2023 quick reference

Contribution limits and tax reference



Tax-advantaged accounts

Traditional IRA

Under age 50: \$6,500	Age 50 and above: \$7,500*		
Phase-out ranges for IRA contribution deductibility for individuals covered by an employer plan:			
Married, filing jointly or	\$116,000 – \$136,000 MAGI†		

qualifying widow(er)	\$110,000 - \$150,000 MAGI
Married, filing separately	\$0 – \$10,000 MAGI
Single or head of household	\$73,000 – \$83,000 MAGI

Full deduction is permitted below phase-out range, scaled partial deduction is permitted within range and no deduction is permitted above range.

Taxpayers can instruct the IRS to directly deposit their tax refund into their IRA. Current contribution limits apply.

Roth IRA			
Under age 50: \$6,500	Age 50 and above: \$7,500*		
Phase-out ranges for Roth contribution eligibility:			
Married, filing jointly	\$218,000 – \$228,000 MAGI		
Married, filing separately	\$0 – \$10,000 MAGI		
Single or head of household	\$138,000 - \$153,000 MAGI		
Full contribution is permitted below phase-out range			

Full contribution is permitted below phase-out range, scaled partial contribution is permitted within range and no contribution is permitted above range.

SEP IRA

- Up to the lesser of \$66,000 or 25% of eligible compensation with a \$330,000 compensation cap per employee.
- Minimum of \$750 in compensation required to participate in SEP.

SIMPLE IRA

Under age 50: \$15,500 Age 50 and above: \$19,000*

401(k), 403(b), 457^s, SARSEP

Under age 50: \$22,500 Age 50 and above: \$30,000

Uni-k Plans

Under age 50: \$22,500Age 50 and above: \$30,000Plus an additional 25% of income as defined by the plan,

or approximately 20% of your self-employment income. Total contributions to a participant's account, not counting catch-up contributions for those age 50 and over, cannot exceed \$66,000.

Defined benefit plan
\$265,000
For a participant who can

For a participant who separated from service before January 1, 2023, the limitation for defined benefit plans under Section 415(b)(1)(B) is computed by multiplying the participant's compensation limitation, as adjusted through 2022, by 1.0833.

Education accounts

529 college savings account

No age or income restrictions for contributions or beneficiaries.

	Annual gift tax exclusion amount [#] per beneficiary	Five-year accelerated gifting amount** per beneficiary	
Single	\$17,000	\$85,000	
Married, filing jointly	\$34,000	\$170,000	

Check with your 529 plan on maximum aggregate limits.

Tax-free withdrawals for qualified higher-education expenses; for up to \$10,000 in tuition expenses (per student per year) at elementary or secondary public, private or parochial schools; for fees, books and supplies for a registered apprenticeship program; and for repaying up to \$10,000 in qualified education loans. The earnings portion of withdrawals used for non-qualified expenses are subject to federal income taxes plus an additional 10% tax penalty and may be subject to state income or other taxes.

Coverdell education savings account		
Beneficiaries under age 18 and special-need beneficiaries of any age:	\$2,000	
Phase-out ranges:	\$2,000	
Single	\$95,000 – \$110,000 MAGI	
Married, filing jointly	\$190,000 – \$220,000 MAGI	

* Includes \$1,000 "catch-up." † Modified adjusted gross income (MAGI) is found by taking adjusted gross income (AGI) and adding back certain items such as foreign income, foreign-housing deductions, student-loan deductions, IRA-contribution deductions and deductions for higher-education costs. † Includes \$3,500 "catch-up." § If the plan provides, a special "catch-up" limit may apply. || Includes \$7,500 "catch-up." # Contributions are completed gifts subject to the annual gift-tax exclusion and are removed from the contributor's federal estate. Any contributions above this amount will apply against the lifetime gift tax exemption. ** Under a special rule, contributions of \$85,000 (\$170,000 for married, filing jointly) can be made in one year and prorated over a five-year period without incurring gift taxes or reducing your unified estate and gift tax credit. If the contributor dies before the five-year prorating period expires, the contributions allocated to the remaining years move back into the contributor's taxable estate. Any appreciation on the entire original gift is not considered part of the estate.

Federal tax brackets

Married, filing jointly (and surviving spouses)		
Taxable income	Tax rate	
\$0-\$22,000	10% of the taxable income	
\$22,000-\$89,450	\$2,200 plus 12% of the excess over \$22,000	
\$89,450-\$190,750	\$10,294 plus 22% of the excess over \$89,450	
\$190,750-\$364,200	\$32,580 plus 24% of the excess over \$190,750	
\$364,200-\$462,500	\$74,208 plus 32% of the excess over \$364,200	
\$462,500-\$693,750	\$105,664 plus 35% of the excess over \$462,500	
Over \$693,750	\$186,601.50 plus 37% of the excess over \$693,750	

Married, filing separate returns		
Taxable income	Tax rate	
\$0-\$11,000	10% of the taxable income	
\$11,000-\$44,725	\$1,100 plus 12% of the excess over \$11,000	
\$44,725-\$95,375	\$5,147 plus 22% of the excess over \$44,725	
\$95,375-\$182,100	\$16,290 plus 24% of the excess over \$95,375	
\$182,100-\$231,250	\$37,104 plus 32% of the excess over \$182,100	
\$231,250-\$346,875	\$52,832 plus 35% of the excess over \$231,250	
Over \$346,875	\$93,300.75 plus 37% of the excess over \$346,875	

Single (other than surviving spouses and heads of households)		
Taxable income	Tax rate	
\$0-\$11,000	10% of the taxable income	
\$11,000-\$44,725	\$1,100 plus 12% of the excess over \$11,000	
\$44,725-\$95,375	\$5,147 plus 22% of the excess over \$44,725	
\$95,375-\$182,100	\$16,290 plus 24% of the excess over \$95,375	
\$182,100-\$231,250	\$37,104 plus 32% of the excess over \$182,100	
\$231,250-\$578,125	\$52,832 plus 35% of the excess over \$231,250	
Over \$578,125	\$174,238.25 plus 37% of the excess over \$578,125	

Head of household	
Taxable income	Tax rate
\$0-\$15,700	10% of the taxable income
\$15,700-\$59,850	\$1,570 plus 12% of the excess over \$15,700
\$59,850-\$95,350	\$6,868 plus 22% of the excess over \$59,850
\$95,350-\$182,100	\$14,678 plus 24% of the excess over \$95,350
\$182,100-\$231,250	\$35,498 plus 32% of the excess over \$182,100
\$231,250-\$578,100	\$51,226 plus 35% of the excess over \$231,250
Over \$578,100	\$172,623.50 plus 37% of the excess over \$578,100

Estates and trusts

Taxable income	Tax rate
\$0-\$2,900	10% of the taxable income
\$2,900-\$10,550	\$290 plus 24% of the excess over \$2,900
\$10,550-\$14,450	\$2,126 plus 35% of the excess over \$10,550
Over \$14,450	\$3,491 plus 37% of the excess over \$14,450

Long-term capital gains rate			
0%	15%	20%	
\$0-\$89,250	\$89,250-\$553,850	Over \$553,850	
\$0-\$44,625	\$44,625-\$276,900	Over \$276,900	
\$0-\$44,625	\$44,625-\$492,300	Over \$492,300	
\$0-\$59,750	\$59,750-\$523,050	Over \$523,050	
\$0-\$3,000	\$3,000-\$14,650	Over \$14,650	
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Gift tax exclusions	
Annual exclusion	\$17,000
Lifetime exemption	\$12.92 million

Standard deductions*	
Married, filing jointly	\$27,700
Married, filing separately	\$13,850
Single	\$13,850
Head of household	\$20,800

Source: Internal Revenue Service. * The additional standard deduction amount for the aged or the blind is \$1,500. These amounts are increased to \$1,850 if the individual is also unmarried and not a surviving spouse.

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