# **Arkansas 2020**

# **Individual Income Tax**

Forms and Instructions

# Full Year Resident Part Year Resident Nonresident



#### **Governor Asa Hutchinson**

# **ATAP**

Please visit our secure site ATAP (Arkansas Taxpayer Access Point) at www.atap.arkansas.gov. ATAP allows taxpayers or their representatives to log on, make payments and manage their account online.

ATAP features are:

- Make Tax Payments
- Make Estimated Tax Payments
- Make name and address changes
- Check refund status
- View account letters
- View 1099-Gs

#### ATAP is available 24 hours.

(Registration is not required to make payments, check refund status or view 1099-Gs.)

# Where's My Refund?

Check your refund status at **www.atap.arkansas.gov** 

Identity Theft has been a growing problem nationally and the Department is taking additional measures to ensure tax refunds are issued to the correct individuals. These additional measures may result in tax refunds not being issued as quickly as in past years.

# Pay tax by credit card

(Vendor charges nominal fee)

www.officialpayments.com or call (800) 272-9829

# **Free File Alliance:**

As a member of the "Free File Alliance", the State of Arkansas offers certain taxpayers the opportunity to electronically file their return with no fee. If you meet the specified criteria (including income, military service, or eligibility for federal Earned Income Tax Credit) you may be eligible for this program.

For details go to:

www.arkansas.gov/efile

# **7** Simple Reasons to e-file!

- ▼ Faster Refunds: With Direct Deposit
- Direct Debit Payments
- Filing Confirmation Provided
- If You Qualify, It's Free
- Makes Complex Returns Easy
- ▼ File Federal & State Forms Together
- Secure



# For your questions/comments:

Manager, Individual Income Tax P. O. Box 3628 Little Rock, AR 72203-3628

# TAX HELP AND FORMS



# Internet

You can access the Department of Finance and Administration's website at **www.dfa.arkansas.gov.** 

- Check the status of your refund
- Get current and prior year forms and instructions
- Access latest income tax info and archived news
- Get e-file information

You can e-mail questions to:

individual.income@dfa.arkansas.gov



# Phone

Individual Income Tax Hotline......(501) 682-1100 or (800) 882-9275

Representatives are available to assist callers at the numbers above during normal business hours (Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.) with:

- Taxpayer Assistance
- Forms
- Audit and Examination
- Notices Received
- Amended Returns
- Payment Information

For hearing impaired access, call (800) 285-1131 using a Text Telephone Device (for Spanish, call (866) 656-1842).

Other useful phone numbers:

Business Incentive Credits	(501) 682-7106
Withholding Tax	(501) 682-7290
Collections	(501) 682-5000
Revenue Legal Counsel	(501) 682-7030
Corporate Income Tax	(501) 682-4775
Sales and Use Tax	(501) 682-7104
Problem Resolution and	(501) 682-7751
Tax Information Office (Offers Ir	Compromise)

Internal Revenue Service	(800)	829-1040
Social Security Administration	(800)	772-1213



# **Forms**

#### To obtain a booklet or forms you may:

- Access our website at: www.dfa.arkansas.gov/income-tax
- 2. Visit your county revenue office
- 3. Visit your local library or
- 4. Call the Individual Income Tax Hotline (501) 682-1100 **or** (800) 882-9275

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## Mail

Choose the appropriate address below to mail your return:

#### TAX DUE RETURN:

Arkansas State Income Tax P.O. Box 2144 Little Rock, AR 72203-2144

#### **REFUND RETURN:**

Arkansas State Income Tax P.O. Box 1000 Little Rock, AR 72203-1000

#### NO TAX DUE/REFUND RETURN:

Arkansas State Income Tax P.O. Box 2144 Little Rock, AR 72203-2144

Be sure to apply sufficient postage or your return will not be delivered by the U.S. Postal Service.



# Walk-In

Representatives are available to assist walk-in taxpayers with income tax questions, but are **not available to prepare your return.** 

No appointment is necessary, but plan to arrive before 4:00 p.m. to allow sufficient time for assistance.

The Individual Income Tax Office is located in Room 2300, Ledbetter Building, at 1816 W. 7th Street in Little Rock.

Office hours are Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

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# **ELECTRONIC FILING**

## www.arkansas.gov/efile

- **E-file is hassle-free**—both your federal and Arkansas income tax returns can be filed electronically in one transmission.
- **E-file is smart**—computer programs catch 98% of tax return errors.
- **E-file is worry-free**-receive acknowledgement within 2 to 3 business days if your return has been received and accepted.

Arkansas participates in the Federal/State Electronic Filing Program for Individual Income Tax. The program is available to most full year residents and certain qualifying nonresidents and part year residents.

Since Arkansas is a member of the **"Free File Alliance,"** depending on the level of income, taxpayers may qualify to file returns for free. (Go to **www.arkansas.gov/efile** for details.)

Over 300,000 taxpayers took advantage of online filing last year. The same advantages are obtained by online filing as by electronic filing, but it does not require a preparer. For a nominal fee your federal and state returns can be prepared and filed electronically.

The State of Arkansas is requesting additional information this filing season in an effort to combat identity tax fraud and ensure that your hard-earned tax refund goes to you. Providing information from your driver's license or state-issued identification card will help protect your identity and could help process your return quicker. However, this is only a request. Information from your driver's license is not required, and your return will be processed without the additional information. The information is being requested solely to help protect your identity and ensure a more-secure refund.

# **PAY BY CREDIT CARD**

(Vendor charges nominal fee)



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# **SPECIAL INFORMATION FOR TAX YEAR 2020**

### **Multiple Direct Deposit (Act 774 of 2019):**

Beginning tax year 2019, Arkansas allows up to (2) bank accounts for direct deposit of taxpayer's refund.

#### Achieving a Better Life Experience Program (Act 825 of 2019):

Contributions to an ABLE account established under §20-3-101 et seq. is deductible by up to \$5,000 per taxpayer in a tax year.

#### Limitation for Charitable Contributions increased (Act 870 of 2019):

AGI limitation for cash contributions increased to 60% beginning in 2019.

### Tax Competitiveness and Relief (Act 182 of 2019):

Marginal income tax rates have been amended and the top rate has been reduced to 6.6% for 2020.

# **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR TAX YEAR 2021**

#### Tax Competitiveness and Relief (Act 182 of 2019):

Marginal income tax rates have been amended and the top rate will be reduced to 5.9% begining in 2021.

#### **IDENTITY THEFT**

In recent years, identity theft associated with income tax returns has become an increasingly severe problem. Sometimes thieves steal a taxpayer's Social Security Number and other private information then use this information to file tax returns and receive refunds that were not due to them.

If you believe your identity may have been used to file an Arkansas state tax return, these are the steps we suggest you take:

- > Contact us at (501) 682-1100 to report that your identity may have been stolen and request a hold on your account to stop all fraudulent refunds.
- > Contact the IRS Identity Protection Specialized Unit at **(800) 908-4490** and inform them that your identity was stolen and may have been used to file a fraudulent tax return. You should complete **IRS Form 14039**, an identity theft affidavit, to support your claim.
- > Send a copy of the stamped IRS identity theft affidavit form to:

Arkansas Individual Income Tax PO Box 3628 Little Rock, AR 72203-3628

- > Contact the credit bureaus to ensure there have not been any other thefts related to your identity, and ask to have a fraud alert put on your credit report. The numbers to the credit bureaus are listed below:
  - Equifax (800) 525-6285
  - Experian (888) 397-3742
  - Trans-Union (800) 680-7289

### IF THE IRS AUDITS YOU

If the Internal Revenue Service examines your return for any tax year and changes your net taxable income, you must report the changes to the Arkansas Department of Finance and Administration within one hundred eighty (180) days from the receipt of the notice and demand for payment by the Internal Revenue Service.

File an Amended Individual Income Tax Return for the year(s) involved reporting the changes to your state return. **Attach a copy of the federal changes.** 

If you fail to notify this Department within one hundred eighty (180) days and do not file the required amended return, the Statute of Limitations will remain open for three (3) years on the year(s) in question. Additional interest will be figured on any tax you owe the State of Arkansas.

# **INFORMATION EXCHANGE PROGRAMS WITH THE IRS**

Under authorization of Internal Revenue Code Section 6103(D) the State of Arkansas participates in several information exchange programs with the Internal Revenue Service:

- CP2000: The IRS matches income reported on a taxpayer's federal income tax return with documents (W-2s, 1099s, etc.) provided to the IRS by the payer to determine whether income was omitted from the taxpayer's return. If unreported income is discovered, the IRS assesses additional federal tax on the omitted income then notifies the State of Arkansas. The taxpayer's state tax return is then reviewed for unreported income. (Some examples of commonly omitted income include wages, pensions, and cancellation of debt.)
- Revenue Agent Reports "RARs": When the IRS adjusts a taxpayer's federal income tax return as the result of an audit, details are provided to the State of Arkansas. The taxpayer's state tax return is then reviewed and adjusted if appropriate. (Some examples of RAR adjustments include disallowance of deductions, expenses, or dependents and assessment of early withdrawal penalties.)
- Non-filer Identification: The IRS provides the Arkansas Department of Finance and Administration with a list of taxpayers who filed federal returns using Arkansas addresses. This information is then compared with Arkansas income tax records to identify individuals who filed federal returns using Arkansas addresses but did not file Arkansas returns. Letters are sent inquiring whether the taxpayer is required to file. The taxpayer should file the return in question or provide documentation why he/she is not required to file. If a sufficient response is not received, state tax is assessed using amounts reported on the taxpayer's federal return, and the taxpayer is mailed a Notice of Proposed Assessment.

## PRESERVATION OF TAX RECORDS

A taxpayer who files an Arkansas income tax return is required to retain records to prove the accuracy of that return. The records must be retained for at least six (6) years (unless otherwise provided by law) and are subject to examination by the Director at any reasonable time during that period.

When a taxpayer fails to preserve and maintain the required records, the director may make an estimated assessment based upon any available information as to the amount of tax due by the taxpayer. Per ACA 26-18-506, the burden of proof of refuting this estimated assessment is upon the taxpayer.

## **REQUEST FOR COPIES OF ARKANSAS TAX RETURNS**

If your tax return was completed by a paid tax preparer, he/she should be able to provide a copy of the return. If you used a software product to prepare your tax return, you should be able to print a copy of the tax return from the software used. Otherwise to request a copy of your Arkansas tax return, please complete and submit Form AR4506. Form AR4506 may be downloaded from our website at: www.dfa.arkansas.gov/incometax.



## Military Pay Exemption (Act 1408 of 2013):

Provides a 100% exemption from income tax for service pay or allowance received by an active duty member of the armed forces for tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2014. Active duty includes all members of the armed forces, including the National Guard and Reserve Units.

## Military Spouses Residency Relief Act:

Exempts a military spouse's income from Arkansas tax if the servicemember's Home of Record is not Akansas and the spouse's domicile is the same as the service member's Home of Record. Effective January 1, 2009. Write the words "military spouse" at top of tax return and attach a completed Form AR-MS (available at **www.dfa.arkansas.gov/incometax**) and a copy of service member's Leave and Earning Statement (LES) to verify Home of Record. (For future tax purposes, the nonmilitary spouse must submit a new payroll withholding form ARW-4MS, to his/her employer each year to exempt future withholding.)

## The Military Family Tax Relief Act of 2003 (Act 372 of 2009):

This act adopts IRC 121, 134, and 162 as in effect on January 1, 2009. Provisions of this act include exclusion of gain on sale of principal residence, deduction of overnight travel expenses for National Guard and Reserve members, and exclusion from income of "qualified military benefits".

# Military Retirement Exemption (Act 141 of 2017):

Beginning with tax year 2018, retirement benefits received by a member of the uniformed services as defined in this Act are exempted from income tax. Retirees cannot claim both the military retirement exemption and the \$6,000 exemption for traditional IRA distributions (A.C.A 26-51-307(f))." Please see instructions for lines 18A and 18b for details.

#### The Servicemembers Civil Relief Act:

**Deferral of Tax -** Upon notice to the Internal Revenue Service or the tax authority of a state or a political subdivision of a state, the collection of income tax on the income of a servicemember falling due before or during military service shall be deferred for a period not more than 180 days after termination of or release from military service, if a service member's ability to pay such income tax is materially affected by military service.

**Accrual of Interest or Penalty -** No interest or penalty shall accrue for the period of deferment by reason of nonpayment on any amount of tax deferred under this section.

**Statute of Limitations -** The running of a statute of limitations against the collection of tax deferred under this section, by seizure or otherwise, shall be suspended for the period of military service of the servicemember and for an additional period of 270 days thereafter.

**Residence or Domicile -** A servicemember shall neither lose nor acquire a residence or domicile for purposes of taxation with respect to the person, personal property, or income of the servicemember by reason of being absent or present in any tax jurisdiction of the United States solely in compliance with military orders.

**Military Service Compensation -** Compensation of a servicemember for military service shall not be deemed to be income for services performed or from sources within a tax jurisdiction of the United States if the servicemember is not a resident or domiciliary of the jurisdiction in which the servicemember is serving in compliance with military orders.

## RETIRED MILITARY PERSONNEL

# Extension of Time for Veterans (Retirees) to File for Refund (Act 238 of 2009):

This act extends the statute of limitations for a veteran to file a claim for refund of an overpayment that results from retroactive determination by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs that part or all of the uniformed service retirement payments to the taxpayer are payments made for a service-connected disability and are not included in gross income. Effective January 1, 2001.

# **DEFINITIONS**

#### **GROSS INCOME**

Gross income is any and all income (before deductions) other than income specifically described as exempt from tax on pages 9 and 10 "Exempt From Income Tax".

Exception: The \$6,000 exemption on retirement income, exemption on U.S. active duty military income and military retirement as described on pages 9 -10 are included in gross income.

#### **DOMICILE**

This is the place you intend to have as your permanent home and the place you intend to return to whenever you are away. You can have only one domicile. Your domicile does not change until you move to a new location which you intend to make your permanent home. If you move to a new location but intend to stay there only for a limited time (no matter how long), your domicile does not change. This also applies if you are working in a foreign country.

#### **FULL YEAR RESIDENT**

You are a full year resident if you lived in Arkansas all of calendar year 2020, or if you have maintained a domicile or Home of Record in Arkansas during the tax year.

#### **NONRESIDENT**

You are a nonresident if you did not make your domicile in Arkansas.

#### **PART YEAR RESIDENT**

You are a part year resident if you established a domicile in Arkansas or moved out of the state during calendar year 2020.

#### **MILITARY PERSONNEL**

If Arkansas is your Home of Record and you are stationed outside of Arkansas, you are still required to file an **AR1000F** reporting all of your income, including U.S. active duty military compensation. However, active duty military compensation is exempt from Arkansas tax beginning in tax year 2014. (If you are stationed in Arkansas and your Home of Record is another state, Arkansas does not tax your U.S. active duty military compensation.)

U.S. active duty military compensation includes wages received by members of the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, National Guard, and Reserve Units.

#### **DEPENDENTS**

You may claim as a dependent any person who received over half of his or her support from you, earned less than \$4,300 in gross income, and was your:

Child	Stepchild	Mother	Father	Grandparent	Brother
Sister	Grandchild	Stepbrother	Stepsister	Stepmother	Stepfather
Mother-In-Law	Father-In-Law	Brother-In-Law	Sister-In-Law	Son-In-Law	Daughter-In-Law

Or, an individual (other than your spouse) who, for the tax year of the taxpayer, had the same principal place of abode as the taxpayer and was a member of the taxpayer's household. Or, if related by blood: Uncle, Aunt, Nephew, Niece. The term "dependent" includes a foster child if the child had as his principal place of abode the home of the taxpayer and was a member of the taxpayer's household for the taxpayer's entire tax year.

The term "dependent" does not apply to anyone who is a citizen or subject of a foreign country UNLESS that person is a resident of **Mexico or Canada.** 

**If your child/stepchild was under age 19** at the end of the year, the \$4,300 gross income limitation does not apply. Your child/stepchild may have earned any amount of income and still be your dependent if the other dependency requirements in this section were met.

**If your child/stepchild was a student under age 24** at the end of the calendar year, the \$4,300 gross income limitation does not apply. The other requirements in this section must be met.

**To qualify as a student,** your child/stepchild must have been a full-time student for five (5) months during the calendar year at a qualified school, as defined by the Internal Revenue Service.

**If your dependent died** during the tax year, you may claim the full amount of tax credit for the dependent on your tax return regardless of when the death occurred during the year.

Arkansas has adopted Internal Revenue Code §151(c)(6) regarding the tax treatment of kidnapped children.

## NSTRUCTIONS

#### THESE INSTRUCTIONS ARE FOR GUIDANCE ONLY AND DO NOT STATE THE COMPLETE LAW

## WHO MUST FILE A TAX RETURN

FULL YEAR RESIDE	NTS (Use Form AR1000F)	
If your	and your	file if <b>GROSS</b>
MARITAL STATUS	FILING STATUS	INCOME*
is:	is:	is at least
Single (Including divorced and legally separated)	Single	\$12,675
	Head of Household with 1 or no dependents	\$18,021
	Head of Household with 2 or more dependents	\$21,482
Married	Married Filing Joint with 1 or no dependents	\$21,375
	Married Filing Joint with 2 or more dependents	\$25,726
	Married Filing Separately	\$8,400
Widowed in 2018 or 2019, and not	Qualifying Widow(er) with 1 or no dependents	\$18,021
remarried in 2020	Qualifying Widow(er) with 2 or more dependents	\$21,482

\*Gross income is all income (before deductions) other than income specifically described as exempt on pages 9 and 10 "Exempt From Income Tax."

Exception: The \$6,000 exemption on retirement income, exemption on U.S. active duty military income and military retirement as described on pages 9-10 are included in gross income.

If your gross income was less than the amount shown in the last column for your filing status, you are not required to file a return. However, you must file a return to claim any refund due.

#### **NONRESIDENTS (Use Form AR1000NR)**

Nonresidents who received any gross income from Arkansas sources **must** file a return (regardless of marital status, filing status, or amount).

#### PART YEAR RESIDENTS (Use Form AR1000NR)

Part year residents who received any gross income while an Arkansas resident must file a return (regardless of marital status, filing status, or amount).

#### WHEN TO FILE

You can file your calendar year original tax return any time after December 31, 2020, but NO LATER THAN April 15, 2021, (unless an extension has been granted).

If you file a fiscal year tax return, your return is due NO LATER THAN three and one-half (3 1/2) months following the close of the income year.

**NOTE:** The date of the postmark stamped by the U.S. Postal Service is the date you filed your return.

If the due date of your return falls on a Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday, the return will be considered timely filed if it is postmarked on the next business

Statute of Limitations - Refunds. An amended return or claim for refund of an overpayment must be filed by the taxpayer within three (3) years from the time the return was filed or two (2) years from the time the tax was paid, whichever is later.

## IF YOU NEED MORE TIME

If you request an extension of time to file your federal income tax return (by filing federal Form 4868 with the IRS) you are entitled to receive the same extension on your Arkansas income tax return. The federal automatic extension extends the deadline to file until October 15th.

The Department no longer requires that a copy of federal Form 4868 be attached to your state tax return. When your Arkansas return is complete and ready to file, simply check the box on the face of the return indicating you filed a federal extension.

If you do not file a federal extension, you can file an Arkansas extension using Form AR1055-IT before the filing due date of April 15th. Inability to pay is not a valid reason to request an Arkansas extension. Send your request to:

> Individual Income Tax Section ATTN: Extension P.O. Box 8149 Little Rock, AR 72203-8149

NOTE: The maximum extension that will be granted to an individual on an AR1055-IT is one hundred and eighty (180) days, extending the due date until October 15th.

When you file your return, check the box indicating you filed a state extension. If the box on the front of your return is not checked, you will not receive credit for your federal or state extension.

An extension extends the amount of time to file your return, but does not extend the amount of time to pay. Any tax due must be paid by April 15, 2021 to avoid failure to pay penalty and interest.

Payments made on extension should be made using the voucher attached to Form AR1055-IT.

See Page 15 for information on penalties and interest.

#### **EXEMPT FROM INCOME TAX**

NOTE: List exempt income on AR4, Part III. (You do not need to list exclusion amounts from numbers 11-13.)

- Military Pension received as a member of the uniformed services.
- Money you received from a life insurance policy because of the death of the person who was insured is exempt from tax.

You must include as taxable income any interest payments made to you from the insurer (the insurance company that issued the policy).

- Money you received from life insurance, an endowment, or a private annuity contract for which you paid the premiums is allowed cost recovery pursuant to Internal Revenue Code §72.
- Amounts you received as child support payments are exempt from tax.
- 5. Gifts, inheritances, bequests, or devises are exempt from tax.
- Scholarships, fellowships, and grants are taxed pursuant to Internal Revenue Code §117. (Stipends are fully taxable.) For additional information on scholarships, fellowships, and grants see instructions for Line 22 on Page 13
- Interest you received from direct United States obligations, its possessions, the State of Arkansas, or any political subdivision of the State of Arkansas is exempt from tax. (Interest received on tax refunds is not exempt income, because it did not result from a debt issued by the United States, the State of Arkansas, or any political subdivision of the State of Arkansas.) Interest from government securities paid to individuals through a mutual fund is exempt from tax

 Social Security benefits, VA benefits, Workers' Compensation, Railroad Retirement benefits and related supplemental benefits are exempt from tax.

Railroad Retirement Benefits exempt from income tax include tier I, tier II, vested dual benefits (VDB), and supplemental annuity payments reported on Form(s) RRB-1099-R and/or RRB-1099. Private pensions reported on form 1099-R from railroad companies are not considered exempt Railroad Retirement Benefits.

- 9. The rental value of a home or the housing allowance paid to a duly ordained or licensed minister of a recognized church is exempt to the extent that it was used to rent or provide a home. The rental value of a home furnished to a minister includes utilities furnished to the minister as part of compensation. The housing allowance paid to a minister includes an allowance for utilities paid to the minister as part of compensation to the extent it was used to furnish utilities in the home.
- Disability income MAY BE exempt from tax pursuant to Internal Revenue Code §104.
- Beginning with tax year 2014, U.S. active duty military compensation is exempt from tax. To claim the exemption, you must file a return and report all of the income you received during the year.
- 12. If you received income from an **employer sponsored retirement plan**, including disability retirement, that is not exempt under IRC §104, the first \$6,000 is exempt from tax. If you contributed after-tax dollars to your plan, you are allowed to recover your cost (investment) in your retirement plan in accordance with Internal Revenue Code §72. Then the first \$6,000 of the balance is exempt from tax.
- 13. If you received a traditional IRA distribution after reaching age fifty-nine and one-half (59 1/2), the first \$6,000 is exempt from tax. Your traditional IRA distribution may be adjusted for nondeductible IRA contributions, if any, by completing Federal Form 8606 and attaching it to your Arkansas return. Premature distributions made on account of the participant's death or disability also qualify for the exemption. All other premature distributions or early withdrawals including, but not limited to, those taken for medical expenses, higher education expenses or a first-time home purchase do not qualify for the exemption.

A surviving spouse qualifies for the exemption; however he/she is limited to a single \$6,000 exemption.

NOTE: Total exemptions from all plans described under 12 and 13 cannot exceed \$6,000 per taxpayer, not including recovery of cost.

 Beginning with tax year 2017, income received by a taxpayer under the Community Match Rural Physician Recruitment Program is exempt from income tax.

#### **FILING AN AMENDED RETURN**

If filing an amended return, check the box at the top right corner of Form AR1000F/AR1000NR. Complete the return, replacing the incorrect entries from your original return with the amended entries. Attach an explanation and supporting documentation for items changed. (Do not file an amended return until after your original return has been processed.)

#### Amended return needed:

- to make changes or adjustments to your original return
- if the IRS examines your federal return for any tax year and changes your net taxable income (required to file an Arkansas amended return within 180 days of IRS notification)

#### **Amended return NOT needed:**

- to correct an address (You must provide a completed Individual Income Tax Account Change Form located on our website at www.dfa.arkansas.gov)
- to correct a Social Security Number (Call (501) 682-1100 or write to Individual Income Tax Section, P.O. Box 3628, Little Rock, AR 72203. You may be asked to provide documentation.)
- if you are notified by the Income Tax Section that there is an error on your original return
- if filing a federal amended return with no impact on your Arkansas income tax return

#### FILING STATUS

#### **DETERMINE YOUR FILING STATUS**

#### **BOX 1. Filing Status 1 (Single)**

Check this box if you are SINGLE or UNMARRIED and DO NOT qualify as HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD. (Read the instructions for BOX 3 to determine if you qualify for HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD.)

# BOX 2. Filing Status 2 (Married Filing Joint)

Check this box if you were MARRIED and are filing jointly. IF YOU ARE FILING A JOINT RETURN, YOU MUST ADD BOTH SPOUSES' INCOME TOGETHER. Enter the total amount in column A on Lines 8 through 23 under "Your/Joint Income".

# MARRIED COUPLES—CHOOSING THE BEST FILING STATUS

If you and your spouse had separate incomes, you might save money by figuring your tax separately using one of the following two methods. Use the method that suits you best.

#### METHOD A.

List your income separately under Column A ("Your Income"). List your spouse's income separately under Column B ("Spouse's Income"). Figure your tax separately and then add your taxes together. See instructions for Married Filing Separately on the Same Return. Box 4.

If you use Method A, your result will be either a COMBINED REFUND or a COMBINED TAX DUE.

#### METHOD B.

You must file separate individual tax returns. See instructions for Married Filing Separately on Different Returns, Box 5.

If you use Method B, one of you may owe tax and the other may get a refund. The tax due must be paid with the proper tax return and the refund will be due on the other return. YOU MAY NOT OFFSET ONE AGAINST THE OTHER.

# BOX 3. Filing Status 3 (Head of Household)

To file as Head of Household you must have been unmarried or legally separated on December 31, 2020 and meet either 1 or 2 below. The term "Unmarried" includes certain married persons who lived apart, as discussed at the end of this section.

 You paid over half the cost of keeping a home for the entire year that was the main home of your parent whom you can claim as a dependent. Your parent did not have to live with you in your home.

#### OR

- You paid over half the cost of keeping a home in which you lived, and in which one of the following also lived, for more than six (6) months of the year (temporary absences, such as vacation or school, are counted as time lived in the home):
  - Your unmarried child, grandchild, greatgrandchild, adopted child or stepchild. This child did not have to be your dependent, but your foster child must have been your dependent.
  - Your married child, grandchild, adopted child or stepchild. This child must have been your dependent.
  - c. Any other person whom you could claim as a dependent.

#### MARRIED PERSONS WHO LIVED APART

Even if you were not divorced or legally separated in 2020, you may be considered unmarried and file as Head of Household. See Internal Revenue Service instructions for Head of Household to determine if you qualify.

# BOX 4. Filing Status 4 (Married Filing Separately on the Same Return)

Check this box if you were married and are filing SEPARATELY ON THE SAME TAX RETURN. This method of tax computation may reduce your tax liability if both spouses had income. The result will be either a combined refund or a combined tax due.

IF ONE SPOUSE HAD A TOTAL NEGATIVE INCOME, YOU MUST FILE MARRIED FILING JOINTLY.

# BOX 5. Filing Status 5 (Married Filing Separately on Different Returns)

Check this box if you were married and are filing separate tax returns.

#### **BOX 6. Filing Status 6 [Qualifying** Widow(er)]

Check this box if you are a QUALIFYING WIDOW(ER).

You are eligible to file as a QUALIFYING WIDOW(ER) if your spouse died in 2018 or 2019 and you meet each of the following tests:

- You were entitled to file MARRIED FILING JOINTLY or MARRIED FILING SEPARATELY ON THE SAME RETURN with your spouse for the year your spouse died. It does not matter whether you actually filed a joint return.
- You did not remarry before the end of 2020.
- You had a child, stepchild, adopted child, or foster child who qualified as your dependent for the year.
- You paid more than half the cost of keeping a home, which was the main home of that child for the entire year except for temporary absences.

#### **DECEASED TAXPAYER**

An Arkansas tax return should be filed for a taxpayer who died during the tax year as if the taxpayer had lived the entire year. Check the box after the taxpayer's name.

NOTE: Any refund check issued to a deceased taxpayer will be made out to the estate of the deceased taxpayer, i.e. "Estate of John/Jane Doe". To cash the check, the bank may require documentation such as death certificate, will, or power of attorney.

# **PERSONAL TAX CREDITS**

**LINE 7A.** Each taxpayer and spouse is entitled to one personal tax credit. You can claim additional personal tax credits if you can answer "Yes" to any of these questions:

#### Is your filing status **Head of Household** or Qualifying Widow(er)?

On January 1, 2021, were you age 65 or over? On December 31, 2020, were you deaf? On December 31, 2020, were you blind?

Check the box or boxes that apply to you and/or your spouse. You CANNOT claim any of these credits for your children or dependents.

Blindness is defined as being unable to tell light from darkness, having eyesight in the better eye not exceeding 20/200 with corrective lens, or having a field of vision limited to an angle of 20 degrees.

You can claim the **Deaf** Credit only if the average loss in speech frequencies (500 to 2000 Hertz) in the better ear is 86 decibels. I.S.O., or worse.

Any taxpayer age 65 or over not claiming a retirement income exemption on Line 18 is eligible for an additional \$29 (per taxpayer) tax credit. Check the box(es) marked "65 Special". Add the number of boxes you checked on Line 7A.

Write the total in the box provided. Multiply the number by \$29 and write amount in space provided.

**LINE 7B.** List the name(s) of your dependent(s), Social Security Numbers, and relationship to you in the space provided. DO NOT INCLUDE YOURSELF AND/OR YOUR SPOUSE. The individual(s) you can claim as dependent(s) are described on Page 8. (Attach schedule if more than 3 dependents.)

Add the number of dependents listed on Line 7B. Write the total in the box provided. Multiply the number by \$29 and write that amount in the space provided.

LINE 7C. If one or more of your dependents had developmental disabilities, enter his/her name(s) on the line. Multiply \$500 by number of dependents with developmental disabilities. Enter the total. (Individual must qualify for credit. See Form AR1000RC5 to check if eligible.)

NOTE: You must attach Form AR1000RC5 to your return if this is the first year you claim the Credit for Individuals with Developmental Disabilities.

A certified AR1000RC5 must be filed with your tax return every five (5) years. If credit was received on a prior year's return, do not file another AR1000RC5 until the Individual Income Tax Section notifies you.

LINE 7D. Total the tax credits from Lines 7A. 7B. and 7C. Enter the total on this line and on Line 34.

#### **DIRECT DEPOSIT**

#### Get your refund faster with direct deposit.

For direct deposit to your checking or savings account, you must enter your routing and account numbers and check the box for either checking or savings. If you checked the box ultimately placing your direct deposit into a foreign account, stop here. Direct deposits will not be deposited into accounts outside the United States; this includes Puerto Rico, Guam and the Virgin Islands.

The State of Arkansas is not responsible for the misapplication of a direct deposit that results from error, negligence or malfeasance on the part of the taxpayer, the provider or preparer, financial institution or any of their agents.

Check your form carefully, since any error could prevent your bank from accepting your direct deposit. Refunds that are not direct deposited because of Institutional refusal, erroneous account or routing transit numbers, closed accounts, bank mergers or any other reason are issued as paper checks. While the State of Arkansas ordinarily processes a request for direct deposit, it reserves the right to issue a paper check and does not guarantee a specific date for deposit of the refund into the taxpayer's account.

#### 1099-G

Arkansas will no longer mail paper 1099-Gs. Instead, we ask that you get this information from our website at www. atap.arkansas.gov. If you wish for us to mail you a paper 1099-G instead, please check the box located above the signature line on page AR1.

#### SIGNATURE(S)

Your tax return will not be legal and cannot be processed unless you SIGN IT.

Write in the DATE. If you and your spouse are filing a joint tax return or filing separately on the same return, both of you must sign it.

If someone else prepares your return, that person must sign and complete the Paid Preparer section. If you prepare your own return, **DO NOT** use this

## **INCOME**

#### **FULL YEAR RESIDENTS**

If your filing status is Married Filing Separately on the Same Return, both Column A and Column B must be used. Write your income in Column A and your spouse's income in Column B. For all other filing statuses, write all income in Column A only.

#### **NONRESIDENTS AND PART YEAR RESIDENTS**

Complete Column A (and Column B if using Filing Status 4) of the AR1000NR as if you were a full year resident. List all of your income from all sources for the entire year in these two columns.

List in Column C the total combined income (for both spouses) earned while Arkansas residents and income derived from Arkansas sources.

The total tax must be computed on the income totals in Columns A and B. After all allowable tax credits have been subtracted from the total tax, prorate the remaining balance. See instructions for Lines 38A, 38B, 38C, and 38D on Page 14.

NONRESIDENTS AND PART YEAR **RESIDENTS MUST ATTACH A COPY OF** YOUR FEDERAL RETURN, OR YOUR ARKANSAS RETURN WILL NOT BE PROCESSED.

Round all amounts to the nearest dollar. (For example, if your Form W-2 shows \$10,897.50, round to \$10,898. If your Form W-2 shows \$10,897.49, round to \$10,897.)

Staple the state copy of each of your W-2(s), 1099-R(s) and 1099-G(s) to the left margin of the front of the return.

LINE 8. Add the wages, salaries, tips, etc. reported on your W-2(s). Enter the total on this line. Attach W-2(s).

#### **Enter U.S. Military Compensation on Line 9.**

#### **Ministers Income:**

If you were a duly ordained or licensed minister, you received a housing allowance from your church, and you do not file a federal Schedule C, enter your gross compensation from the ministry less rental value of your home. The balance is subject to tax. The rental value of your home must be shown on Form AR4, Part III. Attach AR4 and W-2(s).

**LINE 9.** Service pay or allowance received by an active duty member of the armed services is exempt from Arkansas income tax. If you or your spouse had U.S. active duty military compensation, enter gross amount in the space provided. **Do not** enter an amount in Column A. **Attach W-2(s)**.

**ARKANSAS:** If your Home of Record is not Arkansas, do not report to Arkansas your income or your nonresident spouse's income. Fill out and submit AR-NRMILITARY Form to have a note put on your account that you are not required to file a return.

Your spouse's income is exempt from Arkansas tax if your Home of Record is not Arkansas and your spouse's domicile is the same as your Home of Record.

However, if your spouse had Arkansas income tax withheld, he/she will need to file a return to get a refund. Write the words "military spouse" at top of tax return and attach a completed Form AR-MS and a copy of service member's Leave and Earning Statement (LES) to verify Home of Record.

(For future tax purposes, your nonmilitary spouse must submit a new payroll withholding form, ARW-4MS to his/her employer each year to exempt withholding.)

**LINE 10.** If you received interest from bank deposits, notes, mortgages, corporation bonds, savings and loan association deposits, and credit union deposits, enter all interest received or credited to your account during the year. If the total is over \$1,500, complete and attach Form AR4.

**LINE 11.** If you received dividends and other distributions, enter amounts received as dividends from stocks in any corporation. If the total is over \$1,500, complete and attach Form AR4.

**LINE 12.** Enter alimony or separate maintenance received as the result of a court order.

**LINE 13.** If you had business or professional income and filed a **federal Schedule C**, enter the total dollar amount(s) of net income (or loss) from your federal Schedule C. If you did not file a federal Schedule C, submit a similar schedule and enter the net income (or loss).

If you filed a federal Schedule C, attach it to your return.

Business income may not be split between you and your spouse unless a partnership was legally established. Report partnership income on Form AR1050 and attach K-1(s) for each partner.

Include on Line 22, Other Income, any federal/ state depreciation differences.

**LINE 14.** If you had gains or losses from the sale of real estate, stocks or bonds, or gains or losses from capital assets from partnerships, S corporations, or fiduciaries, enter your taxable share. **Adjust the amount of gain or loss for any federal/state depreciation differences.** 

Arkansas did not adopt the federal "bonus depreciation" provision from previous years.

Therefore, there may be a difference in federal and Arkansas amounts of depreciation allowed. Adjust your gains and losses for depreciation differences, **if any**, in the federal and Arkansas amounts on Lines 2, 5 and 10 of the Arkansas Form AR1000D.

If, after the netting process, you had a capital gain or loss reported on **federal Schedule D** or on Form 1040/1040A, use Arkansas Form **AR1000D** to determine the taxable amount to enter. **Attach federal Schedule D** and **Arkansas Form AR1000D** to your return.

The amount of capital loss that can be deducted after offsetting capital gains is limited to \$3,000 (\$1,500 per taxpayer for filing Status 4 or 5). If your capital loss was more than the yearly limit on capital loss deductions, you can carry over the unused part to later years until used up.

The gain on the sale of your personal residence is exempt up to \$250,000 per taxpayer (\$500,000 for married couples filing on the same return). The property must, during the 5 year period ending on the day of sale, be owned and used by the taxpayer(s) as the principal residence for periods aggregating 2 years or more.

**LINE 15.** Enter the ordinary gain or (loss) from Part II of federal Form 4797. **Adjust for any differences in Arkansas and federal depreciation.** The capital loss limit does not apply. **Attach federal Form 4797 and/or AR4684 if applicable.** 

**LINE 16.** Use this line to report taxable lumpsum distributions, annuities, and traditional IRA distributions. Include early withdrawal of traditional IRA distributions on this line. List only the amount of withdrawal and attach the federal Form 5329 showing the tax on premature distribution. Also, enter ten percent **(10%)** of the tax from the federal Form 5329, Part I and Part II, on Line 32. If you received a distribution which does not qualify for the Lump-Sum Distribution Averaging Schedule (AR1000TD), list the total distribution received in 2020. (See AR1000TD to determine if you qualify to use the averaging method.) **Attach 1099-R(s)**.

Premature distributions are amounts you withdrew from your traditional IRA, deferred compensation, or thrift savings plans before you were either age  $59 \frac{1}{2}$  or disabled. Rollovers on distributions are tax exempt.

NOTE: If you filed a claim under McFadden v. Weiss or Maples v. Weiss and your basis has been fully recovered, enter the amount from Box 1 of your 1099-R(s) as the "Gross" and "Taxable Amount" on Line 18A or 18B.

**LINE 17.** Retirement benefits received by a member of the uniformed services are exempt from income tax. If you or your spouse had U.S. military pension compensation, enter gross amount in the applicable boxes provided for primary and spouse, regardless of filing status. Retirees cannot claim both the military retirement exemption and the \$6,000 exemption for traditional IRA distributions (A.C.A 26-51-307(f)). **Attach 1099-R(s).** 

# PRIMARY EMPLOYER PENSION PLAN(S)/ QUALIFIED IRA(s): (new instructions)

**LINE 18A.** If you had income from an employment-related pension plan or a qualified traditional IRA distribution, enter the gross amount(s) from Box 1 of your 1099-R(s) in the space provided. Enter the federal taxable amount from Box 2a of your 1099-R(s) in the space provided. If Box 2a is blank, use the Simplified Method Worksheet in the federal 1040 Instruction Booklet to calculate the taxable amount of your distribution. You are entitled to a **\$6,000** exemption from the taxable amount; the balance is taxable to Arkansas. Enter the balance on Line 18A, Column A. **Attach 1099-R(s).** 

#### **LINE 18B.**

If filing status 2, Married Filing Joint, spouse must enter the taxable amount on line 18B, Column A.

If filing status 4, Married Filing Separately on the Same Return, spouse must enter the taxable amount on line 18B, Column B.

You are eligible for the **\$6,000** exemption for retirement or disability benefits provided the distribution was from public or private employment-related retirement systems, plans, or programs. (The recipient does not have to be retired.) The method of funding is irrelevant. The exemption may be taken from either lump-sum or installment payments. The early withdrawal penalty may be applicable even though the exemption is granted.

If you received a traditional IRA distribution after reaching the age of fifty-nine and one-half (59 1/2), the first **\$6,000** is exempt from tax. Premature distributions made on account of the participant's death or disability also qualify for the exemption. All other premature distributions or early withdrawals including, but not limited to, those taken for medical expenses, higher education expenses, or a first-time home purchase **do not** qualify for the exemption.

Retirees cannot claim both the military retirement exemption and the \$6,000 exemption for traditional IRA distributions (A.C.A 26-51-307(f)).

NOTE: If you made nondeductible contributions to your traditional IRA, enter taxable amount from federal Form 8606 in the space provided. Attach federal Form 8606.

**LINE 19.** If you had income from rents, royalties, estates or trusts, profits (whether received or not) from partnerships, fiduciaries, small business corporations, etc., enter the amounts as reported on your federal Schedule E. If you are filing a return for a taxable year that is not the same as the annual accounting period of your partnership or trust, report your distributive share(s) of net profits in the accounting period that ends in your taxable year. **Attach federal Schedule E.** 

Nonresident beneficiaries pay tax only on Arkansas income.

**LINE 20.** If you had farm income, enter the amount reported on your federal Schedule F. Farm income may not be split between you and your spouse unless a partnership was legally established. Partnership income must be reported on Form AR1050, with K-1(s) for each partner. Attach federal Schedule F.

LINE 21. Beginning with tax year 2018, unemployment insurance benefits paid from federal unemployment funds; and unemployment insurance benefits received from unemployment compensation (except unemployment for sickness payments) is income subject to tax. Enter amounts received and attach Form 1099-G.

LINE 22. Enter net other income/loss and depreciation differences. Attach Form AR-OI. Some examples of what must be reported are:

#### **Gambling winnings:**

Gambling winnings are subject to tax. Report winnings on line 4 as an addition to income of Form AR-OI. Attach Form W-2G(s).

Reimbursement of medical expenses from a previous year: if you itemized deductions in that year and it reduced your tax.

Amounts recovered on bad debts that you deducted in an earlier year.

Net operating loss (NOL) from an earlier year to carry forward to 2020: enter as a subtraction from income. Attach a statement showing how you calculated the amount of loss and the year the loss occurred. A net operating loss may be carried forward for five (5) years. (NOL carrybacks not allowed.)

#### Scholarships, fellowships, and grants:

A qualified scholarship, fellowship, or grant is exempt from tax only if:

- You were a candidate for a degree at an educational institution, and
- 2) Received a qualified scholarship, fellowship, or grant.

A qualified scholarship, fellowship, or grant is any amount you received that was used under the terms of the grant for:

- Tuition and fees required for enrollment,
- Fees, books, supplies and equipment required for the course(s) at the educational institution. (These items must have been required of all students in that course.)

Foreign students who are exempt from federal taxes because of a tax treaty must file and pay tax on all income including non-qualified scholarship or fellowship income.

#### Stipends are taxable.

LINE 23. Add Lines 8 through 22 and enter total in the appropriate columns on this line. This is your **Total Income.** 

## ADJUSTMENTS

LINE 24. If you are claiming an adjustment from the list below, use Form AR1000ADJ and include the total on this line. Attach Form AR1000ADJ.

Border city/Texarkana exemption **Tuition Savings Program** Payments to IRA Payments to MSA

Payments to HSA

Deduction for interest paid on student loans Contributions to Intergenerational Trust Moving expenses

Self-employed health insurance deduction KEOGH, Self-employed SEP and Simple Plans Forfeited interest penalty for premature withdrawal Alimony/Separate Maintenance Paid

Support for permanently disabled individual Organ Donor Deduction

Military Reserve Expenses

Reforestation Deduction

Teachers Qualified Classroom Investment Expense Achieving A Better Life Experience Program

LINE 25. Subtract Line 24 from Line 23, Total Income. Enter amount on this line. This is your Adjusted Gross Income (AGI).

## TAX COMPUTATION

**LINE 26.** Select only one tax table for Line 27.

#### See tax tables and qualifications for each table on pages 22-28.

If you use an exclusion for active duty military compensation, employer sponsored pension income, or a qualified traditional IRA distribution, you do not qualify for a Low Income Tax Table. You may elect NOT TO USE the exclusion(s) to which you are entitled and use a Low Income Tax Table if you fall within the income limits.

CAUTION: If you qualify to use a Low Income Tax Table, enter zero (0) on Line 27, Column A. (The Standard Deduction is already built into the table.)

If you use the regular tax table, enter the larger of your itemized deductions (from Form AR3) or your Standard Deduction on Line 27.

#### **Itemized Deductions:**

To compute your itemized deductions, complete Form AR3 and attach it to your return. Make sure that your total itemized deductions exceed the Standard Deduction. (For Form AR3 instructions see pages 16-17 of this booklet.)

NOTE: If you are filing status 4 or 5 and one spouse itemizes, then both spouses must itemize. (If you are filing status 5 and your spouse itemizes on a separate return, you must still prorate your deductions based on both spouse's incomes. Include a copy of the AR3 to support deductions.)

#### **Standard Deduction:**

The Standard Deduction for your filing status is the amount shown below. (If the amount on Line 25 is less than the Standard Deduction, enter the amount from Line 25 on Line 27.)

Filing Status	Standard Deduction
<b>1</b> –Single	\$2,200
2-Married Filing Joint	\$4,400
3-Head of Household	\$2,200
<b>4</b> –Married Filing Separately on Same Return	\$2,200 each
<b>5</b> –Married Filing Separately on Different Returns	\$2,200
<b>6</b> –Qualifying Widow(er)	\$2,200

NOTE: The \$2,200 Standard Deduction does not apply to taxpayer's dependent(s).

LINE 27. SELECT THE PROPER TAX TABLE and check the appropriate box. You will be in one of the following categories:

- Low Income Tax Table
- 2) Standard deduction
- Itemized deductions

If standard deduction or itemized deductions is selected you must use the Regular tax table.

**LINE 28.** Subtract Line 27 from Line 25. This is your Net Taxable Income.

**LINE 29.** Using the appropriate tax table locate the tax for your income and enter here.

LINE 30. Add Lines 29(A) and 29(B) and enter the total

**LINE 31.** If you received a lump-sum (total) distribution from a qualified retirement plan during 2020, you may be eligible to use the averaging method to figure some of your tax at a lower rate. Read the instructions for Form AR1000TD to determine if you are eligible to use this method. If so, complete Form AR1000TD and enter amount here. Attach Form AR1000TD.

**LINE 32.** Taxpayers subject to additional tax on their federal return from a traditional IRA or employer qualified retirement plan are subject to additional tax on their state return. Enter ten percent (10%) of the federal amount from Part I of federal Form 5329. Be sure to enter total distribution(s) from Part I, Form 5329, on Line 16 or 18 of Form AR1000F/ AR1000NR.

Taxpayers subject to additional tax on a distribution from a Coverdell Education Savings Account, include ten percent (10%) of the federal amount from Part II of federal Form 5329 on this line. Be sure to include the taxable amount of the Coverdell Education Savings Account distribution on Line 22 of Form AR1000F/AR1000NR (Other Income).

LINE 33. Add Lines 30 through 32 and enter the total.

## TAX CREDITS

**LINE 34.** Enter the total personal tax credits from Line 7D.

**LINE 35.** The Child Care Credit allowed is twenty percent **(20%)** of the amount allowed on your federal return. A copy of federal Form 2441, "Credit for Child and Dependent Care Expenses" must be attached to your Arkansas return.

If you are claiming the Early Childhood Program Credit on Line 43, the total amounts from Line 35 and Line 43 can not exceed (20%) of the amount allowed on federal Form 2441.

**LINE 36.** Complete Form AR1000TC if you are eligible for any credit(s) listed below and include the total on this line. **Attach Form AR1000TC**.

State Political Contribution Credit Other State Tax Credit Credit for Adoption Expenses Phenylketonuria Disorder Credit Business Incentive Tax Credit(s)

**LINE 37.** Add Lines 34 through 36 and enter the total

**LINE 38.** Subtract Line 37 from Line 33. This is your **Net Tax**. If Line 37 is greater than Line 33, enter zero (0).

If Total Credits on Line 37 is more than Total Tax on Line 33, the difference is not refundable.

NOTE: If your net tax is \$1,000 or more, and you failed to make a declaration of Estimated Tax (Form AR1000ES, Voucher 1), or pay withholding equal to ninty 90% of your net tax, a penalty of ten percent (10%) will be assessed. See instructions for Lines 52A and 52B for more information.

#### PRORATION

IF FILING A FULL YEAR RESIDENT RETURN, go to instructions for Line 39. The instructions for Line 38A through Line 38D apply only to nonresidents and part year residents.

NONRESIDENTS AND PART YEAR RESIDENTS ONLY, read the following instructions to determine your correct Arkansas tax liability. Attach a complete copy of your federal return.

**LINE 38A.** Enter adjusted gross income from Line 25, Column C.

**LINE 38B.** Enter total of Columns A and B from Line 25.

**LINE 38C.** Divide amount on Line 38A by amount on Line 38B to arrive at your Arkansas percentage of income. Enter as a decimal rounded to six places. **Do not exceed 100%.** 

Example: \$2,500/\$525,000 = 0.004762 or \$10,000/\$60,000 = 0.166667

**LINE 38D.** Multiply amount on Line 38 by decimal on Line 38C for Arkansas apportioned tax liability.

### **PAYMENTS**

**LINE 39.** Enter Arkansas tax withheld from your W-2(s)/1099(s). You have already paid this amount of tax during the year. If you have MORE THAN ONE W-2/1099, be sure to add the Arkansas income tax withheld from all W-2(s)/1099(s). Enter the total withheld.

IF YOU AND YOUR SPOUSE ARE FILING ON THE SAME RETURN, add the Arkansas state income tax withheld from all your W-2(s)/1099(s). Enter the combined total withheld.

If you did not receive (or lost) your W-2(s) and Arkansas tax was withheld from your income, you should take the following steps IN THE ORDER LISTED BELOW:

- Ask your employer for copies of your W-2(s). If you cannot obtain them from your employer you should
- Contact the Social Security Administration at (800) 772-1213. Only if you cannot obtain your W-2(s) from your employer or SSA you may
- Complete federal Form 4852 and attach a copy of your final pay stub to support your amounts.

CAUTION: You WILL NOT receive credit for tax withheld or receive a tax refund, unless you attach CORRECT AND LEGIBLE W-2(s) or other approved documentation to your tax return.

DO NOT include FICA, federal income tax or tax paid to another state.

**DO NOT correct a W-2 yourself.** Your employer must issue you a corrected W-2.

**LINE 40.** If you made an estimated declaration and paid estimated tax payments on 2020 income OTHER THAN wages, salaries, tips, etc., write the total paid in this space. The only amount to enter here is total payments you made on a 2020 Declaration of Estimated Income Tax (includes January 15, 2021 installment and/or credit brought forward from 2019 tax return).

DO NOT include PENALTIES OR INTEREST as part of the amount paid.

If you and your spouse filed a JOINT declaration and you and your spouse choose to file your tax returns on separate forms this year, payments made under the joint declaration of estimate will be credited to the primary filer.

If you are filing prior year tax returns past the due date of the tax return, the refund/overpayment from those tax returns cannot be carried forward as estimated tax.

**LINE 41.** If you filed an Arkansas extension request and paid tax with your request, enter the amount paid.

**LINE 42. PREVIOUS PAYMENTS:** This line is for amended returns only. Enter the total of any previous payment(s) made with your original return and/or billing notices and amended return(s).

LINE 43. Enter the APPROVED Early Childhood Program Credit (20% of the federal child care credit). This is for individuals with a dependent child placed in an APPROVED child care facility while the parent or guardian worked or pursued employment. (Facility must be approved by the Arkansas Department of Education as having an appropriate early childhood program as defined by Arkansas law.) Enter the certification number and attach federal Form 2441 and Certification Form AR1000EC. Contact your child care facility for Form AR1000EC.

If you are claiming the Early Childhood Program Credit on Line 43, the total amounts from Line 35 and Line 43 can not exceed (20%) of the amount allowed on federal Form 2441.

**LINE 44.** Add the amounts on Lines 39, 40, 41, 42 and 43. This is your **TOTAL PAYMENTS.** 

**LINE 45. PREVIOUS REFUND:** This line is for amended returns only. Enter the total of any previous refund(s) from your original return and amended return(s).

**LINE 46.** Subtract Line 45 from Line 44. This is your **ADJUSTED TOTAL PAYMENTS.** 



#### State of Arkansas

Department of Finance and Administration
Sales and Use Tax Section

## **CONSUMER USE TAX FORM**

If you purchased taxable merchandise outside the State of Arkansas for use, storage, consumption or distribution within the state, a state and local consumer use tax may be due on the purchase price, including transportation charges. Due to the rapid increase in purchases being made through mail order, telephone, and the Internet, it has become a concern that individuals may not be aware of their obligation to report the consumer use tax on untaxed out of state purchases. Examples of merchandise subject to the consumer use tax include cassettes, CD's, books, furniture, jewelry, food, and clothing.

The use tax is a companion tax to the sales tax whose purpose is to not only raise revenue for the state, but more importantly to protect local merchants, who must collect sales tax, from the unfair advantage of out of state sellers who do not collect Arkansas's sales tax. The use tax has been in effect since 1949.

The use tax rate is the same as the sales tax rate, 6.50% for all transactions except food purchases which has a reduced rate of 0.125% plus the applicable city and/or county rates where the merchandise is delivered in the state. The tax applies to the purchase price of the merchandise plus any shipping and handling charges that the merchant adds to your bill. If the total tax due is greater than \$100 per month, the use tax report should be filed on a monthly basis. If the total tax due is \$25 - \$100 per month, the use tax report should be filed on a quarterly basis. If the total tax due is less than \$25 per month, the use tax report should be filed on an annual basis.

**Line 1** Indicate the month and year you are reporting. (mm/yyyy)

# Report all taxable purchases except food in Column A, food purchases are reported in Column B.

- Line 3 Fill in the County Rate where you reside (Column A and/or Column B)
- **Line 4** Fill in the City rate where you reside. (Column A and/or Column B)
- **Line 5** Enter total rate the sum of lines 2 through 4. (Column A and/or Column B)
- Line 6 Enter total purchases (column A is for all items except food) (column B is for Food only)
- **Line 7** Enter your total tax rate from line 5
- **Line 8** Multiply line 7 by line 6 and enter the product.
- Line 9 Add lines 8A and 8B and enter the total. (This is the TOTAL tax to remit with this report.)

If you have questions or need additional forms, please call the Sales and Use Tax Office at (501) 682-7104.

Individual Consumer Use Tax Report  Arkansas Department of Finance and Administration	1. Report Period ►  A B  General State Reduced Food				
Sales and Use Tax Section	Tax Tax				
P. O. Box 8054, Little Rock, AR 72203	2. State Rate <u>6.500%</u> <u>0.125%</u>				
	3. County Rate +				
Purchaser(s):	4. City Rate +				
Social Security Number:	5. Total Tax Rate =				
Home Address:	6. Purchases <b>\$</b>				
	7. Total Tax Rate				
City/State/Zip:	8. Total Tax \$				
Phone Number:	9. TOTAL Tax Due \$				
County of Residence:	Check here if this is an aviation purchase ► (Attach a copy of the bill of sale)				
If you live outside the city limits check here ▶ ☐  If you live in a city other than what is shown in your mailing address above, please indicate that city here and use that tax rate to compute your tax	City and county rate may be obtained from our webs				

Individual Consumer Use Tax Report	1. Report Period ▶				
	А В				
Arkansas Department of Finance and Administration Sales and Use Tax Section	General State Reduced Food Tax Tax				
P. O. Box 8054, Little Rock, AR 72203	2. State Rate <u>6.500%</u> <u>0.125%</u>				
	3. County Rate <b>+</b>				
Purchaser(s):	4. City Rate <b>+</b>				
Social Security Number:	5. Total Tax Rate =				
Home Address:	6. Purchases <b>\$</b>				
	7. Total Tax Rate				
City/State/Zip:	8. Total Tax \$				
Phone Number:	9. TOTAL Tax Due \$				
County of Residence:	Check here if this is an aviation purchase ▶				
If you live outside the city limits check here ▶ ☐  If you live in a city other than what is shown in your mailing address above, please indicate that city here and use that tax rate to compute your tax					



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Sales and Use Tax Section

# **CONSUMER USE TAX FORM**

If you purchased taxable merchandise outside the State of Arkansas for use, storage, consumption or distribution within the state, a state and local consumer use tax may be due on the purchase price, including transportation charges. Due to the rapid increase in purchases being made through mail order, telephone, and the Internet, it has become a concern that individuals may not be aware of their obligation to report the consumer use tax on untaxed out of state purchases. Examples of merchandise subject to the consumer use tax include cassettes, CD's, books, furniture, jewelry, food, and clothing.

The use tax is a companion tax to the sales tax whose purpose is to not only raise revenue for the state, but more importantly to protect local merchants, who must collect sales tax, from the unfair advantage of out of state sellers who do not collect Arkansas's sales tax. The use tax has been in effect since 1949.

The use tax rate is the same as the sales tax rate, 6.50% for all transactions except food purchases which has a reduced rate of 0.125% plus the applicable city and/or county rates where the merchandise is delivered in the state. The tax applies to the purchase price of the merchandise plus any shipping and handling charges that the merchant adds to your bill. If the total tax due is greater than \$100 per month, the use tax report should be filed on a monthly basis. If the total tax due is \$25 - \$100 per month, the use tax report should be filed on a quarterly basis. If the total tax due is less than \$25 per month, the use tax report should be filed on an annual basis.

Line 1 Indicate the month and year you are reporting (mm/yyyy).

Report all taxable purchases except food in Column A, food purchases are reported in Column B.

- **Line 3** Fill in the County Rate where you reside (Column A and/or Column B).
- Line 4 Fill in the City rate where you reside (Column A and/or Column B).
- Line 5 Enter total rate the sum of lines 2 through 4 (Column A and/or Column B).
- **Line 6** Enter total purchases (column A is for all items except food) (column B is for Food only).
- **Line 7** Enter your total tax rate from line 5.
- **Line 8** Multiply line 7 by line 6 and enter the product.
- Line 9 Add lines 8A and 8B and enter the total (this is the TOTAL tax to remit with this report).

If you have questions or need additional forms, please call the Sales and Use Tax Office at (501) 682-7104.

identification requirements upon voting for the first time you must submit with the mailed registration form: (a) a current and valid photo identification; or (b) a copy of a current utility bill, bank statement, government check, paycheck, or other government document that shows your name and address.

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# **Deadline Information**

To qualify to vote in the next election, you must apply to register to vote 30 days before the election. If you mail this form, it must be postmarked by that date. You may also present it to a voter registration agency representative by that date. If you miss the deadline you will not be registered in time to vote in that election. *Please don't delay. Make sure your vote counts.* 

If you are qualified and the information on your form is complete, you will be notified of your voting precinct by your local County Clerk.

# To Mail

Fold form on middle perforation, remove plastic strip, seal at bottom, stamp and mail.

Questions?
Call your local County Clerk
or
Arkansas Secretary of State
John Thurston
Elections Division - Voter Services
1-800-482-1127

Contact your County Clerk if you have not recived confirmation of this application within two weeks

## **REFUND OR TAX DUE**

**LINE 47.** If Line 46 is more than Line 38 on Form AR1000F or Line 38D on Form AR1000NR, you overpaid your tax. Write the difference here. If you want a refund only, skip Lines 48 and 49 and enter the amount of your refund on Line 50.

**LINE 48.** You can apply part or all of the tax you OVERPAID in 2020 to your tax in 2021. Enter the amount you would like to have carried forward. The overpayment will be applied directly to your 2021 estimated account. If you wish to apply only part of Line 47 to pay 2021 tax, you will be issued a refund for the balance of your overpayment.

NOTE: The amount you carry over to pay 2021 taxes will only be credited to the primary filer. It cannot be divided between the primary filer and spouse.

**LINE 49.** If you wish to contribute a portion or all of your overpayment to one or more of the programs listed below, complete Schedule AR1000-CO and enter total amount of your donation. **Attach Schedule AR1000-CO after Form AR1000F/AR1000NR.** 

Area Agencies on Aging Program
Arkansas Disaster Relief Program
Arkansas Game and Fish Foundation
Arkansas Schools for the Blind and Deaf
AR 529 College Investing Plan
Baby Sharon's Children's Catastrophic Illness Program
Military Family Relief Program
Newborn Umbilical Cord Blood Initiative
Organ Donor Awareness Education Program

**LINE 50.** Subtract Lines 48 and 49 from Line 47. This is the amount of your **REFUND.** 

The Director is allowed 90 days from the return due date or the date the return was filed, whichever occurs later, to refund an overpayment of tax without interest (Act 262 of 2005).

#### **SET OFF REFUNDS**

If you, your spouse, or former spouse owes a debt to one of the agencies below, all or part of your refund is subject to being withheld to satisfy the debt. You will receive a letter advising which agency has claimed your refund.

Any housing authority

Arkansas circuit, county, district, or city courts
AR colleges, universities, and technical institutes
Arkansas Highway and Transportation Dept.
Arkansas Public Defender Commission
Arkansas Real Estate Commission
County tax collectors or treasurers
Department of Finance and Administration
Department of Health
Department of Higher Education
Department of Human Services
Employee Benefits Division of DFA
Internal Revenue Service
Office of Child Support Enforcement
Office of Personnel Management of DFA

It is the agency's responsibility to refund any set off amount paid to the agency in error.

If you owe a debt for Arkansas income tax, your federal refund may be captured to satisfy your state income tax debt.

#### **NOTICE TO MARRIED TAXPAYERS:**

If only one of the married taxpayers owes the debt, the taxpayer who is not liable can avoid having his/her refund applied to the debt if both taxpayers file Status 5, Married Filing Separately on Different Returns.

**LINE 51.** If Line 38 of Form AR1000F or Line 38D of Form AR1000NR is more than Line 46, you owe additional tax. Subtract Line 46 from Line 38 of Form AR1000F or Line 38D of Form AR1000NR. Enter amount here. This is the **TAX YOU OWE**.

**LINE 52A and 52B. UNDERESTIMATE PENALTY:** If required enter the exception number from Part 3 of the AR2210, or the computed penalty from Line 18 of AR2210 in the appropriate box. **If you completed** AR2210A, enter "6" in box 52A. Enter amount from Line 48 of AR2210A in box 52B.

Form AR2210 or AR2210A must be attached and the exception number entered in box 52A to claim any exclusion from the Underestimate Penalty.

**LINE 52C.** Add Lines 51 and 52B. Enter total on this line.

## **PAYMENT INFORMATION**

#### **PAY ONLINE:**

Paying online is convenient, secure, and helps make sure we get your payments on time. Please visit our secure site ATAP (Arkansas Taxpayer Access Point) at www.atap.arkansas.gov. ATAP allows taxpayers or their representatives to log on, make payments and manage their account online.

ATAP is available 24 hours

#### PAY BY CREDIT CARD:

Credit card payments may be made by one of the following methods:

- Call 1-800-2PAY-TAX<sup>SM</sup> (1-800-272-9829)
- Go to www.officialpayments.com and click on the "Payment Center" link.

Credit card payments will be processed by Official Payments Corporation, a private credit card payment services provider. A convenience fee will be charged to your credit card for the use of this service. **The State of Arkansas does not receive this fee.** You will be informed of the exact amount of the fee before you complete your transaction. After you complete your transaction you will be given a confirmation number to keep with your records.

#### **PAY BY MAIL:**

NOTE: Do not send currency or coin by mail.

Complete Form AR1000V (available at www.dfa.arkansas.gov) and attach a check or money order to your return. Write the tax year and your Social Security Number or account number on the check or money order, and make your check payable in U.S. Dollars to the Department of Finance and Administration. Mail on or before April 15, 2021. If the payment is for an amended return, mark the box yes on Form AR1000V for "Is Payment for an Amended Return".

#### **PENALTIES & INTEREST**

You must mail your tax return by April 15, 2021. Any return not postmarked by April 15, 2021 (unless you have an extension) will be delinquent. A penalty of one percent (1%) per month for failure to pay and five percent (5%) per month for failure to file, up to a maximum of thirty-five percent (35%), will be assessed on the amount of tax due on an original return. Interest of ten percent (10%) per year will also be assessed on any additional tax due, calculated from the original due date to the date you paid the tax due on an original or amended return.

An extension to file is not an extension to pay. If you have not paid the amount due by the original due date you will be subject to a failure to pay penalty of one percent (1%) per month of the unpaid balance.

In addition to any other penalties assessed, a penalty of \$500 will be assessed, if any taxpayer files what appears to be a return, but the return does not contain information on which the correctness of the return may be judged, and such conduct is due to a position which is frivolous or an effort to delay or impede the administration of any State law.

# INSTRUCTIONS (FORM AR3)

#### **MEDICAL AND DENTAL EXPENSES**

List only amounts you paid and for which you were not reimbursed

**LINE 1.** Enter total medical and dental expenses, less reimbursements from insurance or other sources. See chart on Page 17 for examples of deductible and nondeductible expenses.

**LINE 2.** Enter total amount from Form AR1000F/AR1000NR, Lines 25A and 25B.

**LINE 3.** Multiply Line 2 by, ten percent **10% (.10)**, Otherwise enter zero **(0)**.

**LINE 4.** Subtract line 3 from line 1; if more than line 1, enter 0.

#### **TAXES**

**LINE 5.** You may deduct real estate taxes you paid on property you own that was not used for business. Do not include any special assessments or levy taxes.

Some taxes you cannot deduct are:

Arkansas income taxes
Car tags
Cigarette and beverage taxes
Dog licenses
Estate taxes
Federal income taxes
Federal Social Security taxes
Hunting and fishing licenses
Improvement taxes
Sales taxes

LINE 6. Taxes you may deduct on this line:

City income taxes
Mississippi gambling taxes
Personal property taxes
Taxes paid to a foreign country on income taxed on this return

**LINE 7.** Add the amounts on Lines 5 and 6.

#### **INTEREST EXPENSE**

**LINE 8.** You may deduct the home mortgage interest paid to a bank or other financial institution.

The deduction is generally limited to interest attributable to a debt for not more than the cost of the principal, and/or second residence, plus improvements.

**LINE 9.** Deduct home mortgage interest paid to an individual on this line, and list that person's name and address.

**LINE 10.** Enter the amount of deductible points paid on this line. Deductible points are those that:

- Are incurred in the purchase or improvement of the taxpayer's principal residence; and
- Reflect an established business practice of charging points in the geographical area where the loan is made; and
- Do not exceed the number of points generally charged for the type of transaction. (Points paid in refinancing a mortgage must be amortized over the life of the loan.)

NOTE: In order to deduct the full amount of the points paid, payment of the points must be made from separate funds brought to the loan closing.

**LINE 11.** Enter deductible investment interest. The deduction is limited to the amount of investment income. Interest that is disallowed because of the limitation can be carried forward to the next year and deducted to the extent of the limitation in the carryover year. **Attach federal Form 4952.** 

LINE 12. Add Lines 8, 9, 10, and 11.

#### **CONTRIBUTIONS**

**LINE 13.** Enter the total contributions you made by cash or check. If you gave \$3,000 or more to any one organization, list the donee and amount given. If you have non-cash contributions of \$500 or more, attach federal Form 8283.

**LINE 14.** In addition to other contributions, a deduction is allowed for the donated value of artistic, literary, and musical creations **if the following qualifications are met:** 

- The taxpayer making the donation derived at least fifty percent (50%) of his/her current or prior year income from an art related profession;
- The fair market value of the art work has been verified by an approved independent appraiser, and a copy of the appraisal is attached;
- The artwork was donated to a museum, art gallery, or nonprofit charitable organization qualified under Internal Revenue Code § 501(C)(3) and located in the State of Arkansas; and
- The deduction for donated art work does not exceed fifteen percent (15%) of the donor's gross income in the calendar year of donation.

**LINE 15.** List other deductible contributions:

- Unreimbursed amounts spent to maintain an elementary or high school student (other than a dependent or relative) in a taxpayer's home under a program sponsored by a charitable organization.
- A gift of property to a non-profit organization.
   Attach a description of the property, date of gift, and method of valuation. For each gift in excess of \$500, list any conditions attached to the gift, manner of acquisition, and cost or basis if owned by you for less than five (5) years.

**NOTE:** Payments to private academies or other schools for the education of dependents are not deductible as contributions.

**LINE 16.** If you made contributions in excess of sixty percent (60%) of your adjusted gross income, you may carry the excess deduction over for a period of five (5) years.

If you are deducting an excess contribution from a previous year, enter the amount and year of the original contribution.

**LINE 17.** Add lines 13, 14, 15, and 16.

#### **CASUALTY AND THEFT LOSSES**

**LINE 18.** The method of computing casualty or theft losses is the same as the federal method with the \$100 exclusion. The amount of each loss must exceed ten percent (10%) of your adjusted gross income. Attach Form AR4684 and provide necessary supporting documents.

If you have a Disaster Loss in 2021 on property in a federal disaster area, you may elect to deduct the loss as an itemized deduction in 2020. If you elect to report the loss on your 2020 return, you cannot report the loss on your 2021 return.

A disaster loss is the only loss which may be carried back. You may amend your 2019 return to report a disaster loss incurred in 2020. If you elect to amend your 2019 return, you cannot report the loss on your 2020 return. If loss in federal disaster area, list location on Line 18.

**LINE 19.** Enter your Post-Secondary Education Tuition Deduction and **attach Form AR1075(s)**.

# MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS SUBJECT TO THE 2% AGI LIMITATION

**LINE 20.** Enter unreimbursed employee business expenses. Arkansas recognizes the federal mileage allowance for computing business travel expenses. **Attach Form AR2106.** 

LINE 21. Other deductions include:

Union or professional dues
Tax return preparation fees
Expenses for safety equipment
Expenses of entertaining customers
Tools and supplies
Fees paid to employment agencies

# Attach supporting schedule or statement.

**LINE 22.** Add Lines 20 and 21.

**LINE 23.** Enter combined amount from Form AR1000F/AR1000NR. Lines 25A and 25B.

LINE 24. Multiply Line 23 by 2% (.02).

**LINE 25.** Subtract Line 24 from Line 22. This is your total allowable miscellaneous deductions.

# OTHER MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS

**LINE 26. Volunteer firefighters** may deduct unreimbursed expenses of firefighting equipment required by the volunteer fire department **and/or** loss of value of personal property damaged or destroyed during volunteer firefighting activities. To qualify, you must have received less than \$5,000 total compensation for the taxable year from the volunteer fire department you served. **This deduction may not exceed \$1,000 per volunteer firefighter.** 

**LINE 27.** Enter your gambling losses here. <u>Gambling losses cannot exceed gambling winnings.</u>

**LINE 28.** Enter your other miscellaneous deductions not subject to the 2% AGI limit. **Attach** detailed schedule of each deduction.

LINE 29. Add Lines 26, 27, and 28.

**LINE 30.** Add Lines 4, 7,12,17,18,19, 25 and 29.

# PRORATED ITEMIZED DEDUCTIONS

**LINE 31.** If you are married filing separately, Status 4 or 5, you must prorate your itemized deductions between spouses. Enter your AGI from Line 25, Column A and your spouse's AGI from Line 25, Column B of Form AR1000F/AR1000NR.

LINE 32. Add Lines 31A and 31B.

**LINE 33.** Divide Line 31A by Line 32 and enter the percentage here. **Round to the nearest whole percent.** 

**LINE 34.** Multiply the total itemized deductions reported on Line 30 by your percentage on Line 33. Enter result here and on Form AR1000F/AR1000NR, Line 27, Column A.

**LINE 35.** Subtract Line 34 from Line 30. Enter result here and on Form AR1000F/AR1000NR, Line 27, Column B. If you and your spouse are using Filing Status 5, this is the amount of the total itemized deductions your spouse is allowed to claim on his/her tax return.

# Deductible vs. Non-deductible Medical Expenses

The chart below lists specific types of expenses and whether or not a deduction for the expense is permitted.

#### **Deductible**

Alcoholism, treatment of

Ambulance hire

Attendant to accompany blind

or deaf student

Chiropractor

Contact lenses

Contraceptives, prescription

Dental fees

Drug addiction, recovery from

Drugs, prescription

Eye examinations and glasses

Hearing aids

Insulin

Laser eye surgery

Long-term care expenses

Orthopedic shoes

Psychiatric care

**Psychologist** 

Smoking, program to stop

Wheelchair

X-rays

#### Non-deductible

Anticipated medical expenses

Baby-sitting expenses to enable

parent to see doctor

Cosmetic surgery, unnecessary

Diaper service

Ear piercing

Electrolysis

Funeral expenses

Gravestone

Hair transplants, surgical

Health club dues

Hygienic supplies

Insurance premiums-loss of income

Insurance premiums-loss of limb

Marriage counseling

Maternity clothes

Spiritual guidance

**Tattoos** 

Teeth, whitening

Toilet articles

Trips, general health improvement

# STUDENT LOAN INTEREST WORKSHEET

1.	Enter the total interest you paid in 2020 on qualified student loans.	1	
2.	Enter the smaller of Line 1 above or \$2,500.	2	
3.	Enter the amount(s) from Form AR1000F/AR1000NR, Line(s) 23A and 23B	3	
4.	Enter total adjustments from Form AR1000F/AR1000NR, Line(s) 24A and 24B. (Do not include the deduction for interest paid on student loans, Line 6, AR1000ADJ	) 4	
5.	Modified AGI. Subtract Line 4 from Line 3.	5	
	<b>Note:</b> If Line 5 is \$85,000 or more and you are filing Status 1, 3, or 6 or \$170,000 and you are filing Status 2 or 4, <b>STOP HERE.</b> You <b>cannot</b> take the ded		
6.	Enter: \$70,000 if filing Status 1, 3, or 6; \$140,000 if filing Status 2 or 4	6	
7.	Subtract Line 6 from Line 5.  If zero or less, enter -0- here and on Line 9, skip Line 8, and go to Line 10	7	
8.	Divide Line 7 by \$15,000 (\$30,000 if filing status 2 or 4). Enter result as a decimal (rounded to at least three places).	8	
9.	Multiply Line 2 by Line 8.	9	
10.	Allowable Deduction: Subtract Line 9 from Line 2. Enter result here and on Form AR1000ADJ, Line 6.	10	
FIL	ING STATUS 4 ONLY		
11.	Enter the total interest for each spouse up to the combined amount on Line 1		Spouse
12.	Total amount paid from Line 1121	_	
13.	Divide Line 11A by Line 12. Enter result as a decimal (rounded to at least three places) 13	_	
14.	Multiply Line 10 by the amount on Line 13. Enter here and on AR1000ADJ, Line 6, Column A14	_	
15.	Subtract Line 14 from Line 10. Enter here and on AR1000ADJ, Line 6, Column B	15	

IRA PHASE OUT CHART								
IF YOUR FILING	YOUR ALLOWABLE TRADI	TIONAL IRA DEDUCTION						
STATUS IS:	Phases out when Arkansas AGI exceeds:	Will be zero when Arkansas AGI is:						
Single, Head of Household	\$65,000	\$75,000						
Married Filing on Same Return (Status 2 or 4), or Qualifying Widow(er)	\$104,000	\$124,000						
Married Filing on Separate Returns (Status 5)	\$0	\$10,000						
Nonactive Spouse (Income Computed Jointly)	\$196,000	\$206,000						

If your Arkansas AGI is within one of the above phaseout ranges, see IRS Publication 590 to figure your allowable IRA deduction.

### **SELF-EMPLOYED HEALTH INSURANCE DEDUCTION WORKSHEET**

- 2. Enter your net profit and any other earned income\* from the business under which the insurance plan was established, less any deductions on Form AR1000ADJ, Line 10. ......2
- 3. Enter the smaller of Line 1 or Line 2 here and on Form AR1000ADJ, Line 9. (Do not include this amount in figuring your medical expense deduction on Itemized Deduction, Form AR3) ... 3

## MILEAGE AND DEPLETION ALLOWANCES

## **Mileage Allowance**

## **Depletion Allowance**

#### **DEPRECIATION INFORMATION**

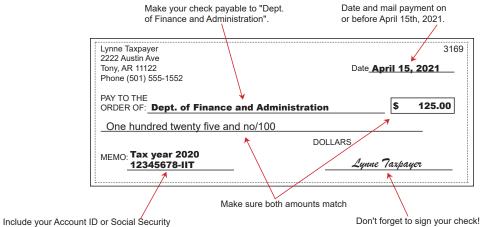
#### **Section 179 Facts**

Arkansas adopted IRC §179 as in effect on January 1, 2009, allowing greater dollar limits and phase out thresholds.

- Deduction Limit \$25,000
- ➤ Cost of qualifying property limit \$200,000
- No deduction allowed above \$225,000
- ➤ More than one property placed in service limit \$25,000 deduction per taxpayer per year
- Any cost not deducted in one year may be carried forward to next year
- > Deduction may not be used to reduce taxable income below zero

**Note:** Arkansas has not yet adopted the most recent federal changes.

#### **HOW TO FILL OUT YOUR CHECK**

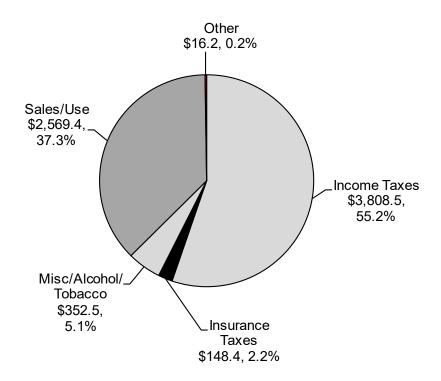


<sup>\*</sup>Earned income includes net earnings and gains from the sale, transfer, or licensing of property you created. It does not include capital gain income. If you were more than a 2% shareholder in an S corporation, earned income is your wages from that corporation.

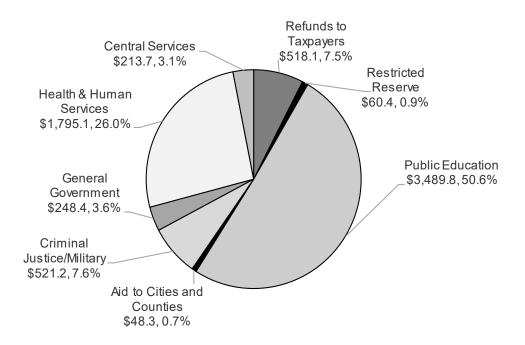
# FOR TAXPAYERS' INFORMATION

Individual and corporation income taxes are the largest source of state general revenue.

# \$6,895 MILLION GENERAL REVENUE TAX Where It Comes From:



# \$6,895 MILLION GENERAL REVENUE TAX Where It Is Spent:



### TAXPAYER BILL OF RIGHTS

Your Rights As A Taxpayer

- You have the right to a full explanation of all actions by any employee of the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration both during an audit and during collection activities.
- All tax information contained in the records and files of the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration (hereinafter "Director") pertaining to you or your business is confidential subject to exceptions in Ark. Code Ann. § 26-18-303.
- You may represent yourself in any proceeding or interview before the Director or you may be represented by anyone whom you authorize in writing
  to be your representative.
- You have the right to consult with a lawyer, accountant, or other representative at any time during an interview with an employee of the Director. The Director shall suspend the interview to allow you to consult with your representative.
- You may record any interview with the Director or his or her employee at your own expense. You should let the Director or his or her employee
  know in advance of your intention to record the interview. The Director may likewise record an interview, and a copy may be obtained within a
  reasonable time at your expense.
- You may request an administrative review (file a protest) of any proposed assessment of tax. You must request this review in writing within 60 days of your receipt of a Notice of Proposed Assessment. The administrative review may be based on an in-person hearing, a telephone hearing, or consideration of written documents. If you do not request an administrative hearing, you may still pursue your judicial remedies by filing an action in the circuit court.
- If you receive an unfavorable decision from your administrative review, then you may request a review of the decision by the Director. This request must be in writing and must be received by the Director within 20 days of the mailing of the hearing decision. If you receive an unfavorable decision from the Director on any issue, you may pursue judicial remedies as discussed below.
- After the issuance of the Notice of Final Assessment or the final determination of the hearing officer or Director, you may appeal the tax assessment to circuit court, regardless of whether you protested the assessment and requested an administrative review. To pursue your appeal of a tax assessment to circuit court you must do one of the following:
- (1) File suit within 180 days of the date of the Notice of Final Assessment or final determination of the hearing officer or Director if the taxpayer does not make any payment of the tax, penalty, or interest due; or
- (2) Pay the entire amount of tax due within one year of the date of the Notice of Final Assessment or final determination of the hearing officer or Director and file suit within one year of the date of payment; or
- (3) File suit within one year of the date of the final determination of the hearing officer or Director to recover assessed tax, penalty, and interest paid prior to the time for issuance of the Notice of Final Assessment.
- A taxpayer may file an amended return or a verified claim for credit or refund of an overpayment of any state tax within three years from the date the return was filed or two years from the date the tax was paid, whichever is later. Any amended return or claim for refund should be filed with the office of the Revenue Division which administers the type of tax in question. The ability to file an amended return is not available to a taxpayer whose liability was determined as a result of an audit by the Department.
- If the Director disallows the refund claim either in whole or in part, the Director will issue a Notice of Claim Denial. You may request an administrative review (protest) of the Notice of Claim Denial. This request must be made within 60 days of your receipt of the Notice of Claim Denial. If you receive an unfavorable decision from your administrative review, you may request a review of the decision by the Director. This request must be made in writing within 20 days of the mailing of the hearing decision.
- Following an administrative hearing and corresponding review, the taxpayer may seek judicial relief from the Notice of Claim Denial by appealing
  the decision to circuit court. Judicial review is available whether or not you requested an administrative review. To pursue your appeal to circuit
  court, you must file suit within one year of the date of the mailing of the Notice of Claim Denial, the final determination of the hearing officer, or
  revision decision of the Director, whichever is later. If the Director fails to issue a written decision in response to the refund claim within six months
  of the date a claim for refund is filed, the taxpayer may then file suit to recover the amount claimed.
- Any taxpayer who wishes to file a request for administrative review (protest) of a proposed assessment or a complaint regarding any activity concerning the administration or collection of any state tax by the Revenue Division should make the protest or complaint in writing to:

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR POLICY AND LEGAL

Mailing Address: LEDBETTER BUILDING, ROOM 2440, P.O. BOX 1272, LITTLE ROCK, AR 72203-1272

Overnight Mailing Address: LEDBETTER BUILDING, ROOM 2440, 1816 W. 7TH ST., LITTLE ROCK, AR 72201

Email Address: protest@dfa.arkansas.gov Fax: (501) 683-1161

- In administering the state tax laws, the Director is authorized by law to make an examination or investigation of the business, books, and records of the taxpayer. If the Director determines that an additional amount of tax is due, then a Notice of Proposed Assessment shall be issued to the taxpayer. The taxpayer may seek relief from the Notice of Proposed Assessment as outlined above. If the taxpayer fails to preserve and maintain records suitable to determine the amount of tax due or to prove accuracy of any return, the Director may make an estimated assessment based upon the best information available as to the amount of tax due by the taxpayer.
- The Director may issue a jeopardy assessment against any taxpayer (1) whose tax liability exceeds any bond on file indemnifying the state for the payment of a state tax, (2) who intends to leave the state, remove his or her property, or conceal himself or herself or his or her property, (3) who intends to discontinue his or her business without making adequate provisions for payment of state taxes, or (4) who does any other act tending to prejudice or jeopardize the Director's ability to compute, assess, or collect any state tax. Any taxpayer seeking relief from a jeopardy assessment must request an administrative hearing within five days from the receipt of the Notice of Proposed Assessment.
- When collecting any state tax due from a taxpayer, the Director is authorized to file a Certificate of Indebtedness (state tax lien) with the circuit clerk of any county of this state certifying that the person named therein is indebted to the state for the amount of tax due as established by the Director. The Certificate of Indebtedness shall have the same force and effect as the entry of a judgment rendered by a circuit court and shall constitute a lien upon the title of any real and personal property of the taxpayer in the county where the Certificate of Indebtedness is recorded.
- After the filing of the Certificate of Indebtedness, the Director may take all steps authorized by law for the collection of the tax, including the
  issuance of a writ of execution, garnishment, and cancellation of any state tax permits or registrations.

Any court costs or sheriff's fees which result from the Director's attempt to collect delinquent taxes shall be collected from the taxpayer in addition to the tax, interest, and penalties included in the Certificate of Indebtedness.

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# **2020 Low Income Tax Tables**

#### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- 1. Your total income from all sources (regardless of whether the income is taxable to Arkansas) must fall within the limits of the appropriate table based on your filing status.
- 2. Married couples must file a joint return (Filing Status 2) to qualify to use these tables.
- 3. If you use an exemption for military compensation, military retirement or employment related pension income, you do not qualify.
- 4. If you itemize your deductions, you must use the Regular Income Tax Table.
- 5. Find your Adjusted Gross Income from Line 25, **AR1000F/AR1000NR**, in the appropriate table below. Your tax is to the right of this amount. Enter the tax on Line 29, **AR1000F/AR1000NR**.

<b>Single</b> (FILING STATUS 1)							
IF YOUR A GROSS IN		VOLID					
FROM	то	YOUR TAX IS					
0	12,674	0					
12,675	12,700	26					
12,701	12,800	33					
12,801	12,900	40					
12,901	13,000	47					
13,001	13,100	54					
13,101	13,200	61					
13,201	13,300	68					
13,301	13,400	75					
13,401	13,500	82					
13,501	13,600	89					
13,601	13,700	96					
13,701	13,800	103					
13,801	13,900	110					
13,901	14,000	117					
14,001	14,100	124					
14,101	14,200	131					
14,201	14,300	138					
14,301	14,400	145					
14,401	14,500	152					
14,501	14,600	159					
14,601	14,700	166					
14,701	14,800	173					
14,801	14,900	180					
14,901	15,000	187					
15,001	15,100	194					
15,101	15,200	201					
	00 use Standa nd Regular Inco						

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# Head of Household/Qualifying Widow(er) with 1 or No Dependent

(FILING STATUS 3 or 6)

(FII	(FILING STATUS 3 or 6)							
	ADJUSTED INCOME IS	VOLIB						
FROM	то	TAX IS						
GROSS FROM  0 18,021 18,101 18,201 18,301 18,401 18,501 18,601 18,701 18,801 19,001 19,101 19,201 19,301 19,401 19,501 19,601 19,701 19,801 19,901 20,001 20,101 20,201 20,301 20,401 20,501 20,601 20,701	18,020 18,100 18,200 18,300 18,400 18,500 18,600 18,700 18,600 19,100 19,100 19,200 19,300 19,400 19,500 19,600 19,700 19,800 19,900 20,000 20,000 20,100 20,200 20,400 20,500 20,600 20,700 20,800	0 59 69 78 88 97 106 116 125 135 144 153 163 172 182 191 200 210 219 229 238 247 257 266 276 285 294 304 313						
20,701 20,801 20,901 21,001 21,101 21,201 21,301	20,800 20,900 21,000 21,100 21,200 21,300 21,400	313 323 332 341 351 360 370						
21,401 21,501 21,601 21,701 21,801 21,901	21,500 21,600 21,700 21,800 21,900 22,000	379 388 398 407 417 426						

<sup>\*</sup>Above \$22,000, use Standard or Itemized Deductions and Regular Income Tax Table

#### Head of Household/Qualifying Widow(er) with 2 or More Dependents

(FILING STATUS 3 or 6)

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IF YOUR A	YOUR	
FROM	то	TAX IS
0	21,481	0
21,482	21,500	83
21,501	21,600	95
21,601	21,700	108
21,701	21,800	120
21,801	21,900	133
21,901	22,000	145
22,001	22,100	157
22,101	22,200	170
22,201	22,300	182
22,301	22,400	195
22,401	22,500	207
22,501	22,600	219
22,601	22,700	232
22,701	22,800	244
22,801	22,900	257
22,901	23,000	269
23,001	23,100	281
23,101	23,200	294
23,201	23,300	306
23,301	23,400	319
23,401	23,500	331
23,501	23,600	343
23,601	23,700	356
23,701	23,800	368
23,801	23,900	381
23,901	24,000	393
24,001	24,100	405
24,101	24,200	418
24,201	24,300	430
24,301	24,400	443
24,401	24,500	455
24,501	24,600	467
24,601	24,700	480
24,701	24,800	492
24,801	24,900	505
24,901	25,000	517
25,001	25,100	529

\*Above \$25,100, use Standard or Itemized Deductions and Regular Income Tax Table

# **2020 Low Income Tax Tables**

	Married Filing Joint (FILING STATUS 2) With One or No Dependents							
IF YOUR ADJUSTE	D GROSS INCOME IS	YOUR TAX IS						
FROM	то							
0	21,374	0						
21,375	21,400	67						
21,401	21,500	77						
21,501	21,600	88						
21,601	21,700	98						
21,701	21,800	108						
21,801	21,900	119						
21,901	22,000	129						
22,001	22,100	140						
22,101	22,200	150						
22,201	22,300	160						
22,301	22,400	171						
22,401	22,500	181						
22,501	22,600	192						
22,601	22,700	202						
22,701	22,800	212						
22,801	22,900	223						
22,901	23,000	233						
23,001	23,100	244						
23,101	23,200	254						
23,201	23,300	264						
23,301	23,400	275						
23,401	23,500	285						
23,501	23,600	296						
23,601	23,700	306						
23,701	23,800	316						
23,801	23,900	327						
23,901	24,000	337						
24,001	24,100	348						
24,101	24,200	358						
24,201	24,300	368						
24,301	24,400	379						
24,401	24,500	389						
24,501	24,600	400						
24,601	24,700	410						
24,701	24,800	420						
24,801	24,900	431						
24,901	25,000	441						
25,001	25,100	452						
25,101	25,200	462						
*Above \$25,200, use Stan	dard or Itemized Deductions a	nd Regular Income Tax Table						

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Married Filing Joint (FILING STATUS 2)									
With	With Two or More Dependents								
	D GROSS INCOME IS	YOUR TAX IS							
FROM	TO								
0	25,725	0							
25,726 25,801	25,800 25,900	97 108							
25,901	26,000	118							
26,001	26,100	129							
26,101	26,200	139							
26,201	26,300	149							
26,301	26,400	160							
26,401	26,500	170							
26,501	26,600	181							
26,601	26,700	191							
26,701	26,800	201							
26,801	26,900	212							
26,901	27,000	222							
27,001	27,100	233							
27,101	27,200	243							
27,201	27,300	253							
27,301	27,400	445							
27,401	27,500	457							
27,501	27,600	469							
27,601	27,700 27,800	481							
27,701 27,801	27,800	493 505							
27,901	28,000	517							
28,001	28,100	529							
28,101	28,200	541							
28,201	28,300	553							
28,301	28,400	565							
28,401	28,500	577							
28,501	28,600	589							
28,601	28,700	601							
28,701	28,800	613							
28,801	28,900	625							
28,901	29,000	637							
29,001	29,100	649							
29,101	29,200	661							
29,201	29,300	673							
29,301	29,400	685							
29,401	29,500	697							
29,501	29,600	709							
29,601	29,700	721							
29,701 29,801	29,800 29,900	733 745							
29,901	30,000	757							
30,001	30,100	769							
30,101	30,200	781							
30,201	30,300	793							
30,301	30,400	805							
30,401	30,500	817							
30,501	30,600	829							
30,601	30,700	841							
30,701	30,800	853							
30,801	30,900	865							
30,901	31,000	877							
31,001	31,100	889							
31,101	31,200	901							
31,201	31,300	913							
*Above \$31 300 use Stand	lard or Itemized Deductions at	nd Regular Income Tay Table							

#### **Instructions:**

- 1. Find your net taxable income from Line 28, **AR1000F/AR1000NR**, in the table below. Your tax is to the right of this amount.
- 2. Married couples must use the same filing status and tax table. If one spouse uses the Regular Income Tax Table, then both must use the Regular Income Tax Table.
- 3. Be sure to subtract Line 27 (standard deduction or your itemized deductions) from Line 25 before using the Regular Income Tax Table. If you and your spouse use Filing Status 4 or 5, make sure you prorate your itemized deductions between you and your spouse.

Current year indexed tax brackets are available on our website at www.dfa.arkansas.gov/incometax

1	Income s	YOUR TAX		Income s	YOUR TAX	1	Income s	YOUR TAX		Income is	YOUR TAX
As Much As	But Less Than	IS	As Much As	But Less Than	IS	As Much As	But Less Than	IS	As Much As	But Less Than	IS
			4,0	000		8,0	000		12,	,000	
0	100	0	4,000	4,100	0	8,000	8,100	67	12,000	12,100	176
100	200	0	4,100	4,200	0	8,100	8,200	69	12,100	12,200	179
200	300	0	4,200	4,300	0	8,200	8,300	71	12,200	12,300	182
300	400	0	4,300	4,400	0	8,300	8,400	73	12,300	12,400	185
400	500	0	4,400	4,500	0	8,400	8,500	75	12,400	12,500	188
500	600	0	4,500	4,600	0	8,500	8,600	77	12,500	12,600	191
600	700	0	4,600	4,700	0	8,600	8,700	79	12,600	12,700	194
700	800	0	4,700	4,800	1	8,700	8,800	81	12,700	12,800	197
800	900	0	4,800	4,900	3	8,800	8,900	83	12,800	12,900	200
900	1,000	0	4,900	5,000	5	8,900	9,000	85	12,900	13,000	203
1,0	000		5,0	000		9,0	000		13,	000	
1,000	1,100	0	5,000	5,100	7	9,000	9,100	87	13,000	13,100	206
1,100	1,200	0	5,100	5,200	9	9,100	9,200	89	13,100	13,200	209
1,200	1,300	0	5,200	5,300	11	9,200	9,300	92	13,200	13,300	212
1,300	1,400	0	5,300	5,400	13	9,300	9,400	95	13,300	13,400	215
1,400	1,500	0	5,400	5,500	15	9,400	9,500	98	13,400	13,500	218
1,500	1,600	0	5,500	5,600	17	9,500	9,600	101	13,500	13,600	221
1,600	1,700	0	5,600	5,700	19	9,600	9,700	104	13,600	13,700	224
1,700	1,800	0	5,700	5,800	21	9,700	9,800	107	13,700	13,800	227
1,800	1,900	0	5,800	5,900	23	9,800	9,900	110	13,800	13,900	230
1,900	2,000	0	5,900	6,000	25 25	9,900	10,000	113	13,900	14,000	233
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2,000	2,100	0	6,000	6,100	27	10,000	10,100	116	14,000	14,100	236
2,100	2,200	0	6,100	6,200	29	10,100	10,200	119	14,100	14,200	240
2,200	2,300	0	6,200	6,300	31	10,200	10,300	122	14,200	14,300	243
2,300	2,400	0	6,300	6,400	33	10,300	10,400	125	14,300	14,400	246
2,400	2,500	0	6,400	6,500	35	10,400	10,500	128	14,400	14,500	250
2,500	2,600	0	6,500	6,600	37	10,500	10,600	131	14,500	14,600	253
2,600	2,700	0	6,600	6,700	39	10,600	10,700	134	14,600	14,700	257
2,700	2,800	0	6,700	6,800	41	10,700	10,800	137	14,700	14,800	260
2,800	2,900	0	6,800	6,900	43	10,800	10,900	140	14,800	14,900	263
2,900	3,000	0	6,900	7,000	45	10,900	11,000	143	14,900	15,000	267
3,0	000		<u> </u>	000		11,	11,000			,000	
3,000	3,100	0	7,000	7,100	47	11,000	11,100	146	15,000	15,100	270
3,100	3,200	0	7,100	7,200	49	11,100	11,200	149	15,100	15,200	274
3,200	3,300	0	7,200	7,300	51	11,200	11,300	152	15,200	15,300	277
3,300	3,400	0	7,300	7,400	53	11,300	11,400	155	15,300	15,400	280
3,400	3,500	0	7,400	7,500	55	11,400	11,500	158	15,400	15,500	284
3,500	3,600	0	7,500	7,600	57	11,500	11,600	161	15,500	15,600	287
3,600	3,700	0	7,600	7,700	59	11,600	11,700	164	15,600	15,700	291
3,700	3,800	0	7,700	7,800	61	11,700	11,800	167	15,700	15,800	294
3,800	3,900	0	7,800	7,900	63	11,800	11,900	170	15,800	15,900	297
3,900	4,000	0	7,900	8,000	65	11,900	12,000	173	15,900	16,000	301
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	Income s	YOUR		Income s	YOUR	1	Income s	YOUR		Income	YOUR
As Much As	But Less Than	TAX IS	As Much As	But Less Than	TAX IS	As Much As	But Less Than	TAX IS	As Much As	But Less Than	TAX IS
16,	000		21,	000		26,	000		31,	,000	
16,000	16,100	304	21,000	21,100	474	26,000	26,100	875	31,000	31,100	1,125
16,100	16,200	308	21,100	21,200	478	26,100	26,200	880	31,100	31,200	1,130
16,200	16,300	311	21,200	21,300	481	26,200	26,300	885	31,200	31,300	1,135
16,300	16,400	314	21,300	21,400	484	26,300	26,400	890	31,300	31,400	1,140
16,400	16,500	318	21,400	21,500	488	26,400	26,500	895	31,400	31,500	1,145
16,500	16,600	321	21,500	21,600	491	26,500	26,600	900	31,500	31,600	1,150
16,600	16,700	325	21,600	21,700	495	26,600	26,700	905	31,600	31,700	1,155
16,700	16,800	328	21,700	21,800	498	26,700	26,800	910	31,700	31,800	1,160
16,800	16,900	331	21,800	21,900	501	26,800	26,900	915	31,800	31,900	1,165
16,900	17,000	335	21,900	22,000	505	26,900	27,000	920	31,900	32,000	1,170
17,	000		22,	000		27,	000		32,	000	
17,000	17,100	338	22,000	22,100	508	27,000	27,100	925	32,000	32,100	1,175
17,100	17,200	342	22,100	22,200	512	27,100	27,200	930	32,100	32,200	1,180
17,200	17,300	345	22,200	22,300	515	27,200	27,300	935	32,200	32,300	1,185
17,300	17,400	348	22,300	22,400	518	27,300	27,400	940	32,300	32,400	1,190
17,400	17,500	352	22,400	22,500	522	27,400	27,500	945	32,400	32,500	1,195
17,500	17,600	355	22,500	22,600	525	27,500	27,600	950	32,500	32,600	1,200
17.600	17,700	359	22,600	22,700	529	27,600	27,700	955	32,600	32,700	1,205
17,700	17,800	362	22,700	22,800	532	27,700	27,800	960	32,700	32,800	1,210
17,800	17,900	365	22,800	22,900	535	27,800	27,900	965	32,800	32,900	1,215
17,900	18,000	369	22,900	23,000	720	27,900	28,000	970	32,900	33,000	1,220
18,	000			23,000		+ -	000		33,	000	-
18,000	18,100	372	23,000	23,100	725	28,000	28,100	975	33,000	33,100	1,225
18,100	18,200	376	23,100	23,200	730	28,100	28,200	980	33,100	33,200	1,230
18,200	18,300	379	23,200	23,300	735	28,200	28,300	985	33,200	33,300	1,235
18,300	18,400	382	23,300	23,400	740	28,300	28,400	990	33,300	33,400	1,240
18,400	18,500	386	23,400	23,500	745	28,400	28,500	995	33,400	33,500	1,245
18,500	18,600	389	23,500	23,600	750	28,500	28,600	1,000	33,500	33,600	1,250
18,600	18,700	393	23,600	23,700	755	28,600	28,700	1,005	33,600	33,700	1,255
18,700	18,800	396	23,700	23,800	760	28,700	28,800	1,010	33,700	33,800	1,260
18,800	18,900	399	23,800	23,900	765	28,800	28,900	1,015	33,800	33,900	1,265
18,900	19,000	403	23,900	24,000	770	28,900	29,000	1,020	33,900	34,000	1,270
19,000		-,		000		<del>  '                                   </del>	000	.,020	<u> </u>	,000	., 0
19,000	19,100	406	24,000	24,100	775	29,000	29,100	1,025	34,000	34,100	1,275
19,100	19,200	410	24,100	24,200	780	29,100	29,200	1,030	34,100	34,200	1,280
19,200	19,300	413	24,200	24,300	785	29,200	29,300	1,035	34,200	34,300	1,285
19,200	19,400	416	24,300	24,400	790	29,300	29,400	1,040	34,300	34,400	1,290
19,400	19,500	420	24,400	24,500	795	29,400	29,500	1,045	34,400	34,500	1,295
19,500	19,600	423	24,500	24,600	800	29,500	29,600	1,050	34,500	34,600	1,300
19,600	19,700	427	24,600	24,700	805	29,600	29,700	1,055	34,600	34,700	1,305
19,700	19,800	430	24,700	24,800	810	29,700	29,800	1,060	34,700	34,800	1,310
19,800	19,900	433	24,800	24,900	815	29,800	29,900	1,065	34,800	34,900	1,315
19,900	20,000	437	24,900	25,000	820	29,900	30,000	1,070	34,900	35,000	1,320
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20,000	20,100	440	25,000	25,100	825	30,000	30,100	1,075	35,000	35,100	1,325
		440 444	25,000	25,100	830	30,000	30,100				
20,100	20,200	444 447	25,100	25,200 25,300	835	30,100	30,200	1,080	35,100	35,200	1,330
20,200	20,300				840	1		1,085	35,200	35,300 35,400	1,335
20,300	20,400	450 454	25,300	25,400		30,300	30,400	1,090	35,300	35,400	1,340
20,400	20,500	454 457	25,400	25,500	845	30,400	30,500	1,095	35,400	35,500	1,345
20,500	20,600	457 461	25,500	25,600	850 855	30,500	30,600	1,100	35,500	35,600	1,350
20,600	20,700	461	25,600	25,700	855	30,600	30,700	1,105	35,600	35,700	1,355
20,700	20,800	464 467	25,700	25,800	860 865	30,700	30,800	1,110	35,700	35,800	1,360
20,800	20,900	467 471	25,800	25,900	865 870	30,800 30,900	30,900	1,115	35,800	35,900	1,365
20,900 Rev 10/06/2020	21,000	4/1	25,900	26,000	0/0	30,900	31,000	1,120	35,900	36,000	1,370

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36,	000		41,	000		46,	000		51,	000	
36,000	36,100	1,375	41,000	41,100	1,648	46,000	46,100	1,943	51,000	51,100	2,238
36,100	36,200	1,380	41,100	41,200	1,654	46,100	46,200	1,949	51,100	51,200	2,244
36,200	36,300	1,385	41,200	41,300	1,660	46,200	46,300	1,955	51,200	51,300	2,250
36,300	36,400	1,390	41,300	41,400	1,665	46,300	46,400	1,960	51,300	51,400	2,255
36,400	36,500	1,395	41,400	41,500	1,671	46,400	46,500	1,966	51,400	51,500	2,261
36,500	36,600	1,400	41,500	41,600	1,677	46,500	46,600	1,972	51,500	51,600	2,267
36,600	36,700	1,405	41,600	41,700	1,683	46,600	46,700	1,978	51,600	51,700	2,273
36,700	36,800	1,410	41,700	41,800	1,689	46,700	46,800	1,984	51,700	51,800	2,279
36,800	36,900	1,415	41,800	41,900	1,695	46,800	46,900	1,990	51,800	51,900	2,285
36,900	37,000	1,420	41,900	42,000	1,701	46,900	47,000	1,996	51,900	52,000	2,291
37,	000		42,	000		47,	000		52,	000	
37,000	37,100	1,425	42.000	42,100	1,707	47,000	47,100	2,002	52,000	52,100	2,297
37,000	37,100	1,423	42,000	42,100	1,707	47,000	47,100	2,002	52,000	52,700	2,303
37,100	37,200	1,435	42,100	42,300	1,713	47,100	47,200	2,000	52,100	52,300	2,309
37,200	37,400	1,433	42,200	42,400	1,719	47,200	47,400	2,014	52,300	52,400	2,309
37,400	37,500	1,445	42,400	42,500	1,724	47,400	47,500	2,015	52,400	52,500	2,320
37,500	37,600	1,450	42,500	42,600	1,736	47,500	47,600	2,031	52,500	52,600	2,326
37,600	37,700	1,455	42,600	42,700	1,742	47,600	47,700	2,037	52,600	52,700	2,332
37,700	37,800	1,460	42,700	42,800	1,748	47,700	47,800	2,043	52,700	52,800	2,338
37,800	37,900	1,465	42,800	42,900	1,754	47,800	47,900	2,049	52,800	52,900	2,344
37,900	38,000	1,470	42,900	43,000	1,760	47,900	48,000	2,055	52,900	53,000	2,350
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38,000	38,100	1,475	43,000	43,100	1,766	48,000	48,100	2,061	53,000	53,100	2,356
38,100	38,200	1,480	43,100	43,200	1,772	48,100	48,200	2,067	53,100	53,200	2,362
38,200	38,300	1,485	43,200	43,300	1,778	48,200	48,300	2,073	53,200	53,300	2,368
38,300	38,400	1,490	43,300	43,400	1,783	48,300	48,400	2,078	53,300	53,400	2,373
38,400	38,500	1,495	43,400	43,500	1,789	48,400	48,500	2,084	53,400	53,500	2,379
38,500	38,600	1,500	43,500	43,600	1,795	48,500	48,600	2,090	53,500	53,600 53,700	2,385
38,600	38,700	1,506	43,600	43,700	1,801	48,600	48,700	2,096	53,600	,	2,391
38,700	38,800	1,512	43,700	43,800	1,807	48,700	48,800	2,102	53,700	53,800	2,397
38,800 38,900	38,900 39,000	1,518 1,524	43,800 43,900	43,900	1,813	48,800	48,900	2,108 2,114	53,800 53,900	53,900 54,000	2,403 2,409
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39,000	39,100	1,530	44,000	44,100	1,825	49,000	49,100	2,120	54,000	54,100	2,415
39,100	39,200	1,536	44,100	44,200	1,831	49,100	49,200	2,126	54,100	54,200	2,421
39,200	39,300	1,542	44,200	44,300	1,837	49,200	49,300	2,132	54,200	54,300	2,427
39,300	39,400	1,547	44,300	44,400	1,842	49,300	49,400	2,137	54,300	54,400	2,432
39,400	39,500	1,553	44,400	44,500	1,848	49,400	49,500	2,143	54,400	54,500	2,438
39,500	39,600	1,559	44,500	44,600	1,854	49,500	49,600	2,149	54,500	54,600	2,444
39,600	39,700	1,565 1,571	44,600	44,700	1,860	49,600	49,700	2,155	54,600	54,700 54,800	2,450
39,700	39,800	1,571 1,577	44,700 44,800	44,800	1,866	49,700 49,800	49,800	2,161	54,700	54,800	2,456
39,800	39,900	1,577		44,900	1,872	1 '	49,900	2,167	54,800	54,900	2,462
39,900	40,000	1,583	44,900	45,000	1,878	49,900	50,000	2,173	54,900	55,000	2,468
40,	000		45,000		50,	000		55,	000		
40,000	40,100	1,589	45,000	45,100	1,884	50,000	50,100	2,179	55,000	55,100	2,474
40,100	40,200	1,595	45,100	45,200	1,890	50,100	50,200	2,185	55,100	55,200	2,480
40,200	40,300	1,601	45,200	45,300	1,896	50,200	50,300	2,191	55,200	55,300	2,486
40,300	40,400	1,606	45,300	45,400	1,901	50,300	50,400	2,196	55,300	55,400	2,491
40,400	40,500	1,612	45,400	45,500	1,907	50,400	50,500	2,202	55,400	55,500	2,497
40,500	40,600	1,618	45,500	45,600	1,913	50,500	50,600	2,208	55,500	55,600	2,503
40,600	40,700	1,624	45,600	45,700	1,919	50,600	50,700	2,214	55,600	55,700	2,509
40,700	40,800	1,630	45,700	45,800	1,925	50,700	50,800	2,220	55,700	55,800	2,515
40,800	40,900	1,636	45,800	45,900	1,931	50,800	50,900	2,226	55,800	55,900	2,521
40,900	41,000	1,642	45,900	46,000	1,937	50,900	51,000	2,232	55,900	56,000	2,527

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56,	000		61,	000		66,	000		71,	000	
56,000	56,100	2,533	61,000	61,100	2,828	66,000	66,100	3,123	71,000	71,100	3,418
56,100	56,200	2,539	61,100	61,200	2,834	66,100	66,200	3,129	71,100	71,200	3,424
56,200	56,300	2,545	61,200	61,300	2,840	66,200	66,300	3,135	71,200	71,300	3,430
56,300	56,400	2,550	61,300	61,400	2,845	66,300	66,400	3,140	71,300	71,400	3,435
56,400	56,500	2,556	61,400	61,500	2,851	66,400	66,500	3,146	71,400	71,500	3,441
56,500	56,600	2,562	61,500	61,600	2,857	66,500	66,600	3,152	71,500	71,600	3,447
56,600	56,700	2,568	61,600	61,700	2,863	66,600	66,700	3,158	71,600	71,700	3,453
56,700	56,800	2,574	61,700	61,800	2,869	66,700	66,800	3,164	71,700	71,800	3,459
56,800	56,900	2,580	61,800	61,900	2,875	66,800	66,900	3,170	71,800	71,900	3,465
56,900	57,000	2,586	61,900	62,000	2,881	66,900	67,000	3,176	71,900	72,000	3,471
57,	000		62,	000		67,	000		72,	000	
57,000	57,100	2,592	62.000	62,100	2,887	67,000	67,100	3,182	72,000	72,100	3,477
57,100	57,200	2,598	62,100	62,200	2,893	67,100	67,200	3,188	72,100	72,200	3,483
57,200	57,300	2,604	62,200	62,300	2,899	67,200	67,300	3,194	72,200	72,300	3,489
57,300	57,400	2,609	62,300	62,400	2,904	67,300	67,400	3,199	72,300	72,400	3,494
57,400	57,500	2,615	62,400	62,500	2,910	67,400	67,500	3,205	72,400	72,500	3,500
57,500	57,600	2,621	62,500	62,600	2,916	67,500	67,600	3,211	72,500	72,600	3,506
57,600	57,700	2,627	62,600	62,700	2,922	67,600	67,700	3,217	72,600	72,700	3,512
57,700	57,800	2,633	62,700	62,800	2,928	67,700	67,800	3,223	72,700	72,800	3,518
57,800	57,900	2,639	62,800	62,900	2,934	67,800	67,900	3,229	72,800	72,900	3,524
57,900	58,000	2,645	62,900	63,000	2,940	67,900	68,000	3,235	72,900	73,000	3,530
58.	000	-	63.	63,000		68.	000		73.	000	
58,000	58,100	2,651	63,000	63,100	2,946	68,000	68,100	3,241	73,000	73,100	3,536
58,100	58,200	2,657	63,100	63,200	2,940	68,100	68,200	3,247	73,000	73,100	3,542
58,200	58,300	2,663	63,200	63,300	2,958	68,200	68,300	3,253	73,100	73,300	3,548
58,300	58,400	2,668	63,300	63,400	2,963	68,300	68,400	3,258	73,300	73,400	3,553
58,400	58,500	2,674	63,400	63,500	2,969	68,400	68,500	3,264	73,400	73,500	3,559
58,500	58,600	2,680	63,500	63,600	2,975	68,500	68,600	3,270	73,500	73,600	3,565
58,600	58,700	2,686	63,600	63,700	2,981	68,600	68,700	3,276	73,600	73,700	3,571
58,700	58,800	2,692	63,700	63,800	2,987	68,700	68,800	3,282	73,700	73,800	3,577
58,800	58,900	2,698	63,800	63,900	2,993	68,800	68,900	3,288	73,800	73,900	3,583
58,900	59,000	2,704	63,900	64,000	2,999	68,900	69,000	3,294	73,900	74,000	3,589
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59,000	59,100	2,710	64,000	64,100	3,005	69,000	69,100	3,300	74,000	74,100	3,595
59,100	59,200	2,716	64,100	64,200	3,011	69,100	69,200	3,306	74,100	74,200	3,601
59,200	59,300 50,400	2,722 2,727	64,200	64,300	3,017 3,022	69,200	69,300	3,312	74,200	74,300	3,607
59,300 50,400	59,400 59,500	2,727	64,300	64,400 64,500	3,022 3,028	69,300	69,400 60,500	3,317	74,300	74,400 74,500	3,612
59,400 59,500	59,600	2,733 2,739	64,400 64,500	64,600	3,026	69,400 69,500	69,500 69,600	3,323 3,329	74,400 74,500	74,500 74,600	3,618 3,624
59,500 59,600	59,700	2,739	64,600	64,700	3,034	69,600	69,700	3,329 3,335	74,500	74,600	3,630
59,700	59,800	2,743	64,700	64,800	3,046	69,700	69,800	3,341	74,000	74,700	3,636
59,700	59,900	2,757	64,800	64,900	3,052	69,800	69,900	3,347	74,700	74,800	3,642
59,900	60,000	2,763	64,900	65,000	3,058	69,900	70,000	3,353	74,900	75,001	3,648
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60,000	60,100	2,769	65,000	65,100	3,064	70,000	70,100	3,359	75,001	75,101	3,654
60,100	60,200	2,775	65,100	65,200	3,070	70,100	70,200	3,365	75,101	75,201	3,660
60,200	60,300	2,781	65,200	65,300	3,076	70,200	70,300	3,371	75,201	75,301	3,666
60,300	60,400	2,786	65,300	65,400	3,081	70,300	70,400	3,376	75,301	75,401	3,672
60,400	60,500	2,792	65,400	65,500	3,087	70,400	70,500	3,382	75,401	75,501	3,677
60,500	60,600	2,798	65,500	65,600	3,093	70,500	70,600	3,388	75,501	75,601	3,683
60,600	60,700	2,804	65,600	65,700	3,099	70,600	70,700	3,394	75,601	75,701	3,689
60,700	60,800	2,810	65,700	65,800	3,105	70,700	70,800	3,400	75,701	75,801	3,695
60,800	60,900	2,816	65,800	65,900	3,111	70,800	70,900	3,406	75,801	75,901	3,701
60,900	61,000	2,822	65,900	66,000	3,117	70,900	71,000	3,412	75,901	76,001	3,707

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76,	001		81,	001		86,	001	
76,001	76,101	3,713	81,001	81,101	4,008	86,001	86,101	4,724
76,101	76,201	3,719	81,101	81,201	4,014	86,101	86,201	4,730
76,201	76,301	3,725	81,201	81,301	4,020	86,201	86,301	4,737
76,301	76,401	3,731	81,301	81,401	4,026	86,301	86,401	4,743
76,401	76,501	3,736	81,401	81,501	4,031	86,401	86,501	4,850
76,501	76,601	3,742	81,501	81,601	4,037	86,501	86,601	4,857
76,601	76,701	3,748	81,601	81,701	4,043	86,601	86,701	4,863
76,701	76,801	3,754	81,701	81,801	4,049	86,701	86,801	4,870
76,801	76,901	3,760	81,801	81,901	4,055	86,801	86,901	4,876
76,901	77,001	3,766	81,901	82,001	4,061	86,901	87,001	4,883
77,	001		82,	001		87,	001	
77,001	77,101	3,772	82,001	82,101	4,160	87,001	87,101	4,890
77,101	77,201	3,778	82,101	82,201	4,166	87,101	87,201	4,896
77,201	77,301	3,784	82,201	82,301	4,173	87,201	87,301	4,903
77,301	77,401	3,790	82,301	82,401	4,179	87,301	87,401	4,909
77,401	77,501	3,795	82,401	82,501	4,186	87,401	87,501	4,916
77,501	77,601	3,801	82,501	82,601	4,193	87,501	87,601	4,963
77,601	77,701	3,807	82,601	82,701	4,199	87,601	87,701	4,969
77,701	77,801	3,813	82,701	82,801	4,206	87,701	87,801	4,976
77,801	77,901	3,819	82,801	82,901	4,212	87,801	87,901	4,982
77,901	78,001	3,825	82,901	83,001	4,219	87,901	88,001	4,989
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78,101	78,201	3,837	83,101	83,201	4,332	D. = 4 0 =	NOTE	
78,201	78,301	3,843	83,201	83,301	4,339	PLEASE	NOTE:	
78,301	78,401	3,849 3,854	83,301 83,401	83,401 83,501	4,345		204	
78,401 78,501	78,501 78,601	3,860	83,501	83,601	4,352 4,359	1 '	001 and c	
78,601	78,701	3,866	83,601	83,701	4,365	tax is \$4	,989 + 6.6	% of the
78,701	78,801	3,872	83,701	83,801	4,372	excess of	over \$88,0	00
78,801	78,901	3,878	83,801	83,901	4,378		•	
78,901	79,001	3,884	83,901	84,001	4,385			
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79,001	79,101	3,890	84,001	84,101	4,492	$\dashv$		
79,101	79,201	3,896	84,101	84,201	4,498			
79,201	79,301	3,902	84,201	84,301	4,505			
79,301	79,401	3,908	84,301	84,401	4,511	1		
79,401	79,501	3,913	84,401	84,501	4,518			
79,501	79,601	3,919	84,501	84,601	4,525			
79,601	79,701	3,925	84,601	84,701	4,531	1		
79,701	79,801	3,931	84,701	84,801	4,538	1		
79,801	79,901	3,937	84,801	84,901	4,544	1		
79,901	80,001	3,943	84,901	85,001	4,551	╛		
80,	001		85,	001				
80,001	80,101	3,949	85,001	85,101	4,558	7		
80,101	80,201	3,955	85,101	85,201	4,564			
80,201	80,301	3,961	85,201	85,301	4,571	1		
80,301	80,401	3,967	85,301	85,401	4,677	1		
80,401	80,501	3,972	85,401	85,501	4,684			
80,501	80,601	3,978	85,501	85,601	4,691	1		
80,601	80,701	3,984	85,601	85,701	4,697	1		
80,701	80,801	3,990	85,701	85,801	4,704	1		
80,801	80,901	3,996	85,801	85,901	4,710	1		
80,901	81,001	4,002	85,901	86,001	4,717	1		

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2.	Did you enter the correct Social Security Number(s) for you and your spouse? (You must enter the SSN(s) on the return whether you use the color peel off label or not.)
3.	Did you use the correct filing status column and the correct taxable income to find your tax from the tax table?
4.	Did you attach all W-2(s)?
5.	Did you add and subtract correctly when calculating refund or amount owed?
6.	Did you sign and date your return?
7.	Did you keep a complete copy of your return for your records? (Keep for 6 years.)
8.	Have you mailed your return by APRIL 15, 2021?

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