of any net profit or (loss) allocated to your spouse as community income. Combine that amount with the total of lines 1 and 2 and enter the result on line 3.

If you are not the spouse who carried on the business and you had no other income subject to SE tax, enter "Exempt community income" on Form 1040, line 58; do not file Schedule SE. However, if you had other earnings subject to SE tax of \$400 or more, enter on the dotted line to the left of Schedule SE, line 3, "Exempt community income" and the amount of net profit or (loss) from Schedule C, C-EZ, or F allocated to you as community income. If that amount is a net profit, subtract it from the total of lines 1 and 2, and enter the result on line 3. If that amount is a loss, treat it as a positive amount, add it to the total of lines 1 and 2, and enter the result on line 3.



Community income included on Schedule(s) C, C-EZ, or F must be divided for income tax purposes based on the commu-

nity property laws of your state.

### **Qualified Joint Ventures**

If you and your spouse materially participate (see Material participation in the 2007 Instructions for Schedule C) as the only members of a jointly owned and operated business, and you file a joint return for the tax year, you can make a joint election to be taxed as a qualified joint venture instead of a partnership. To make this election, you must divide all items of income, gain, loss, deduction, and credit between you and your spouse in accordance with your respective interests in the venture. Each of you must file a separate Schedule C, C-EZ, or F. On each line of your separate Schedule C, C-EZ, or F, you must enter your share of the applicable income, deduction, or loss. You also must file a separate Schedule SE to pay SE tax on your share of the joint venture income.

### **Fiscal Year Filers**

If your tax year is a fiscal year, use the tax rate and earnings base that apply at the time the fiscal year begins. Do not prorate the tax or earnings base for a fiscal year that overlaps the date of a rate or earnings base change.

# **Specific Instructions**

Read the chart on page 1 of Schedule SE to see if you can use Section A, Short Schedule SE, or if you must use Section B, Long Schedule SE. For either section, you need to know what to include as net earnings from self-employment. Read the following instructions to see what to include as net earnings and how to fill in either Short or Long Schedule SE, lines 1 and 2. Enter all negative amounts in parentheses.

# Net Earnings From Self-Employment

In most cases, net earnings include your net profit from a farm or nonfarm business. If you were a partner in a partnership, see the following instructions.

### Partnership Income or Loss

If you were a general or limited partner in a partnership, include on line 1 or line 2, whichever applies, the amount of net earnings from self-employment from Schedule K-1 (Form 1065), box 14, code A, and Schedule K-1 (Form 1065-B), box 9, code J1. General partners should reduce this amount before entering it on Schedule SE by any section 179 expense deduction claimed, unreimbursed partnership expenses claimed, and depletion claimed on

oil and gas properties. If you reduce the amount you enter on Schedule SE, attach an explanation.

If a partner died and the partnership continued, include in SE income the deceased's distributive share of the partnership's ordinary income or loss through the end of the month in which he or she died. See section 1402(f).

If you were married and both you and your spouse were partners in a partnership, each of you must pay SE tax on your own share of the partnership income. Each of you must file a Schedule SE and report the partnership income or loss on Schedule E (Form 1040), Part II, for income tax purposes.

SE income belongs to the person who is the member of the partnership and cannot be treated as SE income by the nonmember spouse, even in community property states.

### **Share Farming**

You are considered self-employed if you produced crops or livestock on someone else's land for a share of the crops or livestock produced (or a share of the proceeds from the sale of them). This applies even if you paid another person (an agent) to do the actual work or management for you. Report your net earnings for income tax purposes on Schedule F (Form 1040) and for SE tax purposes on Schedule SE. See Pub. 225 for details.

### Other Income and Losses Included in Net Earnings From Self-Employment

1. Rental income from a farm if, as landlord, you materially participated in the production or management of the production of farm products on this land. This income is farm earnings. To determine whether you materially participated in farm management or production, do not consider the activities of any agent who acted for you. The material participation tests are explained in chapter 12 of Pub. 225.

2. Cash or a payment-in-kind from the Department of Agriculture for participating in a land diversion program.

3. Payments for the use of rooms or other space when you also provided substantial services. Examples are hotel rooms, boarding houses, tourist camps or homes, parking lots, warehouses, and storage garages.

4. Income from the retail sale of newspapers and magazines if you were age 18 or older and kept the profits.

5. Income you receive as a direct seller. Newspaper carriers or distributors of any age are direct sellers if certain conditions apply. See chapter 5 of Pub. 334 for details.

6. Amounts received by current or former self-employed insurance agents and salespersons that are: a. Paid after retirement but figured as a percentage of commissions received from the paying company before retirement,

b. Renewal commissions, or

c. Deferred commissions paid after retirement for sales made before retirement.

However, certain termination payments received by former insurance salespersons are not included in net earnings from self-employment (as explained in item 9 under *Income and Losses Not Included in Net Earnings From Self-Employment* on this page).

7. Income of certain crew members of fishing vessels with crews of normally fewer than 10 people. See chapter 10 of Pub. 334 for details.

8. Fees as a state or local government employee if you were paid only on a fee basis and the job was not covered under a federal-state social security coverage agreement.

9. Interest received in the course of any trade or business, such as interest on notes or accounts receivable.

10. Fees and other payments received by you for services as a director of a corporation.

11. Recapture amounts under sections 179 and 280F that you included in gross income because the business use of the property dropped to 50% or less. Do not include amounts you recaptured on the disposition of property. See Form 4797.

12. Fees you received as a professional fiduciary. This may also apply to fees paid to you as a nonprofessional fiduciary if the fees relate to active participation in the operation of the estate's business, or the management of an estate that required extensive management activities over a long period of time.

13. Gain or loss from section 1256 contracts or related property by an options or commodities dealer in the normal course of dealing in or trading section 1256 contracts.

### Income and Losses Not Included in Net Earnings From Self-Employment

1. Salaries, fees, etc., subject to social security or Medicare tax that you received for performing services as an employee, including services performed as a public official (except as a fee basis government employee as explained in item 8 under Other Income and Losses Included in Net Earnings From Self-Employment) or as an employee or employee representative under the railroad retirement system.

2. Fees received for services performed as a notary public. If you had no other income subject to SE tax, enter "Exempt— Notary" on Form 1040, line 58; do not file Schedule SE. However, if you had other earnings of \$400 or more subject to SE tax, enter "Exempt—Notary" and the amount of your net profit as a notary public from Schedule C or Schedule C-EZ on the dotted line to the left of Schedule SE, line 3. Subtract that amount from the total of lines 1 and 2 and enter the result on line 3.

3. Income you received as a retired partner under a written partnership plan that provides for lifelong periodic retirement payments if you had no other interest in the partnership and did not perform services for it during the year.

4. Income from real estate rentals if you did not receive the income in the course of a trade or business as a real estate dealer. Report this income on Schedule E.

5. Income from farm rentals (including rentals paid in crop shares) if, as landlord, you did not materially participate in the production or management of the production of farm products on the land. See chapter 12 of Pub. 225 for details.

6. Dividends on shares of stock and interest on bonds, notes, etc., if you did not receive the income in the course of your trade or business as a dealer in stocks or securities.

7. Gain or loss from:

a. The sale or exchange of a capital asset;

b. The sale, exchange, involuntary conversion, or other disposition of property unless the property is stock in trade or other property that would be includible in inventory, or held primarily for sale to customers in the ordinary course of the business; or

c. Certain transactions in timber, coal, or domestic iron ore.

8. Net operating losses from other years.

9. Termination payments you received as a former insurance salesperson if all of the following conditions are met.

a. The payment was received from an insurance company because of services you performed as an insurance salesperson for the company.

b. The payment was received after termination of your agreement to perform services for the company.

c. You did not perform any services for the company after termination and before the end of the year in which you received the payment.

d. You entered into a covenant not to compete against the company for at least a 1-year period beginning on the date of termination.

e. The amount of the payment depended primarily on policies sold by or credited to your account during the last year of the agreement, or the extent to which those policies remain in force for some period after termination, or both.

f. The amount of the payment did not depend to any extent on length of service or overall earnings from services performed for the company (regardless of whether eligibility for the payment depended on length of service).

### **Statutory Employee Income**

If you were required to check the box on Schedule C or C-EZ, line 1, because you were a statutory employee, do not include the net profit or (loss) from that Schedule C, line 31 (or the net profit from Schedule C-EZ, line 3), on Short or Long Schedule SE, line 2. But if you file Long Schedule SE, be sure to include statutory employee social security wages and tips from Form W-2 on line 8a.

### **Optional Methods**

# How Can the Optional Methods Help You?

**Social security coverage.** The optional methods may give you credit toward your social security coverage even though you have a loss or a small amount of income from self-employment.

**Earned income credit (EIC).** Using the optional methods may qualify you to claim the EIC or give you a larger credit if your net earnings from self-employment (determined without using the optional methods) are less than \$1,600. Figure the EIC with and without using the optional methods to see if the optional methods will benefit you.

Additional child tax credit. Using the optional methods may qualify you to claim the additional child tax credit or give you a larger credit if your net earnings from self-employment (determined without using the optional methods) are less than \$1,600. Figure the additional child tax credit with and without using the optional methods to see if the optional methods will benefit you.

**Child and dependent care credit.** The optional methods may help you qualify for this credit or give you a larger credit if your net earnings from self-employment (determined without using the optional methods) are less than \$1,600. Figure this credit with and without using the optional methods to see if the optional methods will benefit you.

**Self-employed health insurance deduction.** The optional methods of computing net earnings from self-employment may be used to figure your self-employed health insurance deduction.



Using the optional methods may give you the benefits described above, but they may also increase your SE tax.

### **Farm Optional Method**

You may use this method to figure your net earnings from farm self-employment if your gross farm income was \$2,400 or less or your net farm profits were less than \$1,733. Net farm profits are the total of the amounts from:

• Schedule F (Form 1040), line 36, and

• Schedule K-1 (Form 1065), box 14, code A (from farm partnerships).

There is no limit on how many years you can use this method.

Under this method, report on Part II, line 15, two-thirds of your gross farm income, up to \$1,600, as your net earnings. This method can increase or decrease your net earnings from farm self-employment even if the farming business had a loss.

You can change the method after you file your return. That is, you can change from the regular to the optional method or from the optional to the regular method. To do this, file Form 1040X.

For a farm partnership, figure your share of gross income based on the partnership agreement. With guaranteed payments, your share of the partnership's gross income is your guaranteed payments plus your share of the gross income after it is reduced by all guaranteed payments made by the partnership. If you were a limited partner, include only guaranteed payments for services you actually rendered to or on behalf of the partnership.

### **Nonfarm Optional Method**

You may be able to use this method to figure your net earnings from nonfarm self-employment if your net nonfarm profits were less than \$1,733 and also less than 72.189% of your gross nonfarm income. Net nonfarm profits are the total of the amounts from:

• Schedule C (Form 1040), line 31,

• Schedule C-EZ (Form 1040), line 3,

• Schedule K-1 (Form 1065), box 14, code A (from other than farm partnerships), and

• Schedule K-1 (Form 1065-B), box 9, code J1.

To use this method, you also must be regularly self-employed. You meet this requirement if your actual net earnings from self-employment were \$400 or more in 2 of the 3 years preceding the year you use the nonfarm optional method. The net earnings of \$400 or more could be from either farm or nonfarm earnings or both. The net earnings include your distributive share of partnership income or loss subject to SE tax.

Use of the nonfarm optional method from nonfarm self-employment is limited to 5 years. The 5 years do not have to be consecutive.

Under this method, report on Part II, line 17, two-thirds of your gross nonfarm income, up to \$1,600, as your net earnings. But you cannot report less than your actual net earnings from nonfarm self-employment.

You can change the method after you file your return. That is, you can change from the regular to the optional method or from the optional to the regular method. To do so, file Form 1040X.

Figure your share of gross income from a nonfarm partnership in the same manner as a farm partnership. See *Farm Optional Method* on this page for details.

### Using Both Optional Methods

If you can use both methods, you can report less than your total actual net earnings from farm and nonfarm self-employment, but you cannot report less than your actual net earnings from nonfarm self-employment alone.

If you use both methods to figure net earnings, you cannot report more than \$1,600 of net earnings from self-employment.

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# Where Do You File?

If an envelope came with this booklet, please use it. If you do not have one or if you moved during the year, mail your return to the address shown below that applies to you. If you want to use a private delivery service, see page 9.



Envelopes without enough postage will be returned to you by the post office. Your envelope may need additional postage if it contains more than five pages or is oversized (for example, it is over 1/4" thick). Also, include your complete return address.

	THEN use this address if you:			
IF you live in	Are not enclosing a check or money order	Are enclosing a check or money order		
Alabama, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, North Carolina, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Virginia	Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Center Atlanta, GA 39901-0002	Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Center Atlanta, GA 39901-0102		
District of Columbia, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New York, Vermont	Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Center Andover, MA 05501-0002	Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Center Andover, MA 05501-0102		
Arkansas, Connecticut, Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Missouri, New Jersey, Ohio, Pennsylvania, West Virginia	Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Center Kansas City, MO 64999-0002	Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Center Kansas City, MO 64999-0102		
Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, Tennessee, Texas, APO, FPO	Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Center Austin, TX 73301-0002	Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Center Austin, TX 73301-0102		
Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Dakota, Utah, Washington, Wisconsin, Wyoming	Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Center Fresno, CA 93888-0002	Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Center Fresno, CA 93888-0102		
American Samoa, nonpermanent residents of Guam or the Virgin Islands*, Puerto Rico (or if excluding income under Internal Revenue Code section 933), dual-status aliens, a foreign country: U.S. citizens and those filing Form 2555, 2555-EZ, or 4563	Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Center Austin, TX 73301-0215 USA	Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Center Austin, TX 73301-0215 USA		

\* Permanent residents of Guam should use: Department of Revenue and Taxation, Government of Guam, P.O. Box 23607, GMF, GU 96921; permanent residents of the Virgin Islands should use: V.I. Bureau of Internal Revenue, 9601 Estate Thomas, Charlotte Amalie, St. Thomas, VI 00802.

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