

## How to figure your standard deduction

- Standard deduction. Unless you are claimed as a dependent, or are age 65 or older, or blind, your standard deduction is based on your filing status as follows:

- Standard deduction - Dependents. If you can be claimed as a dependent on another person's return, your standard deduction is limited to the larger of:
- Your earned income plus $\$ 300$, up to the maximum allowed for your filing status, shown above, or - \$850.

This limit applies even if you can be, but are not, claimed as a dependent on another person's return. See the standard deduction worksheet for single dependents on page 9 , or contact us if you are a married dependent.

- Standard deduction-Age 65 or older, or blind. If you are age 65 or older, or blind, you are entitled to a larger standard deduction based on your filing status:

1. Are you: $\square 65$ or older? $\square$ Blind? If claiming spouse's exemption, is your spouse: $\square 65$ or older? $\square$ Blind?

| If your filing status is... | And the number of boxes checked in 1 above is... | Then your standard deduction is... | If your filing status is... | And the number of boxes checked in 1 above is... | Then your standard deduction is... |
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| Single | 1 | \$3,040 | Married <br> filing separately | 1 | \$2,840 |
|  | 2 | 4,240 |  | 2 | 3,840 |
|  |  |  |  | 3 | 4,840 |
| Married filing jointly | 1 | 4,685 |  | 4 | 5,840 |
|  | 2 | 5,685 |  |  |  |
|  | 3 | 6,685 | Head of | 1 | 4,165 |
|  | 4 | 7,685 | household | 2 | 5,365 |
|  |  |  | Qualifying | 1 | 4,685 |
|  |  |  | widow(er) | 2 | 5,685 |

- Standard deduction - Nonresident aliens. The standard deduction for nonresident aliens, as defined by federal law, is -0-.

| If you owe, make your check or money order payable to the Oregon Department of Revenue. Write your daytime telephone number and " $\mathbf{2 0 0 6}$ Oregon Form $\mathbf{4 0 S}$ " on your check or money order. Attach your payment, along with the payment voucher on page 11, to this return. |  |
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| Mail  <br> TAX-TO-PAY <br> returns to Oregon Department of Revenue <br> PO Box 14555 <br> Salem OR 97309-0940 | Mail REFUND returns <br> and NO-TAX-DUE <br> returns to$>$REFUND <br> PO Box 14700 <br> Salem OR 97309-0930 |

