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## Individual Income Tax Rates and Shares, 2003

by Kyle Mudry and Michael Parisi
For Tax Year 2003, taxpayers filed 130.4 million returns, of which 88.9 million (or 68.2 percent) were classified as taxable returns. This represents a reduction of 2.2 percent in the number of taxable returns from 2002. Adjusted gross income (AGI) on these taxable returns rose 1.9 percent to $\$ 5,747$ billion, while total income tax fell 6.1 percent. This decrease in total income tax was attributable to the tax cuts implemented in the passage of the Jobs and Growth Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2003 (JGTRRA). For the third year in a row, the average tax rate for taxable returns fell, decreasing 1.1 percentage points to 13.0 percent. The country's average tax rate had not been 13.0 percent or below since 1972. Also noteworthy is the large decline in total income tax of 23.7 percent, from the peak of $\$ 981$ billion for 2000 to $\$ 748$ billion for 2003.

Taxpayers with an AGI of at least $\$ 295,495$, the top 1 percent of taxpayers, accounted for 16.8 percent of total AGI, representing an increase in income share
of 0.7 percentage points from the previous year. These taxpayers accounted for 34.3 percent of the total income tax reported, an increase from 33.7 percent in 2002.

## Unrelated Business Income Tax Rełurns, 2002: Financial Highlights and Special Analyses of Exempt-Organization Reporting Quality

by Margaret Riley
During 2003 and 2004, tax-exempt organizations filed an estimated 35,103 Forms 990-T, Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Returns, for Tax Year 2002. Compared to Tax Year 2001, organizations reporting "unrelated business income" (UBI) filed only slightly fewer returns for 2002, but it was the fourth consecutive year for which filings of Form 990-T declined. From Tax Year 1998 to Tax Year 2002, the number of filings dropped 24.0 percent. After offsetting $\$ 7.8$ billion of total gross UBI with $\$ 7.9$ billion of total deductions, the resulting unrelated business taxable income (less deficit) for 2002 was $\$-0.1$ billion. Unrelated business taxable income (UBTI) and the associated unrelated business income tax (UBIT) decreased by 18.3 percent and 14.1 percent, respectively, from amounts reported for 2001. Between 1998 and 2002, UBTI and UBIT declined by a respective 61.2 percent and 61.6 percent.

This article contains analyses from two special studies of exempt-organization reporting quality on Forms 990, Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax, and 990-T. The Form 990-T deductions allocation study measures the extent to which highincome organizations (those with gross UBI of $\$ 500,000$ or more) misreported specifically defined, itemized deduction components as "Other deductions" on Tax Year 2002 Forms 990-T. After allocation, the increase in the total amount of each specifically defined deduction category reported by high-income filers ranged from 3.1 percent to 44.7 percent. A second special study, comparing total unrelated business income (UBI) amounts reported on Forms 990 and $990-\mathrm{T}$, revealed that total UBI reported on nearly 4 out of every 10 Forms 990 could not be reconciled with total UBI reported on Form 990-T. The main reasons for this were twofold: some Form 990 filers reported a combination of gross and net taxable income that differed from the combination specified in the return form instructions; other filers did not report total UBI on Form 990 at all.

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## Transactions Between Large Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations and Related Foreign Persons, 2002

by William P. Jauquet

Despite the increase in the number of large foreignowned domestic corporations and related foreign persons engaged in transactions reported on Form 5472, the total value of transactions declined for 2002. The 737 large foreign-owned domestic corporations covered by these statistics received from related foreign persons $\$ 166.7$ billion, 37.2 percent less than for 2000; these domestic corporations paid related foreign persons $\$ 353.6$ billion, 26.4 percent less than for 2000. The decline in total amounts received and in total amounts paid can be traced to the drop in the value of transactions with related foreign persons from the United Kingdom and the Netherlands and can further be isolated to corporations in the finance and insurance sector.

Since the early 1980 's, Congress and the IRS have required corporations to report certain related party transactions when one party is a U.S. corporation and the other is a foreign person. A small number of industrial sectors and countries dominate the statistics. Three industrial sectors were responsible for 79 percent of all foreign related persons and 92 percent of all nonloan transactions: wholesale trade, manufacturing, and finance and insurance. Wholesale trade had the second largest number of foreign related persons, 2,879 persons or 19.8 percent of the total, and supplanted finance and insurance as the sector with the largest amount of nonloan transactions, $\$ 198.3$ billion or 38.1 percent of the total receipts and payments. Related persons from five countries, Japan, the United Kingdom, Canada, Germany, and Switzerland, accounted for 67.9 percent of nonloan transactions.

## Personal Wealth, 2001

by Barry W. Johnson and Brian G. Raub Using data derived from Federal estate tax returns, it is estimated that there were more than 7.3 million living individuals in the United States with gross assets of $\$ 675,000$ or more in 2001, representing about 3.5 percent of the total U.S. adult population in that year. These "top wealth holders" had a combined net worth of more than $\$ 13.8$ trillion, or 32.7 percent of total personal U.S. net worth. Almost 4.0 million, or 53.7 percent, of these wealthy individuals were male, and 3.4 million were female. The age, gender, and relative
wealth of top wealth holders impacted the composition of their portfolios. Women's portfolios contained a greater proportion of real estate and stock in public corporations than those of men. Conversely, men's portfolios were made up of proportionately more closely held stock, business assets, and retirement assets. For both males and females, the value of the personal residence made up smaller percentages in the portfolios of older top wealth holders than in portfolios held by younger individuals in the same wealth classes. Men in each wealth and age class had a higher ratio of debts to total assets than their female counterparts.

There was a significant increase in the number of U.S. citizens with net worth of $\$ 1.0$ million or more between 1998 and 2001. While the number of millionaires in each wealth class grew more rapidly than the overall U.S. population during this period, the growth rate in the number of millionaires with net worth of less than $\$ 5$ million was lower than the rate for millionaires with net worth of $\$ 5$ million or more. As in previous years, California was the State with the largest number of resident millionaires in 2001. However, Connecticut was the State with the greatest per capita concentration of millionaires. While the number of millionaires increased significantly over the period studied, estimates of the amount of wealth held by the top 1.0 and 0.5 percent of the U.S. population suggest that the overall concentration of wealth in the U.S. did not change significantly, and has, in fact, remained relatively constant for more than a decade.

## Projections of Federal Tax Return Filings: Calendar Years 2005-2012

## by Taukir Hussain

Taxpayers are expected to file a grand total of 229.3 million tax returns with the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) during Calendar Year (CY) 2006. That projected level reflects a modest increase of only 0.1 percent over the estimated Calendar Year 2005 filings of 229.0 million. However, the small growth in grand total return filings in 2006 is a net effect that masks some rather dramatic shifts among certain return volumes. In particular, IRS efforts to reduce taxpayer burden will result in a noticeable decrease in filings of Form 941, Employer's Quarterly Federal Tax Return, and Form 2688, Application for Additional Extension of Time To File U.S. Individual Income Tax Return, returns during CY 2006. These drops, in turn, will

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serve to suppress the growth in total filings for 2006. After 2006, however, grand total return filings are projected to grow at a more typical average annual rate of 1.2 percent and to reach 246.8 million by 2012. Furthermore, over the forecast horizon, IRS is projected to continue to make solid gains in the share of total returns filed electronically. For example, under current trends, total individual electronic returns are estimated to be 51.3 percent of all individual income tax returns in $2005,55.0$ percent of all returns in 2006, and 70.3 percent in 2012.

## Behind the Scenes

## 2005 Data Dissemination Update

The SOI Statistical Information Services (SIS) Office received nearly 2,300 direct requests for information in the 12-month period ending December 31, 2005.


About 1,128 requests (or 48.3 percent of the total) were by telephone. Some 49.1 percent of the requests were by e-mails or faxes, and about 2.6 percent of the requests were from letters or face-to-face meetings with "walk-in" visitors.

Who were the requesters we responded to in 2005? About 22.5 percent were consultants, 12.8 percent were other IRS offices, and 11.8 percent were private citizens. After these categories, the next most frequent requesters were: corporations (10.1 percent); universities ( 9.1 percent); media ( 7.6 percent); State and local governments (6.0 percent); Federal agencies (5.1 percent); and students ( 3.8 percent). The remaining requests came from nonprofit organizations; associations; law firms; accounting firms; Congress; banks; foreign government organizations or embassies; and public libraries, which together accounted for 11.2 percent of the total.

While overall, the level of direct requests has declined slightly for each of the past few years, Internet downloads appear to have been steadily increasing every year. The total number of downloads from "Tax Stats" (www.irs.gov/taxstats) during 2005 was $3,820,777$. This averaged 318,398 downloads per month, up from about 189,240 downloads per month in 2004. Over 46.7 percent of all downloads from Tax Stats are accounted for by two items--data on individuals and the IRS Data Book. About 1,110,087 downloads (or 29.1 percent of the grand total) were for

individual income tax return data, and 671,398 downloads (or 17.6 percent of the total) were for the IRS Data Book. As always, all data are provided free from any identifying information, since we are prohibited by law from releasing names or data for specific taxpayers.

We are pleased to be able to provide information services to our customers. By all means, call or write us, or visit our Web site address (http:// www.irs.gov/taxstats/index.html. Sometimes, we receive requests for IRS data other than SOI's. If we
 have the data or know who has, we will make every effort to help the requester.

In fact, according to the third Statistical Information Services (SIS) Customer Satisfaction Survey, the SIS office has maintained its overall customer satisfaction level at about 91.6 percent for 2005 . We are continuing the survey in 2006 and will provide an update in a future issue.

## What's New

## Corporation Source Book, 2000, Is Now Online

<http://www.irs.gov/taxstats/bustaxstats/article/ 0, ,id $=149687,00 . \mathrm{html}>$ Data tables from the Tax Year 2000 Corporation Source Book of Statistics of Income (Publication 1053), which was originally published in
 2003, are now available in Excel spreadsheets for viewing or downloading from Tax Stats at the IRS.gov Web site. These tables present detailed income statement, balance sheet, tax, and selected items, by industrial sector, and major and minor industrial groups. For each industrial group, the data are further classified by size of total assets. Data are presented for all corporate returns and for those returns with net income. Separate statistics on S corporations are also included by industrial sector and asset size. Data from the Tax Years 2001-2003 Corporation Source Book publications will be available later this year. Tax Stats contains other statistics from corporation income tax returns <http://www.irs.gov/ taxstats/bustaxstats/article/0,,id=97145,00.html>, as

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well as statistics from other types of entities <http:// www.irs.gov/taxstats/index.html> (e.g., individuals, exempt organizations, and partnerships).

## 2005 IRS Data Book

The 2005 IRS Data Book is a statistical snapshot of IRS operations. The 33 tables in the report include information about returns filed, tax collections, and refunds; examination coverage; delinquency and collection activity; appeals; criminal investigation; employee plan and tax-exempt organization information; taxpayer assistance; information reporting; taxpayer contact information; penalties; Chief Counsel activities; and administrative costs and personnel summaries. The 62 -page report also includes lists of key officials and an organizational chart. The report (in Adobe Acrobat PDF) and tables (in Microsoft Excel) appear on the IRS Web site (www.irs.gov/ taxstats), under Products, Publications, \& Papers, IRS Data Books.

## The IRS Research Bulletin

This 291-page volume presents selected papers from each of the six conference sessions from the fourth
 annual IRS Research Conference, which was held on June 7-8, 2005, in Washington, DC, and was sponsored by the Office of Research, Analysis, and Statistics. The sessions include new estimates of individual income tax compliance; indirect measures of compli-
ance; taxpayer compliance burden; use of tax administration resources; influencing voluntary compliance behavior; and understanding barriers to compliance and participation. The 16 papers in the report are available on the IRS Web site (http://www.irs.gov/ taxstats/productsandpubs/article/ 0, id=130103, 00.html).

For ordering instructions or questions regarding these publications and any other SOI data, call the SOI Statistical Information Services office at (202) 8740410, fax (202) 874-0964, or e-mail at sis@irs.gov.

## Upcoming Features

The following articles or data releases are tentatively planned for inclusion in the Spring 2006 issue of the Statistics of Income Bulletin scheduled to be published in June 2006:

High-Income Tax Returns, 2003;
S Corporation Returns, 2003;
Split-Interest Trusts, 2003;
Controlled Foreign Corporations, 2002;
Individual Retirement Accounts for Tax Years 2001 and 2002; and
軥 Noncash Charitable Contributions by
Individuals (Form 8283), Tax Year 2003.

# Individual Income Tax Returns, Preliminary Data, 2004 

Data Release

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Figure A shows that the largest component of AGI, salaries and wages, increased 6.0 percent to $\$ 4,977.9$ billion for Tax Year 2004, while the next largest component of AGI, net capital gains, rose by 53.2 percent to $\$ 442.1$ billion. Other income items with notable percentage changes included capital gain distributions (part of net capital gains), which more than tripled from $\$ 4.7$ billion for 2003 to $\$ 15.3$ billion for 2004, partnership net income, which increased by 18.0 percent to $\$ 355.5$ billion, and dividends, which increased 22.1 percent to $\$ 135.4$ billion. Of this dividend total, about 75.6 percent were reported as qualified dividends. Qualified dividends, which receive preferential tax rates, were reported on 24.5 million returns and totaled $\$ 102.3$ billion, an increase of 29.2 percent. For 2004, taxable pensions and annuities, the third largest income item, rose 5.5 percent to $\$ 399.3$ billion. The other items related to retirement, taxable IRA distributions and taxable Social Security benefits, also rose for 2004, by 15.1 percent and 12.8 percent, respectively. Declining income items were led by unemployment compensation at $\$ 32.7$ billion, falling by 25.9 percent from its 2003 level. Both taxable interest and State income tax refunds also decreased ( 3.6 percent and 3.1 percent, respectively) from Tax Year 2003.

Statutory adjustments to total income increased 11.0 percent to $\$ 94.5$ billion for Tax Year 2004. The largest statutory adjustment was the deduction for self-employment tax, representing 21.3 percent of the total. This adjustment to income increased 6.1 percent to $\$ 20.1$ billion. Payments to self-employed

[^0]retirement (Keogh) plans rose 6.4 percent to $\$ 18.0$ billion, while deductible contributions to an Individual Retirement Arrangement (IRA) increased 0.7 percent to $\$ 10.2$ billion. The deduction for tuition and fees increased 58.5 percent to $\$ 10.7$ billion and reflects an increase in the maximum adjustment allowed from \$3,000 to \$4,000 and an expansion of the AGI limitation for taking this adjustment (see Changes in Law section for details). Tax Year 2004 law changes also added line item adjustments to income for taxpayers who contributed to a health savings account and certain expenses for members of the National Guard or reserve members (see Changes in Law section for details). Over 88,000 taxpayers made payments to a qualified health savings account allowing for an adjustment of $\$ 0.2$ billion. Combining these new accounts with the remaining medical savings accounts, the total number of individual taxpayers taking advantage of medical accounts increased by 87.5 percent with adjustments more than double those taken for just medical savings accounts for 2003.

Total deductions, the sum of the standard deductions and total itemized deductions (after limitation), equaled $\$ 1,536.3$ billion, an increase of 6.7 percent from Tax Year 2003. The number of returns claiming the standard deductions decreased 0.6 percent, accounting for 63.7 percent of all returns filed and 36.7 percent of the total deductions amount. Mostly due to inflation indexing, the average standard deduction (comprised of the basic and additional standard deductions) increased 1.7 percent from $\$ 6,579$ for 2003 to $\$ 6,690$ for 2004. Itemized deductions were claimed on 34.9 percent of all returns filed for 2004 and represented 63.3 percent of the total deductions amount [1]. The average total for itemized deductions (after limitation) was $\$ 21,038$, a 4.8 -percent increase from the 2003 average of $\$ 20,076$. Due to the AGI limitation on itemized deductions, 5.7 million higher-income taxpayers were unable to deduct $\$ 34.9$ billion in itemized deductions, an increase of 24.6 percent from 2003. The taxes paid deduction was the largest deduction, comprising 35.6 percent of total itemized deductions (before limitation). For 2004, it increased 16.5 percent to $\$ 357.9$ billion. This increase was partially due to a change in law that allowed taxpayers to elect whether to deduct State and local general sales taxes instead of State and

Individual Income Tax Returns, Preliminary Data: Selected Income and Tax Items, Tax Years 2003 and 2004

| Item | 2003 | 2004 | Percentage change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) |
| Number of returns, total... | 130,571,319 | 132,384,919 | 1.4 |
| Form 1040 returns.. | 80,193,301 | 80,278,569 | 0.1 |
| Form 1040A returns.. | 29,827,251 | 30,878,413 | 3.5 |
| Form 1040EZ returns ${ }^{1}$ | 20,550,767 | 21,227,937 | 3.3 |
| Electronically-filed returns .1,2 | 62,180,894 | 69,455,931 | 11.7 |
| Adjusted gross income (less deficit).................................................... | 6,212,974,067 | 6,764,907,485 | 8.9 |
| Salaries and wages: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 111,350,057 | 112,857,828 | 1.4 |
| Amount.. | 4,696,501,144 | 4,977,868,690 | 6.0 |
| Taxable interest: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 59,591,835 | 57,675,120 | -3.2 |
| Amount. | 115,682,836 | 111,561,113 | -3.6 |
| Tax-exempt interest: ${ }^{3}$ |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 4,525,688 | 4,386,097 | -3.1 |
| Amount. | 51,795,259 | 49,837,939 | -3.8 |
| Ordinary dividends: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 30,450,215 | 30,612,466 | 0.5 |
| Amount. | 110,863,179 | 135,353,804 | 22.1 |
| Qualified dividends: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 22,470,605 | 24,544,754 | 9.2 |
| Amount. | 79,229,288 | 102,348,349 | 29.2 |
| State income tax refunds: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 24,748,822 | 23,700,194 | -4.2 |
| Amount. | 22,170,414 | 21,484,401 | -3.1 |
| Alimony received: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 427,110 | 437,246 | 2.4 |
| Amount................................................................................. | 6,095,856 | 6,830,125 | 12.0 |
| Business or profession net income: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 14,407,862 | 15,011,873 | 4.2 |
| Amount. | 261,375,371 | 280,499,096 | 7.3 |
| Business or profession net loss: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 4,990,662 | 5,201,188 | 4.2 |
| Amount.. | 38,380,163 | 41,915,266 | 9.2 |
| Net capital gain: ${ }^{4}$ |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 10,085,562 | 13,651,337 | 35.4 |
| Amount...................... | 288,629,772 | 442,095,059 | 53.2 |
| Capital gain distributions: ${ }^{4}$ |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 7,311,132 | 10,799,132 | 47.7 |
| Amount. | 4,726,887 | 15,324,930 | 224.2 |
| Net capital loss: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 12,808,729 | 11,493,985 | -10.3 |
| Amount. | 28,921,930 | 25,454,976 | -12.0 |
| Sales of property other than capital assets, net gain: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns....................................................................... | 784,336 | 827,819 | 5.5 |
| Amount................................................................................... | 7,521,982 | 9,311,122 | 23.8 |
| Sales of property other than capital assets, net loss: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | 902,097 | 848,226 | -6.0 |
| Amount.................................................................................. | 7,048,185 | 6,665,222 | -5.4 |
| Taxable Individual Retirement Arrangement distributions: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns............ | 8,677,735 | 9,015,362 | 3.9 |
| Amount.................................................................................. | 88,599,170 | 102,003,408 | 15.1 |
| Taxable pensions and annuities: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | 23,058,944 | 23,344,955 | 1.2 |
| Amount................................................................................... | 378,632,948 | 399,311,044 | 5.5 |
| Rent and royalty net income: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | 5,582,974 | 5,604,092 | 0.4 |
| Amount............... | 64,468,069 | 67,955,009 | 5.4 |
| Rent and royalty net loss: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | 4,838,985 | 4,954,924 | 2.4 |
| Amount.................................................................................... | 37,999,493 | 42,898,818 | 12.9 |

Individual Income Tax Returns, Preliminary Data, 2004

## Figure $A$--Continued

## Individual Income Tax Returns, Preliminary Data: Selected Income and Tax Items, Tax Years 2003 and 2004--Continued

$\xlongequal{\text { (Money amounts are in thousands of dollars) }}$

| Item | 2003 | 2004 | Percentage change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) |
| Partnership and S corporation net income: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | 4,139,385 | 4,391,303 | 6.1 |
| Amount. | 301,171,011 | 355,465,300 | 18.0 |
| Partnership and S corporation net loss: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | 2,371,920 | 2,268,094 | -4.4 |
| Amount.. | 56,220,101 | 57,536,319 | 2.3 |
| Estate and trust net income: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | 460,487 | 478,444 | 3.9 |
| Amount. | 11,494,374 | 13,051,086 | 13.5 |
|  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 29,622 | 31,176 | 5.2 |
| Amount. | 562,851 | 630,041 | 11.9 |
| Farm net income: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 595,750 | 591,038 | -0.8 |
| Amount. | 7,560,081 | 7,830,456 | 3.6 |
| Farm net loss: $\quad 1 \begin{aligned} & \text { ( }\end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 1,402,196 | 1,414,985 | 0.9 |
| Amount. | 19,513,364 | 19,894,553 | 3.6 |
| Unemployment compensation: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 10,133,305 | 9,154,275 | -9.7 |
| Amount. | 44,185,367 | 32,740,408 | -25.9 |
| Taxable Social Security benefits: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.... | 11,098,826 | 11,825,356 | 6.5 |
| Amount.. | 99,080,506 | 111,778,572 | 12.8 |
| Total statutory adjustments: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 30,352,239 | 32,069,452 | 5.7 |
| Amount. | 85,137,579 | 94,479,216 | 11.0 |
| Educator expenses: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 3,275,128 | 3,437,540 | 5.0 |
| Amount.. | 813,913 | 865,467 | 6.3 |
| Certain business expenses of reservists, performing artists, and fee-basis government officials: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns....................................................... | N/A | 100,047 | N/A |
| Amount.. | N/A | 243,988 | N/A |
| Payments to an Individual Retirement Arrangement: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns............. | 3,462,006 | 3,379,417 | -2.4 |
| Amount. | 10,166,576 | 10,239,186 | 0.7 |
| Student loan interest deduction: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 7,031,160 | 7,604,016 | 8.1 |
| Amount. | 4,470,823 | 4,438,098 | -0.7 |
| Tuition and fees deduction: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 3,603,729 | 4,738,193 | 31.5 |
| Amount.. | 6,737,825 | 10,677,851 | 58.5 |
| Health savings account deduction: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | N/A | 88,110 | N/A |
| Amount......... | N/A | 180,186 | N/A |
| Medical savings account deduction: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns................... | 63,450 | 30,883 | -51.3 |
| Amount. | 119,800 | 63,086 | -47.3 |
| Moving expenses adjustment: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 1,029,309 | 1,086,965 | 5.6 |
| Amount. | 2,483,169 | 2,922,985 | 17.7 |
| Self-employment tax deduction: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns............... | 15,253,702 | 15,763,127 | 3.3 |
| Amount....... | 18,986,750 | 20,148,573 | 6.1 |
| Self-employed health insurance deduction: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 3,658,160 | 3,699,187 | 1.1 |
| Amount.......... | 15,569,662 | 17,270,521 | 10.9 |
| Payments to a self-employed retirement (Keogh) plan: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns........................................ | 1,193,324 | 1,171,091 | -1.9 |
| Amount............................................................................... | 16,899,066 | 17,982,632 | 6.4 |
| Penalty on early withdrawal of savings: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns................................................................... | 734,368 | 792,543 | 7.9 |
| Amount................................................................................... | 153,102 | 216,830 | 41.6 |

## Figure A--Continued

Individual Income Tax Returns, Preliminary Data: Selected Income and Tax Items,
Tax Years 2003 and 2004--Continued

| Item | 2003 | 2004 | Percentage change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) |
| Alimony paid: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 582,671 | 562,882 | -3.4 |
| Amount... | 7,303,956 | 8,131,749 | 11.3 |
| Other adjustments: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 279,197 | 189,344 | -32.2 |
| Amount. | 1,351,096 | 1,033,299 | -23.5 |
| Total deductions: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | 128,796,092 | 130,572,217 | 1.4 |
| Amount... | 1,439,376,664 | 1,536,262,023 | 6.7 |
| Total standard deduction: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | 84,934,121 | 84,384,089 | -0.6 |
| Amount........... | 558,823,272 | 564,559,557 | 1.0 |
| Basic standard deduction: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 84,934,121 | 84,384,089 | -0.6 |
| Amount............ | 542,758,782 | 548,505,579 | 1.1 |
| Additional standard deduction: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 11,335,359 | 11,118,473 | -1.9 |
| Amount.... | 16,064,490 | 16,053,978 | -0.1 |
| Total itemized deductions (after limitation): |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 43,861,971 | 46,188,128 | 5.3 |
| Amount. | 880,553,392 | 971,702,466 | 10.4 |
| Itemized deductions in excess of limitation: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 5,237,245 | 5,719,877 | 9.2 |
| Amount. | 28,010,193 | 34,892,605 | 24.6 |
| Medical and dental expenses deduction: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | 8,630,911 | 9,458,334 | 9.6 |
| Amount. | 55,003,108 | 61,292,493 | 11.4 |
| Taxes paid deduction: $\quad$ - |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 42,996,756 | 45,870,333 | 6.7 |
| Amount... | 307,102,902 | 357,908,694 | 16.5 |
| State and local taxes: ${ }^{5}$ |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 36,020,843 | 44,665,865 | 24.0 |
| Amount....... | 180,625,363 | 217,157,045 | 20.2 |
| Interest paid deduction: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 36,105,945 | 37,961,584 | 5.1 |
| Amount........ | 331,988,244 | 345,937,522 | 4.2 |
| Charitable contributions deduction: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 38,642,066 | 40,594,576 | 5.1 |
| Amount. | 139,666,085 | 156,200,064 | 11.8 |
| Taxable income: $\quad$ - |  |  |  |
| Number of returns......................................................................... | 101,669,737 | 102,915,892 | 1.2 |
| Amount... | 4,202,698,688 | 4,649,039,200 | 10.6 |
| Alternative minimum tax: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | 2,379,473 | 3,132,706 | 31.7 |
| Amount.................... | 8,737,246 | 12,062,016 | 38.1 |
| Income tax before credits: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns........................................................................ | 101,686,410 | 102,922,519 | 1.2 |
| Amount................................................................................... | 791,129,805 | 881,808,770 | 11.5 |
| Total tax credits: ${ }^{6}$ ( $\quad$ - |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 41,219,145 | 41,868,743 | 1.6 |
| Amount........ | 41,108,685 | 51,389,855 | 25.0 |
| Child care credit: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 6,340,695 | 6,400,794 | 0.9 |
| Amount.... | 3,222,404 | 3,380,224 | 4.9 |
| Credit for the elderly or disabled: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns................................................................................. | 125,555 | 107,271 | -14.6 |
| Amount..... | 20,600 | 18,292 | -11.2 |
| Child tax credit: |  |  |  |
| Number of returns..................................................................... | 25,741,752 | 26,070,095 | 1.3 |
| Amount. | 22,815,814 | 32,426,392 | 42.1 |

[^1]
## Figure A-Continued

Individual Income Tax Returns, Preliminary Data: Selected Income and Tax Items, Tax Years 2003 and 2004--Continued
$\xlongequal{\text { (Money amounts are in thousands of dollars) }}$

| Money amouns are in |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |

N/A--Not applicable.
${ }^{1}$ Includes TeleFile returns.
${ }^{2}$ Included in data for Forms 1040, 1040A, and 1040EZ.
${ }^{3}$ Not included in adjusted gross income.
${ }^{4}$ Includes capital gain distributions reported on Form 1040 and Schedule D.
${ }^{5}$ For 2004, State and local taxes are the total of both income taxes and general sales taxes
${ }^{6}$ Includes EIC used to offset income tax before credits, shown separately later in this figure.
NOTE: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.
local income taxes (see Changes in Law section for details). This allowed individuals in States without income taxes to deduct sales taxes. An estimated 11.1 million taxpayers took advantage of this, deducting $\$ 17.3$ billion. Thus, for 2004, some 24.0 percent
more taxpayers took a deduction for State and local taxes, and the total amount of this deduction increased 20.2 percent. The interest paid deduction, accounting for 34.4 percent of the total (before limitation), increased 4.2 percent to $\$ 345.9$ billion.

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The charitable contributions deduction increased 11.8 percentto $\$ 156.2$ billion.

Total tax credits used to offset income tax liabilities increased 25.0 percent to $\$ 51.4$ billion. Most of this change is due to an increase in the child tax credit. About 26.1 million taxpayers claimed $\$ 32.4$ billion in child tax credits, up 42.1 percent from the $\$ 22.8$ billion for 2003. The principal reason for this increase was that, although this credit was increased from $\$ 600$ per eligible child for 2002 to $\$ 1,000$ per child for 2003, most taxpayers received the $\$ 400$ per child increase for 2003 as a rebate, which was not shown on 2003 tax returns or in our 2003 estimates. The additional child tax credit (a refundable part of the child tax credit) increased by 59.1 percent to $\$ 14.5$ billion for 2004. This sizable increase, as with the child tax credit, was due both to the rebate not being part of our 2003 statistics and changes in the law expanding this refundable credit limit to 15 percent of earned income over a prescribed earnings amount from 10 percent for 2003 (see Changes in Law section for details). The combined $\$ 47.0$ billion of the child tax credit and the additional child tax credit were greater than the $\$ 40.6$ billion of EIC (see below). Other percentage increases for major tax credits were much smaller. For instance, the education tax credits rose by 3.0 percent to $\$ 6.1$ billion, and the child care credit increased by 4.9 percent to $\$ 3.4$ billion. The foreign tax credit, however, had a large percentage increase, rising 14.8 percent to $\$ 5.8$ billion.

The total earned income credit (EIC) increased 3.8 percent to $\$ 40.6$ billion for Tax Year 2004. The portion of the EIC used to offset income tax before credits decreased 17.5 percent to $\$ 0.8$ billion, and the portion of the EIC used to offset other taxes (such as the self-employment tax) rose 8.0 percent to $\$ 4.0$ billion. The largest part of the EIC, the refundable portion, was treated as a refund and paid directly to taxpayers who had no tax liability against which to apply the credit. The refundable portion of the EIC increased 3.9 percent to $\$ 35.8$ billion for 2004.

The comparisons of data for Tax Years 2003 and 2004 in this article are based on the preliminary estimates for both years. A few income and tax items tend to be understated in preliminary estimates; therefore, comparisons based on preliminary estimates for one year and final estimates for the previous year could be misleading. Comparisons based entirely on preliminary estimates reduce the likelihood
of misinterpretation of the data and afford a more accurate representation of year-to-year changes. For 2004 preliminary statistics, population estimates were based on projections that included taxpayers eligible for further extensions due to hurricanes Katrina, Rita, and Wilma. It was assumed that those returns not filed already from these areas would be filed by the end of Tax Year 2004. Final statistics for Tax Year 2003 are available in the Fall 2005 issue of the Bulletin.

## Changes in Law

In general, the definitions used in this article are the same as those in Statistics of Income--2003, Individual Income Tax Returns. The following is a partial list of tax law and Internal Revenue Service administrative changes that had a major bearing on the Tax Year 2004 preliminary data presented in this article.

Additional Child Tax Credits.--Modifications were made to the additional child tax credit for 2004. In Tax Year 2003, the credit limit based on earned income was 10 percent of a taxpayer's earned income that exceeded $\$ 10,500$. For 2004, the limit increased to 15 percent of a taxpayer's earned income that exceeds $\$ 10,750$. Members of the U.S. Armed Forces who served in a combat zone were able to include their nontaxable combat pay as earned income when figuring this credit limit (See Nontaxable Combat Pay for more information).

Alternative Minimum Tax (AMT).--For Tax Year 2004, the minimum exemption amount for a child under age 14 increased to $\$ 5,750$ from $\$ 5,600$ for 2003.

Certain Business Expenses of Reservists.--For 2004, National Guard or reserve members who traveled more than 100 miles from home to perform services as a National Guard or reserve member were allowed to take a line item deduction in the form of adjustment to income for certain expenses.

Earned Income Credit.--The maximum amount of the earned income credit increased, as did the amounts of earned income and investment income an individual could have and still claim the credit. The maximum amount of investment income (interest, dividends, and capital gain income) a taxpayer could have and still claim the credit increased to $\$ 2,650$ from $\$ 2,600$. The maximum credit for taxpayers with no qualifying children increased to $\$ 382$ from $\$ 390$. For these taxpayers, earned income and AGI had to be less than $\$ 11,490$ ( $\$ 12,490$ if married filing jointly)

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to get any EIC. For taxpayers with one qualifying child, the maximum credit increased $\$ 57$ to $\$ 2,604$, and, for taxpayers with two or more qualifying children, the maximum credit increased to $\$ 4,300$ from $\$ 4,204$. To be eligible for the credit, a taxpayer's earned income and AGI had to be less than $\$ 30,338$ ( $\$ 31,338$ for married filing jointly) for one qualifying child, or less than $\$ 34,458$ ( $\$ 35,458$ for married filing jointly) for two or more qualifying children. Taxpayers who served in the U.S. Armed Forces in a combat zone may have been eligible to include their nontaxable combat pay in earned income when figuring the EIC. (See Nontaxable Combat Pay for more information.)

Health Savings Account Deduction.--For Tax Year 2004, an "above-the-line" deduction was available for contributions to Health Savings Accounts made by April 15,2005 . The deduction was limited to the annual deductible on the qualifying high deductible health plan, but not more than $\$ 2,600(\$ 5,150$, if family coverage). These limits were $\$ 500$ higher if the taxpayer was age 55 or older ( $\$ 1,000$ if both spouses were 55 or older). A taxpayer could not contribute to an HSA starting the first month he or she was enrolled in Medicare.

Indexing.--The following items increased due to indexing for inflation: personal exemption amounts, the basic standard deduction amounts, the tax bracket boundaries, and the beginning income amounts for limiting certain itemized deductions and for the phaseout of personal exemptions. The maximum amount of earnings subject to self-employment tax increased based on the percentage change in average covered earnings.

Individual Retirement Arrangement Deduc-tion.--For 2004, the modified AGI thresholds increased allowing for more taxpayers to deduct contributions to individual retirement plans. For a taxpayer or for taxpayers filing jointly, both taxpayers were able to take an IRA deduction up to $\$ 3,000(\$ 3,500$ if age 50 or older) if covered by a retirement plan and their modified AGI was less than $\$ 55,000(\$ 75,000$ if married filing jointly or qualifying widow(er)). This was up from the $\$ 50,000$ ( $\$ 70,000$ if married filing jointly or qualifying widow(er)) set for 2003.

Limit on Itemized Deductions Increased.--If adjusted gross income was above a certain amount, certain itemized deductions were limited. For 2004,
the AGI threshold for limitations increased to $\$ 142,700$ ( $\$ 71,350$ if married filing separately). For 2003, the amount was $\$ 139,500$ ( $\$ 69,750$ if married filing separately).

Nontaxable Combat Pay.--For Tax Year 2004, members of the U.S. Armed Forces who served in a combat zone could exclude certain pay from their incomes. These qualified individual's entitlement to the pay must have fully accrued in a month during which they served in a combat zone or were hospitalized as a result of wounds, disease, or injury incurred while serving in the combat zone. However, this nontaxable pay could be used to gain benefits for both EIC and additional child tax credit purposes.

Sales Tax Deductions.--For Tax Year 2004, taxpayers could elect to deduct State and local general sales taxes instead of State and local income taxes as an itemized deduction on Schedule A.

Tuition and Fees Deduction.--A taxpayer was able to deduct up to $\$ 4,000$ of the qualified tuition and fees paid for himself, herself, a spouse, or dependents if the taxpayer's modified AGI was under $\$ 65,000$ ( $\$ 130,000$ if married filing jointly), or up to $\$ 2,000$ if the individual's AGI was higher than that limit but not more than $\$ 80,000$ ( $\$ 160,000$ if married filing jointly). For 2003, the maximum deduction was $\$ 3,000$, and no adjustments were allowed if modified AGI's were above the $\$ 65,000$ ( $\$ 130,000$, if married filing jointly) limits cited above. This deduction could not be taken if the person could be claimed as a dependent on another taxpayer's return or if they claimed the education credit for the same student.

## Data Sources and Limitations

The preliminary statistics in this data release are based on a sample of individual income tax returns (Forms 1040, 1040A, and 1040EZ including electroni-cally-filed returns) filed during Calendar Year 2005. Returns in the sample were stratified based on: (1) the larger of positive income or negative income; (2) the size of business and farm receipts; (3) the presence or absence of specific forms or schedules; and (4) the usefulness of returns for Treasury Department tax modeling purposes [2]. Returns were then selected at rates ranging from 0.05 percent to 100 percent. The preliminary Tax Year 2004 data are based on a sample of 159,064 returns and an estimated final population of $133,061,898$ returns. The corresponding sample and population

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for the preliminary 2003 data were 148,908 and 131,316,806 returns, respectively.

Since the data presented here are estimates based on a sample of returns filed, they are subject to sampling error. To properly use the statistical data provided, the magnitude of the potential sampling error must be known; coefficients of variation (CV's) are used to measure that magnitude. The reliability of estimates based on samples, and the use of coefficients of variation for evaluating the precision of estimates based on samples, are discussed in the appendix to this issue of the Bulletin.

While the preliminary estimates are intended to represent a full year of taxpayer reporting, they are actually based on returns processed for tax administration purposes, in the case of 2004 returns, between January and late September of 2005. In general, returns processed during the remainder of each year tend to have somewhat different characteristics
compared to returns processed earlier. These characteristics include, for example, disproportionately large amounts of investment income, passive losses, and alternative minimum tax.

## Notes and References

[1] The remaining 1.4 percent of the returns did not need to claim either a standard deduction or itemized deductions because no AGI was reported.
[2] Returns in the sample were stratified based on the presence or absence of one or more of the following forms or schedules: Form 2555, Foreign Earned Income; Form 1116, Foreign Tax Credit (Individual, Fiduciary, or Nonresident Alien Individual); Schedule C, Profit or Loss From Business (Sole Proprietorship); and Schedule F, Profit or Loss From Farming.

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Table 1.--Individual Income Tax Returns, Tax Year 2004 Preliminary Data: Selected Income and Tax Items, by Size of Adjusted Gross Income

| Item | All returns | Size of adjusted gross income |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Under } \\ \$ 15,000^{1} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \hline \$ 15,000 \\ \text { under } \\ \$ 30,000 \\ \hline \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \hline \$ 30,000 \\ \text { under } \\ \$ 50,000 \\ \hline \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \hline \$ 50,000 \\ \text { under } \\ \$ 100,000 \\ \hline \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \hline \$ 100,000 \\ \text { under } \\ \$ 200,000 \\ \hline \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\$ 200,000$ <br> or more |
| Number of returns, total. | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) |
|  | 132,384,919 | 37,315,393 | 29,580,707 | 24,536,044 | 28,195,618 | 9,750,175 | 3,006,981 |
| Form 1040 returns. | 80,278,569 | 14,837,267 | 12,915,895 | 15,473,863 | 24,375,671 | 9,668,892 | 3,006,981 |
| Form 1040A returns. | 30,878,413 | 10,128,132 | 11,415,034 | 6,323,193 | 2,939,019 | 73,032 | -- |
| Form 1040EZ returns ${ }^{2}$. | 21,227,937 | 12,349,997 | 5,249,778 | 2,738,988 | 880,928 | 8,250 | -- |
| Electronically-filed returns ${ }^{2} .3$. | 69,455,931 | 18,350,568 | 17,195,753 | 13,516,282 | 14,817,456 | 4,552,454 | 1,023,419 |
| Adjusted gross income (less deficit)................................. | 6,764,907,485 | 200,248,363 | 650,044,283 | 957,782,969 | 1,984,569,072 | 1,291,061,589 | 1,681,201,208 |
| Salaries and wages: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 112,857,828 | 28,479,168 | 25,157,239 | 22,008,839 | 25,668,174 | 8,937,370 | 2,607,041 |
| Amount. | 4,977,868,690 | 218,024,951 | 521,575,828 | 794,757,361 | 1,610,379,318 | 1,001,056,893 | 832,074,342 |
| Taxable interest: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 57,675,120 | 9,438,614 | 8,532,352 | 10,374,988 | 18,285,202 | 8,194,568 | 2,849,393 |
| Amount. | 111,561,113 | 10,683,555 | 11,036,824 | 11,863,957 | 23,352,887 | 17,857,910 | 36,765,982 |
| Tax-exempt interest: ${ }^{4}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 4,386,097 | 434,379 | 431,680 | 547,714 | 1,153,420 | 955,514 | 863,388 |
| Amount. | 49,837,939 | 2,130,598 | 2,399,931 | 3,508,897 | 7,625,400 | 9,324,432 | 24,848,679 |
| Ordinary dividends: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns | 30,612,466 | 4,920,682 | 3,860,887 | 4,582,107 | 9,413,289 | 5,426,961 | 2,408,540 |
| Amount. | 135,353,804 | 6,911,921 | 7,291,443 | 9,229,670 | 22,306,657 | 23,717,523 | 65,896,587 |
| Qualified dividends: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 24,544,754 | 3,809,990 | 2,906,452 | 3,583,225 | 7,477,784 | 4,575,742 | 2,191,560 |
| Amount. | 102,348,349 | 3,735,855 | 4,099,473 | 5,849,171 | 14,890,047 | 17,504,713 | 56,269,093 |
| State income tax refunds: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 23,700,194 | 685,358 | 1,808,665 | 4,501,828 | 10,640,395 | 4,852,829 | 1,211,118 |
| Amount. | 21,484,401 | 446,162 | 866,139 | 2,476,587 | 7,735,103 | 5,091,428 | 4,868,985 |
| Alimony received: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 437,246 | 71,531 | 123,210 | 131,118 | 89,646 | 14,777 | 6,963 |
| Amount. | 6,830,125 | 477,101 | 948,966 | 1,690,757 | 2,113,211 | 633,927 | 966,162 |
| Business or profession net income: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 15,011,873 | 4,530,537 | 2,749,591 | 2,277,314 | 3,355,912 | 1,479,462 | 619,053 |
| Amount. | 280,499,096 | 30,797,047 | 32,717,462 | 32,886,399 | 59,947,290 | 56,223,050 | 67,927,848 |
| Business or profession net loss: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 5,201,188 | 977,510 | 877,992 | 1,030,907 | 1,557,626 | 568,343 | 188,809 |
| Amount. | 41,915,266 | 12,627,949 | 6,181,613 | 6,235,633 | 8,090,799 | 4,338,205 | 4,441,065 |
| Net capital gain reported on Schedule D: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 10,749,057 | 1,342,037 | 1,260,839 | 1,531,168 | 3,236,416 | 2,152,866 | 1,225,734 |
| Amount. | 440,133,546 | 7,992,421 | 5,180,883 | 7,496,052 | 29,121,318 | 48,310,482 | 342,032,392 |
| Capital gain distributions reported on Form 1040: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 2,902,280 | 551,212 | 363,382 | 448,043 | 957,356 | 472,545 | 109,744 |
| Amount. | 1,961,513 | 332,160 | 208,073 | 225,730 | 674,636 | 366,935 | 153,978 |
| Net capital loss: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 11,493,985 | 2,208,031 | 1,273,841 | 1,646,593 | 3,265,873 | 2,067,067 | 1,032,579 |
| Amount........................................................ | 25,454,976 | 4,993,660 | 2,792,443 | 3,485,037 | 6,878,576 | 4,663,875 | 2,641,386 |
| Sales of property other than capital assets, net gain: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 827,819 | 109,814 | 113,263 | 115,765 | 218,822 | 134,186 | 135,971 |
| Amount......................................................... | 9,311,122 | 948,399 | 653,455 | 800,897 | 1,816,871 | 1,693,670 | 3,397,829 |
| Sales of property other than capital assets, net loss: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 848,226 | 124,257 | 93,121 | 91,596 | 212,494 | 149,099 | 177,661 |
|  | 6,665,222 | 2,936,287 | 318,105 | 313,918 | 680,336 | 645,586 | 1,770,990 |
| Taxable Individual Retirement Arrangement distributions: Number of returns. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 9,015,362 | 1,545,120 | 1,925,656 | 1,720,337 | 2,544,501 | 987,607 | 292,142 |
| Amount............................. | 102,003,408 | 6,664,030 | 11,299,307 | 14,077,431 | 34,026,366 | 22,823,632 | 13,112,640 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Taxable pensions and annuities: Number of returns............... | 23,344,955 | 4,188,960 | 5,045,382 | 4,551,204 | 6,641,522 | 2,304,839 | 613,050 |
| Rent and royalty net income: | 399,311,044 | 26,873,760 | 59,772,814 | 72,823,746 | 145,895,609 | 69,216,046 | 24,729,067 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns | 5,604,092 | 834,367 | 811,533 | 887,610 | 1,589,540 | 909,222 | 571,819 |
| Amount.. | 67,955,009 | 4,310,312 | 4,505,945 | 5,485,035 | 13,127,986 | 12,846,196 | 27,679,533 |
| Rent and royalty net loss: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.... | 4,954,924 | 626,762 | 625,745 | 858,766 | 1,688,829 | 808,231 | 346,590 |
| Amount. | 42,898,818 | 6,351,201 | 4,056,866 | 6,411,720 | 12,952,536 | 6,852,429 | 6,274,067 |
| Partnership and S corporation net income: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 4,391,303 | 329,532 | 401,445 | 501,432 | 1,172,993 | 994,748 | 991,152 |
| Number of returns....................................................................................................................... | 355,465,300 | 3,167,281 | 4,046,640 | 7,177,599 | 22,632,779 | 40,657,283 | 277,783,717 |

Table 1.--Individual Income Tax Returns, Tax Year 2004 Preliminary Data: Selected Income and Tax Items, by Size of Adjusted Gross Income--Continued

| Item | All returns | Size of adjusted gross income |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Under } \\ \$ 15,000^{11} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \hline \$ 15,000 \\ \text { under } \\ \$ 30,000 \\ \hline \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \hline \$ 30,000 \\ \text { under } \\ \$ 50,000 \\ \hline \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \hline \$ 50,000 \\ \text { under } \\ \$ 100,000 \\ \hline \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \hline \$ 100,000 \\ \text { under } \\ \$ 200,000 \\ \hline \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 200,000 \\ \text { or more } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) |
| Partnership and S corporation net loss: <br> Number of returns. $\qquad$ <br> Amount. | $2,268,094$ $57,536,319$ | $\begin{array}{r} 432,904 \\ 24,873,329 \end{array}$ | 216,853 $1,844,972$ | $\begin{array}{r} 284,093 \\ 2,709,060 \end{array}$ | 639,431 $6,010,428$ | $\begin{array}{r} 426,326 \\ 5,745,258 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 268,487 \\ 16,353,272 \end{array}$ |
| Estate and trust net income: <br> Number of returns. <br> Amount. | 478,444 $13,051,086$ | $\begin{array}{r} 61,036 \\ 285,782 \end{array}$ | 47,133 238,808 | 73,840 510,928 | 129,769 $1,316,689$ | $\begin{array}{r} 96,988 \\ 1,889,351 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 69,678 \\ 8,809,528 \end{array}$ |
| Estate and trust net loss: <br> Number of returns. <br> Amount. | 31,176 630,041 | 5,773 277,666 | 3,687 17,860 | 2,001 979 | 4,792 2,740 | 7,026 43,515 | $\begin{array}{r} 7,895 \\ 287,283 \end{array}$ |
| Farm net income: <br> Number of returns. $\qquad$ <br> Amount. | 591,038 $7,830,456$ | 144,953 895,682 | 95,547 $1,037,567$ | 113,233 $1,194,853$ | 168,350 $2,347,692$ | 46,830 | $\begin{array}{r} 22,125 \\ 1,246,276 \end{array}$ |
| Farm net loss: <br> Number of returns. <br> Amount................. | $1,414,985$ $19,894,553$ | 281,814 $5,445,942$ | 233,112 $2,279,286$ | 290,264 $2,925,060$ | 412,453 $4,388,021$ | 140,275 $2,152,436$ | $\begin{array}{r} 57,069 \\ 2,703,807 \end{array}$ |
| Unemployment compensation: <br> Number of returns. <br> Amount. | $9,154,275$ $32,740,408$ | $2,140,110$ $6,223,879$ | $2,526,483$ $8,891,148$ | $1,877,284$ $7,151,177$ | $2,113,901$ $8,040,700$ | 434,012 $2,138,075$ | 62,487 295,429 |
| Taxable Social Security benefits: <br> Number of returns. $\qquad$ <br> Amount. $\qquad$ | $11,825,356$ $111,778,572$ | 70,550 271,232 | $2,226,971$ $4,162,245$ | $3,410,230$ $20,359,769$ | $4,255,600$ $55,641,762$ | $1,366,765$ $22,301,121$ | $\begin{array}{r} 495,241 \\ 9,042,440 \end{array}$ |
| Total statutory adjustments: <br> Number of returns. <br> Amount. | $32,069,452$ $94,479,216$ | $6,244,302$ $8,217,684$ | $5,444,361$ $9,248,750$ | $6,010,590$ $12,415,120$ | $9,093,863$ $24,064,501$ | $3,982,452$ $19,919,341$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,293,884 \\ 20,613,818 \end{array}$ |
| Educator expenses: <br> Number of returns. Amount. | $3,437,540$ 865,467 | 129,757 30,647 | 279,364 64,161 | 736,714 175,007 | $1,566,484$ 403,145 | 645,999 173,275 | $\begin{aligned} & 79,226 \\ & 19,234 \end{aligned}$ |
| Certain business expenses of reservists, performing artists, and fee-basis government officials: <br> Number of returns. $\qquad$ <br> Amount. $\qquad$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100,047 \\ & 243,988 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20,538 \\ & 40,752 \end{aligned}$ | 17,255 43,399 | 14,291 76,155 | 29,415 44,790 | 16,177 32,351 | 2,367 6,543 |
| Payments to an Individual Retirement Arrangement: <br> Number of returns $\qquad$ <br> Amount. $\qquad$ | $3,379,417$ $10,239,186$ | 199,136 425,355 | 586,781 $1,403,807$ | 857,773 $2,476,994$ | $1,122,613$ $3,508,754$ | 488,922 $1,748,009$ | $\begin{aligned} & 124,193 \\ & 676,269 \end{aligned}$ |
| Student loan interest deduction: <br> Number of returns. <br> Amount. | $7,604,016$ $4,438,098$ | 712,885 325,017 | $1,466,085$ 695,480 | $2,061,524$ $1,228,916$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,815,658 \\ & 1,938,453 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 547,863 \\ & 250,232 \end{aligned}$ |  |
| Tuition and fees deduction: <br> Number of returns. <br> Amount. | $4,738,193$ $10,677,851$ | 891,667 $2,282,676$ | 565,051 $1,145,319$ | 613,908 $1,285,860$ | $1,483,651$ $3,154,913$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,183,916 \\ & 2,809,082 \end{aligned}$ | -- |
| Health savings account deduction: <br> Number of returns. Amount. | 88,110 180,186 | 6,169 8,233 | 10,236 14,317 | 13,816 18,590 | 25,179 49,499 | 18,215 46,659 | 14,494 42,891 |
| Medical savings account deduction: <br> Number of returns. $\qquad$ <br> Amount. $\qquad$ | 30,883 63,086 | 98 307 | 2,249 1,778 | 9,431 21,164 | 9,959 17,520 | 4,162 7,428 | 4,985 14,890 |
| Moving expenses adjustment: <br> Number of returns. $\qquad$ <br> Amount. $\qquad$ | $1,086,965$ $2,922,985$ | 97,975 175,234 | 200,533 438,351 | 273,838 561,929 | 332,235 857,726 | $\begin{aligned} & 145,553 \\ & 644,393 \end{aligned}$ | 36,829 245,352 |
| Self-employment tax deduction: <br> Number of returns. $\qquad$ <br> Amount. $\qquad$ | $15,763,127$ $20,148,573$ | $4,506,475$ $2,299,679$ | $2,787,599$ $2,594,946$ | $2,333,304$ $2,678,581$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,502,928 \\ & 4,905,650 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,699,599 \\ & 3,837,048 \end{aligned}$ | 933,221 $3,832,668$ |
| Self-employed health insurance deduction: <br> Number of returns <br> Amount. | $3,699,187$ $17,270,521$ | 570,719 $1,841,003$ | 626,426 $2,282,697$ | 612,257 $2,451,294$ | 897,803 $4,036,573$ | 533,427 $3,068,673$ | 458,558 $3,590,278$ |
| Payments to a self-employed retirement (Keogh) plan: <br> Number of returns <br> Amount. | $1,171,091$ $17,982,632$ | 24,599 96,421 | 34,864 153,491 | 103,282 662,110 | 308,556 $2,570,070$ | 368,536 $5,413,289$ | $\begin{array}{r} 331,256 \\ 9,087,251 \end{array}$ |
| Penalty on early withdrawal of savings: <br> Number of returns. $\qquad$ <br> Amount. $\qquad$ | 792,543 216,830 | 174,303 33,979 | 133,772 38,219 | 140,507 44,028 | 236,679 43,179 | 83,519 32,983 | $\begin{aligned} & 23,765 \\ & 24,441 \end{aligned}$ |
| Alimony paid: <br> Number of returns. <br> Amount. | 562,882 $8,131,749$ | $\begin{array}{r} 43,532 \\ 580,446 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 49,857 \\ 266,215 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 79,429 \\ 546,225 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 219,689 \\ 2,288,895 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 102,557 \\ 1,683,273 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 67,814 \\ 2,766,697 \end{array}$ |
| Other adjustments: <br> Number of returns $\qquad$ <br> Amount. $\qquad$ | $\begin{array}{r} 189,344 \\ 1,033,299 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13,372 \\ 77,932 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 22,279 \\ 103,572 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 43,434 \\ 188,246 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 66,734 \\ 245,081 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 26,255 \\ 151,608 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 17,267 \\ 266,858 \\ \hline \end{array}$ |

Individual Income Tax Returns, Preliminary Data, 2004

Table 1.--Individual Income Tax Returns, Tax Year 2004 Preliminary Data: Selected Income and Tax Items, by Size of Adjusted Gross Income--Continued
$\xlongequal{\text { [All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars] }}$

| Item | All returns | Size of adjusted gross income |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Under } \\ \$ 15,000^{1} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \$ 15,000 \\ \text { under } \\ \$ 30,000 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \$ 30,000 \\ \text { under } \\ \$ 50,000 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \$ 50,000 \\ \text { under } \\ \$ 100,000 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \$ 100,000 \\ \text { under } \\ \$ 200,000 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 200,000 \\ \text { or more } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) |
| Total deductions: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 130,572,217 | 35,516,027 | 29,572,484 | 24,530,990 | 28,195,618 | 9,750,173 | 3,006,923 |
| Amount. | 1,536,262,023 | 213,307,438 | 232,590,148 | 241,847,351 | 419,044,034 | 239,313,654 | 190,159,397 |
| Total standard deduction: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 84,384,089 | 33,515,257 | 24,715,896 | 15,363,348 | 9,632,827 | 963,683 | 193,077 |
| Amount. | 564,559,557 | 186,543,102 | 168,494,190 | 113,655,337 | 84,935,200 | 9,158,208 | 1,773,522 |
| Basic standard deduction: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | 84,384,089 | 33,515,257 | 24,715,896 | 15,363,348 | 9,632,827 | 963,683 | 193,077 |
| Amount... | 548,505,579 | 180,879,713 | 163,838,115 | 110,997,845 | 82,441,604 | 8,674,414 | 1,673,889 |
| Additional standard deduction: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns............... | 11,118,473 | 4,095,639 | 3,172,896 | 1,800,748 | 1,678,260 | 308,256 | 62,672 |
| Amount. | 16,053,978 | 5,663,389 | 4,656,075 | 2,657,492 | 2,493,596 | 483,794 | 99,633 |
| Total itemized deductions (after limitation): |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 46,188,128 | 2,000,768 | 4,856,589 | 9,167,642 | 18,562,792 | 8,786,491 | 2,813,848 |
| Amount............ | 971,702,466 | 26,764,340 | 64,095,959 | 128,192,013 | 334,108,834 | 230,155,447 | 188,385,877 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns...... | 5,719,877 | -- | -- | -- | 90,580 | 2,815,642 | 2,813,654 |
| Amount. | 34,892,605 | -- | -- | -- | 35,038 | 2,058,389 | 32,799,178 |
| Medical and dental expenses deduction: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns....... | 9,458,334 | 1,285,495 | 2,296,228 | 2,518,146 | 2,776,917 | 529,818 | 51,729 |
| Amount.. | 61,292,493 | 9,754,301 | 14,302,749 | 13,406,876 | 17,009,518 | 5,198,290 | 1,620,760 |
| Taxes paid deduction: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 45,870,333 | 1,910,318 | 4,767,348 | 9,091,032 | 18,508,987 | 8,782,054 | 2,810,593 |
| Amount..... | 357,908,694 | 4,937,462 | 13,160,289 | 32,659,527 | 107,491,561 | 92,454,330 | 107,205,527 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 44,665,865 | 1,739,956 | 4,516,917 | 8,811,539 | 18,143,051 | 8,677,951 | 2,776,451 |
| Amount. | 217,157,045 | 1,324,859 | 4,579,438 | 15,372,324 | 57,323,828 | 55,562,295 | 82,994,297 |
| Interest paid deduction: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 37,961,584 | 1,156,968 | 3,294,611 | 7,221,214 | 16,182,514 | 7,738,803 | 2,367,476 |
| Amount. | 345,937,522 | 8,012,671 | 21,956,587 | 50,063,716 | 134,481,655 | 84,733,237 | 46,689,659 |
| Charitable contributions deduction: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 40,594,576 | 1,394,982 | 3,814,569 | 7,626,616 | 16,748,311 | 8,297,334 | 2,712,762 |
| Amount... | 156,200,064 | 1,982,705 | 7,511,971 | 16,260,262 | 44,597,997 | 34,265,769 | 51,581,358 |
| Taxable income: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 102,915,892 | 12,056,299 | 25,809,304 | 24,215,444 | 28,090,999 | 9,739,992 | 3,003,854 |
| Amount. | 4,649,039,200 | 37,394,426 | 260,465,183 | 560,715,860 | 1,342,200,837 | 966,860,919 | 1,481,401,976 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | 3,132,706 | 7,451 | 3,086 | 16,778 | 246,036 | 1,120,381 | 1,738,973 |
| Amount. | 12,062,016 | 51,815 | 6,360 | 21,522 | 345,272 | 2,076,189 | 9,560,861 |
| Income tax before credits: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | 102,922,519 | 12,049,914 | 25,807,680 | 24,216,357 | 28,099,528 | 9,743,908 | 3,005,132 |
| Amount.............. | 881,808,770 | 3,759,175 | 30,272,443 | 73,660,674 | 200,435,700 | 181,207,061 | 392,473,717 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 41,868,743 | 2,852,146 | 10,959,821 | 10,067,395 | 12,891,367 | 3,918,321 | 1,179,691 |
| Amount. | 51,389,855 | 453,342 | 6,523,354 | 11,470,325 | 21,949,406 | 5,034,535 | 5,958,892 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 6,400,794 | 70,835 | 1,135,140 | 1,368,249 | 2,615,676 | 1,015,103 | 195,791 |
| Amount. | 3,380,224 | 7,930 | 566,643 | 803,419 | 1,363,695 | 538,700 | 99,840 |
| Credit for the elderly or disabled: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.... | 107,271 | 72,816 | 34,452 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Amount... | 18,292 | 14,340 | 3,952 | -- | - | -- | -- |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | 26,070,095 | 369,221 | 5,944,533 | 6,929,023 | 10,246,061 | 2,580,035 | 1,224 |
| Amount... | 32,426,392 | 44,240 | 3,338,955 | 8,187,381 | 17,261,324 | 3,593,769 | 722 |
| Education tax credits: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 7,253,234 | 641,088 | 1,970,286 | 1,986,654 | 2,606,261 | 48,945 | -- |
| Amount... | 6,076,920 | 210,644 | 1,420,578 | 1,807,230 | 2,630,920 | 7,550 | -- |
| Retirement savings contributions credit: Number of returns $\qquad$ | 5,361,813 | 290,425 | 2,464,608 | 2,604,707 | 2,073 | -- | -- |
| Amount. | 1,026,889 | 66,735 | 525,951 | 433,994 | 209 | -- | -- |

Table 1.--Individual Income Tax Returns, Tax Year 2004 Preliminary Data: Selected Income and Tax Items, by Size of Adjusted Gross Income--Continued

** Data combined to prevent disclosure of specific taxpayer information.
${ }^{1}$ Includes returns with adjusted gross deficit.
${ }^{2}$ Includes TeleFile returns.
${ }^{3}$ Included in data for Forms 1040, 1040A, and 1040EZ.
${ }^{4}$ Not included in adjusted gross income.
${ }^{5}$ State and local taxes are the total of both income taxes and general sales taxes.
${ }^{6}$ Includes EIC used to offset income tax before credits, shown separately later in this table.
NOTE: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.

# Individual Income Tax Rates and Shares, 2003 

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Taxpayers filed 130.4 million returns for Tax Year 2003, of which 88.9 million (or 68.2 percent) were classified as taxable returns. A taxable return is a return with a presence of total income tax greater than $\$ 0$. This represents a reduction of 2.2 percent in the number of taxable returns from 2002. Adjusted gross income (AGI) on these taxable returns rose 1.9 percent to $\$ 5,747$ billion for 2003, while total income tax fell 6.1 percent. This decrease in total income tax was attributable to the tax cuts implemented in the passage of the Jobs and Growth Tax Relief
Reconciliation Act of 2003 (JGTRRA). For the third year in a row, the average tax rate for taxable returns fell, decreasing 1.1-percentage points to 13.0 percent for 2003. The country's average tax rate had not been 13.0 percent or below since 1972. Also noteworthy is the large decline in total income tax of 23.7 percent from the peak of $\$ 981$ billion for 2000 to $\$ 748$ billion for 2003.

Taxpayers with an AGI of at least $\$ 295,495$, the top 1 percent of taxpayers, accounted for 16.8 percent of AGI, representing an increase in income share of 0.7 -percentage points from the previous year. These taxpayers accounted for 34.3 percent of the total income tax reported, an increase from 33.7 percent in 2002. The top 5 percent of taxpayers accounted for 31.2 percent of AGI and 54.4 percent of total income tax. To be included in the top 5 percent, a taxpayer must have reported an AGI of $\$ 130,080$, whereas, in 2002, the cutoff for this group was $\$ 126,525$.

This article discusses the individual income tax rates and tax shares and the computation of total income tax for 2003. To put this discussion into perspective, the appendices to the article provide explanations of selected terms used in the article and describe the income tax structure, certain tax law changes, income and tax concepts (the "1979 Income Tax Concept," "modified" taxable income, and marginal tax rates), the computation of "alternative minimum taxable income," and the data sources and limitations.

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## Income Tax Rates

Discussions of income tax rates generally center on measuring two distinct tax rates: average tax rates and marginal tax rates. Average tax rates are calculated by dividing some measure of tax by some measure of income. For the statistics in this article, the average tax rate is total income tax (see Appendix A: Explanation of Selected Terms) divided by AGI reported on returns showing some income tax liability. Measures of marginal tax rates, on the other hand, focus on determining the tax rate imposed on the last (or next) dollar of income received by a taxpayer. For this article, the marginal tax rate is the statutory rate at which the last dollar of taxable income is taxed. (See Appendix D for a more detailed explanation of marginal tax rates.) The following sections describe the measurement of the average and marginal tax rates in more detail, and discuss the statistics based on these rates for 2003.

## Average Tax Rates

Figure A presents statistics for 1986 through 2003 on income (based on each year's definition of AGI and on the common 1979 Income Concept) and taxes reported. (See Appendix D for an explanation of the 1979 Income Concept.) These tax years can be partitioned into seven distinct periods:
(1) Tax Year 1986 was the last year under the Economic Recovery Tax Act of 1981 (ERTA81). The tax bracket boundaries, personal exemptions, and standard deductions were indexed for inflation, and the maximum tax rate was 50 percent.
(2) Tax Year 1987 was the first year under the Tax Reform Act of 1986 (TRA86). For 1987, a 1year, transitional, five-rate tax bracket structure was established with a partial phase-in of new provisions that broadened the definition of AGI. The maximum tax rate was 38.5 percent.
(3) During Tax Years 1988 through 1990, there was effectively a three-rate tax bracket structure [1]. The phase-in of the provisions of TRA86 continued with a maximum tax rate of 33 percent.
(4) Tax Years 1991 and 1992 brought a three-rate tax bracket structure (with a maximum tax rate

## Figure A

Adjusted Gross Income, Total Income Tax, Average Tax Rate, and Average Total Income Tax, Tax Years 1986-2003
[Money amounts are in billions of dollars, except where indicated]

| Tax year | Total number of returns | Taxable returns |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Number of returns | As a percentage of total returns ${ }^{1}$ | Adjusted gross income (less deficit) | Total income tax | Average tax rate (percent) ${ }^{2,3}$ | Average per return (whole dollars) ${ }^{3}$ |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Current dollars |  | Constant dollars ${ }^{4}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Adjusted gross income (less deficit) | Total income tax | Adjusted gross income (less deficit) | Total income tax |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
|  | Using each tax year's adjusted gross income |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1986.. | $103,045,170$$106,996,270$$109,708,280$$112,135,673$$113,717,138$$114,730,123$$113,604,503$$114,601,819$$115,943,131$$118,218,327$$120,351,208$$122,421,991$$124,770,662$$127,075,145$$129,373,500$$130,255,237$$130,076,443$$130,423,626$ | 83,967,413 |  |  |  |  | 29,062 |  | $26,516$ |  |
| 1987. |  | 86,723,796 | $81.1$ | $2,701$ | $369$ | $13.7$ | 31,142 | $4,257$ | $27,414$ | 3,747 |
| 1988................ |  | $87,135,332$ |  | 2,990 | 413 | 13.8 | 34,313 35,415 | 4,738 | 29,005 | 4,005 |
| 1989................ |  |  | 79.5 | 3,158 | 433 | 13.713.6 | 35,415 | 4,855 | 28,560 | 3,915 |
| 1990................ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 89,178,355 \\ & 89,862,434 \end{aligned}$ |  | 3,299 | 447 |  |  | 4,976 | 28,088 | 3,807 |
| 1991................ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 89,862,434 \\ & 88,733,587 \end{aligned}$ | 77.376.3 | 3,337 | 448 | $13.4$ | $37,603$ | $5,054$ | $27,609$ | 3,711 |
| 1992................ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 88,733,587 \\ & 86,731,946 \end{aligned}$ |  | 3,484 | 476 | $13.7$ | $40,168$ | $5,491$ | 28,630 | 3,914 |
| 1993................ |  | $86,435,367$ | $\begin{aligned} & 76.3 \\ & 75.4 \end{aligned}$ |  | 503 | 14.1 | 41,23342,646 | 5,817 | 28,535 | 4,026 |
| 1994................ |  | 87,619,446 | $75.6$ | $3,737$ | $535$ | 14.3 |  | 6,104 | 28,776 | 4,119 |
| 1995................ |  | 89,252,989 | $75.5$ | 4,008 | 588 | 14.7 | 42,646 44,901 | 6,593 | 29,463 | 4,326 |
| 1996................ |  | 90,929,350 | $75.6$ | $4,342$ | 658 | $15.2$ | 47,75050,980 | 7,239 | 30,433 | 4,614 |
| 1997................ |  | 93,471,200 | 76.4 | 4,765 | 731 | $15.3$ |  | 7,824 | 31,763 | 4,875 |
| 1998................ |  | 93,047,898 |  | 5,160 | 789 | 15.3 15.7 | 55,458 | 8,475 | 33,836 | 5,171 |
| 1999................ |  | 94,546,080 | $\begin{aligned} & 74.6 \\ & 74.4 \end{aligned}$ | 5,581 | 877 | $15.7$ | 59,02862,832 | 9,280 | 35,431 | 5,570 |
| 2000................ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 96,817,603 \\ & 94,763,530 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 74.4 \\ & 74.8 \end{aligned}$ | 6,083 | 981 |  |  | 10,129 | 36,488 | 5,882 |
| 2001................ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 74.8 \\ & 72.8 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 888 \\ & 797 \\ & 748 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $16.1$ | 62,832 | $\begin{aligned} & 9,370 \\ & 8,762 \\ & 8,412 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34,840 \\ & 34,472 \\ & 35,122 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,291 \\ & 4,870 \\ & 4,572 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| 2002................ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 90,963,896 \\ & 88,921,904 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.0 \\ & 69.9 \\ & 68.2 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,847 \\ & 5,641 \\ & 5,747 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 15.2 \\ & 14.1 \\ & 13.0 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 61,702 \\ & 62,015 \\ & 64,625 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
| 2003................ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Using 1979 Income Concept ${ }^{5}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1986.. | $\begin{aligned} & 103,045,170 \\ & 106,996,270 \\ & 109,708,280 \\ & 112,135,673 \\ & 113,717,138 \\ & 114,730,123 \\ & 113,604,503 \\ & 114,601,819 \\ & 115,943,131 \\ & 118,218,327 \\ & 120,351,208 \\ & 122,421,991 \\ & 124,770,662 \\ & 127,075,145 \\ & 129,373,500 \\ & 130,255,237 \\ & 130,076,443 \\ & 130,423,626 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 83,967,413 \\ & 86,723,796 \\ & 87,135,332 \\ & 89,178,355 \\ & 89,862,434 \\ & 88,733,587 \\ & 86,731,946 \\ & 86,435,367 \\ & 87,619,446 \\ & 89,252,989 \\ & 90,929,350 \\ & 93,471,200 \\ & 93,047,898 \\ & 94,546,080 \\ & 96,817,603 \\ & 94,763,530 \\ & 90,963,896 \\ & 88,921,904 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | 81.5 | 2703 | 367 | 13.6 | 32,194 | 4,374 | 29,374 | 3,991 |
| 1987................ |  |  | 81.1 | 2,736 | 369 | 13.5 | 31,551 | 4,257 | 27,774 | 3,747 |
| 1988................ |  |  | 79.4 | 3,011 | 413 | 13.7 | 34,556 | 4,738 | 29,210 | 4,005 |
| 1989................ |  |  | 79.5 | 3,188 | 433 | 13.6 | 35,752 | 4,855 | 28,832 | 3,915 |
| 1990................ |  |  | 79.0 | 3,335 | 447 | 13.4 | 37,108 | 4,976 | 28,392 | 3,807 |
| 1991... |  |  | 77.3 | 3,387 | 448 | 13.2 | 38,169 | 5,054 | 28,024 | 3,711 |
| 1992................ |  |  | 76.3 | 3,553 | 476 | 13.4 | 40,964 | 5,491 | 29,198 | 3,914 |
| 1993... |  |  | 75.4 | 3,625 | 503 | 13.9 | 41,938 | 5,817 | 29,023 | 4,026 |
| 1994... |  |  | 75.6 | 3,796 | 535 | 14.1 | 43,322 | 6,104 | 29,232 | 4,119 |
| 1995................ |  |  | 75.5 | 4,075 | 588 | 14.4 | 45,655 | 6,593 | 29,957 | 4,326 |
| 1996................ |  |  | 75.6 | 4,418 | 658 | 14.9 | 48,582 | 7,239 | 30,964 | 4,614 |
| 1997... |  |  | 76.4 | 4,849 | 731 | 15.1 | 51,875 | 7,824 | 32,321 | 4,875 |
| 1998................ |  |  | 74.6 | 5,299 | 789 | 14.9 | 56,947 | 8,475 | 34,745 | 5,171 |
| 1999................ |  |  | 74.4 | 5,736 | 877 | 15.3 | 60,666 | 9,280 | 36,414 | 5,570 |
| 2000................ |  |  | 74.8 | 6,294 | 981 | 15.6 | 65,012 | 10,129 | 37,754 | 5,882 |
| 2001................ |  |  | 72.8 | 5,943 | 888 | 14.9 | 62,716 | 9,370 | 35,413 | 5,291 |
| 2002................ |  |  | 69.9 | 5,758 | 797 | 13.8 | 63,297 | 8,762 | 35,184 | 4,870 |
| 2003................ |  |  | 68.2 | 5,849 | 748 | 12.8 | 65,777 | 8,412 | 35,749 | 4,572 |

[^3]Individual Income Tax Rates and Shares, 2003

of 31 percent), a limitation on some itemized deductions, and a phaseout of personal exemptions for some upper income taxpayers.
(5) Tax Years 1993 through 1996 had a five-rate tax bracket structure (with a maximum statutory tax rate of 39.6 percent), a limitation on some itemized deductions, and a phaseout of personal exemptions for some upper income taxpayers.
(6) Tax Years 1997 through 2000 were subject to the Taxpayer Relief Act of 1997 which added three new capital gain tax rates to the previous rate structure to form a new eight-rate tax bracket structure (with a maximum statutory tax rate of 39.6 percent). See Appendix C for a more detailed description of the capital gain rates.
(7) Tax Years 2001 through 2003 were affected by two new laws, the Economic Growth and Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2001 (EGTRRA) and the Jobs and Growth Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2003 (JGTRRA). EGTRRA included a new 10-percent tax rate bracket, as well as reductions in tax rates for brackets higher than 15 percent of one-half percentage point for 2001 and one percentage point for 2002. It also included increases in the child tax credit and an increase in alternative minimum tax exemptions. TY 2003, under JGTRRA, saw additional rate reductions in ordinary marginal tax rates higher than the 15 -percent rate, as well as expansions to particular income thresholds in the rates from 15 percent and below. Also, the rate for most long-term capital gains was reduced from 20 percent to 15 percent. Further, qualified dividends were taxed at this same 15percent rate. These changes are detailed in Appendix C (under Tax Rate Reduction).

About 88.9 million, or 68.2 percent, of the 130.4 million individual returns filed for 2003 were classified as taxable returns. This was a 2.2 -percent reduction in the number of taxable returns from 2002. Total AGI reported on taxable returns increased 1.9 percent to $\$ 5,747$ billion. (Total income on taxable returns rose using the 1979 Income Concept as well, increasing 1.6 percent to $\$ 5,849$ billion for 2003.)

Total income tax fell for the third consecutive year, declining by almost $\$ 49$ billion ( 6.1 percent) to $\$ 748$ billion for 2003. Average AGI for taxable returns rose to $\$ 64,625$ for 2003, a 4.2-percent increase from 2002, but average income tax fell for 2003 by 4.0 percent to $\$ 8,412$. This decrease in total income tax and average income tax in contrast with an increasing AGI suggests that the lower tax generated was largely attributable to the 2003 tax rate cuts implemented in JGTRRA, cited above and explained in more detail in Appendix C (under Tax Rate Reduction).

In order to analyze the average tax rate over time, it is necessary to use an alternative measure to AGI because some tax law changes result in the definition of AGI changing from year to year. The 1979 Income Concept controls for much of this variation in tax law, and its use provides a more consistent estimate of the average tax rate across years. Under the 1979 Concept, the average tax rate for 2003 fell to 12.8 percent from 13.8 for the previous year. The 1.0 -percentage point decline represented the third straight year (as with AGI) in which the average tax rate declined. The average tax rate under this concept had not been less than 14 percent since 1993, the year the Omnibus Reconciliation Act of 1993 (OBRA93) passed, which created new 36 -percent and 39.6 percent tax rate brackets. The 12.8 -percent average tax rate for 2003 was the lowest ever since use of the 1979 income concept began.

As shown in Figure B, the average tax rate on all taxable returns as a percentage of AGI was 13.0 percent for 2003. The average tax rate for the AGIsize classes ranged from 2.5 percent for the " $\$ 1$ under $\$ 10,000$ " AGI-size class to 25.0 percent for the " $\$ 500,000$ under $\$ 1,000,000$ " AGI-size class. This latter rate was higher than the 24.8 -percent average paid by those taxpayers in the " $\$ 1,000,000$ or more" class. This was partially due to taxpayers in the $\$ 1,000,000$ or more class receiving nearly double the percentage of AGI in the form of capital gains and qualified dividends facing preferential tax rates as those in the $\$ 500,000$ under $\$ 1,000,000$ AGI-size class. Taxpayers in the $\$ 1,000,000$ or more class received 32.0 percent of their AGI's through these capital gains and qualified dividends compared to 15.4 percent for the $\$ 500,000$ under $\$ 1,000,000 \mathrm{AGI}$-size class. The average tax rate in every AGI-size class

## Figure B

Taxable Returns: Number of Returns, Adjusted Gross Income, and Total Income Tax, by Size of Adjusted Gross Income, Tax Years 2002 and 2003

| Tax year, item | Total | Size of adjusted gross income |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Under \$1 ${ }^{1}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 1 \\ \text { under } \\ \$ 10,000 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 10,000 \\ \text { under } \\ \$ 20,000 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 20,000 \\ \text { under } \\ \$ 30,000 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 30,000 \\ \text { under } \\ \$ 50,000 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 50,000 \\ \text { under } \\ \$ 100,000 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 100,000 \\ \text { under } \\ \$ 200,000 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 200,000 \\ \text { under } \\ \$ 500,000 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 500,000 \\ \text { under } \\ \$ 1,000,000 \end{gathered}$ | $\$ 1,000,000$ <br> or more |
| Tax Year 2003: <br> Number of taxable returns $\qquad$ <br> Adjusted gross income (less deficit). | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) |
|  | 88,922$5,746,569$ | 55 | 4,952 | 12,347 | 12,187 | 21,524 | 26,511 | 8,862 | 1,997 | 356 | 181 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 34,490 | 186,019 | 304,724 | 846,122 | 1,861,718 | 1,167,989 | 575,673 | 240,944 | 533,985 |
| Total income tax. | 748,01713.0 | 79 | 853 | 8,155 | 19,310 | 64,373 | 178,509 | 163,342 | 120,712 | 60,181 | 132,503 |
| Average tax rate (percent) ${ }^{2} \ldots$ |  | $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | 2.5 | 4.4 | 6.3 | 7.6 | 9.6 | 14.0 | 21.0 | 25.0 | 24.8 |
| Tax Year 2002: | 90,964 | 5 | 5,316 | 13,089 | 12,877 | 22,482 | 26,377 | 8,408 | 1,906 | 336 | 169 |
| Number of taxable returns......... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Adjusted gross income (less deficit) $\qquad$ | 5,641,128 | -1,130 | 36,492 | 198,171 | 321,667 | 883,965 | 1,844,319 | 1,107,803 | 548,162 | 226,745 | 474,933 |
| Total income tax.. | $\begin{array}{r} 796,986 \\ 14.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 124 \\ & \left({ }^{3}\right) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 915 \\ 2.5 \end{array}$ | $9,178$$4.6$ | 21,4036.7 | $\begin{array}{r} 70,769 \\ 8.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 195,475 \\ 10.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 175,141 \\ 15.8 \end{array}$ | 124,765 | 63,371 | 135,845 |
| Average tax rate (percent) ${ }^{2} \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots . . .$. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 22.8 | 27.9 | 28.6 |
| Change in: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of taxable returns.. | -2,042 | ( Z ) | $-364$ | -742 | -690 | -957 | 134 | 454 | 91 | 19 | 12 |
| Percent... | $\begin{array}{r} -2.2 \\ 105,441 \end{array}$ | -4.5 |  | -5.7 | -5.4 | -4.3 | 0.5 | 5.4 | 4.8 | 5.8 | 7.3 |
| Adjusted gross income (less deficit)... |  | $\begin{array}{r} -3,965 \\ 350.9 \end{array}$ | $-2,002$ | $-12,152$ | -16,943 | -37,844 | 17,399 | 60,186 | 27,512 | 14,198 | 59,052 |
| Percent. | 1.9 |  |  |  | -5.3$-2,093$ | $\begin{array}{r} -4.3 \\ -6,396 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 0.9 \\ -16,966 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5.4 \\ -11,798 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5.0 \\ -4,053 \end{array}$ | 6.3 | 12.4 |
| Total income tax............................... | -48,969 | -46 | -62 | -1,023 |  |  |  |  |  | -3,190 | -3,342 |
| Percent. | -6.1 | -36.8 | -6.8 | -11.1 | -9.8 | -9.0 | -8.7 | -6.7 | -3.2 | -5.0 | -2.5 |
| Average tax rate: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Percentage point change.............. | -1.1 | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | -- | $-0.2$ | -0.4 | -0.4 | -1.0 | -1.8 | -1.8 | -2.9 | -3.8 |

${ }^{1}$ Includes returns with adjusted gross deficit. Tax in these returns represents some combination of alternative minimum tax, Form 4972 tax on lump-sum distributions from qualified retirement plans, and Form 8814 tax on a child's interest and dividends not reflected in adjusted gross income or taxable income.
${ }^{2}$ Average tax rate is "total income tax" as a percentage of adjusted gross income less deficit (AGI). The average tax rate was calculated from unrounded data.
${ }^{3}$ Percentage not computed.
${ }^{4}$ Increase not computed.
( Z )--Less than 500 .
NOTE: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.
fell for 2003, except for the $\$ 1$ under $\$ 10,000$ class which stayed the same. For taxpayers in the highest AGI category, $\$ 1,000,000$ or more, the average tax rate decreased 3.8 percent (from 28.6 percent to 24.8 percent) for 2003 . Similarly, in the $\$ 500,000$ under $\$ 1,000,000$ income class, the average tax rate declined by 2.9 percentage points (from 27.9 percent to 25.0 percent). A significant portion of these AGI classes' average tax rate decreases was attributable to the 3.6- percentage point decrease in the highest ordinary marginal tax rate, from 38.6 percent to 35 percent under JGTRRA. Also, the capital gain tax rate of 20 percent was lowered to 15 percent, and
the tax rates on qualified dividend tax were changed from ordinary tax rates to a maximum of 15 percent.

The average tax rate of 13.0 percent for 2003 for all income classes combined was a decrease of 1.1 percentage points from 14.1 percent for 2002. This reduction was an effect of the implementation of ordinary tax rate reductions under JGTRRA, the reduction in the rates for long-term capital gains sold after May 5 , and all qualified dividends being taxed at lower rates as well. For 2001 and 2002, many of the higher income tax returns had shifted to lower income brackets partially due to the reductions in realized capital gain (less loss). This trend began to
reverse for 2003, showing a return to increasing numbers of high-income filers (though levels were still well below those of 2000). Specifically, the number of taxpayers in the top four AGI-size classes rose: by 7.3 percent for the " $\$ 1,000,000$ or more" AGI-size class; by 5.8 percent for the " $\$ 500,000$ under $\$ 1,000,000$ " AGI-size class; by 4.8 percent for the " $\$ 200,000$ under $\$ 500,000$ " AGI-size class; and by 5.4 percent for the " $\$ 100,000$ under $\$ 200,000$ " AGI-size class.

## Marginal Tax Rate Classifications

A return's marginal tax rate is the highest statutory tax rate bracket applicable to that tax return. Marginal tax rate statistics are presented in Figure C and Table 1. These statistics are based on individual income tax returns showing a positive taxable income amount based on "tax generated" and items of income that were subject to the regular income tax, generally those included in AGI [2]. Appendix D explains the details of the determination of the
marginal tax rate bracket into which a return is assumed to fall. Table 2 contains additional data based on ordinary tax rates and presents statistics on the income and tax generated at each ordinary tax rate by size of AGI.

For 2003, the number of individual returns with modified taxable income fell 0.9 percent to 101.4 million. Despite this decrease, the amount of modified taxable income reported on these returns increased 2.5 percent to $\$ 4,206.6$ billion [3]. As a result of the tax cuts implemented under JGTRRA for 2003, the tax generated on taxable returns fell by 6.0 percent to $\$ 780.3$ billion even though the modified taxable income increased. Figure C presents the amounts and percentages of modified taxable income and income tax generated (before reduction by tax credits, including the earned income credit) by the marginal tax rate categories (defined in Appendix D). The ordinary tax rate categories for 2003 were notably different than those for 2002 due to changes in statutory tax rates resulting from JGTRRA. For

## Figure C

## Returns with Modified Taxable Income: Tax Generated at All Rates on Returns with the Indicated Marginal Tax Rate, Tax Year 2003

| Marginal tax rate classes | Number of returns |  | Modified taxable income |  | Tax generated |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number | Percent of total | Amount | Percent of total | Amount | Percent of total |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
| Total... | 101,386,201 | 100.0 | 4,206,592,864 | 100.0 | 780,309,227 | 100.0 |
| 5 percent. | 678,141 | 0.7 | 4,130,293 | 0.1 | 208,010 | ( ${ }^{1}$ ) |
| 8 percent. | 68,473 | 0.1 | 720,891 | ( ${ }^{1}$ ) | 47,862 | ( ${ }^{1}$ ) |
| 10 percent.. | 23,243,875 | 22.9 | 106,142,753 | 2.5 | 10,615,439 | 1.4 |
| 10 percent (capital gains). | 2,583,832 | 2.5 | 19,866,025 | 0.5 | 1,689,343 | 0.2 |
| 10 percent (Form 8814) ${ }^{2}$.. | 13,826 | ( ${ }^{1}$ ) | 8,681 | ( ${ }^{1}$ ) | 870 | ( ${ }^{1}$ ) |
| 15 percent... | 40,997,696 | 40.4 | 1,000,557,078 | 23.8 | 128,796,537 | 16.5 |
| 15 percent (capital gains) ${ }^{3}$. | 6,474,523 | 6.4 | 259,768,302 | 6.2 | 33,235,065 | 4.3 |
| 20 percent..... | 430,386 | 0.4 | 67,771,415 | 1.6 | 10,720,608 | 1.4 |
| 25 percent.. | 15,578,547 | 15.4 | 887,311,030 | 21.1 | 148,923,302 | 19.1 |
| 25 percent (capital gains).. | 5,751,843 | 5.7 | 436,467,662 | 10.4 | 74,792,138 | 9.6 |
| 28 percent.. | 1,756,615 | 1.7 | 196,015,310 | 4.7 | 41,655,938 | 5.3 |
| 28 percent (capital gains).... | 1,678,502 | 1.7 | 233,408,084 | 5.5 | 48,461,009 | 6.2 |
| 33 percent.. | 1,277,577 | 1.3 | 305,591,419 | 7.3 | 74,561,983 | 9.6 |
| 35 percent... | 752,028 | 0.7 | 687,885,619 | 16.4 | 206,409,506 | 26.5 |
| Form $8615{ }^{4}$. | 100,337 | 0.1 | 948,301 | ( ${ }^{1}$ ) | 191,617 | ( ${ }^{1}$ ) |

[^4]the third year in a row, the 2003 tax rates for the four highest ordinary income brackets were each reduced. These reductions are explained in Appendix C (under Tax Rate Reduction).

The "15-percent" (ordinary income) marginal tax rate bracket contained the largest share of returns for 2003, at 40.4 percent of returns with modified taxable income. These returns reported 23.8 percent of modified taxable income for 2003 and 16.5 percent of income tax generated. While representing only 0.7 percent of returns, taxpayers in the " 35 -percent" marginal rate bracket reported 16.4 percent of the modified taxable income and 26.5 percent of the tax (the largest of any tax bracket). The 15.4 percent of returns in the " 25 -percent" (ordinary income) marginal rate bracket (the second largest group) reported 21.1 percent of the modified taxable income and 19.1 percent of income tax generated. Returns in the "28percent" (ordinary income) marginal rate bracket reported 4.7 percent of the modified taxable income and 5.3 percent of the tax. Returns in the " 33 -percent" marginal rate bracket reported showed 7.3 percent of the modified taxable income and 9.6 percent of the tax generated. Return in the capital gains and dividends tax brackets ( 10 percent, 15 percent, 25 percent, and 28 percent) reported a total of 22.6 percent of modified taxable income and 20.3 percent of the tax.

As shown in Table 2, more tax was generated for 2003 at the 15 -percent rate than at any other rate. The 37.7 percent of income taxed at this rate was reported by 73.4 percent of returns with modified taxable income, producing 30.4 percent of tax generated. The 25 -percent rate generated the next largest amount of income tax liability. Tax in that bracket was reported on 26.4 percent of returns, and 15.2 percent of modified taxable income was taxed at this rate, to generate 20.5 percent of tax generated. Only 0.7 percent of returns with taxable income were taxed at the 35 -percent rate. However, 8.7 percent of all income was taxed at this rate, generating 16.5 percent of the tax generated.

## Components of Total Income Tax

## Regular Tax

Regular tax is generally tax determined from a taxpayer's taxable income based on statutory tax rates less any applicable tax credits. It does not
include the "alternative minimum tax" (AMT). Figure D illustrates the derivation of aggregate tax generated for 2003 returns with modified taxable income. Table 1 includes two tax amounts: "tax generated" and "income tax after credits." Tables 5 through 8 and Figures A and B include an additional measure of tax, "total income tax."

As shown (Figure D and column 5 of Table 1), the tax generated by applying statutory ordinary income and capital gains tax rates to modified taxable income was $\$ 780.3$ billion, a 6.0 -percent decrease from 2002 [4]. For most taxpayers, tax generated was equal to income tax before credits. However, for some taxpayers, income tax before credits included the alternative minimum tax (AMT) and/or special taxes on lump-sum distributions from qualified retirement plans (when a 10-year averaging method

## Figure D

Derivation of Tax Year 2003 Total Income Tax as Shown in Statistics of Income
[Money amounts are in billions of dollars]

| Tax generated from tax rate schedules or tax table $\qquad$ PLUS: | 780.3 |
| :---: | :---: |
|  |  |
| Tax on lump-sum distributions from qualified retirement plans. | 0.2 |
| Alternative minimum tax. | 9.5 |
| EQUALS: |  |
| Income tax before credits.. | 790.0 |
| LESS: Tax credits, total ${ }^{1}$. | 42.0 |
| Child-care credit. | 3.2 |
| Child tax credit ${ }^{1}$.. | 22.8 |
| Education credit.. | 5.8 |
| Foreign tax credit... | 5.8 |
| General business credit. | 0.6 |
| Earned income credit (limited to the amount needed to reduce total income tax to zero). | 0.9 |
| Credit for prior-year minimum tax...... | 0.9 |
| Retirement savings contribution credit. | 1.0 |
| Other credits ${ }^{2}$.. | 0.9 |
| EQUALS: |  |
| Income tax after credits..................................................... | 748.0 |
| PLUS: Trusts accumulation distribution... | 0.01 |
| EQUALS: |  |
| Total income tax................................................................ | 748.0 |

${ }^{1}$ Does not include the additional child tax credit that for 2003 was $\$ 9.11$ billion which were refunded to taxpayers and not included in total income tax.
${ }^{2}$ Includes the elderly or disabled credit, empowerment zone and community renewal employment credit, mortgage interest credit, New York liberty zone credit, adoption credit, DC first time home buyer's credit, rate reduction credit, nonconventional source fuel credit, and other credits.

NOTE: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.

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was used) [5]. The AMT increased sharply by 38.2 percent to $\$ 9.5$ billion for 2003 . Income tax before credits was $\$ 790.0$ billion for 2003 , down from $\$ 836.8$ billion, representing a 5.6 -percent decrease from 2002. Taxpayers used $\$ 42.0$ billion of tax credits to reduce their income tax before credits. The earned income credit (EIC) is included in this computation to the extent that its application did not reduce income tax before credits below zero. Any portion of the EIC that is refundable to the taxpayer because it exceeds the taxpayer's liability and any portion of the EIC used to reduce taxes other than income taxes are excluded from the computation of income tax after credits [6]. Income tax after credits (Figure D) totaled $\$ 748.0$ billion as did total income tax (the sum of income tax after credits and tax on trust accumulation distributions). These taxes both represented a 6.1-percent decline from 2002.

Table 4 provides estimates of income tax before credits by the type of tax computation for returns with modified taxable income. For 2003, the number of returns with the Schedule D and qualified dividends tax computation increased almost 170 percent from 6.7 million to 18.1 million. This caused a large increase in the income tax before credits and tax generated at these lower rates. TY 2003 saw a decrease of 12.9 million returns that calculated taxes with a regular tax computation only. The cause of this decline was due to a majority of these returns moving from the regular tax computation into the Schedule D and qualified dividends tax computation. For 2003, the number of returns filed by children under age 14 with Form 8615 for reporting investment income over $\$ 1,500$ decreased 20.8 percent to a little over 100,000. Using Form 8615 to compute their tax (as if their incomes were treated as the marginal incomes of their parents or guardians), these children generated just over \$191.6 million (column 7) of tax revenue which is $\$ 30.5$ million (column 8) more than the $\$ 161.1$ million (column 6) of tax that would have been generated using ordinary tax computations.

The income tax before credits increased from $\$ 186.5$ billion to $\$ 426.1$ billion. This computation also generated $\$ 387.7$ billion in tax as compared to $\$ 161.2$ billion for 2002. The reason for this large shift was that, for 2003, the Schedule D computation now included qualified dividends, which, as noted above, relocated many of the 12.8 million returns previously
listed under the regular tax only computation into the returns with Schedule D and qualified dividends tax computation. Both ordinary and qualified dividends are detailed in Appendix A (under Dividends). If long-term capital gains had been taxed the same as ordinary income, the amount of income tax before credits (regular tax computation) for these same taxpayers would have been $\$ 426.1$ billion (column 6). Thus, use of the Schedule D tax computation resulted in $\$ 38.4$ billion (column 8) less tax for 2003, a rise from the $\$ 25.3$-billion reduction for 2002 (column 4) when 6.7 million taxpayers received some benefit from lower capital gain taxes (column 1). However, the average tax savings for those who had these capital gains fell from $\$ 3,770$ per return for 2002 to \$2,117 for 2003.

## Alternative Minimum Tax

The Revenue Act of 1978 established the alternative minimum tax to ensure that a minimum amount of income tax was paid by taxpayers who might otherwise be able to legally reduce, or totally eliminate, their tax burdens. The AMT provisions may recapture some of the tax reductions under the ordinary income tax. Form 6251, Alternative Minimum Tax-Individuals, is used to calculate AMT. (See
Appendix E for an explanation of the computation of income for AMT purposes.)

Figure E presents statistics, by size of AGI, on the AMT reported by taxpayers filing Form 6251 with their returns. Some taxpayers include Form 6251 even though their tax liability is not increased due to the AMT. The tabulations in Figure E include such forms. For 2003, AMT liability rose 38.2 percent to $\$ 9.5$ billion from $\$ 6.9$ billion in 2002. This rise in AMT coincided with a large increase in the number of returns that were subject to paying the AMT. The number of returns subject to paying the AMT increased 23.4 percent from 2002 to 2.4 million returns for 2003, and the Alternative Minimum Taxable Income (AMTI) increased 31.3 percent from 2002.

Figure F shows the number of taxpayers with AMT liability and the amount of that liability for each of the years 1986 through 2003. Much of the variation in the number of taxpayers affected by the AMT and in the amount of AMT liability during the mid-tolate 1980's and early 1990's was attributable to tax law changes such as TRA86, RRA90 (Revenue Reconciliation Act of 1990), and OBRA93, which

Returns with Alternative Minimum Tax Computation Reported on Form 6251: Total Adjustments and Preferences, and Alternative Minimum Taxable Income and Tax, by Size of Adjusted Gross Income, Tax Years 2002 and 2003

| Size of adjusted gross income | Total adjustments and preferences ${ }^{1}$ |  | Alternative minimum taxable income |  | Alternative minimum tax |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of returns | Amount | Number of returns | Amount | Number of returns | Amount |
| All returns...................................... | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
|  | Tax Year 2003 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 5,274,864 | 107,538,541 | 5,943,102 | 1,119,412,865 | 2,357,975 | 9,469,803 |
| Under \$ ${ }^{2}$. | 90,575 | 1,255,423 | 129,582 | -10,762,709 | 5,427 | 81,262 |
| \$1 under \$10,000. | 130,628 | 294,876 | 294,704 | 752,929 | 3,344 | 5,776 |
| \$10,000 under \$20,000.. | 164,493 | 441,193 | 254,340 | 2,706,268 | 2,591 | 6,294 |
| \$20,000 under \$30,000.. | 149,183 | 654,972 | 218,232 | 4,293,145 | 3,850 | 21,683 |
| \$30,000 under \$40,000.. | 156,007 | 657,114 | 197,269 | 5,127,098 | 5,090 | 2,118 |
| \$40,000 under \$50,000.. | 240,072 | 1,578,559 | 292,648 | 11,449,018 | 12,453 | 16,980 |
| \$50,000 under \$75,000.. | 579,162 | 4,497,946 | 658,634 | 35,896,638 | 85,664 | 86,149 |
| \$75,000 under \$100,000. | 548,099 | 5,832,543 | 605,893 | 46,371,534 | 109,977 | 185,177 |
| \$100,000 under \$200,000.. | 1,547,971 | 27,412,096 | 1,589,305 | 206,360,452 | 844,104 | 1,875,212 |
| \$200,000 under \$500,000.. | 1,371,834 | 35,270,913 | 1,397,829 | 373,453,249 | 1,148,987 | 4,700,750 |
| \$500,000 under \$1,000,000.. | 192,637 | 9,199,893 | 198,104 | 121,310,271 | 103,434 | 1,165,529 |
| \$1,000,000 or more......................... | 104,204 | 20,443,011 | 106,562 | 322,454,972 | 33,056 | 1,322,875 |
|  | Tax Year 2002 |  |  |  |  |  |
| All returns.. | 4,351,676 | 92,817,141 | 4,915,873 | 852,499,465 | 1,910,789 | 6,853,901 |
| Under \$ $1^{2}$. | 89,661 | 1,139,356 | 105,639 | -12,845,896 | 4,681 | 126,779 |
| \$1 under \$10,000.. | 96,393 | 282,949 | 224,201 | 427,960 | 3,343 | 2,088 |
| \$10,000 under \$20,000.. | 127,818 | 355,733 | 200,091 | 1,964,179 | 2,886 | 3,385 |
| \$20,000 under \$30,000.. | 116,233 | 546,831 | 193,305 | 4,141,410 | 4,478 | 9,093 |
| \$30,000 under \$40,000.. | 156,417 | 903,125 | 208,941 | 6,106,526 | 16,117 | 23,210 |
| \$40,000 under \$50,000.. | 167,426 | 1,330,419 | 199,004 | 7,632,853 | 33,881 | 34,067 |
| \$50,000 under \$75,000.. | 552,458 | 5,593,137 | 643,985 | 35,315,779 | 188,847 | 253,778 |
| \$75,000 under \$100,000. | 598,657 | 8,064,548 | 631,321 | 48,810,310 | 284,050 | 365,363 |
| \$100,000 under \$200,000... | 1,360,074 | 23,872,135 | 1,392,342 | 174,922,118 | 759,476 | 1,665,869 |
| \$200,000 under \$500,000.. | 858,729 | 24,226,709 | 882,647 | 232,989,048 | 546,501 | 2,564,164 |
| \$500,000 under \$1,000,000.. | 140,940 | 7,976,686 | 145,547 | 90,777,648 | 46,304 | 742,837 |
| \$1,000,000 or more. | 86,871 | 18,525,516 | 88,851 | 262,257,528 | 20,224 | 1,063,267 |

[^5]altered the AMT. Since then, the impact of the AMT has increased partially because the AMT exemptions have not been automatically indexed annually for the effects of inflation whereas various parameters of the ordinary income tax (such as tax brackets, exemptions, etc.) have been indexed annually for inflation. For both 2001 (under EGTRRA) and 2003 (under JGTRRA), AMT exemptions were increased, while ordinary tax rates declined. The net result of these changes was that, for 2003, AMT levels rose to $\$ 9.5$ billion, close to the all-time high paid by individual taxpayers of $\$ 9.6$ billion for 2000 .
(The 2003 AMT exemptions are detailed in Appendix C, under Alternative Minimum Tax.)

## Income and Tax Shares

Historical statistics from 1986 through 2003 on income and tax by cumulative percentiles (based on numbers of returns) are presented in Tables 5 through 8. Distributions of AGI, as defined for each year and tax or income item, by descending and ascending cumulative percentiles of returns, are presented in Tables 5 and 6. These tables can be used to make comparisons across cumulative percen-

## Figure $F$

Alternative Minimum Tax, Tax Years 1986-2003
[Tax rates are in percentages--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Tax year | Highest statutory alternative minimum tax rate | Alternative minimum tax |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Number of returns | Amount |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) |
| 1986. | 20 | 608,907 | 6,713,149 |
| 1987. | 21 | 139,779 | 1,674,898 |
| 1988. | 21 | 113,562 | 1,027,884 |
| 1989. | 21 | 117,483 | 831,012 |
| 1990... | 21 | 132,103 | 830,313 |
| 1991. | 24 | 243,672 | 1,213,426 |
| 1992. | 24 | 287,183 | 1,357,063 |
| 1993. | 28 | 334,615 | 2,052,790 |
| 1994. | 28 | 368,964 | 2,212,094 |
| 1995. | 28 | 414,106 | 2,290,576 |
| 1996.. | 28 | 477,898 | 2,812,746 |
| 1997.. | $28{ }^{1}$ | 618,072 | 4,005,101 |
| 1998. | $28{ }^{1}$ | 853,433 | 5,014,549 |
| 1999. | $28{ }^{1}$ | 1,018,063 | 6,477,697 |
| 2000. | $28{ }^{1}$ | 1,304,197 | 9,600,840 |
| 2001. | $28{ }^{1}$ | 1,120,047 | 6,756,705 |
| 2002.. | $28{ }^{1}$ | 1,910,789 | 6,853,901 |
| 2003. | $28^{1}$ | 2,357,975 | 9,469,803 |

${ }^{1}$ Top rate on most long-term capital gains was 20 percent. For 2003, it was 15 percent.
tile classes within each year, among years within the ERTA81 period (i.e., Tax Years 1982 through 1986), and among years within the post-TRA86 period (i.e., Tax Years 1987 through 2003). Since TRA86 redefined AGI, Tables 5 and 6 are not as useful for comparisons between pre- and post-TRA86 years. Thus, Tables 7 and 8, which are based on a consistent definition of income (i.e., the 1979 Income Concept), are included to facilitate such comparisons.

Tables 5 and 7 are based on percentiles of returns cumulated downward from the highest income returns. The data in Tables 5 and 7 are shown for the top 1 percent, 5 percent, 10 percent, 25 percent, and 50 percent of returns. Tables 6 and 8 are based on returns cumulated upward from the lowest income returns. Data are shown for the bottom 50 percent, 75 percent, 90 percent, 95 percent, and 99 percent of all returns.

Consider, for example, the data in Table 5 for the 128.6 million returns filed for 2003 with positive AGI [7]. The average tax rate for these returns was 11.9 percent, a 1.1-percentage point decrease from 2002.
(A sizable portion of returns with positive AGI are nontaxable, accounting for the difference in the computation of this particular average tax rate versus the 13.0 -percent average tax rate for taxable returns only--Figure A.) This was the third year in a row that the average tax rate has fallen. The average tax rate on the $1,5,10,25$, and 50 percentiles all decreased from 2002. The $1,5,10,25$, and 50 percentiles all also recorded a larger share of the income tax burden than their respective shares of AGI. For 2003, the returns in the top 1-percentile reported 16.8 percent of total AGI and 34.3 percent of income tax. The amount of AGI needed for inclusion in this percentile group (i.e., the AGI floor) was $\$ 295,495$. For 2002, the returns in this percentile group (i.e., those with at least $\$ 285,424$ in AGI) reported 16.1 percent of total AGI and 33.7 percent of total income tax.

For 2003, the returns in the top 5 -percentile group (returns reporting AGI of \$130,080 or more) reported 31.2 percent of total AGI and 54.4 percent of income tax, compared to 30.6 percent and 53.8 percent, respectively, for 2002 (when the AGI floor was $\$ 126,525$ ). For 2003, returns in the top 10-percentile group (returns with AGI of at least $\$ 94,891$ ) earned 42.4 percent of AGI and paid 65.8 percent of income tax. For 2002, the returns in this percentile group (with AGI of $\$ 92,663$ or more) reported 41.8 percent of total AGI and 65.7 percent of income tax. The top 50 -percentile group (earning $\$ 29,019$ or more) accounted for 86.0 percent of income and paid almost all ( 96.5 percent) of the income tax for 2003.

The statistics by percentile in Tables 5 and 6 for years prior to 1991 and in Tables 7 and 8 for years prior to 1994 were estimated, using a mathematical technique called "osculatory interpolation," applied to aggregated data tabulated by income-size classes, in order to distribute the tax returns within each class [8]. For 1991 and later years, the statistics by percentiles in Tables 5 and 6, and Tables 7 and 8 for 1994 through 2003 were computed based on an actual ranking of the returns in the statistical sample that served as the basis for Individual Statistics of Income estimates. The differences under the two methods were judged to be minor enough so that the pre-1991 and post-1990 data are believed to be comparable.

## Appendix A: Explanation of Selected Terms

This appendix provides brief explanations of the major tax concepts discussed. For more extensive
definitions, see Individual Income Tax Returns 2003, Statistics of Income Division, Internal Revenue Service, Publication 1304.

Adjusted Gross Income.--Adjusted gross income is "total income," as defined by the tax code, less "statutory adjustments" (primarily business, investment, or certain other deductions, such as payments to a Keogh self-employed retirement plan, certain deductible contributions to an Individual Retirement Arrangement (IRA), self-employed health insurance deductions, and one-half of Social Security taxes for the self-employed). Total income includes, for example, salaries and wages, taxable interest, dividends, alimony, and net amounts from such sources as business income, rents and royalties, and sales of capital assets.

Difference Due to Special Tax Computation.-For this article, the tax difference is the amount of tax resulting from using provisions of one of the special tax computations (Form 8615 or Schedule D and qualified dividends) less the amount of tax that would have resulted from not having used any of these provisions (regular tax computation).

Dividends.--Ordinary dividend income consisted of distributions of money, stock, or other property received by taxpayers from domestic and foreign corporations, either directly or passed through estates, trusts, partnerships, or regulated investment companies. Ordinary dividends also included distributions from money market mutual funds.

Ordinary dividends did not include nontaxable distributions of stock or stock rights, returns of capital, capital gains, or liquidation distributions. Taxpayers were also instructed to exclude amounts paid on deposits or withdrawable accounts in banks, mutual savings banks, cooperative banks, savings and loan associations, and credit unions, which were treated as interest income.

Qualified dividends are the ordinary dividends received in tax years beginning after 2002 that met certain conditions. These conditions include: the dividend must have been paid by a U.S. corporation or a "qualified" foreign corporation; the stock ownership must have met certain holding period requirements; the dividends were not from certain institutions, such as mutual savings banks, cooperative banks, credit unions, tax-exempt organizations, or farmer cooperatives; and the dividends were not for any share of stock which was part of an employee
stock ownership plan (ESOP). The maximum tax rate for qualified dividends was 15 percent generally (or 5 percent for amounts that would otherwise have been taxed at the 10 -percent or 15 -percent regular income rate).

Form 8615 Tax Computation.--Form 8615 was used to compute the tax on investment income of children under age 14 who had investment income of more than $\$ 1,500$. Generally, such income was taxed as the marginal income of the parents.

Income Tax Before Credits.--This amount consisted of the tax liability on taxable income, computed by using the tax tables, tax rate schedules, Schedule D Tax worksheet, Schedule J, or Form 8615, plus Form (s) 8814, any additional taxes from Form 4972, and the alternative minimum tax.

Income Tax Before Credits (Regular Tax Computation).--This amount consisted of the tax liability on ordinary income, computed by using the tax table or applying the rates from one of the four tax rate schedules, plus any additional tax (tax on lump-sum distributions from qualified retirement plans). When Form 8615 tax was payable on investment income of children, for this concept, all the income was taxed at the child's rate rather than at the rate of the parents. When the Schedule D tax was payable on net long-term capital gains, the tax was based on the regular tax rates rather than the 5percent, 8 -percent, 10 -percent, 15 -percent, 25 -percent, or 28 -percent tax rate for capital gains. When a tax was payable on a qualified dividend, the tax was based on regular tax rates instead of the maximum tax rate for qualified dividends, 15 percent ( 5 percent for amounts that would otherwise have been taxed in the 10 -percent and 15 -percent tax brackets). This is in contrast to the computation of Income Tax Before Credits (see above) in which special tax computations, such as those involved on the Form 8615, Schedule D and qualified dividends, are taken into account. See Table 4.

Marginal Tax Rate.--See Appendix D.
Modified Taxable Income.--See Appendix D.
Regular Tax Computation.--Depending on marital status and size of taxable income, the taxpayer used one of the four tax rate schedules (or an approximation from the tax table) to determine tax. Returns of taxpayers who had taxes computed by the Internal Revenue Service were classified under the regular tax computation method.

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Schedule D and Qualified Dividends Tax Computation.--Schedule D was used to compute the 5 -percent (post May 5, 2003), 8-percent, 10-percent, 15 -percent, 25 -percent, and 28 -percent taxes on net long-term capital gains (in excess of net short-term capital losses), if such computations were beneficial to the taxpayer. Any investment interest allocated to long-term capital gains (on Form 4952) was excluded from this computation. Qualified dividends were taxed at a maximum tax rate of 15 percent ( 5 percent for amounts that would otherwise have been taxed in the 10 -percent and 15 -percent brackets).

Taxable Income.--Taxable income is AGI less the sum of personal exemptions amounts and either the standard deduction for nonitemizers or total itemized deductions. The amounts for personal exemptions and total itemized deductions are net of any reductions because of taxpayers' incomes exceeding certain income thresholds.

Taxable Returns.--A return is classified as "taxable" based on the presence of "tax generated." The following additional taxes were not taken into account for this purpose: self-employment, household employment, Social Security, Railroad Retirement Tax Act (RRTA) taxes, tax from recomputing prioryear investment, low-income housing and a few other business credits, penalty taxes on Individual Retirement Arrangements, section 72 penalty taxes, advance earned income credit payments, or "golden parachute" payments (made to key employees as compensation under certain circumstances).

Tax Generated.--This is the amount of tax computed on modified taxable income either from the tax rate schedules or the tax table. Tax generated does not take into account the alternative minimum tax or the effect of tax credits. For most returns (those without the special tax on lump-sum distributions from qualified retirement plans or alternative minimum tax), tax generated equals "income tax before credits."

Total Income Tax.--This is the sum of income tax after credits and tax on accumulated trusts distribution from the Form 4970, less the portion of the EIC used to offset other taxes as well as the refundable portion of the EIC (with tax limited to zero).

## Appendix B: Income Tax Structure

Taxpayers must file an income tax return if they meet certain minimum filing requirements. The filing
requirements for 2003 generally were based on the amount of "gross income," filing status, age, and, to a lesser extent, dependency and blindness [9]. Generally, the minimum level of income for which a return was required to be filed equaled the sum of the standard deduction for the particular filing status and the amount of the personal exemption deduction allowed for the taxpayer or taxpayers (but not for any dependents). In addition to the general filing requirements, individuals were required to file a return for Tax Year 2003 if they had net earnings from self-employment of at least $\$ 400$; liability for Social Security or Medicare tax on unreported tip income; Social Security, Medicare, or Railroad Retirement tax on reported tip income or group-term life insurance; "alternative minimum tax"; tax on qualified retirement plan distributions, including an Individual Retirement Arrangement (IRA) or a Medical Savings Account (MSA); tax on the recapture of investment credit, low-income housing credit, or a few other business credits; recapture tax on the disposition of a home purchased with a Federallysubsidized mortgage; any advance earned income credit payments; or wages of $\$ 108.28$ or more from a church or qualified church-controlled organization that was exempt from Social Security taxes.

Gross income includes all income received as money, goods, property, or services that was not expressly exempt from tax [10]. Adjusted gross income (AGI) is equal to gross income less deductions for certain expenses [11]. "Taxable income," the base on which income tax before credits is computed, equals AGI less the amount for personal exemptions and less either total allowable itemized deductions for taxpayers who itemize deductions, or the standard deduction (including the additional amounts for age and blindness) for all other taxpayers.

Income tax before credits is calculated from taxable income using: the tax table or tax rate schedules, both of which vary with taxpayer filing status (single, married filing jointly, surviving spouse, married filing separately, and head of household); Form 8615 or Form 8814 for children's investment incomes; Schedule J for Farmers to income-average; Schedule D and Qualified Dividends worksheet for net long-term capital gains and qualified dividends; or some combination of the above [12]. For 2003, the tax rates for each filing status were 5 percent, 8 percent, 10 percent, 15 percent, 20 percent, 25 per-

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cent, 26 percent, 28 percent, 33 percent, and 35 percent [13]. The tax rates of 5 percent, 8 percent, 10 percent, 15 percent, and 20 percent were used for net long-term capital gains (in excess of net short-term capital losses). The new 5 -percent and 15 -percent rates for 2003 in relation to long-term capital gains were only for certain sales and other dispositions after May 5, 2003, as well as any qualified dividends (explained in Appendix C: Capital Gain and Dividend Tax Rates). The 26-percent tax rate was only for the alternative minimum tax. Income tax before credits includes any alternative minimum tax. (See Appendix C for further details on these rates).

To calculate their Federal income tax liabilities for 2003, taxpayers used either the tax table or the tax rate schedules. Taxpayers with taxable income less than $\$ 100,000$ were required to use the tax table, while those with taxable income of $\$ 100,000$ or more were required to use the tax rate schedules. The tax table was based on income tax "brackets" up to $\$ 50$ wide [14]. The tax within each bracket was based on the tax calculated at the midpoint of the bracket and then rounded to the nearest whole dollar. As a result, the tax table and the tax rate schedules could produce different amounts of tax for the same amount of taxable income. Use of the tax table could have produced either a slightly higher or lower amount of tax than that produced by the tax rate schedules. For taxpayers using the tax table with taxable income that was subject to the 33 -percent marginal rate, the maximum difference in tax between the tax rate schedules and the tax table was $\$ 8.25$ [15]. However, for most taxpayers, the actual difference in tax was smaller.

## Appendix C: Changes in Law for 2003

Alternative Minimum Tax.--The Alternative Minimum Tax (AMT) exemption amount increased to $\$ 40,250$ for single and head of household filers, $\$ 58,000$ for married couples filing jointly and surviving spouses, and $\$ 29,000$ for married couples filing separately. This was an increase from 2002 of $\$ 9,000$ for married filing jointly taxpayers and surviving spouses, and $\$ 4,500$ for single taxpayers and married couples filing separately.

Capital Gain and Dividend Tax Rates.--For long-term capital gains realized after May 5, 2003, the 8 - and 10 - percent capital gain tax rates were reduced to 5 percent. The 20 -percent rate was
reduced to 15 percent. In addition, the 8 -percent capital gain rate for qualified 5 -year gain did not apply to any gain after May 5, 2003. New tax rates were applied to qualified dividends. The maximum tax rate for qualified dividends was 15 percent (generally 5 percent for amounts that would otherwise be traxed in the 10 -percent and 15 -percent regular tax brackets). Qualified dividends were ordinary dividends that met certain criteria, including: the dividends must have been paid by a U.S. corporation or a "qualified" foreign corporation; the stock ownership must have met certain holding period requirements; the dividends were not from certain institutions, such as mutual savings banks, cooperative banks, credit unions, tax-exempt organizations, or farmer cooperatives; and the dividends were not for any share of stock which was part of an employee stock ownership plan (ESOP).

Child and Dependent Care Credit.--For 2003, the maximum credit increased to $\$ 1,050$ for one qualifying individual and $\$ 2,100$ for two or more qualifying individuals ( $\$ 800$ and $\$ 1,600$, respectively, for 2002). The limit on qualifying expenses increased to $\$ 3,000$ for one qualifying individual and $\$ 6,000$ for two or more individuals ( $\$ 2,400$ and $\$ 4,800$, respectively, for 2002). The credit could have been as much as 35 percent (previously 30 percent) of a taxpayer's qualified expenses.

Child Tax Credit.--The child tax credit increased to $\$ 1,000$ for 2003 from $\$ 600$ for 2002. For 2003, up to $\$ 400$ per eligible child may have been given in advance to taxpayers based on the age of eligible children and the taxpayer's 2002 tax return. The taxpayer's 2003 child tax credit was reduced by any advance child tax credit payment.

Earned Income Credit.--The maximum amount of investment income (interest, dividends, and capital gain income) a taxpayer could earn and still claim the credit increased to $\$ 2,600$ from $\$ 2,550$. The maximum credit for taxpayers with no qualifying children increased to $\$ 382$ from $\$ 376$. For these taxpayers, earned income and AGI had to be less than $\$ 11,230$ ( $\$ 12,230$ if married filing jointly). For taxpayers with one qualifying child, the maximum credit increased $\$ 41$ to $\$ 2,547$, and, for taxpayers with two or more qualifying children, the maximum credit increased to $\$ 4,204$ from $\$ 4,140$. To be eligible for the credit, a taxpayer's earned income and AGI had to be less than \$29,666 (\$30,666 for married filing jointly) for one

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qualifying child, or less than $\$ 33,692$ ( $\$ 34,692$ for married filing jointly) for two or more qualifying children.

Indexing.--The following items increased due to indexing for inflation: personal exemption amounts, the basic standard deduction amounts (other than married filing joint returns, see below), most tax bracket boundaries (see Tax Rate Reduction, below, for details for married filing joint returns), the beginning income amounts for limiting certain itemized deductions, and for the phaseout of personal exemptions. The maximum amount of earnings subject to self-employment tax increased based on the percentage change in average covered earnings.

Individual Retirement Arrangement Deduc-tion.--For 2003, a taxpayer (both taxpayers for married filing jointly), could take a deduction of up to $\$ 3,000(\$ 3,500$ if age 50 or older) for IRA contributions if not covered by a retirement plan, or if covered by a retirement plan and modified AGI was less than $\$ 50,000(\$ 70,000$ if married filing jointly or qualifying widow(er)). This was up from \$44,000 ( $\$ 64,000$ if married filing jointly or qualifying widow(er)) for 2002.

Lifetime Learning Credit.--The amount of qualified tuition and related expenses a taxpayer took into account for the lifetime learning credit increased from $\$ 5,000$ for 2002 to $\$ 10,000$ for 2003. The credit equaled 20 percent of these qualified expenses, with a maximum credit of $\$ 2,000(\$ 1,000$ for 2002).

Self-employed Health Insurance Deduction.-A self-employed taxpayer was able to deduct up to 100 percent of health insurance expenses for 2003, up from 70 percent for 2002.

Standard Deduction.--The standard deduction for married filing jointly returns was increased beyond general indexing for inflation to $\$ 9,500$ for 2003. This amount was equal to twice the standard deduction for single filers. For 2002, this deduction was $\$ 7,850$. The standard deductions for other filing statuses were only indexed for inflation.

Tax Rate Reduction.--For Tax Year 2003, both the 10 -percent and 15 -percent tax brackets received significant expansions on the upper taxable income threshold beyond inflation indexing for some taxpayers. The 10 -percent regular income tax bracket was expanded $\$ 2,000$ for a maximum taxable income of $\$ 14,000$ for married filing joint returns (expanded $\$ 1,000$ for a maximum taxable income of $\$ 7,000$ for single or married filing separately). The 15 -percent
tax bracket received a disproportionately large expansion for joint returns as compared to single filers. This expansion was $\$ 10,100$ and aligned the joint returns maximum taxable income amount $(\$ 56,800)$ to exactly double the amount for single or married filing separately filers $(\$ 28,400)$. Also, for Tax Year 2003, there was a reduction of the former tax rates of 27 percent, 30 percent, 35 percent and 38.6 percent to 25 percent, 28 percent, 33 percent, and 35 percent, respectively. Also, as cited above (Capital Gains and Dividend Tax Rate), tax rates were reduced for some long-term gains and all qualified dividends.

## Appendix D: Income and Tax Concepts

As discussed in Appendix B, gross income is all income received that is not specifically excluded. Total income is the net amount of gross income after certain expenses (i.e., business or rent and royalty expenses) have been deducted. Adjusted gross income (AGI) is total income less statutory adjustments to income (i.e., deductible contributions to an IRA or Keogh plan).

## 1979 Income Concept

To analyze changes in income and taxes over a period of years, a consistent definition of income should be used. Because the components of AGI may vary from year to year as the law changes, the "1979 Income Concept" was developed to provide a more uniform measure of income across tax years. By including the same income and deduction items in each year's income calculation and using only items available on Federal individual income tax returns, the definition of the 1979 Income Concept is consistent throughout the base years and can be used for future years to compare income by including only income components common to all years. Tax Years 1979 through 1986 were used as base years in identifying the income and deduction items included in this concept. The 1979 Income Concept applied to 2003 includes many income and deduction items that are also components of AGI (Figure G). However, unlike AGI, the 1979 Income Concept also includes some nontaxable (i.e., tax-exempt) amounts of income reported on individual income tax returns and disallowed passive loss deductions. In addition, only straight-line deductions for depreciation are included in the 1979 Income Concept [16].

## Figure $G$

## Components of the 1979 Income Concept, Tax Year 2003

Income or Loss:
Salaries and wages ${ }^{1}$
Interest ${ }^{1}$
Dividends ${ }^{1}$
Taxable refunds ${ }^{1}$
Alimony received ${ }^{1}$
Capital gain distributions not reported on Schedule D ${ }^{1}$
Capital gains reported on Schedule D minus allowable losses ${ }^{1}$
Other gains and losses (Form 4797) ${ }^{1}$
Business net income or loss ${ }^{1}$
Farm net income or loss ${ }^{1}$
Rent net income or loss ${ }^{1}$
Royalty net income or loss ${ }^{1}$
Partnership net income or loss ${ }^{1}$
S corporation net income or loss ${ }^{1}$
Farm rental net income or loss ${ }^{1}$
Estate or trust net income or loss ${ }^{1}$
Unemployment compensation ${ }^{1}$
Depreciation in excess of straight-line depreciation ${ }^{2}$
Total pension income ${ }^{3,4}$
Other net income or loss ${ }^{4,5}$
Net operating loss ${ }^{1}$
Deductions:
Disallowed passive losses (Form 8582) ${ }^{6}$
Moving expenses ${ }^{1}$
Alimony paid ${ }^{1}$
Unreimbursed business expenses ${ }^{6}$
${ }^{1}$ Included in adjusted gross income (less deficit) (AGI) for Tax Year 2003.
${ }^{2}$ Adjustment to add back excess depreciation (accelerated over straight-line depreciation) deducted in the course of a trade or business and included in net income (loss) amounts shown above.
${ }^{3}$ Includes taxable and tax-exempt pension and retirement distributions, including IRA distributions.
${ }^{4}$ Not fully included in AGI for Tax Year 2003.
${ }^{5}$ Includes an adjustment to add back amounts reported for the "foreign-earned income exclusion."
${ }^{6}$ Not included in AGI for Tax Year 2003.

## Modified Taxable Income

This concept is relevant only for "prior-year returns" (about 4.2 million returns) or certain farm sole proprietor returns using income averaging on Schedule J (about 41 thousand returns). For all other returns, modified taxable income is identical to taxable income.

This is the term used in the statistics to describe "income subject to tax," the actual base on which tax is computed. Each year, a small number of returns for prior tax years are filed during the same calendar year in which the tax returns for the current tax year are being selected for the Statistics of Income
sample. Some of these returns are selected for the sample and act as proxies for returns for the current tax year that will be filed during a later calendar year. The tax on these returns is based on a previous year's tax law (which may reflect different tax rates and income concepts). For the statistics in this article, the taxable incomes reported on these prioryear returns and those filed with a Schedule J are modified to equal an amount necessary to generate the tax actually shown on these returns using currentyear rates.

## Marginal Tax Rates

Under the progressive U.S. income tax rate structure, different portions of taxable income are taxed at different rates. Figure H illustrates how income tax is determined for a single taxpayer with AGI of $\$ 387,000$ who used the standard deduction. As shown in the example, six different tax rates were applied to the taxable income to arrive at total tax. The first $\$ 7,000$ of taxable income were taxed at the 10 -percent rate; the next $\$ 21,400$ of taxable income were taxed at the 15 -percent rate; the next $\$ 40,400$ were taxed at the 25 -percent rate; the next $\$ 74,700$ were taxed at the 28 -percent rate; the next $\$ 168,450$ were taxed at the 33-percent rate; and the remaining $\$ 70,300$ were taxed at the 35 -percent rate. For purposes of this article, the tax rate applied to the last dollar of income (given certain assumptions about which source of income provided the last dollar of income

## Figure H

Income Tax Calculation for a Single Taxpayer With One Exemption Who Used the Standard Deduction, Tax Year 2003
[Money amounts are in whole dollars]

| Item | Amount |
| :---: | :---: |
| Adjusted gross income. | 387,000 |
| Less: Exemption amount. | $0^{1}$ |
| Standard deduction amount. | 4,750 |
| Equals: Taxable income. | 382,250 |
| Tax based on tax rates for single taxpayers: |  |
| First \$7,000 taxed at 10 percent. | 700 |
| Next \$21,400 taxed at 15 percent. | 3,210 |
| Next \$40,400 taxed at 25 percent. | 10,100 |
| Next \$74,700 taxed at 28 percent.. | 20,916 |
| Next \$168,450 taxed at 33 percent. | 55,589 |
| Next \$70,300 taxed at 35 percent. | 24,605 |
| Total tax from tax rate schedule. | 115,120 |

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subject to tax) is the marginal tax rate for that return. In the example, the marginal tax rate is 35 percent.

Since the individual income tax structure includes various types of income, deductions, exclusions, credits, and taxes which are not subject to the same treatment under tax laws, the marginal tax rate is not always apparent. For instance, investment income of a dependent under age 14 in excess of a specific amount is treated differently than salaries and wages of the same dependent. The investment income in excess of $\$ 1,500$ was taxed at the marginal tax rate of the parents, whereas the salaries and wages were taxed at the dependent's own rate.

Calculating marginal tax rates for a specific individual income tax return generally depends both on the types and amounts of income reported and the assumptions made about the order in which the income is taxed, in particular, which type of income is assumed to be received "last." Additional complexity is added by the presence of such items as the alternative minimum tax and various tax credits.

For this article, it is assumed that the income taxed at the marginal rate was the "last" income received. The alternative minimum tax and income tax credits, such as the earned income credit, are excluded in determining the marginal tax rates. The marginal tax rate is defined as follows:
(1) If a return showed taxable income, the marginal tax rate of the return was the highest rate at which any amount of taxable income reported on the return was taxed.
(2) If the return had no taxable income except for net long-term capital gains or qualified dividends and that amount was less than or equal to the 15-percent tax bracket limit, the return was defined as having an "5-percent, 8-percent, or 10 -percent rate" marginal tax rate. If the return had taxable income (from other than net longterm capital gains) to which only the 15-percent tax rate applied, as well as net long-term capital gains to which the 20 -percent or 25 -percent rate on the net gain applied, the return was defined as having a marginal tax rate equal to the maximum rate at which the net gains were taxed. If the return had taxable income (from other than net long-term capital gains) to which the 25 -percent tax rate applied as the highest
rate, as well as net long-term capital gains to which the maximum 28-percent rate on net gain applied, the return was defined as having a "28percent" marginal tax rate. However, if the return had taxable income (from other than net long-term capital gains) above the maximum amount to which the 25-percent applied, as well as net long-term capital gains to which the 28percent rate on the net gain applied, the return was classified as having the highest rate at which any amount of taxable income reported on the return was taxed.
(3) For returns of dependents with a Form 8615 attached when the use of this form resulted in the taxation of some of the dependent's income as if it were that of the parents, the return was classified as having a "Form 8615" marginal tax rate (the returns in the Form 8615 classification are not distributed by tax rate).
(4) For returns of parents choosing to report interest and dividend incomes of their dependents under age 14 on their own (i.e., the parents') returns using Form 8814, when the dependent's income generated the only tax liability on the parent's return, the return was classified with a "Form 8814" marginal tax rate of 10 percent.

The classification of returns into marginal tax rate categories for Statistics of Income purposes was essentially a function of filing status, size of taxable income, presence of net long-term capital gains (in excess of net short-term capital losses) and/or qualified dividends, and presence of Form 8615 or Form 8814. Returns were classified into one of the following 15 mutually exclusive marginal tax rate categories: (1) 5-percent rate (capital gains); (2) 8-percent rate (capital gains); (3) 10-percent rate; (4) 10percent (capital gains); (5) Form 8814 (10-percent rate with no tax liability other than that generated by the dependent's income); (6) 15-percent rate; (7) 15percent (capital gains); (8) 20-percent rate; (9) 25percent rate; (10) 25-percent capital gains; (11) 28percent rate; (12) 28-percent capital gains; (13) 33percent rate; (14) 35-percent rate; and (15) Form 8615 (with income taxed at any rate) [17].

Table 1 presents statistics by marginal tax rate classification and filing status for returns with modi-
fied taxable income. For each marginal rate classification, modified taxable income and "income tax generated" were computed "at all rates" and "at marginal rate." The "at all rates" computations (columns 3 and 5) show the total amount of modified taxable income or tax generated, tabulated by the marginal tax rate specified; each tax rate classification is mutually exclusive. The "at marginal rate" computations (columns 4 and 6) report the specific amounts of modified taxable income taxed and the tax generated at the marginal tax rate shown, for all returns in each of the marginal rate classifications. The alternative minimum tax was not included in the statistics by marginal tax rate.

For example, consider returns in the "joint returns and returns of surviving spouses" filing status that were included in the "35-percent" marginal tax rate classification. The total modified taxable income for the 641,635 returns in this classification "at all rates" was $\$ 581.0$ billion (column 3), and the total tax generated was $\$ 173.7$ billion (column 5). Approximately $\$ 307.0$ billion (column 4) of the modified taxable income was subject to tax at the marginal tax rate of 35 percent. This modified taxable income generated $\$ 107.4$ billion (column 6) in tax at the 35 -percent tax rate with the remainder generated at some or all of the lower eight tax rates.

Table 2 provides statistics on the tax generated, in total and at each tax rate bracket, for returns with modified taxable income. Returns in this table are classified by size of AGI. The tax generated at each tax rate was computed based on the modified taxable income for each individual return.

For example, the 2.0 million returns included in the " $\$ 200,000$ under $\$ 500,000$ " income-size classification showed total modified taxable income of $\$ 483.4$ billion and generated total tax of $\$ 117.7$ billion. Of the $\$ 483.4$ billion of modified taxable income, $\$ 25.6$ billion were taxed at the 10 -percent (ordinary tax) rate, $\$ 77.3$ billion were taxed at the 15 -percent (ordinary tax rate), $\$ 103.7$ billion were taxed at the 25 -percent (ordinary tax) rate, $\$ 103.4$ billion were taxed at the 28-percent (ordinary tax) rate, $\$ 103.8$ billion were taxed at the 33 -percent rate, and $\$ 17.3$ billion were taxed at the 35 -percent rate, with the remainder consisting of income related to special capital gain and qualified dividend tax rates and Forms 8814 and 8615. For individuals in these classes, these were as follows: Approximately $\$ 0.12$
billion of the total tax generated were from the 5percent rate; $\$ .02$ billion of the total tax generated were from the 8 -percent rate; $\$ .02$ billion were from the 10 -percent rate, $\$ 5.3$ billion were from the 15 percent capital gain and qualified dividend rate; $\$ 2.4$ billion were from the 20 -percent capital gain rate, $\$ 0.5$ billion were from the 25 -percent capital gain rate, $\$ .02$ billion were from the 28 -percent capital gain rate, with the remainder from tax related to special capital gain tax rates and Forms 8814 and 8615.

Table 3 presents statistics on the income and tax generated at each tax rate by filing status, for returns with modified taxable income. Over 0.6 million of the 44.0 million returns with modified taxable income filed jointly had some income taxed at the 35 -percent tax rate. For these returns, the taxable income subject to this rate was $\$ 307.0$ billion, and the tax generated was $\$ 107.4$ billion.

## Appendix E: Computation of Alternative Minimum Taxable Income (AMTI)

AMTI was computed by adding certain "tax preferences" (i.e., deduction or exclusion amounts identified as potential sources of tax savings disallowed for AMT purposes) and "adjustments" (i.e., regular tax deduction amounts recomputed or excluded for AMT purposes) to taxable income before any deductions were taken for personal exemptions (Figures I-1 and I-2). Although itemized deductions for some taxpayers were limited for regular tax purposes, the full amounts of such itemized deductions were included as adjustments. (To compensate for this, the overall limitation on itemized deductions

## Figure l-1

## Calculation of Alternative Minimum Taxable Income (AMTI), Tax Year 2003

Taxable income before deduction for personal exemptions
PLUS: Adjustments and preferences (see Figure l-2)
PLUS: Net operating loss deduction
MINUS: Overall itemized deductions limitation
MINUS: Alternative tax net operating loss deduction ${ }^{1}$
EQUALS: Alternative minimum taxable income

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## Figure l-2

## Alternative Minimum Tax Adjustments and Preferences, Tax Year 2003

- Medical and dental expenses from Schedule $A$ (the lesser of deductible medical and dental expenses or 2.5 percent of AGI )
- Deductions for State and local income, real estate, personal property, and foreign taxes
- Deductions for interest on certain home mortgages not used to buy, build, or improve the taxpayer's main home or second home
- Miscellaneous itemized deductions subject to the 2-percent-of-AGI limitation
- Refunds of State and local income, real estate, personal property, and foreign taxes previously deducted (negative)
- Investment interest expense (the result could be negative)
- Excess of percentage depletion deduction for sections 611 and 613 property over the adjusted basis (the result could be negative)
- Tax-exempt interest from private activity bonds issued after August 7, 1986
- Excluded gain, under the section 1202 gain on qualified small business stock held more than 5 years, multiplied by 7 percent if sold after May 5,2003 , otherwise multiplied by 42 percent
- Incentive stock options which were exercised after 1987 (the amount by which the value of the option when exercised exceeded the price paid by the taxpayer; the result could be negative)

■ Difference between income distributions to beneficiaries of estates and trusts for regular tax purposes and the amounts refigured for AMT purposes (the result could be negative)

- Electing large partnerships, enter the amount from Schedule K-1 (Form 1065-B), box 6.
- Adjustment of gain or loss on property, the basis of which was affected by accelerated depreciation or rapid amortization and which was reduced for AMT purposes (the result could be negative)
- Excess of depreciation on property placed in service after 1986 over less liberal methods allowed for alternative minimum tax (AMT) purposes (straight-line or 150-percent declining balance method, depending on the type of property; the result could be negative)
- Passive activity gains and losses allowed for regular tax purposes for activities acquired before October 23, 1986, taking into account AMT adjustments and preference items and any AMT prior-year unallowed losses (the result could be negative)
- Adjustment for refigured loss from activities in which allowable losses from partnerships or $S$ corporations were limited by "at-risk" and other rules, taking into account AMT adjustments and preference items (the result could be negative)
- Excess of circulation expenditures paid or incurred after 1986 over allowable amortization if the expenditures were capitalized (the result could be negative)
- Deferred income from long-term contracts entered into after February 28, 1986, with certain exceptions and limitations (the result could be negative)
- Excess of mining exploration and development costs paid or incurred after 1986 over allowable amortization if the expenditures were capitalized (the result could be negative)
- Excess of research and experimental expenditures paid or incurred after 1986 over allowable amortization if the expenditures were capitalized (the result could be negative)
- Adjustment from disallowing the installment sales method of accounting for sales of inventory and stock in trade after March 1, 1986, with certain exceptions (the result is negative)
- Amount by which excess intangible drilling costs deducted currently over allowable amortization (if these costs were capitalized) were more than 65 percent of the taxpayer's "net income" from oil, gas, and geothermal wells, with exceptions for independent oil producers and royalty owners
- Excess of accelerated depreciation on property placed in service before 1987 over straight-line depreciation as refigured for AMT purposes
- Adjustment for taxable distributions received from a cooperative (total AMT patronage dividend and per-unit retain allocation adjustment)
- Excess of rapid amortization of pollution control facilities placed in service after 1986 over otherwise allowable depreciation (the result could be negative)
- Adjustment for refigured tax shelter farm losses, taking into account AMT adjustments and preference items (the result could be negative)
- Related adjustments, refigured for AMT purposes, including section 179 expense deduction, expenses for business or rental use of the home, conservation expenses, taxable IRA distributions, self-employed health insurance deduction, Keogh retirement plan or self-employed SEP deduction, and IRA deductions (the result could be negative)
was then subtracted from taxable income for AMT purposes.) The "net operating loss deduction" was recomputed to allow for the exclusion of the "tax preference items" and "adjustments" used to reduce regular tax liability. The recomputed net operating loss deduction, termed the "alternative net operating loss deduction," was limited to 90 percent of AMTI (with certain minor exceptions for 2003).

AMTI was reduced by an exemption amount which depended on the filing status of the individual and which was subject to phaseout at higher AMTI levels. The AMTI exemption for single filers (and heads of households) for 2003 was $\$ 40,250$; for joint filers and surviving spouses, $\$ 58,000$; and for married persons filing separately, $\$ 29,000$. The exemption was reduced (but not below zero) by 25 percent of the amount by which the AMTI exceeded threshold levels of $\$ 112,500$ for single filers and heads of households, $\$ 150,000$ for joint filers, and $\$ 75,000$ for married persons filing separately. The exemption was phased out completely for individuals whose filing status was single or head of household, married filing jointly, and married filing separately, at \$273,500, $\$ 382,000$, and $\$ 191,000$, of AMTI, respectively.

After reduction by the exemption, the first $\$ 175,000$ ( $\$ 87,500$ if married filing separately) of the remaining AMTI were subject to tax at a 26 -percent rate, with any excess taxed at a 28 -percent rate. However, capital gains and qualified dividends (recalculated for AMT purposes) that were taxed at lower rates ( 5 percent, 8 percent, 10 percent, 15 percent, 20 percent, and 25 percent) were taxed at these same rates for the AMT, with the rest of AMTI being taxed at the rates mentioned above ( 26 percent or 28 percent). The resulting tax was reduced by the "alternative minimum tax foreign tax credit," which produced a "tentative minimum tax." Tentative minimum tax was further reduced by the individual's regular tax before credits (excluding tax on lump-sum distributions from qualified retirement plans) less the foreign tax credit (for regular tax purposes) to yield the alternative minimum tax.

Dependents under the age of 14 with investment income over a certain amount who filed their own returns were subject to special rules for AMT purposes. These rules required that the dependents pay the same amount of AMT as their parents would have paid if the parents included the dependents'
incomes on their own tax returns. (Dependents filing their own returns were limited to an AMT exemption of $\$ 5,600$ plus their "earned incomes." The dependent's AMT could be reduced if the parents had regular tax greater than the child's own tentative minimum tax, or if any other dependent under age 14 of the same parents had regular tax greater than this dependent's own tentative minimum tax.)

## Appendix F: Data Sources and Limitations

These statistics are based on a sample of individual income tax returns (Forms 1040, 1040A, and 1040EZ, including electronically-filed returns) filed during Calendar Year 2004. Returns in the sample were stratified based on: (1) the larger of positive income or negative income; (2) the size of business and farm receipts; (3) the presence or absence of specific forms or schedules; and (4) the usefulness of returns for tax policy modeling purposes [18]. Returns were then selected at rates ranging from 0.05 percent to 100 percent. The 2003 data are based on a sample of 182,810 returns and an estimated final population of 131,291,334 returns. The corresponding sample and population for the 2002 data were 175,566 and 130,540,073 returns, respectively.

Since the data presented here are estimates based on a sample of returns filed, they are subject to sampling error. To properly use the statistical data provided, the magnitude of the potential sampling error must be known; coefficients of variation (CV's) are used to measure that magnitude. Figure J shows estimated CV's for the numbers of returns and money amounts for selected income items. The reliability of estimates based on samples, and the use of coefficients of variation for evaluating the precision of estimates based on samples, are discussed in the appendix to this issue of the Bulletin.

## Notes and References

[1] For Tax Years 1988 through 1990, the tax rate schedules provided only two basic rates: 15 percent and 28 percent. However, taxable income over certain levels was subject to a 33percent tax rate to phase out the benefit of the 15-percent tax bracket (as compared to the 28percent rate) and the deduction for personal exemptions. At the taxable income level where

Figure J
Coefficients of Variation for Selected Items, by Size of Adjusted Gross Income, Tax Year 2003
[Coefficients of variation are percentages]

| Size of adjusted gross income | Modified taxable income |  | Tax generated | Income tax after credits | Total income tax |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of returns | Amount |  |  |  |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) |
| Total.. | 0.17 | 0.17 | 0.20 | 0.20 | 0.20 |
| Under \$2,000 ${ }^{1}$. | 7.17 | 8.48 | 8.53 | 16.77 | 16.75 |
| \$2,000 under \$4,000... | 8.06 | 9.15 | 10.07 | 11.01 | 11.01 |
| \$4,000 under \$6,000.. | 4.11 | 5.19 | 5.57 | 5.72 | 5.72 |
| \$6,000 under \$8,000.... | 3.74 | 4.25 | 4.29 | 4.41 | 4.41 |
| \$8,000 under \$10,000... | 2.54 | 3.31 | 3.47 | 3.97 | 3.97 |
| \$10,000 under \$ 12,000 ... | 2.51 | 2.80 | 2.83 | 3.04 | 3.04 |
| \$12,000 under \$14,000... | 2.48 | 2.72 | 2.77 | 3.01 | 3.01 |
| \$14,000 under \$16,000... | 2.35 | 2.56 | 2.62 | 2.91 | 2.91 |
| \$16,000 under \$18,000.. | 2.21 | 2.55 | 2.62 | 2.97 | 2.97 |
| \$18,000 under \$20,000.. | 2.12 | 2.45 | 2.54 | 2.96 | 2.96 |
| \$20,000 under \$25,000... | 1.33 | 1.49 | 1.56 | 1.86 | 1.86 |
| \$25,000 under \$30,000.. | 1.40 | 1.53 | 1.60 | 1.90 | 1.90 |
| \$30,000 under \$40,000... | 1.05 | 1.13 | 1.18 | 1.30 | 1.30 |
| \$40,000 under \$50,000... | 1.08 | 1.13 | 1.20 | 1.37 | 1.37 |
| \$50,000 under \$75,000... | 0.77 | 0.81 | 0.86 | 0.91 | 0.91 |
| \$75,000 under \$100,000. | 0.95 | 0.97 | 1.03 | 1.08 | 1.08 |
| \$100,000 under \$200,000... | 0.97 | 0.90 | 0.91 | 0.91 | 0.91 |
| \$200,000 under \$500,000.. | 1.00 | 0.89 | 0.91 | 0.90 | 0.90 |
| \$500,000 under \$1,000,000.. | 1.16 | 1.03 | 1.06 | 1.06 | 1.06 |
| \$1,000,000 under \$1,500,000.... | 1.40 | 1.28 | 1.35 | 1.37 | 1.37 |
| \$1,500,000 under \$2,000,000... | 1.22 | 1.21 | 1.27 | 1.28 | 1.28 |
| \$2,000,000 under \$5,000,000... | 0.64 | 0.59 | 0.62 | 0.59 | 0.59 |
| \$5,000,000 under \$10,000,000... | 0.71 | 0.55 | 0.60 | 0.62 | 0.62 |
| \$10,000,000 or more.......................... | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |

${ }^{1}$ Includes returns with adjusted gross deficit.
these benefits were completely phased out, the tax rate returned to 28 percent.
[2] Nontaxable (i.e., tax-exempt) forms of income, such as interest on State and local government obligations, were not included in AGI and generally did not affect the marginal tax rate. However, in some situations, the receipt of some forms of tax-exempt income, such as tax-exempt interest, could have influenced the taxability of other income, in particular Social Security benefits. When this situation occurred, the income made taxable by the receipt of other forms of nontaxable income was included in AGI.
[3] These 2002 are data from Parisi, Michael, "Individual Income Tax Rates and Shares, 2002," Statistics of Income Bulletin Winter 2004-2005, Volume 24, Number 3, pp. 20-58.
[4] Tax generated does not include certain other taxes reported on the individual income tax return, such as self-employment tax (the Social Security tax on income from self-employment); the Social Security tax on certain tip income; tax from the recapture of prior-year investment or low-income housing credits; tax applicable to early withdrawals from an Individual Retirement Arrangement (IRA) or other qualified retirement plans; tax on trusts, accumulation, and distributions; and household employment taxes. The statistics for "total tax liability," shown in Parisi, Michael, and Hollenbeck, Scott, "Individual Income Tax Returns: 2003," Statistics of Income Bulletin, Fall 2005, Volume 25, Number 2, include these taxes.
[5] The income amounts on which these special computations for lump-sum distributions were
based were not reflected in current-year AGI or current-year taxable income.
[6] For 2003, the total earned income credit was $\$ 38.7$ billion. This amount includes the amount used to reduce the income tax ( $\$ 0.9$ billion), the amount used to reduce other taxes reported on individual income tax returns ( $\$ 3.7$ billion), and the amount refunded to taxpayers (\$34 billion). Table 4 in Parisi, Michael, and Hollenbeck, Scott, "Individual Income Tax Returns: 2003," Statistics of Income Bulletin, Fall 2005, Volume 25, Number 2, shows these amounts.
[7] The percentile groupings of tax filers exclude returns with zero or negative AGI.
[8] For an explanation of the osculatory interpolation technique, see Oh, H. Lock, "Osculatory Interpolation with a Monotonicity Constraint," 1977 Proceedings of the American Statistical Association, Section on Statistical Computing, 1978.
[9] Taxpayers fall into one of five filing statuses: single; married filing jointly; married filing separately; head of household; or surviving spouse. Being age 65 or older or being legally blind affects the amount of the standard deduction and, hence, the filing requirements. Taxpayers who are (or could be) dependents of other taxpayers have different filing requirements. For more information on the general filing requirements, see Parisi, Michael, and Hollenbeck, Scott, "Individual Income Tax Returns: 2003," Statistics of Income Bulletin, Fall 2005, Volume 25, Number 2.
[10] As defined under section 61 of the Internal Revenue Code, gross income includes amounts from wages and salaries, interest and dividends, alimony, bartering income, canceled debt income, gambling winnings, rents and royalties, and gains from property sales or exchanges, as well as gross income from sole proprietorships and farming, income from partnerships and S corporations, and distributions from estates and trusts. This definition of gross income is slightly different from the Form 1040, U.S. Individual

Income Tax Return, concept of "total income," which is a component of the adjusted gross income (AGI) calculation on Form 1040. Total income includes net amounts rather than gross amounts (income prior to deductions) from such items as business income and rents and royalties.
[11] As defined under Internal Revenue Code section 62, deductible expenses are those incurred in the course of a trade or business or in connection with rents and royalties; losses from property sales or exchanges; and certain statutory adjustments, such as deductible contributions to an IRA or Keogh plan, moving expenses, or the health insurance deduction for certain self-employed taxpayers.
[12] Income tax before credits includes tax on lumpsum distributions from qualified retirement plans.
[13] The 26-percent tax rate is for AMT purposes only.
[14] For taxable income between $\$ 0$ and $\$ 5$ and between $\$ 5$ and $\$ 25$, the tax brackets were $\$ 5$ and $\$ 10$ wide, respectively. For taxable income between $\$ 25$ and $\$ 3,000$, the brackets were $\$ 25$ wide. Brackets for taxable income above $\$ 3,000$ were $\$ 50$ wide.
[15] For example, assume a taxpayer filing as "married filing separately" reported taxable income of $\$ 98,000$. Using the tax table, the tax would be $\$ 23,071$, but, using the tax rate schedules, the tax would be $\$ 23,062.75$, a difference of \$8.25.
[16] For more details on the income computation under the 1979 Income Concept for 2003, see Individual Income Tax Returns 2003, Statistics of Income Division, Internal Revenue Service, Publication 1304.
[17] For some taxpayers, the statutory marginal tax rate may differ from the effective marginal tax rate. For example, extra income received by certain taxpayers may result in the phaseout of their personal exemptions as well as some of their itemized deductions. Therefore, an extra \$1 of income could add more than \$1 of taxable

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income. While this taxpayer could face a statutory marginal tax rate of 35 percent, the effective marginal rate faced by the taxpayer would be somewhat higher.
[18] Returns in the sample were stratified based on the presence or absence of one or more of the
following forms or schedules: Form 2555, Foreign Earned Income; Form 1116, Foreign Tax Credit (Individual, Fiduciary, or Nonresident Alien Individual); Schedule C, Profit or Loss From Business (Sole Proprietorship); and Schedule F, Profit or Loss From Farming.

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Table 1.--Returns with Modified Taxable Income: Tax Classified by Marginal Tax Rate, Tax Year 2003
[All tigures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands ot dollars]

| Highest marginal rate at which tax was computed | Number of returns | Adjusted gross income (less deficit) | Modified taxable income |  | Tax generated |  | Income tax after credits |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Taxed at all rates | Taxed at marginal rate | At all rates | At marginal rate | Total | As a percentage of-- |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Adjusted gross income (less deficit) | Modified taxable income |
| All returns | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) |
|  | 101,386,201 | 6,056,906,001 | 4,206,592,864 | 1,476,381,921 | 780,309,227 | 331,464,700 | 747,690,732 | 12.3 | 17.8 |
| 5 percent.. | 678,141 | 14,989,722 | 4,130,293 | 4,115,356 | 208,010 | 205,768 | 262,065 | 1.7 | 6.3 |
| 8 percent. | 68,473 | 1,841,020 | 720,891 | 393,867$106,135,364$ | 47,862 | 31,509 | 42,418 | 2.3 | 5.9 |
| 10 percent. | 23,243,875 | 416,481,979 | 106,142,753 |  | 10,615,439 | 10,613,536 | 5,354,716 | 1.3 | 5.0 |
| 10 percent (capital gains)... | 2,583,832 | 59,446,450 | 19,866,025 | 1,240,723 | 1,689,343 | 124,072 | 1,339,994 | 2.3 | 6.7 |
| 10 percent (Form 8814) ${ }^{1}$... | 13,826 | -295,440 | 8,681 | 8,681 | 870 | 870 | 492 | (X) | 5.7 |
| 15 percent... | 40,997,696 | $1,662,347,629$$401,021,331$ | 1,000,557,078 | 574,796,758 | 128,796,537 | 86,219,514 | 108,471,544 | 6.5 | 10.8 |
| 15 percent (capital gains) ${ }^{2} \ldots$ | 6,474,523 |  | 259,768,302 | 48,385,193 | 33,235,065 | 7,257,779 | 31,088,912 | 7.8 | 12.0 |
| 20 percent.. | 430,386 | 82,983,621 | 67,771,415 | 28,642,759 | 10,720,608 | 5,728,552 | 10,961,066 | 13.2 | 16.2 |
| 25 percent... | 15,578,547 | 1,190,502,522 | 887,311,030 | 238,553,113 | 148,923,302 | 59,638,278 | 145,051,874 | 12.2 | 16.3 |
| 25 percent (capital gains).. | 5,751,843 | 573,198,788 | 436,467,662 | 3,624,425 | 74,792,138 | 906,106 | 73,936,476 | 12.9 | 16.9 |
| 28 percent... | 1,756,615 | 243,393,541 | 196,015,310 | 35,135,435 | 41,655,938 | 9,837,922102,035 | 41,854,635 | $17.2 \mid 21.4$ |  |
| 28 percent (capital gains)... | 1,678,502 | 288,503,732 | 233,408,084 | $\begin{array}{r} 364,409 \\ 66,200,131 \end{array}$ | 48,461,009 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 49,376,294 \\ & 76,331,709 \end{aligned}$ | 17.1 21.2 |  |
| 33 percent... | 1,277,577 | $\begin{aligned} & 358,924,926 \\ & 762,484,568 \end{aligned}$ | 305,591,419 |  | 74,561,983 | 21,846,043 |  | 21.3 25.0 |  |
| 35 percent. | 752,028 |  | $\begin{array}{r} 687,885,619 \\ 948,301 \end{array}$ | 367,903,515 | 206,409,506 | 128,766,230 | 203,427,104 | 26.7 | 29.6 |
| Form $8615{ }^{3}$.. | 100,337 | 1,081,611 |  | 882,194 | 191,617 | 186,486 | 191,432 | 17.7 | 20.2 |
| Joint returns and returns of surviving spouses |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total... | 44,033,987 | 4,041,178,963 | 2,867,802,099 | 961,330,648 | 551,095,132 | 229,187,721 | 529,558,212 | 13.1 | 18.5 |
| 5 percent... | $\begin{array}{r} 226,593 \\ 28,357 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9,071,074 \\ & 1,260,125 \end{aligned}$ | 2,408,091 | 2,397,958 | 121,423 | 119,898 | 181,098 | 2.0 | 7.5 |
| 8 percent.. |  |  | 482,473 | $\begin{array}{r} 229,770 \\ 45,358,064 \end{array}$ | 31,018 | $18,382$ | 27,770$2,027,059$ | 2.2 5.8 |  |
| 10 percent.. | $6,575,099$ | 185,117,314 | 45,359,508 |  | 4,536,273 |  |  | 1.1 - 4.5 |  |
| 10 percent (capital gains)... | $1,216,493$ | 39,784,897 | 12,722,831 | $\begin{array}{r} 845,611 \\ 4,937 \end{array}$ | 1,097,882 | 84,561 | 828,426 | . 1 6.5 |  |
| 10 percent (Form 8814) ${ }^{1}$... | 8,229 | -335,049 | 4,937 |  | 494 | 494 | 492 | (X) 10.0 |  |
| 15 percent.. | 17,301,376 | $\begin{aligned} & 991,052,577 \\ & 309,387,745 \end{aligned}$ | 590,474,243 | 348,251,552 | 76,460,433 | 52,237,733 | 63,120,860 | 6.4 | 10.7 |
| 15 percent (capital gains) ${ }^{2}$. | 4,273,780 |  | 199,278,450 | 32,487,270 | 25,558,411 | 4,873,091 | 23,582,774 | 7.6 | 11.8 |
| 20 percent. | 247,502 | 60,491,852 | 49,621,305 | 21,055,514 | 7,881,862 | 4,211,103 | 8,049,791 | 13.3 | 16.2 |
| 25 percent... | 6,880,658 | 711,982,085 | 520,962,922 | 130,138,165 | 86,342,426 | 32,534,541 | 83,171,568 | 11.7 | 16.0 |
| 25 percent (capital gains)... | 3,636,716 | 431,399,229 | 325,684,263 | 2,814,052 | 55,354,781 | 703,513 | 54,492,787 | 12.6 | 16.7 |
| 28 percent... | 858,563 | 147,439,850 | 116,716,483 | 18,281,985 | 24,249,917 | 5,118,956 | 24,395,323 | 16.5 | 20.9 |
| 28 percent (capital gains)... | 1,146,349 | 219,173,629 | 176,081,085 | 264,694 | 36,115,227 | 74,114 | 36,941,285 | 16.9 | 21.0 |
| 33 percent....... | 992,637 | 291,193,510 | 246,974,688 | 52,242,380 | 59,603,838 | 17,239,985 | 61,036,805 | 21.0 | 24.7 |
| 35 percent..... | 641,635 | 644,160,124 | 581,030,822 | 306,958,696 | 173,741,145 | 107,435,544 | 171,702,173 | 26.7 | 29.6 |
| Form $8615{ }^{3}$. | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | (X) | (X) |
| Returns of married persons filing separately |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total... | 2,027,382 | 101,649,749 | 74,697,606 | 31,623,916 | 14,992,426 | 7,966,313 | 14,598,485 | 14.4 | 19.5 |
| 5 percent... | 1,866 | 38,565 | 20,834 | 20,834 | 1,041 | 1,042 | 1,471 | 3.8 | 7.1 |
| 8 percent.... | 948 | 15,165 | 686 | 185 | 40 | 15 | 40 | 0.3 | 5.8 |
| 10 percent..... | 285,859 | 3,911,186 | 944,457 | 944,457 | 94,453 | 94,446 | 71,425 | 1.8 | 7.6 |
| 10 percent (capital gains)... | 10,837 | 277,351 | 84,363 | 10,031 | 7,209 | 1,003 | 9,044 | 3.3 | 10.7 |
| 10 percent (Form 8814) ${ }^{1}$...... | 31 | 364 | 47 | 47 | 5 | 5 | -- | (X) | (X) |
| 15 percent........................ | 973,600 | 26,698,033 | 16,372,795 | 9,557,595 | 2,115,179 | 1,433,639 | 1,936,365 | 7.3 | 11.8 |
| 15 percent (capital gains) ${ }^{2} \ldots$ | 94,852 | 5,406,537 | 3,703,484 | 1,656,878 | 496,361 | 248,532 | 520,643 | 9.6 | 14.1 |
| 20 percent......................... | 5,913 | 1,708,145 | 1,410,614 | 670,494 | 238,071 | 134,099 | 250,973 | 14.7 | 17.8 |
| 25 percent... | 417,625 | 21,634,442 | 16,168,345 | 4,307,799 | 2,709,915 | 1,076,950 | 2,679,526 | 12.4 | 16.6 |
| 25 percent (capital gains)..... | 75,576 | 4,786,814 | 3,667,555 | 92,274 | 626,873 | 23,069 | 633,987 | 13.2 | 17.3 |
| 28 percent....................... | 79,505 | 6,709,440 | 5,371,749 | 814,135 | 1,113,743 | 227,958 | 1,103,876 | 16.5 | 20.5 |
| 28 percent (capital gains)... | 21,539 | 2,186,965 | 1,830,782 | -- | 375,149 | -- | 380,399 | 17.4 | 20.8 |
| 33 percent..... | 36,406 | 5,228,425 | 4,356,559 | 833,037 | 1,042,067 | 274,902 | 1,074,201 | 20.5 | 24.7 |
| 35 percent.... | 22,824 | 23,048,318 | 20,765,338 | 12,716,151 | 6,172,321 | 4,450,653 | 5,936,534 | 25.8 | 28.6 |
| Form $8615{ }^{3}$. | -- | - | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | (X) | (X) |

[^7]
## Individual Income Tax Rates and Shares, 2003

Table 1.--Returns with Modified Taxable Income: Tax Classified by Marginal Tax Rate, Tax Year 2003 --Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Highest marginal rate at which tax was computed | Number of returns | Adjusted gross income (less deficit) | Modified taxable income |  | Tax generated |  | Income tax after credits |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Taxed at all rates | Taxed at marginal rate |  | At marginal rate | Total | As a percentage of-- |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | At all rates |  |  | Adjusted <br> gross <br> income <br> (less deficit) | Modified taxable income |
| Returns of heads of households | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) |
|  | 13,218,829 | 479,466,173 | 258,524,437 | 113,932,793 | 39,252,287 | 19,272,331 | 31,310,258 | 6.5 | 12.1 |
| Total. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5 percent. | 17,833 | $\begin{array}{r} 622,592 \\ 85,868 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 173,145 \\ 18,608 \end{array}$ | 173,145 | 8,659 | 8,657 | 4,055 | 0.7 | 2.3 |
| 8 percent.. | 2,238 |  |  | 18,608 | 1,488 2,566 | 1,489 | --- | (X) | (X) |
| 10 percent... | $\begin{array}{r} 5,449,711 \\ 108,516 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 110,462,842 \\ 2,437,285 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 18,608 \\ 25,657,553 \end{array}$ | 25,652,289 | 2,566,017 | 2,565,229 | $294,170$ | 0.3 | 1.1 |
| 10 percent (capital gains)... |  |  | $762,832$ | 81,3533,356 | 68,098 | 8,135 | $29,106$ | 1.2 | 3.8 |
| 10 percent (Form 8814) ${ }^{1}$.. | 4,613 | $37,166$ | 3,356 |  | 337 | 337 | -- | (X) | (X) |
| 15 percent... | $\begin{array}{r} 5,886,561 \\ 289,602 \end{array}$ | 215,681,160 | 119,272,449 | 60,403,475 | 14,947,590 | 9,060,521 | 9,908,212 | 4.6 | 8.3 |
| 15 percent (capital gains) ${ }^{2}$. |  | 13,866,378 |  | 1,333,990 | 1,098,423 | 200,099 | 942,231 | 6.8 | 10.9 |
| 20 percent....................... | 7,870 | 1,286,323 | 1,001,864 | $\begin{array}{r} 500,375 \\ 15,815,943 \end{array}$ | 161,835 | $\begin{array}{r} 100,075 \\ 3,953,986 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 167,401 \\ 9,419,662 \end{array}$ | 13.0 | 16.7 |
| 25 percent.... | $\begin{array}{r} 1,130,895 \\ 179,248 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 81,429,236 \\ & 15,899,437 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 58,846,484 \\ & 11,735,740 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 9,843,254 \\ & 2,069,150 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | 11.6 |  |
| 25 percent (capital gains).. |  |  |  | $116,971$ |  | $29,243$ <br> 251,829 | $\begin{aligned} & 9,419,662 \\ & 2,056,084 \end{aligned}$ | 12.9 17.5 |  |
| 28 percent.................... | 53,370 | $7,641,743$ | $6,142,963$ | $899,390$ | 1,332,965 |  | 1,364,713 | 17.9 22.2 |  |
| 28 percent (capital gains)... | $\begin{aligned} & 37,702 \\ & 34,932 \\ & 15,740 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6,156,912 \\ 9,059,843 \\ 14,799,389 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,042,836 \\ 7,745,815 \\ 13,470,450 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,427 \\ 1,701,677 \\ 7,230,795 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,079,404 \\ & 1,942,583 \\ & 4,132,483 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 400 \\ 561,553 \\ 2,530,778 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,121,460 \\ & 2,005,245 \\ & 3,997,918 \end{aligned}$ | 18.2 22.2 |  |
| 33 percent...................... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 22.1 | 25.9 |
| 35 percent... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 27.0 | 29.7 |
| Form $8615{ }^{3}$. | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | (X) | (X) |
| Returns of single persons |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total.. | 42,106,004 | 1,434,611,116 | 1,005,568,721 | 369,494,564 | 174,969,382 | 75,038,339 | 172,223,777 | 12.0 | 17.1 |
| 5 percent.. | $431,848$ <br> 36,930 | 5,257,491 | $\begin{array}{r} 1,528,224 \\ 219,124 \end{array}$ | $1,523,419$ | $\begin{aligned} & 76,887 \\ & 15.315 \end{aligned}$ | 76,171 | 75,441 | 1.4 | 4.9 |
| 8 percent. |  |  |  | $34,180,554$ |  | 11,624 | 14,608 | 3.0 | 6.7 |
| 10 percent. | $\begin{array}{r} 36,930 \\ 10 \text { азз } 706 \end{array}$ |  | 34,181,236 <br> 6,295,998 |  | $15,315$ |  | $2,962,062$473,418 | 2.5 | 8.7 |
| 10 percent (capital gains)... | $\begin{array}{r} 10,933,206 \\ 1,247,986 \end{array}$ | $16,946,917$ |  | 303,729 | $516,153$ | $30,373$ |  | 2.8 | 7.5 |
| 10 percent (Form 8814) ${ }^{1}$.. | 953 | 2,079 | $\begin{array}{r} 6,295,998 \\ 342 \end{array}$ | 342 | 34 | 34 | -- | (X) | (X) |
| 15 percent....................... | 16,836,159 | 428,915,859 | $\begin{array}{r} 342 \\ 274,437,591 \end{array}$ | 156,584,137 | 35,273,335 | 23,487,621 | 33,506,106 | 7.88.4 | 12.2 |
| 15 percent (capital gains) ${ }^{2}$. | $\begin{array}{r} 1,816,289 \\ 169,101 \end{array}$ | $19,497,301$ | $48,136,026$ | 12,907,055 | 6,081,869 | 1,936,058 | 6,043,264 |  | 12.6 |
| 20 percent... |  |  | 15,737,633 | 6,416,375 | 2,438,840 | 1,283,275 | 2,492,901 | 12.8 | 15.8 |
| 25 percent... | 7,149,369 | 375,456,760 | 291,333,280 | 88,291,206 | 50,027,708 | 22,072,802 | 49,781,118 | 13.3 | 17.1 |
| 25 percent (capital gains)... | 1,860,304 | 121,113,308 | 95,380,104 | 601,128 | 16,741,335 | 150,282 | 16,753,617 | 13.8 | 17.6 |
| 28 percent................... | 765,177 | 81,602,508 | 67,784,116 | 15,139,925 | 14,959,313 | 4,239,179 | 14,990,723 | 18.4 | 22.1 |
| 28 percent (capital gains)...... | 472,913 | 60,986,225 | 50,453,381 | 98,288 | 10,891,229 | 27,521 | 10,933,150 | 17.9 | 21.7 |
| 33 percent................ | 213,603 | 53,443,148 | 46,514,357 | 11,423,038 | 11,973,494 | 3,769,603 | 12,215,457 | 22.9 | 26.3 |
| 35 percent.... | 71,829 | 80,476,737 | 72,619,009 | 40,997,872 | 22,363,556 | 14,349,255 | 21,790,480 | 27.1 | 30.0 |
| Form $8615^{3}$.................... | 100,337 | 1,081,611 | 948,301 | 882,194 | 191,617 | 186,486 | 191,432 | 17.7 | 20.2 |

${ }^{1}$ Form 8814 was filed for a dependent child under age 14 for whom the parents made the election to report the child's investment income (if it was from interest or dividends totaling between $\$ 750$ and $\$ 7,500$ ) on the parents' income tax return. This rate classification is comprised of those returns with a tax liability only from the dependent's income.
${ }^{2}$ The 15 -percent capital gain rate also includes qualified dividends.
${ }^{3}$ Form 8615 was filed for a child under age 14 to report the child's investment income in excess of $\$ 1,500$. The returns in this rate classification are not distributed by tax rate
(X) Percentage not computed.

NOTE: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.

Table 2.--Returns with Modified Taxable Income: Tax Generated by Rate and by Size of Adjusted Gross Income, Tax Year 2003
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Size of adjusted gross income | Number of returns | Taxable income | Modified taxable income | Tax generated at all rates | Tax generated at specified rate |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 5 percent |  |  | 8 percent |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | Number <br> of returns | Income taxed at rate | Tax generated at rate | Number <br> of returns | Income taxed at rate | Tax generated at rate |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| Total. | 101,386,201 | 4,200,198,884 | 4,206,592,864 | 780,309,227 | 9,833,227 | 33,552,373 | 1,677,914 | 1,058,265 | 3,780,577 | 302,428 |
| Under \$2,000 ${ }^{1}$. | 306,971 | 133,341 | 135,890 | 11,228 | 146,816 | 54,370 | 2,723 | 14,746 | 1,232 | 96 |
| \$2,000 under \$4,000. | 252,214 | 306,304 | 309,924 | 30,903 | 108,818 | 89,114 | 4,456 | 15,489 | 4,637 | 370 |
| \$4,000 under \$6,000. | 1,088,782 | 901,452 | 902,101 | 88,988 | 127,313 | 100,095 | 4,998 | 15,743 | 13,829 | 1,106 |
| \$6,000 under \$8,000.. | 1,327,663 | 2,576,620 | 2,581,019 | 254,546 | 76,153 | 105,597 | 5,284 | *2,942 | *3,384 | *270 |
| \$8,000 under \$10,000. | 2,708,320 | 5,247,379 | 5,299,908 | 534,454 | 178,848 | 130,319 | 6,517 | *6,753 | *14,773 | *1,182 |
| \$10,000 under \$ 12,000. | 2,773,154 | 9,312,280 | 9,382,820 | 932,199 | 235,793 | 211,158 | 10,566 | 20,660 | 11,090 | 886 |
| \$12,000 under \$ 14,000. | 2,835,848 | 13,112,939 | 13,186,471 | 1,325,606 | 233,814 | 250,765 | 12,541 | *10,293 | *8,712 | *697 |
| \$14,000 under \$16,000.. | 3,160,163 | 18,454,981 | 18,587,500 | 1,898,310 | 262,748 | 437,116 | 21,862 | 28,748 | 44,417 | 3,553 |
| \$16,000 under \$18,000.. | 3,558,118 | 22,431,789 | 22,520,835 | 2,441,156 | 278,628 | 446,599 | 22,347 | 27,079 | 23,721 | 1,894 |
| \$18,000 under \$20,000. | 3,801,322 | 27,977,560 | 28,135,544 | 3,169,157 | 343,171 | 505,429 | 25,289 | 37,482 | 41,783 | 3,342 |
| \$20,000 under \$25,000. | 9,017,109 | 90,709,409 | 91,182,518 | 10,631,719 | 726,473 | 1,386,090 | 69,336 | 83,047 | 145,190 | 11,617 |
| \$25,000 under \$30,000. | 8,231,170 | 114,185,800 | 114,621,949 | 13,880,145 | 713,408 | 1,228,471 | 61,438 | 74,472 | 155,099 | 12,406 |
| \$30,000 under \$40,000.. | 13,724,590 | 273,848,438 | 274,442,822 | 34,725,739 | 1,448,840 | 2,995,072 | 149,790 | 151,113 | 219,192 | 17,534 |
| \$40,000 under \$50,000.. | 10,356,423 | 286,908,791 | 287,303,379 | 39,416,550 | 1,128,287 | 2,959,979 | 148,055 | 138,708 | 309,804 | 24,776 |
| \$50,000 under \$75,000.. | 17,318,862 | 707,527,353 | 708,440,519 | 103,554,424 | 2,407,995 | 7,567,900 | 378,451 | 272,171 | 897,856 | 71,825 |
| \$75,000 under \$100,000.. | 9,528,081 | 577,227,012 | 577,755,776 | 90,071,461 | 957,583 | 5,509,690 | 275,518 | 102,760 | 719,388 | 57,552 |
| \$100,000 under \$200,000.. | 8,864,329 | 875,864,823 | 876,960,093 | 165,058,719 | 341,795 | 5,952,185 | 297,620 | 45,247 | 882,551 | 70,606 |
| \$200,000 under \$500,000. | 1,996,650 | 482,851,392 | 483,357,788 | 117,695,811 | 86,620 | 2,480,833 | 124,043 | 8,868 | 226,708 | 18,136 |
| \$500,000 under \$1,000,000.. | 355,526 | 212,835,816 | 213,060,087 | 60,145,607 | 17,175 | 617,449 | 30,873 | 1,090 | 27,625 | 2,210 |
| \$1,000,000 under \$1,500,000. | 81,525 | 88,369,158 | 88,446,206 | 25,758,910 | 5,219 | 190,481 | 9,524 | 435 | 16,722 | 1,338 |
| \$1,500,000 under \$2,000,000. | 33,950 | 52,503,976 | 52,575,144 | 15,462,081 | 2,176 | 91,449 | 4,572 | 167 | 5,483 | 439 |
| \$2,000,000 under \$5,000,000. | 48,176 | 128,218,696 | 128,414,292 | 37,415,357 | 3,627 | 153,014 | 7,651 | 177 | 5,350 | 428 |
| \$5,000,000 under \$10,000,000 | 11,151 | 68,513,593 | 68,612,525 | 19,637,138 | 1,084 | 50,221 | 2,511 | 41 | 1,107 | 89 |
| \$10,000,000 or more. | 6,106 | 140,179,982 | 140,377,754 | 36,169,017 | 840 | 38,976 | 1,949 | 33 | 924 | 74 |
| Size of adjusted gross income |  | Tax generated at specified rate--continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 10 percent |  |  | 10 percent (capital gains) |  |  | 10 percent (from Form 8814) ${ }^{2}$ |  |  |
|  |  | Number of returns | Income taxed at rate | Tax generated at rate | Number of returns | Income taxed at rate | Tax generated at rate | Number of returns | Income taxed at rate | Tax generated at rate |
|  |  | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) |
| Total.. |  | 100,367,644 | 914,053,162 | 91,405,316 | 1,445,014 | 3,942,692 | 394,305 | 92,871 | 62,588 | 6,267 |
| Under \$2,000 ${ }^{\text {².. }}$ |  | 212,221 | 71,290 | 7,129 | 18,473 | 2,526 | 253 | 3,665 | 2,574 | 258 |
| \$2,000 under \$4,000. |  | 203,297 | 159,238 | 15,924 | 20,269 | 7,581 | 759 | -- | -- | -- |
| \$4,000 under \$6,000.. |  | 1,048,326 | 743,459 | 74,346 | *12,849 | *10,674 | *1,066 | *952 | *682 | *69 |
| \$6,000 under \$8,000... |  | 1,308,015 | 2,438,212 | 243,821 | *9,905 | *4,639 | *465 | -- | -- | -- |
| \$8,000 under \$10,000... |  | 2,629,500 | 5,055,013 | 505,501 | 17,299 | 9,634 | 966 | *983 | *345 | *35 |
| \$10,000 under \$ 12,000.. |  | 2,718,084 | 9,092,170 | 909,217 | 40,755 | 18,660 | 1,864 | *2,314 | *2,008 | *202 |
| \$12,000 under \$ 14,000.. |  | 2,806,138 | 12,547,233 | 1,254,723 | 27,283 | 12,279 | 1,226 | *1,990 | *1,425 | *143 |
| \$14,000 under \$16,000.. |  | 3,110,666 | 16,877,312 | 1,687,731 | 32,305 | 12,271 | 1,226 | *963 | *722 | *72 |
| \$16,000 under \$18,000... |  | 3,514,588 | 17,828,757 | 1,782,876 | 48,019 | 26,930 | 2,696 | *2,942 | *885 | *88 |
| \$18,000 under \$20,000... |  | 3,729,100 | 19,904,672 | 1,990,467 | 51,353 | 65,984 | 6,600 | *1,990 | *1,425 | *143 |
| \$20,000 under \$25,000... |  | 8,915,110 | 57,930,376 | 5,793,038 | 100,091 | 86,646 | 8,667 | *4,237 | *3,889 | *391 |
| \$25,000 under \$30,000... |  | 8,195,414 | 63,536,664 | 6,353,666 | 109,922 | 148,993 | 14,900 | *3,890 | *2,105 | *211 |
| \$30,000 under \$40,000... |  | 13,661,593 | 126,677,101 | 12,667,710 | 204,406 | 370,886 | 37,105 | *5,951 | *2,610 | *261 |
| \$40,000 under \$50,000... |  | 10,315,126 | 109,246,082 | 10,924,608 | 174,425 | 337,384 | 33,734 | *7,925 | *5,192 | *518 |
| \$50,000 under \$75,000... |  | 17,251,628 | 202,863,761 | 20,286,376 | 398,324 | 1,070,424 | 107,050 | 10,135 | 5,688 | 568 |
| \$75,000 under \$100,000... |  | 9,479,613 | 121,509,542 | 12,150,954 | 127,766 | 914,172 | 91,426 | 8,940 | 5,448 | 546 |
| \$100,000 under \$200,000... |  | 8,793,836 | 115,233,968 | 11,523,397 | 42,538 | 601,415 | 60,144 | 22,548 | 17,617 | 1,764 |
| \$200,000 under \$500,000... |  | 1,960,517 | 25,646,763 | 2,564,676 | 6,946 | 167,148 | 16,715 | 9,059 | 6,732 | 673 |
| \$500,000 under \$1,000,000. |  | 344,467 | 4,489,203 | 448,920 | 1,305 | 47,260 | 4,726 | 2,826 | 2,044 | 205 |
| \$1,000,000 under \$1,500,000.. |  | 77,759 | 1,004,809 | 100,481 | 307 | 10,024 | 1,002 | 617 | 439 | 44 |
| \$1,500,000 under \$2,000,000.. |  | 32,173 | 418,266 | 41,827 | 118 | 4,348 | 435 | 304 | 214 | 21 |
| \$2,000,000 under \$5,000,000... |  | 45,033 | 582,204 | 58,220 | 270 | 9,676 | 968 | 431 | 358 | 36 |
| \$5,000,000 under \$10,000,000... |  | 10,153 | 129,826 | 12,983 | 43 | 1,530 | 153 | 141 | 128 | 13 |
| \$10,000,000 or more. |  | 5,285 | 67,242 | 6,724 | 43 | 1,607 | 161 | 68 | 57 | 6 |

[^8]Individual Income Tax Rates and Shares, 2003

Table 2.--Returns with Modified Taxable Income: Tax Generated by Rate and by Size of Adjusted Gross Income, Tax Year 2003--Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]


Table 2.--Returns with Modified Taxable Income: Tax Generated by Rate and by Size of Adjusted Gross Income, Tax Year 2003--Continued
(All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars)

| Size of adjusted gross income | Tax generated at specified rate--continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 28 percent (capital gains) |  |  | 33 percent |  |  | 35 percent |  |  | Form $8615^{3}$ |  |  |
|  | Number of returns | Income taxed at rate | Tax generated at rate | Number of returns | Income taxed at rate | Tax generated at rate | Number of returns | Income taxed at rate | Tax generated at rate | Number of returns | Income taxed at rate | Tax generated at rate |
|  | (38) | (39) | (40) | (41) | (42) | (43) | (44) | (45) | (46) | (47) | (48) | (49) |
| Total.. | 9,600 | 805,760 | 225,613 | 2,029,605 | 170,336,243 | 56,210,960 | 752,028 | 367,903,515 | 128,766,230 | 100,337 | 882,194 | 186,486 |
| Under \$2,000 | -- | -- | -- | -- | - | -- | -- | -- | -- | 22,689 | 3,898 | 750 |
| \$2,000 under \$4,000.. | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 34,182 | 49,352 | 9,376 |
| \$4,000 under \$6,000.. | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | *8,572 | *33,362 | *7,338 |
| \$6,000 under \$8,000.. | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | *5,969 | *29,057 | *4,647 |
| \$8,000 under \$10,000. | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | *8,781 | *65,401 | *16,453 |
| \$10,000 under \$12,000. | -- | -- | -- | -- | - | -- | -- | -- | -- | *2,857 | *26,035 | *6,064 |
| \$12,000 under \$14,000. | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | *1,905 | *20,878 | *4,339 |
| \$14,000 under \$16,000. | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | *1,905 | *26,778 | *5,338 |
| \$16,000 under \$18,000. | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | *1,905 | *29,011 | *6,348 |
| \$18,000 under \$20,000... | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | *952 | *15,839 | *3,144 |
| \$20,000 under \$25,000.. | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | - | -- | -- | *2,982 | *61,774 | *13,098 |
| \$25,000 under \$30,000.. | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | - | -- | -- | *983 | *22,996 | *8,012 |
| \$30,000 under \$40,000 $\ldots \ldots . . . . . .$. | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| \$40,000 under \$50,000.. | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | *927 | *34,468 | *8,316 |
| \$50,000 under \$75,000........... | *2,023 | *459 | *129 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | *3,707 | *226,240 | *53,904 |
| \$75,000 under \$100,000.. | *2,044 | *198 | *55 | *1,991 | *14,027 | *4,629 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| \$100,000 under \$200,000.. | *1,409 | *13,373 | *3,744 | 121,812 | 2,052,877 | 677,449 | 2,967 | 58,057 | 20,320 | *1,996 | *187,089 | *28,140 |
| \$200,000 under \$500,000... | 2,590 | 64,559 | 18,077 | 1,431,201 | 103,760,959 | 34,241,116 | 300,261 | 17,267,594 | 6,043,658 | *6 | *1,491 | *493 |
| \$500,000 under \$1,000,000.... | 478 | 76,105 | 21,309 | 315,549 | 42,743,102 | 14,105,224 | 295,852 | 79,298,284 | 27,754,399 | *3 | *1,954 | *348 |
| \$1,000,000 under \$1,500,000... | 397 | 70,623 | 19,775 | 71,668 | 9,817,592 | 3,239,805 | 68,501 | 47,587,535 | 16,655,637 | -- | -- | -- |
| \$1,500,000 under \$2,000,000... | 153 | 82,158 | 23,004 | 30,164 | 4,126,098 | 1,361,612 | 29,051 | 31,295,499 | 10,953,425 | -- | -- | -- |
| \$2,000,000 under \$5,000,000... | 298 | 172,996 | 48,439 | 42,393 | 5,793,149 | 1,911,739 | 40,897 | 80,108,966 | 28,038,138 | *11 | *26,598 | *5,267 |
| \$5,000,000 under \$10,000,000. | 122 | 161,733 | 45,285 | 9,705 | 1,331,518 | 439,401 | 9,492 | 43,304,234 | 15,156,482 | *3 | *19,972 | *5,111 |
| \$10,000,000 or more................ | 86 | 163,555 | 45,795 | 5,122 | 696,920 | 229,984 | 5,007 | 68,983,346 | 24,144,171 | -- | -- | -- |

* Estimate should be used with caution because of the small number of sample returns on which it is based.
${ }^{1}$ Includes returns with adjusted gross deficit.
${ }^{2}$ Form 8814 was filed for a dependent child under age 14 for whom the parents made the election to report the child's investment income (if it was from interest or dividends totaling between $\$ 750$ and $\$ 7,500$ ) on the parents' income tax return. This rate classification is comprised of those returns with a tax liability only from the dependent's income.
${ }^{3}$ Form 8615 was filed for a child under age 14 to report the child's investment income in excess of $\$ 1,500$. The returns in this rate classification are not distributed by tax rate. NOTE: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.

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## Table 3.--Returns with Modified Taxable Income: Taxable Income and Tax, Classified by Tax Rate and by Filing Status, Tax Year 2003

[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Tax rate classes | All returns |  |  | Joint returns and returns of surviving spouses |  |  | Returns of married persons filing separately |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of returns | Income taxed at rate | Income tax generated at rate | Number of returns | Income taxed at rate | Income tax generated at rate | Number of returns | Income taxed at rate | Income tax generated at rate |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) |
| All tax rates... | 101,386,201 | 4,206,592,861 | 780,305,566 | 44,033,987 | 2,867,802,099 | 551,093,751 | 2,027,382 | 74,697,606 | 14,992,353 |
| 5 percent.. | 9,833,227 | 33,552,373 | 1,677,619 | 5,735,137 | 21,989,140 | 1,099,457 | 109,279 | 358,270 | 17,913 |
| 8 percent.. | 1,058,265 | 3,780,577 | 302,446 | 638,945 | 2,744,256 | 219,540 | 12,762 | 24,298 | 1,944 |
| 10 percent. | 100,367,644 | 914,053,162 | 91,405,316 | 43,667,544 | 555,949,302 | 55,594,930 | 2,017,756 | 13,037,057 | 1,303,706 |
| 10 percent (capital gains). | 1,445,014 | 3,942,692 | 394,269 | 837,753 | 2,774,756 | 277,476 | 12,290 | 22,530 | 2,253 |
| 10 percent (Form 8814) ${ }^{1}$.. | 92,871 | 62,588 | 6,267 | 70,255 | 48,325 | 4,837 | 56 | 67 | 7 |
| 15 percent. | 74,461,039 | 1,583,782,894 | 237,567,434 | 35,870,035 | 1,052,826,848 | 157,924,027 | 1,721,892 | 24,754,136 | 3,713,120 |
| 15 percent (capital gains) ${ }^{2}$ | 9,461,124 | 205,205,659 | 30,780,849 | 6,285,159 | 152,654,959 | 22,898,244 | 144,743 | 5,995,346 | 899,302 |
| 20 percent. | 2,188,286 | 75,411,601 | 15,082,320 | 1,441,471 | 57,677,194 | 11,535,439 | 25,602 | 2,464,341 | 492,868 |
| 25 percent. | 26,738,916 | 640,244,673 | 160,061,168 | 14,119,838 | 423,664,278 | 105,916,069 | 652,367 | 9,830,617 | 2,457,654 |
| 25 percent (capital gains). | 349,114 | 7,250,430 | 1,812,607 | 236,994 | 5,705,659 | 1,426,415 | 4,929 | 185,917 | 46,479 |
| 28 percent..... | 5,459,365 | 199,378,501 | 55,825,980 | 3,635,902 | 143,892,642 | 40,289,940 | 160,274 | 2,894,980 | 810,594 |
| 28 percent (capital gains). | 9,600 | 805,760 | 225,613 | 5,868 | 609,221 | 170,582 | *12 | *14,530 | *4,068 |
| 33 percent. | 2,029,605 | 170,336,243 | 56,210,960 | 1,634,272 | 140,306,823 | 46,301,252 | 59,230 | 2,399,367 | 791,791 |
| 35 percent.. | 752,028 | 367,903,515 | 128,766,230 | 641,635 | 306,958,696 | 107,435,544 | 22,824 | 12,716,151 | 4,450,653 |
| Form $8615^{3}$. | 100,337 | 882,194 | 186,486 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
|  | Tax rate classes |  |  | Returns of heads of households |  |  | Returns of single persons |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Number of returns | Income <br> taxed at rate | Income tax generated at rate | Number <br> of returns | Income <br> taxed at rate | Income tax generated at rate |
|  |  |  |  | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) |
| All tax rates. |  |  |  | $13,218,829$ | 258,524,437 | 39,251,842 | 42,106,004 | 1,005,568,719 | 174,967,619 |
| 5 percent.. |  |  |  |  | 934,890 | 46,745 | 3,585,652 | 10,270,073 | 513,504 |
| 8 percent. |  |  |  | $403,159$ | 80,776 | 6,462 | 372,323 | 931,248 | 74,500 |
| 10 percent. |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 34,235 \\ 13,184,715 \end{array}$ | 102,452,847 | 10,245,285 | 41,497,629 | 242,613,955 | 24,261,396 |
| 10 percent (capital gains). |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 13,184,715 \\ 52,205 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 149,977 \\ 12,773 \end{array}$ | 14,998 | 542,765 | 995,430 | 99,543 |
| 10 percent (Form 8814) ${ }^{1}$.. |  |  |  | $19,653$ |  | 1,281 | *2,907 | *1,421 | *143 |
| 15 percent. |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 19,653 \\ 7,628,714 \end{array}$ | 105,116,730 | 15,767,510 | 29,240,398 | 401,085,180 | 60,162,777 |
| 15 percent (capital gains) ${ }^{2}$. |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 7,628,714 \\ 254,126 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,043,136 \\ & 1,325,228 \end{aligned}$ | 606,470 | 2,777,097 | 42,512,217 | 6,376,833 |
| 20 percent. |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 254,126 \\ 48,027 \end{array}$ |  | 265,046 | 673,186 | 13,944,838 | 2,788,968 |
| 25 percent. |  |  |  | $1,450,057$ | 28,069,853 | 7,017,463 | 10,516,654 | 178,679,925 | 44,669,981 |
| 25 percent (capital gains). |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 11,082 \\ 141,741 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 188,343 \\ 4,805,859 \end{array}$ | 47,086$1,345,641$ | $\begin{array}{r} 96,109 \\ 1,521,448 \end{array}$ | 1,170,512 | 292,628 |
| 28 percent. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 13,3 / 9,805 \\ 49,357 \\ 7,762,444 \\ 14,349,255 \\ 186,486 \end{array}$ |
| 28 percent (capital gains) |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} \text { *8 } \\ 50,672 \\ 15,740 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} * 5,732 \\ 4,107,496 \\ 7,230,795 \\ \hline- \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} * 1,605 \\ 1,355,474 \\ 2,530,778 \\ -- \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3,712 \\ 285,431 \\ 71,829 \\ 100,337 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 176,275 \\ 23,522,557 \\ 40,997,872 \\ 882,194 \\ \hline \end{array}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 35 percent.. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Form $8615{ }^{3}$. |  |  |  | -- |  |  |  |  |  |

* Estimate should be used with caution because of the small number of sample returns on which it is based.
${ }^{1}$ Form 8814 was filed for a dependent child under age 14 for whom the parents made an election to report the child's investment income (if it was from interest or dividends totaling between $\$ 750$ and $\$ 7,500$ ) on the parents' income tax return. This rate classification is comprised of those returns with a tax liability only from the dependent's income.
${ }^{2}$ The 15-percent capital gain rate also includes qualified dividends
${ }^{3}$ Form 8615 was filed for a child under age 14 to report the child's investment income in excess of $\$ 1,500$. The returns in this rate classification are not distributed by tax rate. NOTE: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.

Table 4.--Returns with Modified Taxable Income: Tax Classified by Type of Tax Computation and by Size of Adjusted Gross Income, Tax Years 2002 and 2003
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Type of tax computation <br> by size of adjusted gross income | Tax Year 2002 |  |  |  | Tax Year 2003 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Income tax before credits (regular tax computation) ${ }^{1}$ |  | Tax generated | Difference due to special tax computation $^{2}$ | Income tax before credits (regular tax computation) ${ }^{1}$ |  | Tax generated | Difference due to special tax computation ${ }^{2}$ |
|  | Number of returns | Amount | Amount |  | Number of returns | Amount | Amount |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Returns with regular tax computation only |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 95,006,533 | 660,142,161 | 660,083,613 | -- | 82,147,347 | 381,712,020 | 381,631,905 | -- |
| Under \$5,000 ${ }^{3}$. | 863,865 | 54,179 | 54,854 | -- | 498,096 | 23,906 | 23,963 | -- |
| \$5,000 under \$10,000.. | 4,768,480 | 859,126 | 859,911 | -- | 4,485,904 | 772,467 | 773,686 | -- |
| \$10,000 under \$15,000. | 7,172,217 | 3,253,482 | 3,253,477 | -- | 6,566,178 | 2,924,231 | 2,924,231 | -- |
| \$15,000 under \$20,000. | 9,281,861 | 7,295,005 | 7,294,518 | -- | 8,136,494 | 6,136,778 | 6,136,555 | -- |
| \$20,000 under \$25,000. | 9,100,242 | 11,206,471 | 11,206,430 | -- | 8,249,208 | 9,897,516 | 9,897,334 | -- |
| \$25,000 under \$30,000. | 8,032,558 | 14,592,733 | 14,592,420 | -- | 7,484,672 | 12,745,641 | 12,745,380 | -- |
| \$30,000 under \$40,000. | 13,162,528 | 35,718,891 | 35,718,641 | -- | 12,126,516 | 30,991,127 | 30,997,763 | -- |
| \$40,000 under \$50,000.. | 9,845,728 | 40,123,616 | 40,123,249 | -- | 8,714,704 | 33,417,662 | 33,416,902 | -- |
| \$50,000 under \$75,000. | 15,909,314 | 101,181,342 | 101,175,544 | -- | 13,668,482 | 81,292,197 | 81,284,030 | -- |
| \$75,000 under \$100,000. | 8,195,014 | 87,546,568 | 87,539,685 | -- | 6,749,566 | 63,748,432 | 63,742,626 | -- |
| \$100,000 under \$200,000.. | 6,979,731 | 144,876,877 | 144,865,318 | -- | 4,844,605 | 86,684,577 | 86,663,837 | -- |
| \$200,000 under \$500,000.. | 1,377,068 | 90,716,998 | 90,703,589 | -- | 554,869 | 32,361,381 | 32,333,999 | -- |
| \$500,000 under \$1,000,000. | 221,717 | 44,163,303 | 44,153,661 | -- | 51,396 | 9,408,199 | 9,401,367 | -- |
| \$1,000,000 under \$1,500,000.. | 47,078 | 18,122,445 | 18,120,554 | -- | 8,588 | 3,008,567 | 2,997,805 | -- |
| \$1,500,000 under \$2,000,000.. | 17,748 | 9,979,765 | 9,974,473 | -- | 3,209 | 1,656,493 | 1,655,714 | -- |
| \$2,000,000 under \$5,000,000.. | 24,371 | 24,110,384 | 24,109,537 | -- | 3,936 | 3,581,615 | 3,580,726 | -- |
| \$5,000,000 under \$10,000,000. | 4,901 | 11,378,370 | 11,375,150 | -- | 681 | 1,442,482 | 1,438,779 | -- |
| \$10,000,000 or more... | 2,110 | 14,962,608 | 14,962,603 | -- | 244 | 1,618,749 | 1,617,209 | -- |
| Returns with Form 8615 tax computation |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total.............. | 126,639 | 229,749 | 289,448 | 59,699 | 100,337 | 161,140 | 191,617 | 30,477 |
| Under \$5,000 ${ }^{3}$. | 81,579 | 13,515 | 22,631 | 9,116 | 57,824 | 9,676 | 13,949 | 4,273 |
| \$5,000 under \$10,000... | 23,166 | 12,593 | 32,305 | 19,711 | 22,370 | 14,429 | 28,950 | 14,521 |
| \$10,000 under \$15,000. | *8,374 | *11,901 | *25,465 | *13,564 | *4,762 | *5,901 | *10,664 | *4,762 |
| \$15,000 under \$20,000. | *2,875 | *6,437 | *15,093 | *8,656 | *4,762 | *9,609 | *15,110 | *5,500 |
| \$20,000 under \$25,000... | *3,833 | *9,997 | *17,348 | *7,352 | *2,982 | *8,432 | *13,207 | *4,775 |
| \$25,000 under \$30,000.. | *959 | *1,312 | *1,596 | *284 | *983 | *3,167 | *8,051 | *4,885 |
| \$30,000 under \$40,000. | *959 | *6,366 | *10,988 | *4,622 | - | -- | -- | -- |
| \$40,000 under \$50,000. | *918 | *7,151 | *7,787 | *635 | *927 | *5,658 | *8,316 | *2,658 |
| \$50,000 under \$75,000... | *1,883 | *11,543 | *21,329 | *9,787 | *3,707 | *45,083 | *53,974 | *8,891 |
| \$75,000 under \$100,000.. | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| \$100,000 under \$200,000.. | *1,977 | *62,724 | *69,550 | *6,827 | *1,996 | *42,109 | *28,178 | *-13,931 |
| \$200,000 under \$500,000... | * 6 | *295 | *415 | *119 | *6 | *417 | *493 | *75 |
| \$500,000 under \$1,000,000.... | -- | -- | -- | -- | *3 | *626 | *348 | *-278 |
| \$1,000,000 under \$1,500,000.. | *57 | *23,307 | *15,475 | *-7,832 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| \$1,500,000 under \$2,000,000... | *25 | *14,317 | *12,143 | *-2,174 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| \$2,000,000 under \$5,000,000... | *20 | *21,952 | *17,660 | *-4,292 | *11 | *9,099 | *5,267 | *-3,832 |
| \$5,000,000 under \$10,000,000. | **9 | **26,340 | **19,663 | **-6,676 | *3 | *6,935 | *5,111 | *-1,824 |
| \$10,000,000 or more................. | ** | ** | ** | ** | -- | -- | -- | -- |

[^9]Individual Income Tax Rates and Shares, 2003

Table 4.--Returns with Modified Taxable Income: Tax Classified by Type of Tax Computation and by Size of Adjusted Gross Income, Tax Years 2002 and 2003--Continued
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| :---: |
| Type of tax computation |
| by size of |
| adjusted gross income |

* Estimate should be used with caution due to the small number of sample returns on which it is based.
** Data combined to prevent disclosure of certain taxpayer information.
${ }^{1}$ Includes special tax not included in tax generated
${ }^{2}$ The difference between the amount of tax resulting from using provisions of one of the special tax computations and the amount of tax resulting from the regular tax computation.
${ }^{3}$ Includes returns with adjusted gross deficit.
NOTE: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.

Table 5.--Returns with Positive Adjusted Gross Income (AGI): Number of Returns, Shares of AGI and Total Income Tax, AGI Floor on Percentiles in Current and Constant Dollars, and Average Tax Rates, by Selected Descending Cumulative Percentiles of Returns Based on Income Size Using the Definition of AGI for Each Year, Tax Years 1986-2003
[All figures are estimates based on samples]

| Item, tax year | Total | Descending cumulative percentiles |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Top 1 percent | Top 5 percent | Top 10 percent | Top 25 percent | Top <br> 50 percent |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
| Number of returns: ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1986.. | 102,087,623 | 1,020,876 | 5,104,381 | 10,208,762 | 25,521,906 | 51,043,811 |
| 1987. | 106,154,761 | 1,061,548 | 5,307,738 | 10,615,476 | 26,538,690 | 53,077,380 |
| 1988. | 108,872,859 | 1,088,729 | 5,443,643 | 10,887,286 | 27,218,214 | 54,436,429 |
| 1989. | 111,312,721 | 1,113,127 | 5,565,636 | 11,131,272 | 27,828,181 | 55,656,361 |
| 1990. | 112,812,262 | 1,128,123 | 5,640,613 | 11,281,226 | 28,203,066 | 56,406,132 |
| 1991. | 113,804,104 | 1,138,041 | 5,690,205 | 11,380,410 | 28,451,026 | 56,902,052 |
| 1992. | 112,652,759 | 1,126,528 | 5,632,638 | 11,265,276 | 28,163,190 | 56,326,380 |
| 1993. | 113,681,387 | 1,136,814 | 5,684,069 | 11,368,139 | 28,420,347 | 56,840,694 |
| 1994. | 114,989,920 | 1,149,899 | 5,749,496 | 11,498,992 | 28,747,480 | 57,494,960 |
| 1995. | 117,274,186 | 1,172,742 | 5,863,709 | 11,727,419 | 29,318,546 | 58,637,093 |
| 1996. | 119,441,767 | 1,194,418 | 5,972,088 | 11,944,177 | 29,860,442 | 59,720,884 |
| 1997. | 121,503,284 | 1,215,033 | 6,075,164 | 12,150,328 | 30,375,821 | 60,751,642 |
| 1998. | 123,775,831 | 1,237,758 | 6,188,792 | 12,377,583 | 30,943,958 | 61,887,915 |
| 1999. | 126,008,974 | 1,260,090 | 6,300,449 | 12,600,897 | 31,502,244 | 63,004,487 |
| 2000. | 128,227,143 | 1,282,271 | 6,411,357 | 12,822,714 | 32,056,786 | 64,113,572 |
| 2001. | 128,817,051 | 1,288,171 | 6,440,853 | 12,881,705 | 32,204,263 | 64,408,526 |
| 2002. | 128,323,986 | 1,283,240 | 6,416,199 | 12,832,399 | 32,080,997 | 64,161,993 |
| 2003. | 128,609,786 | 1,286,098 | 6,430,489 | 12,860,979 | 32,152,447 | 64,304,893 |
| Adjusted gross income floor on percentiles (current dollars): |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1986.. | N/A | 118,818 | 62,377 | 48,656 | 32,242 | 17,302 |
| 1987. | N/A | 139,289 | 68,414 | 52,921 | 33,983 | 17,768 |
| 1988. | N/A | 157,136 | 72,735 | 55,437 | 35,398 | 18,367 |
| 1989. | N/A | 163,869 | 76,933 | 58,263 | 36,839 | 18,993 |
| 1990. | N/A | 167,421 | 79,064 | 60,287 | 38,080 | 19,767 |
| 1991.. | N/A | 170,139 | 81,720 | 61,944 | 38,929 | 20,097 |
| 1992. | N/A | 181,904 | 85,103 | 64,457 | 40,378 | 20,803 |
| 1993. | N/A | 185,715 | 87,386 | 66,077 | 41,210 | 21,179 |
| 1994. | N/A | 195,726 | 91,226 | 68,753 | 42,742 | 21,802 |
| 1995. | N/A | 209,406 | 96,221 | 72,094 | 44,207 | 22,344 |
| 1996. | N/A | 227,546 | 101,141 | 74,986 | 45,757 | 23,174 |
| 1997. | N/A | 250,736 | 108,048 | 79,212 | 48,173 | 24,393 |
| 1998. | N/A | 269,496 | 114,729 | 83,220 | 50,607 | 25,491 |
| 1999. | N/A | 293,415 | 120,846 | 87,682 | 52,965 | 26,415 |
| 2000. | N/A | 313,469 | 128,336 | 92,144 | 55,225 | 27,682 |
| 2001. | N/A | 292,913 | 127,904 | 92,754 | 56,085 | 28,528 |
| 2002. | N/A | 285,424 | 126,525 | 92,663 | 56,401 | 28,654 |
| 2003. | N/A | 295,495 | 130,080 | 94,891 | 57,343 | 29,019 |
| Adjusted gross income floor on percentiles (constant dollars): ${ }^{2}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1986.. | N/A | 108,411 | 56,913 | 44,394 | 29,418 | 15,786 |
| 1987. | N/A | 122,614 | 60,224 | 46,585 | 29,915 | 15,641 |
| 1988. | N/A | 132,828 | 61,484 | 46,861 | 29,922 | 15,526 |
| 1989. | N/A | 132,152 | 62,043 | 46,986 | 29,709 | 15,317 |
| 1990. | N/A | 128,096 | 60,493 | 46,126 | 29,135 | 15,124 |
| 1991. | N/A | 124,919 | 60,000 | 45,480 | 28,582 | 14,756 |
| 1992. | N/A | 129,654 | 60,658 | 45,942 | 28,780 | 14,828 |
| 1993. | N/A | 128,522 | 60,475 | 45,728 | 28,519 | 14,657 |
| 1994. | N/A | 132,069 | 61,556 | 46,392 | 28,841 | 14,711 |
| 1995. | N/A | 137,406 | 63,137 | 47,306 | 29,007 | 14,661 |
| 1996. | N/A | 145,026 | 64,462 | 47,792 | 29,163 | 14,769 |
| 1997. | N/A | 156,222 | 67,320 | 49,353 | 30,014 | 15,198 |
| 1998. | N/A | 164,427 | 69,999 | 50,775 | 30,877 | 15,553 |
| 1999. | N/A | 176,119 | 72,537 | 52,630 | 31,792 | 15,855 |
| 2000.. | N/A | 182,038 | 74,527 | 53,510 | 32,070 | 16,075 |
| 2001. | N/A | 165,394 | 72,221 | 52,374 | 31,669 | 16,108 |
| 2002. | N/A | 158,657 | 70,331 | 51,508 | 31,351 | 15,928 |
| 2003. | N/A | 160,595 | 70,696 | 51,571 | 31,165 | 15,771 |

## Individual Income Tax Rates and Shares, 2003

Table 5.--Returns with Positive Adjusted Gross Income (AGI): Number of Returns, Shares of AGI and Total Income Tax, AGI Floor on Percentiles in Current and Constant Dollars, and Average Tax Rates, by Selected Descending Cumulative Percentiles of Returns Based on Income Size Using the Definition of AGI for Each Year, Tax Years 1986-2003--Continued
[All tigures are estimates based on samples]

| Item, tax year | Total | Descending cumulative percentiles |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Top 1 percent | Top 5 percent | Top 10 percent | Top 25 percent | Top 50 percent |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1986. | 2,524,124 | 285,197 | 608,467 | 886,510 | 1,490,173 | 2,103,569 |
| 1987. | 2,813,728 | 346,635 | 722,221 | 1,038,221 | 1,709,389 | 2,373,869 |
| 1988. | 3,124,156 | 473,527 | 890,702 | 1,232,536 | 1,950,860 | 2,657,865 |
| 1989. | 3,298,858 | 468,079 | 918,421 | 1,286,539 | 2,054,478 | 2,805,235 |
| 1990. | 3,451,237 | 483,252 | 953,337 | 1,338,032 | 2,144,177 | 2,932,537 |
| 1991. | 3,516,142 | 456,603 | 943,350 | 1,343,202 | 2,174,765 | 2,984,003 |
| 1992. | 3,680,552 | 523,586 | 1,031,093 | 1,443,784 | 2,299,401 | 3,131,400 |
| 1993. | 3,775,578 | 520,586 | 1,048,252 | 1,474,463 | 2,357,953 | 3,212,299 |
| 1994. | 3,961,146 | 546,700 | 1,103,084 | 1,552,205 | 2,481,074 | 3,371,352 |
| 1995. | 4,244,607 | 619,610 | 1,222,723 | 1,704,513 | 2,689,820 | 3,627,542 |
| 1996. | 4,590,527 | 736,545 | 1,393,805 | 1,909,149 | 2,952,637 | 3,944,383 |
| 1997. | 5,023,457 | 872,826 | 1,597,107 | 2,151,401 | 3,267,600 | 4,327,992 |
| 1998. | 5,469,211 | 1,010,245 | 1,796,647 | 2,393,716 | 3,589,600 | 4,721,430 |
| 1999. | 5,909,329 | 1,152,820 | 2,011,763 | 2,652,835 | 3,927,308 | 5,126,164 |
| 2000. | 6,423,977 | 1,336,773 | 2,267,403 | 2,955,386 | 4,313,786 | 5,589,755 |
| 2001. | 6,241,036 | 1,094,296 | 1,996,492 | 2,690,589 | 4,071,034 | 5,379,286 |
| 2002. | 6,113,778 | 985,781 | 1,867,787 | 2,553,475 | 3,935,504 | 5,244,029 |
| 2003. | 6,287,586 | 1,054,567 | 1,960,676 | 2,663,470 | 4,078,227 | 5,407,851 |
| Total income tax (millions of dollars): ${ }^{3}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1986. | 366,979 | 94,491 | 156,240 | 200,703 | 278,976 | 343,289 |
| 1987. | 369,046 | 91,559 | 159,642 | 205,230 | 283,857 | 346,655 |
| 1988. | 412,761 | 113,841 | 188,303 | 236,411 | 321,297 | 389,145 |
| 1989. | 432,838 | 109,259 | 190,188 | 241,458 | 334,258 | 407,599 |
| 1990. | 447,061 | 112,338 | 195,088 | 247,514 | 344,340 | 421,075 |
| 1991. | 448,349 | 111,267 | 194,480 | 250,282 | 346,511 | 423,759 |
| 1992. | 476,163 | 131,156 | 218,479 | 276,213 | 373,700 | 452,070 |
| 1993. | 502,720 | 145,836 | 238,083 | 297,808 | 398,516 | 478,563 |
| 1994. | 534,754 | 154,337 | 254,106 | 317,902 | 425,402 | 509,256 |
| 1995. | 588,331 | 178,035 | 287,741 | 357,402 | 472,808 | 561,225 |
| 1996. | 658,124 | 212,626 | 335,433 | 411,404 | 535,164 | 629,684 |
| 1997. | 727,303 | 241,239 | 377,241 | 459,639 | 594,007 | 696,161 |
| 1998. | 788,452 | 274,009 | 424,506 | 512,836 | 651,964 | 755,240 |
| 1999. | 877,292 | 317,419 | 486,464 | 583,002 | 732,890 | 842,168 |
| 2000. | 980,521 | 366,929 | 553,670 | 660,150 | 823,706 | 942,179 |
| 2001.. | 887,882 | 300,898 | 472,823 | 576,163 | 736,053 | 852,642 |
| 2002. | 796,862 | 268,608 | 428,680 | 523,812 | 668,558 | 768,963 |
| 2003. | 747,939 | 256,340 | 406,597 | 492,452 | 627,380 | 722,027 |
| Average tax rate (percentage): 4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1986. | 14.54 | 33.13 | 25.68 | 22.64 | 18.72 | 16.32 |
| 1987. | 13.12 | 26.41 | 22.10 | 19.77 | 16.61 | 14.60 |
| 1988. | 13.21 | 24.04 | 21.14 | 19.18 | 16.47 | 14.64 |
| 1989. | 13.12 | 23.34 | 20.71 | 18.77 | 16.27 | 14.53 |
| 1990. | 12.95 | 23.25 | 20.46 | 18.50 | 16.06 | 14.36 |
| 1991. | 12.75 | 24.37 | 20.62 | 18.63 | 15.93 | 14.20 |
| 1992. | 12.94 | 25.05 | 21.19 | 19.13 | 16.25 | 14.44 |
| 1993. | 13.32 | 28.01 | 22.71 | 20.20 | 16.90 | 14.90 |
| 1994. | 13.50 | 28.23 | 23.04 | 20.48 | 17.15 | 15.11 |
| 1995. | 13.86 | 28.73 | 23.53 | 20.97 | 17.58 | 15.47 |
| 1996. | 14.34 | 28.87 | 24.07 | 21.55 | 18.12 | 15.96 |
| 1997. | 14.48 | 27.64 | 23.62 | 21.36 | 18.18 | 16.09 |
| 1998. | 14.42 | 27.12 | 23.63 | 21.42 | 18.16 | 16.00 |
| 1999. | 14.85 | 27.53 | 24.18 | 21.98 | 18.66 | 16.43 |
| 2000.. | 15.26 | 27.45 | 24.42 | 22.34 | 19.09 | 16.86 |
| 2001.. | 14.23 | 27.50 | 23.68 | 21.41 | 18.08 | 15.85 |
| 2002. | 13.03 | 27.25 | 22.95 | 20.51 | 16.99 | 14.66 |
| 2003. | 11.90 | 24.31 | 20.74 | 18.49 | 15.38 | 13.35 |

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## Individual Income Tax Rates and Shares, 2003

Table 5.--Returns with Positive Adjusted Gross Income (AGI): Number of Returns, Shares of AGI and Total Income Tax, AGI Floor on Percentiles in Current and Constant Dollars, and Average Tax Rates, by Selected Descending Cumulative Percentiles of Returns Based on Income Size Using the Definition of AGI for Each Year, Tax Years 1986-2003--Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples]

| Item, tax year | Total | Descending cumulative percentiles |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Top 1 percent | Top 5 percent | Top 10 percent | Top 25 percent | Top <br> 50 percent |
| Adjusted gross income share (percentage): | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
|  | 100.00 | 11.30 | 24.11 |  |  |  |
| 1986.. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1987. |  |  | $25.67$ | 36.90 | 60.75 | 84.37 |
| 1988... | 100.00 100.00 | 15.16 | 28.51 | 39.45 | 62.44 | 85.07 |
| 1989. |  | 14.19 | $27.84$ | 39.00 | 62.28 | 85.04 |
| 1990. | 100.00 | 14.00 | 27.62 | 38.77 | 62.13 | 84.97 |
| 1991. | 100.00 | 12.99 | 26.83 | 38.20 | 61.85 | 84.87 |
| 1992. | 100.00 | 14.23 | 28.01 | 39.23 | 62.47 | 85.08 |
| 1993. | 100.00 | $13.79$ | $27.76$ | $39.05$ | $62.45$ | $85.08$ |
| 1994. | 100.00 | 13.80 | 27.85 | $39.19$ | $62.64$ | 85.11 |
| 1995. | 100.00 | 14.60 | 28.81 | 40.16 | 63.37 | 85.46 |
| 1996. | 100.00 | 16.04 | 30.36 | 41.59 | 64.32 | 85.92 |
| 1997. | 100.00 <br> 100.00 | 17.38 | $31.79$ | $42.83$ | 65.05 | $86.16$ |
| 1998. |  | 18.47 | 32.85 | $43.77$ | 65.63 | 86.33 |
| 1999. | $\begin{aligned} & 100.00 \\ & 100.00 \end{aligned}$ | 19.51 | 34.04 | $44.89$ | 66.46 | 86.75 |
| 2000. | 100.00 | 20.81 | 35.30 | 46.01 | 67.15 | 87.01 |
| 2001. | $\begin{aligned} & 100.00 \\ & 100.00 \\ & 100.00 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.53 \\ & 16.12 \\ & 16.77 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31.99 \\ & 30.55 \\ & 31.18 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 43.11 \\ & 41.77 \\ & 42.36 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 65.23 \\ & 64.37 \\ & 64.86 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 86.19 \\ & 85.77 \\ & 86.01 \end{aligned}$ |
| 2002. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2003. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total income tax share (percentage): |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1986... | $100.00$ | $25.75$ | $42.57$ | $54.69$ | $76.02$ | $93.54$ |
| 1987.. | $100.00$ | $24.81$ | $43.26$ | $55.61$ | $76.92$ | $93.93$ |
| 1988.. | $100.00$ <br> 100.00 | $27.58$ | $45.62$ | 57.28 | 77.84 | 94.28 |
| 1989.. |  | 25.24 | 43.94 | 55.78 | 77.22 | 94.17 |
| 1990.. | $100.00$ | 25.13 | 43.64 | 55.36 | 77.02 | 94.19 |
| 1991... | $100.00$ | 24.82 | 43.38 | $55.82$ | 77.29 | 94.52 |
| 1992. | $100.00$ | 27.54 | 45.88 | 58.01 | 78.48 | 94.94 |
| 1993. | $100.00$ | 29.01 | 47.36 | 59.24 | 79.27 | 95.19 |
| 1994. |  | $28.86$ | 47.52 | 59.45 | 79.55 | 95.23 |
| 1995. | $\begin{aligned} & 100.00 \\ & 100.00 \end{aligned}$ |  | 48.91 | 60.75 | 80.36 | 95.39 |
| 1996. | $100.00$ | $32.31$ | 50.97 | 62.51 | 81.32 | 95.68 |
| 1997. | $100.00$ | $33.17$ | 51.87 | 63.20 | 81.67 | 95.72 |
| 1998.. | $\begin{aligned} & 100.00 \\ & 100.00 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34.75 \\ & 36.18 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 53.84 \\ & 55.45 \end{aligned}$ | 65.04 | 82.69 | 95.79 |
| 1999. |  |  |  | 66.45 | 83.54 | 96.00 |
| 2000.. | $100.00$ | 37.42 | 56.47 | 67.33 | 84.01 | 96.09 |
| 2001.. | $100.00$ | 33.89 | 53.25 | 64.89 | 82.90 | 96.03 |
| 2002. | $100.00$ | 33.71 | 53.80 | 65.73 | 83.90 | 96.50 |
| 2003... | $100.00$ | 34.27 | 54.36 | 65.84 | 83.88 | 96.54 |

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## Individual Income Tax Rates and Shares, 2003

Table 6.--Returns with Positive Adjusted Gross Income (AGI): Number of Returns, Shares of AGI and Total Income Tax, and Average Tax Rates, by Selected Ascending Cumulative Percentiles of Returns Based on Income Size Using the Definition of AGI for Each Year, Tax Years 1986-2003
[All figures are estimates based on samples]

| Item, tax year | Total | Ascending cumulative percentiles |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Bottom 50 percent | Bottom 75 percent | Bottom 90 percent | Bottom 95 percent | Bottom 99 percent |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
| Number of returns: ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1986... | 102,087,623 | 51,043,811 | 76,565,717 | 91,878,861 | 96,983,242 | 101,066,747 |
| 1987. | 106,154,761 | 53,077,380 | 79,616,071 | 95,539,285 | 100,847,023 | 105,093,213 |
| 1988. | 108,872,858 | 54,436,429 | 81,654,643 | 97,985,572 | 103,429,215 | 107,784,129 |
| 1989. | 111,312,721 | 55,656,361 | 83,484,542 | 100,181,451 | 105,747,087 | 110,199,596 |
| 1990.. | 112,812,262 | 56,406,132 | 84,609,198 | 101,531,038 | 107,171,651 | 111,684,141 |
| 1991.. | 113,804,104 | 56,902,052 | 85,353,078 | 102,423,694 | 108,113,899 | 112,666,063 |
| 1992. | 112,652,759 | 56,326,380 | 84,489,560 | 101,387,483 | 107,020,121 | 111,526,231 |
| 1993. | 113,681,387 | 56,840,693 | 85,261,040 | 102,313,248 | 107,997,318 | 112,544,573 |
| 1994. | 114,989,920 | 57,494,960 | 86,242,440 | 103,490,928 | 109,240,424 | 113,840,021 |
| 1995. | 117,274,186 | 58,637,093 | 87,955,640 | 105,546,767 | 111,410,477 | 116,101,444 |
| 1996. | 119,441,767 | 59,720,883 | 89,581,325 | 107,497,590 | 113,469,679 | 118,247,349 |
| 1997. | 121,503,284 | 60,751,642 | 91,127,463 | 109,352,956 | 115,428,120 | 120,288,251 |
| 1998. | 123,775,831 | 61,887,916 | 92,831,873 | 111,398,248 | 117,587,039 | 122,538,073 |
| 1999. | 126,008,974 | 63,004,487 | 94,506,731 | 113,408,077 | 119,708,525 | 124,748,884 |
| 2000.. | 128,227,143 | 64,113,572 | 96,170,357 | 115,404,429 | 121,815,786 | 126,944,872 |
| 2001. | 128,817,051 | 64,408,526 | 96,612,788 | 115,935,346 | 122,376,198 | 127,528,880 |
| 2002. | 128,323,986 | 64,161,993 | 96,242,990 | 115,491,587 | 121,907,787 | 127,040,746 |
| 2003. | 128,609,786 | 64,304,893 | 96,457,340 | 115,748,807 | 122,179,297 | 127,323,688 |
| Adjusted gross income (millions of dollars): |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1986. | 2,524,124 | 420,555 | 1,033,951 | 1,637,614 | 1,915,657 | 2,238,927 |
| 1987. | 2,813,728 | 439,859 | 1,104,338 | 1,775,506 | 2,091,507 | 2,467,093 |
| 1988. | 3,124,156 | 466,291 | 1,173,296 | 1,891,620 | 2,233,454 | 2,650,629 |
| 1989.. | 3,298,858 | 493,623 | 1,244,380 | 2,012,319 | 2,380,437 | 2,830,779 |
| 1990. | 3,451,237 | 518,700 | 1,307,060 | 2,113,205 | 2,497,900 | 2,967,985 |
| 1991.. | 3,516,142 | 532,138 | 1,341,377 | 2,172,939 | 2,572,792 | 3,059,539 |
| 1992. | 3,680,552 | 549,152 | 1,381,151 | 2,236,768 | 2,649,459 | 3,156,966 |
| 1993. | 3,775,578 | 563,279 | 1,417,625 | 2,301,115 | 2,727,326 | 3,254,992 |
| 1994. | 3,961,146 | 589,795 | 1,480,073 | 2,408,941 | 2,858,063 | 3,414,447 |
| 1995. | 4,244,607 | 617,065 | 1,554,788 | 2,540,094 | 3,021,884 | 3,624,997 |
| 1996. | 4,590,527 | 646,144 | 1,637,891 | 2,681,378 | 3,196,723 | 3,853,983 |
| 1997. | 5,023,457 | 695,465 | 1,755,857 | 2,872,056 | 3,426,350 | 4,150,631 |
| 1998. | 5,469,211 | 747,781 | 1,879,611 | 3,075,495 | 3,672,564 | 4,458,967 |
| 1999. | 5,909,329 | 783,164 | 1,982,021 | 3,256,494 | 3,897,565 | 4,756,509 |
| 2000.. | 6,423,977 | 834,222 | 2,110,190 | 3,468,590 | 4,156,573 | 5,087,204 |
| 2001. | 6,241,036 | 861,750 | 2,170,001 | 3,550,447 | 4,244,543 | 5,146,740 |
| 2002. | 6,113,778 | 869,750 | 2,178,274 | 3,560,303 | 4,245,991 | 5,127,997 |
| 2003. | 6,287,586 | 879,735 | 2,209,359 | 3,624,117 | 4,326,911 | 5,233,019 |
| Total income tax (millions of dollars): ${ }^{3}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1986... | 366,979 | 23,690 | 88,002 | 166,276 | 210,739 | 272,488 |
| 1987. | 369,046 | 22,391 | 85,189 | 163,816 | 209,404 | 277,488 |
| 1988. | 412,761 | 23,616 | 91,464 | 176,350 | 224,459 | 298,920 |
| 1989. | 432,838 | 25,239 | 98,580 | 191,380 | 242,650 | 323,579 |
| 1990.. | 447,061 | 25,986 | 102,721 | 199,547 | 251,973 | 334,723 |
| 1991.. | 448,349 | 24,554 | 101,837 | 198,067 | 253,869 | 337,081 |
| 1992. | 476,163 | 24,093 | 102,463 | 199,950 | 257,683 | 345,007 |
| 1993. | 502,720 | 24,157 | 104,203 | 204,912 | 264,637 | 356,884 |
| 1994. | 534,754 | 25,499 | 109,353 | 216,852 | 280,648 | 380,418 |
| 1995. | 588,331 | 27,106 | 115,523 | 230,929 | 300,590 | 410,296 |
| 1996.. | 658,124 | 28,440 | 122,960 | 246,720 | 322,691 | 445,498 |
| 1997. | 727,303 | 31,134 | 133,296 | 267,664 | 350,062 | 486,064 |
| 1998. | 788,452 | 33,212 | 136,488 | 275,615 | 363,946 | 514,442 |
| 1999. | 877,292 | 35,126 | 144,402 | 294,290 | 390,828 | 559,874 |
| 2000. | 980,521 | 38,343 | 156,816 | 320,371 | 426,851 | 613,592 |
| 2001.. | 887,882 | 35,239 | 151,826 | 311,719 | 415,059 | 586,984 |
| 2002. | 796,862 | 27,899 | 128,304 | 273,050 | 368,182 | 528,254 |
| 2003.................................................................. | 747,932 | 25,912 | 120,564 | 255,486 | 341,341 | 491,597 |

[^12]Table 6.--Returns with Positive Adjusted Gross Income (AGI): Number of Returns, Shares of AGI and Total Income Tax, and Average Tax Rates, by Selected Ascending Cumulative Percentiles of Returns Based on Income Size Using the Definition of AGI for Each Year, Tax Years 1986-2003--Continued [All figures are estimates based on samples]


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Table 7.--Returns with Positive "1979 Income Concept" Income: Number of Returns, Shares of Income and Total Income Tax, Income Floor on Percentiles in Current and Constant Dollars, and Average Tax Rates, by Selected Descending Cumulative Percentiles of Returns Based on Income Size, Tax Years 1986-2003
[All figures are estimates based on samples]

| Item, tax year | Total | Descending cumulative percentiles |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Top } \\ 1 \text { percent } \end{gathered}$ | Top 5 percent | Top 10 percent | Top 25 percent | Top 50 percent |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
| Number of returns: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1986. | 101,988,805 | 1,019,888 | 5,099,440 | 10,198,881 | 25,497,201 | 50,994,402 |
| 1987. | 106,191,624 | 1,061,916 | 5,309,581 | 10,619,162 | 26,547,906 | 53,095,812 |
| 1988. | 108,879,154 | 1,088,792 | 5,443,958 | 10,887,915 | 27,219,788 | 54,439,577 |
| 1989. | 111,328,835 | 1,113,288 | 5,566,442 | 11,132,884 | 27,832,209 | 55,664,418 |
| 1990. | 112,717,959 | 1,127,180 | 5,635,898 | 11,271,796 | 28,179,490 | 56,358,980 |
| 1991. | 113,823,123 | 1,138,231 | 5,691,156 | 11,382,312 | 28,455,781 | 56,911,562 |
| 1992. | 112,687,747 | 1,126,877 | 5,634,387 | 11,268,775 | 28,171,937 | 56,343,874 |
| 1993. | 113,721,706 | 1,137,217 | 5,686,085 | 11,372,171 | 28,430,426 | 56,860,853 |
| 1994. | 115,061,112 | 1,150,611 | 5,753,056 | 11,506,111 | 28,765,278 | 57,530,556 |
| 1995. | 117,333,779 | 1,173,338 | 5,866,689 | 11,733,378 | 29,333,445 | 58,666,889 |
| 1996. | 119,487,813 | 1,194,878 | 5,974,391 | 11,948,781 | 29,871,953 | 59,743,906 |
| 1997. | 121,555,156 | 1,215,552 | 6,077,758 | 12,155,516 | 30,388,789 | 60,777,578 |
| 1998 | 123,852,016 | 1,238,520 | 6,192,601 | 12,385,202 | 30,963,004 | 61,926,008 |
| 1999. | 126,107,596 | 1,261,076 | 6,305,380 | 12,610,760 | 31,526,899 | 63,053,798 |
| 2000. | 128,340,271 | 1,283,403 | 6,417,014 | 12,834,027 | 32,085,068 | 64,170,135 |
| 2001.. | 128,863,007 | 1,288,630 | 6,443,150 | 12,886,301 | 32,215,752 | 64,431,504 |
| 2002. | 128,415,184 | 1,284,152 | 6,420,759 | 12,841,518 | 32,103,796 | 64,207,592 |
| 2003. | 128,757,145 | 1,287,571 | 6,437,857 | 12,875,715 | 32,189,286 | 64,378,573 |
| Income floor on percentiles (current dollars): |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1986... | N/A | 147,863 | 68,362 | 52,035 | 33,623 | 17,909 |
| 1987. | N/A | 145,624 | 69,222 | 53,094 | 34,165 | 17,959 |
| 1988. | N/A | 161,774 | 73,451 | 55,532 | 35,432 | 18,534 |
| 1989. | N/A | 169,603 | 77,542 | 58,429 | 36,783 | 19,152 |
| 1990. | N/A | 174,813 | 80,400 | 60,623 | 38,026 | 19,947 |
| 1991.. | N/A | 180,268 | 83,300 | 62,413 | 38,913 | 20,302 |
| 1992. | N/A | 197,031 | 87,370 | 65,283 | 40,423 | 21,041 |
| 1993. | N/A | 199,698 | 88,992 | 66,685 | 41,013 | 21,390 |
| 1994. | N/A | 210,742 | 93,186 | 69,118 | 42,480 | 22,000 |
| 1995. | N/A | 224,523 | 98,420 | 72,210 | 43,860 | 22,575 |
| 1996. | N/A | 246,268 | 103,489 | 75,574 | 45,508 | 23,378 |
| 1997. | N/A | 268,889 | 110,949 | 79,598 | 47,738 | 24,551 |
| 1998. | N/A | 301,513 | 120,262 | 84,904 | 50,232 | 25,612 |
| 1999. | N/A | 332,253 | 126,643 | 89,172 | 52,399 | 26,487 |
| 2000. | N/A | 353,945 | 134,128 | 93,715 | 54,592 | 27,647 |
| 2001. | N/A | 323,861 | 131,728 | 93,633 | 55,203 | 28,404 |
| 2002. | N/A | 315,937 | 132,253 | 93,833 | 55,695 | 28,541 |
| 2003. | N/A | 327,160 | 134,818 | 96,021 | 56,573 | 28,896 |
| Income floor on percentiles (constant dollars): ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1986. | N/A | 134,912 | 62,374 | 47,477 | 30,678 | 16,340 |
| 1987. | N/A | 128,190 | 60,935 | 46,738 | 30,075 | 15,809 |
| 1988. | N/A | 136,749 | 62,089 | 46,942 | 29,951 | 15,667 |
| 1989. | N/A | 136,777 | 62,534 | 47,120 | 29,664 | 15,445 |
| 1990. | N/A | 133,751 | 61,515 | 46,383 | 29,094 | 15,262 |
| 1991. | N/A | 132,355 | 61,160 | 45,825 | 28,571 | 14,906 |
| 1992. | N/A | 140,436 | 62,274 | 46,531 | 28,812 | 14,997 |
| 1993. | N/A | 138,199 | 61,586 | 46,149 | 28,383 | 14,803 |
| 1994. | N/A | 142,201 | 62,879 | 46,638 | 28,664 | 14,845 |
| 1995. | N/A | 147,325 | 64,580 | 47,382 | 28,780 | 14,813 |
| 1996. | N/A | 156,959 | 65,959 | 48,167 | 29,004 | 14,900 |
| 1997. | N/A | 167,532 | 69,127 | 49,594 | 29,743 | 15,297 |
| 1998 | N/A | 183,962 | 73,375 | 51,802 | 30,648 | 15,627 |
| 1999. | N/A | 199,432 | 76,016 | 53,525 | 31,452 | 15,899 |
| 2000. | N/A | 205,543 | 77,891 | 54,422 | 31,703 | 16,055 |
| 2001. | N/A | 182,869 | 74,381 | 52,870 | 31,171 | 16,038 |
| 2002. | N/A | 175,618 | 73,515 | 52,158 | 30,959 | 15,865 |
| 2003........................................................................ | N/A | 177,804 | 73,271 | 52,185 | 30,746 | 15,704 |

Table 7.--Returns with Positive "1979 Income Concept" Income: Number of Returns, Shares of Income and Total Income Tax, Income Floor on Percentiles in Current and Constant Dollars, and Average Tax Rates, by Selected Descending Cumulative Percentiles of Returns Based on Income Size, Tax Years 1986-2003--Continued

| Item, tax year | Total | Descending cumulative percentiles |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Top } \\ 1 \text { percent } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Top } \\ 5 \text { percent } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Top } \\ 10 \text { percent } \end{gathered}$ | Top 25 percent | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Top } \\ 50 \text { percent } \end{gathered}$ |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
| Income (millions of dollars): |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1986. | 2,804,691 | 427,513 | 796,935 | 1,097,550 | 1,732,231 | 2,368,620 |
| 1987. | 2,856,118 | 363,880 | 749,240 | 1,067,438 | 1,741,747 | 2,411,715 |
| 1988. | 3,153,639 | 484,675 | 911,170 | 1,255,108 | 1,973,061 | 2,683,524 |
| 1989. | 3,336,571 | 486,976 | 947,363 | 1,317,619 | 2,085,003 | 2,838,481 |
| 1990.. | 3,497,118 | 504,687 | 987,582 | 1,376,162 | 2,182,091 | 2,973,847 |
| 1991. | 3,577,337 | 478,756 | 985,590 | 1,390,924 | 2,224,979 | 3,038,428 |
| 1992. | 3,763,002 | 556,421 | 1,090,019 | 1,509,728 | 2,369,701 | 3,206,490 |
| 1993... | 3,849,532 | 554,075 | 1,105,014 | 1,537,285 | 2,422,475 | 3,278,866 |
| 1994... | 4,033,642 | 579,564 | 1,161,972 | 1,617,250 | 2,544,400 | 3,436,167 |
| 1995... | 4,317,506 | 653,717 | 1,284,726 | 1,772,890 | 2,754,988 | 3,692,267 |
| 1996. | 4,670,644 | 772,868 | 1,462,979 | 1,984,931 | 3,025,107 | 4,015,461 |
| 1997. | 5,112,706 | 918,007 | 1,679,877 | 2,242,353 | 3,353,245 | 4,409,075 |
| 1998. | 5,626,390 | 1,072,779 | 1,925,214 | 2,542,399 | 3,742,006 | 4,869,467 |
| 1999. | 6,082,931 | 1,236,081 | 2,166,370 | 2,825,789 | 4,099,929 | 5,290,805 |
| 2000. | 6,601,494 | 1,424,436 | 2,430,957 | 3,138,299 | 4,495,910 | 5,758,808 |
| 2001. | 6,361,523 | 1,159,037 | 2,121,055 | 2,828,677 | 4,202,776 | 5,491,703 |
| 2002. | 6,262,714 | 1,057,775 | 2,005,658 | 2,712,226 | 4,092,069 | 5,383,263 |
| 2003... | 6,429,711 | 1,122,582 | 2,091,401 | 2,813,645 | 4,226,517 | 5,539,087 |
| Total income tax (millions of dollars): ${ }^{2}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1986. | 366,763 | 93,128 | 155,553 | 198,862 | 277,578 | 342,296 |
| 1987. | 368,924 | 89,908 | 158,485 | 204,050 | 282,970 | 346,228 |
| 1988. | 412,549 | 112,208 | 186,793 | 235,121 | 320,152 | 388,631 |
| 1989. | 432,643 | 107,508 | 188,588 | 240,229 | 333,285 | 407,106 |
| 1990. | 446,906 | 110,530 | 192,991 | 245,856 | 342,926 | 420,345 |
| 1991... | 448,177 | 107,926 | 192,548 | 246,745 | 345,168 | 423,180 |
| 1992.. | 476,067 | 127,361 | 216,303 | 272,361 | 372,352 | 451,494 |
| 1993... | 502,638 | 142,329 | 235,908 | 294,238 | 397,261 | 477,997 |
| 1994... | 534,693 | 150,133 | 250,770 | 314,909 | 423,743 | 508,540 |
| 1995... | 588,292 | 173,877 | 284,036 | 354,427 | 471,035 | 560,748 |
| 1996... | 658,059 | 208,071 | 331,404 | 407,726 | 532,750 | 628,918 |
| 1997... | 731,123 | 238,978 | 376,046 | 459,674 | 595,060 | 699,131 |
| 1998 | 783,437 | 262,464 | 413,303 | 503,577 | 644,182 | 749,547 |
| 1999. | 877,199 | 307,382 | 479,531 | 577,903 | 729,679 | 841,172 |
| 2000... | 980,459 | 355,911 | 546,102 | 654,155 | 819,937 | 941,304 |
| 2001. | 887,770 | 291,907 | 466,057 | 570,430 | 732,094 | 851,539 |
| 2002. | 796,763 | 259,192 | 420,834 | 517,937 | 664,670 | 767,890 |
| 2003. | 747,800 | 248,107 | 400,202 | 487,657 | 624,070 | 720,861 |
| Average tax rate (percentage): ${ }^{3}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1986. | 13.08 | 21.78 | 19.52 | 18.12 | 16.02 | 14.45 |
| 1987. | 12.92 | 24.71 | 21.15 | 19.12 | 16.25 | 14.36 |
| 1988. | 13.08 | 23.15 | 20.50 | 18.73 | 16.23 | 14.48 |
| 1989. | 12.97 | 22.08 | 19.91 | 18.23 | 15.98 | 14.34 |
| 1990. | 12.78 | 21.90 | 19.54 | 17.87 | 15.72 | 14.13 |
| 1991. | 12.53 | 22.54 | 19.54 | 17.74 | 15.51 | 13.93 |
| 1992. | 12.65 | 22.89 | 19.84 | 18.04 | 15.71 | 14.08 |
| 1993... | 13.06 | 25.69 | 21.35 | 19.14 | 16.40 | 14.58 |
| 1994... | 13.26 | 25.90 | 21.58 | 19.47 | 16.65 | 14.80 |
| 1995... | 13.63 | 26.60 | 22.11 | 19.99 | 17.10 | 15.19 |
| 1996... | 14.09 | 26.92 | 22.65 | 20.54 | 17.61 | 15.66 |
| 1997... | 14.30 | 26.03 | 22.39 | 20.50 | 17.75 | 15.86 |
| 1998. | 13.92 | 24.47 | 21.47 | 19.81 | 17.21 | 15.39 |
| 1999. | 14.42 | 24.87 | 22.14 | 20.45 | 17.80 | 15.90 |
| 2000. | 14.85 | 24.99 | 22.46 | 20.84 | 18.24 | 16.35 |
| 2001. | 13.96 | 25.19 | 21.97 | 20.17 | 17.42 | 15.51 |
| 2002. | 12.72 | 24.50 | 20.98 | 19.10 | 16.24 | 14.26 |
| 2003. | 11.63 | 22.10 | 19.14 | 17.33 | 14.77 | 13.01 |

[^14]
## Individual Income Tax Rates and Shares, 2003

Table 7.--Returns with Positive "1979 Income Concept" Income: Number of Returns, Shares of Income and Total Income Tax, Income Floor on Percentiles in Current and Constant Dollars, and Average Tax Rates, by Selected Descending Cumulative Percentiles of Returns Based on Income Size, Tax Years 1986-2003--Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples]

| Item, tax year | Total | Descending cumulative percentiles |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Top 1 percent | Top 5 percent | Top 10 percent | Top 25 percent | Top <br> 50 percent |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
| Income share (percentage): |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $1986 .$ | 100.00 | 15.24 | 28.41 | 39.13 | 61.76 | 84.45 |
| 1987. | 100.00 | 12.74 | 26.23 | 37.37 | 60.98 | 84.44 |
| 1988. | 100.00 | 15.37 | 28.89 | 39.80 | 62.56 | 85.09 |
| 1989. | 100.00 | 14.60 | 28.39 | 39.49 | 62.49 | 85.07 |
| 1990. | 100.00 | 14.43 | 28.24 | 39.35 | 62.40 | 85.04 |
| 1991. | 100.00 | 13.38 | 27.55 | 38.88 | 62.20 | 84.94 |
| 1992. | 100.00 | 14.79 | 28.97 | 40.12 | 62.97 | 85.21 |
| 1993. | 100.00 | 14.39 | 28.71 | 39.93 | 62.93 | 85.18 |
| 1994. | 100.00 | 14.37 | 28.81 | 40.09 | 63.08 | 85.19 |
| 1995. | 100.00 | 15.14 | 29.76 | 41.06 | 63.81 | 85.52 |
| 1996. | 100.00 | 16.55 | 31.32 | 42.50 | 64.77 | 85.97 |
| 1997. | 100.00 | 17.96 | 32.86 | 43.86 | 65.59 | 86.24 |
| 1998 | 100.00 | 19.07 | 34.22 | 45.19 | 66.51 | 86.55 |
| 1999. | 100.00 | 20.32 | 35.61 | 46.45 | 67.40 | 86.98 |
| 2000. | 100.00 | 21.58 | 36.82 | 47.54 | 68.10 | 87.23 |
| 2001.. | 100.00 | 18.22 | 33.34 | 44.47 | 66.07 | 86.33 |
| 2002.. | 100.00 | 16.89 | 32.03 | 43.31 | 65.34 | 85.96 |
| 2003.......................................................................... | 100.00 | 17.46 | 32.53 | 43.76 | 65.73 | 86.15 |
| Total income tax share (percentage): |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1986......................................................................... | 100.00 | 25.39 | 42.41 | 54.22 | 75.68 | 93.33 |
| 1987......................................................................... | 100.00 | 24.37 | 42.96 | 55.31 | 76.70 | 93.85 |
| 1988......................................................................... | 100.00 | 27.20 | 45.28 | 56.99 | 77.60 | 94.20 |
| 1989.......................................................................... | 100.00 | 24.85 | 43.59 | 55.53 | 77.03 | 94.10 |
| 1990. | 100.00 | 24.73 | 43.18 | 55.01 | 76.73 | 94.06 |
| 1991.. | 100.00 | 24.08 | 42.96 | 55.06 | 77.02 | 94.42 |
| 1992.......................................................................... | 100.00 | 26.75 | 45.44 | 57.21 | 78.21 | 94.84 |
| 1993......................................................................... | 100.00 | 28.32 | 46.93 | 58.54 | 79.04 | 95.10 |
| 1994. | 100.00 | 28.08 | 46.90 | 58.90 | 79.25 | 95.11 |
| 1995......................................................................... | 100.00 | 29.56 | 48.28 | 60.25 | 80.07 | 95.32 |
| 1996. | 100.00 | 31.62 | 50.36 | 61.96 | 80.96 | 95.57 |
| 1997. | 100.00 | 32.69 | 51.43 | 62.87 | 81.39 | 95.62 |
| 1998 | 100.00 | 33.50 | 52.76 | 64.28 | 82.23 | 95.67 |
| 1999......................................................................... | 100.00 | 35.04 | 54.67 | 65.88 | 83.18 | 95.89 |
| 2000.......................................................................... | 100.00 | 36.30 | 55.70 | 66.72 | 83.63 | 96.01 |
| 2001......................................................................... | 100.00 | 32.88 | 52.50 | 64.25 | 82.46 | 95.92 |
| 2002.......................................................................... | 100.00 | 32.53 | 52.82 | 65.01 | 83.42 | 96.38 |
| 2003......................................................................... | 100.00 | 33.18 | 53.52 | 65.21 | 83.45 | 96.40 |

[^15]Table 8.--Returns with Positive "1979 Income Concept" Income: Number of Returns, Shares of Income and Total Income Tax, and Average Tax Rates, by Selected Ascending Cumulative Percentiles of Returns Based on Income Size, Tax Years 1986-2003
[All figures are estimates based on samples]


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## Individual Income Tax Rates and Shares, 2003

Table 8.--Returns with Positive "1979 Income Concept" Income: Number of Returns, Shares of Income and Total Income Tax, and Average Tax Rates, by Selected Ascending Cumulative Percentiles of Returns Based on Income Size, Tax Years 1986-2003--Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples]

| Item, tax year | Total | Ascending cumulative percentiles |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Bottom 50 percent | Bottom 75 percent | Bottom 90 percent | Bottom 95 percent | Bottom 99 percent |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
| Average tax rate (percentage): ${ }^{3}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $1986 .$ | 13.08 | 5.61 | 8.32 | 9.84 | 10.52 | 11.51 |
| 1987.. | 12.92 | 5.11 | 7.71 | 9.22 | 9.99 | 11.20 |
| 1988.. | 13.08 | 5.09 | 7.83 | 9.35 | 10.07 | 11.25 |
| 1989.. | 12.97 | 5.13 | 7.94 | 9.53 | 10.21 | 11.41 |
| 1990.. | 12.78 | 5.08 | 7.91 | 9.48 | 10.12 | 11.24 |
| 1991. | 12.53 | 4.64 | 7.62 | 9.21 | 9.86 | 10.98 |
| 1992. | 12.65 | 4.42 | 7.44 | 9.04 | 9.72 | 10.87 |
| 1993. | 13.06 | 4.32 | 7.38 | 9.01 | 9.72 | 10.93 |
| 1994. | 13.26 | 4.38 | 7.45 | 9.10 | 9.89 | 11.13 |
| 1995. | 13.63 | 4.41 | 7.50 | 9.19 | 10.03 | 11.31 |
| $1996 .$. | 14.09 | 4.45 | 7.62 | 9.32 | 10.18 | 11.54 |
| 1997. | 14.30 | 4.55 | 7.73 | 9.46 | 10.34 | 11.73 |
| 1998 | 13.92 | 4.48 | 7.39 | 9.07 | 10.00 | 11.44 |
| 1999.. | 14.42 | 4.55 | 7.44 | 9.19 | 10.15 | 11.76 |
| 2000... | 14.85 | 4.65 | 7.62 | 9.42 | 10.41 | 12.06 |
| 2001.. | 13.96 | 4.17 | 7.21 | 8.98 | 9.95 | 11.45 |
| 2002. | 12.72 | 3.28 | 6.09 | 7.85 | 8.83 | 10.33 |
| 2003.. | 11.63 | 3.02 | 5.62 | 7.19 | 8.01 | 9.42 |
| Income share (percentage): |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1986...... | 100.00 | 15.55 | 38.24 | 60.87 | 71.59 | 84.76 |
| 1987. | 100.00 | 15.56 | 39.02 | 62.63 | 73.77 | 87.26 |
| 1988.. | 100.00 | 14.91 | 37.44 | 60.20 | 71.11 | 84.63 |
| 1989. | 100.00 | 14.93 | 37.51 | 60.51 | 71.61 | 85.40 |
| 1990.. | 100.00 | 14.96 | 37.60 | 60.65 | 71.76 | 85.57 |
| 1991... | 100.00 | 15.06 | 37.80 | 61.12 | 72.45 | 86.62 |
| 1992. | 100.00 | 14.79 | 37.03 | 59.88 | 71.03 | 85.21 |
| 1993. | 100.00 | 14.82 | 37.07 | 60.07 | 71.29 | 85.61 |
| 1994. | 100.00 | 14.81 | 36.92 | 59.91 | 71.19 | 85.63 |
| 1995. | 100.00 | 14.48 | 36.19 | 58.94 | 70.24 | 84.86 |
| 1996. | 100.00 | 14.03 | 35.23 | 57.50 | 68.68 | 83.45 |
| 1997. | 100.00 | 13.76 | 34.41 | 56.14 | 67.14 | 82.04 |
| 1998 | 100.00 | 13.45 | 33.49 | 54.81 | 65.78 | 80.93 |
| 1999. | 100.00 | 13.02 | 32.60 | 53.55 | 64.39 | 79.68 |
| 2000.. | 100.00 | 12.77 | 31.90 | 52.46 | 63.18 | 78.42 |
| 2001. | 100.00 | 13.67 | 33.93 | 55.53 | 66.66 | 81.78 |
| 2002. | 100.00 | 14.04 | 34.66 | 56.69 | 67.97 | 83.11 |
| 2003.. | 100.00 | 13.85 | 34.27 | 56.24 | 67.47 | 82.54 |
| Total income tax share (percentage): |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1986.. | 100.00 | 6.67 | 24.32 | 45.78 | 57.59 | 74.61 |
| 1987. | 100.00 | 6.15 | 23.30 | 44.69 | 57.04 | 75.63 |
| 1988.. | 100.00 | 5.80 | 22.40 | 43.01 | 54.72 | 72.80 |
| 1989.. | 100.00 | 5.90 | 22.97 | 44.47 | 56.41 | 75.15 |
| 1990.. | 100.00 | 5.94 | 23.27 | 44.99 | 56.82 | 75.27 |
| 1991.. | 100.00 | 5.58 | 22.98 | 44.94 | 57.04 | 75.92 |
| 1992. | 100.00 | 5.16 | 21.79 | 42.79 | 54.56 | 73.25 |
| 1993. | 100.00 | 4.90 | 20.96 | 41.46 | 53.07 | 71.68 |
| 1994.. | 100.00 | 4.89 | 20.75 | 41.10 | 53.10 | 71.92 |
| 1995.. | 100.00 | 4.68 | 19.93 | 39.75 | 51.72 | 70.44 |
| 1996.. | 100.00 | 4.43 | 19.04 | 38.04 | 49.64 | 68.38 |
| 1997. | 100.00 | 4.38 | 18.61 | 37.13 | 48.57 | 67.31 |
| 1998 | 100.00 | 4.33 | 17.77 | 35.72 | 47.24 | 66.50 |
| 1999... | 100.00 | 4.11 | 16.82 | 34.12 | 45.33 | 64.96 |
| 2000... | 100.00 | 3.99 | 16.37 | 33.28 | 44.30 | 63.70 |
| 2001... | 100.00 | 4.08 | 17.54 | 35.75 | 47.50 | 67.12 |
| 2002................................................................. | 100.00 | 3.62 | 16.58 | 34.99 | 47.18 | 67.47 |
| 2003................................................................. | 100.00 | 3.60 | 16.55 | 34.79 | 46.48 | 66.82 |

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# Unrelated Business Income Tax Returns, 2002: Financial Highlights and Special Analyses of ExemptOrganization Reporting Quality <br> by Margaret Riley 

The number of tax-exempt organizations filing Forms 990-T, Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Returns, decreased only slightly between Tax Years 2001 and 2002, from 35,540 to 35,103 . However, 2002 marked the fourth consecutive year of declining filings of Forms 990 -T to report "unrelated business income" (UBI) and taxes. From Tax Year 1998 to Tax Year 2002, the number of organizations filing Forms 990-T dropped nearly 25 percent. The 13,395 returns filed with gross UBI of $\$ 10,000$ or less represented a 6 percent increase over 2001, but a 40 percent decrease since 1998. The number of returns with gross UBI over $\$ 10,000$ fell by 10 percent over the 4 -year period. Figure A contains these and other statistics for selected major financial data items reported on Forms 990-T for Tax Years 1998, 2001, and 2002.

Gross UBI reported on Forms 990-T, which was an aggregate $\$ 7.8$ billion for 2002 , grew by 11 percent between 1998 and 2000, but then declined by 8 percent from 2000 to 2002, resulting in an overall 2.5 percent growth from 1998 to 2002. After offsetting total gross UBI with $\$ 7.9$ billion of total deductions, the resulting unrelated business taxable income (less deficit) was $-\$ 0.1$ billion for 2002. Unrelated business (positive) taxable income (UBTI) of $\$ 647.2$ million and the associated unrelated business income tax (UBIT) of $\$ 194.1$ million reported on Tax Year 2002 Forms 990 -T were a respective 18 percent and 1 percent less than that reported for 2001 [1]. From 1998 to 2002, taxable income and the associated UBIT liability declined sharply, by 61 percent and 62 percent, respectively.

Figure B shows the computation of total tax liability for Tax Year 2002. After adjusting UBIT with certain credits and other taxes, the resulting total tax reported on Form 990-T for 2002 was $\$ 192.7$ million, a 13 percent decrease from 2001. Total tax for 2002 takes into account $\$ 194.1$ million of UBIT, plus $\$ 1.1$ million of alternative minimum tax, $\$ 1.1$ million of"proxy tax" on certain nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures, and $\$ 0.07$ million of "other" taxes, minus $\$ 3.6$ million of tax credits $[2,3]$.

[^18]Tax credits included the foreign tax credit (\$1.6 million), general business credit( $\$ 1.4$ million), credit for prior-year minimum tax ( $\$ 0.3$ million), and "other" credits ( $\$ 0.2$ million). (Detail does not equal totals because of rounding.)

## Declines in Unrelated Business Taxable Income and Tax

The decline between 1998 and 2002 in the UBTI of tax-exempt trusts was much greater than the decline in the UBTI of tax-exempt corporations [4]. As a result of the more rapid decline in the UBTI reported by tax-exempt trusts, the share of UBTI reported by tax-exempt corporations increased from 51 percent to 70 percent, respectively, of the total amount of UBTI reported for 1998 and 2002 [5]. The \$192.6 million of UBTI reported by tax-exempt trusts for 2002 reflected a 76 percent drop from the $\$ 811.1$ million reported for 1998, while the UBTI reported by tax-exempt corporations declined by 47 percent, from $\$ 858.7$ million to $\$ 454.6$ million between 1998 and 2002. The UBIT liability of trusts decreased by 72 percent during this 4 -year period, while that of taxexempt corporations declined by 52 percent.

In large part, the decline in the amount of UBTI reported by trusts filing Forms 990-T can be attributed to IRC section 501 (c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary associations (VEBAs) and section 401(a) pension, profit-sharing, and stock bonus plans [6]. (The various types of tax-exempt organizations subject to the unrelated business income tax provisions are described, by Code section, in the Appendix to this article.) These organizations together accounted for a respective 92 percent and 78 percent of the UBTI of trusts for 1998 and 2002. The UBIT of VEBAs fell by 83 percent between the 4 years, and that of section 401(a) trusts fell by 68 percent.

Among the many factors that can influence the amount of an organization's unrelated business taxable income and tax, the types of unrelated business activities in which they engage, and which generate their various types of unrelated business income, are key. Volatility of financial markets during the 1999 to 2002 period appears to be responsible for some of the annual decreases in unrelated business taxable income and tax reported, especially by tax-exempt trusts. Since these types of entities' main source of income is investments, the annual amounts of total

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## Figure $A$

## Selected Items from Forms 990-T, Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Returns, Tax Years 1998, 2001, and 2002

[Money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Item |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

[^19]UBI that they report are linked more closely to financial market fluctuations than UBI amounts reported by other types of organizations.

The two main sources of UBI for section 501(c)(9) VEBAs consistently have been investment income (less loss) and capital gain net income. For the section 401(a) trusts, combined partnership and S corporation income and capital gain net income are the two main UBI producers. For tax-exempt corporations, the two largest sources of unrelated business income traditionally have been gross profit (less loss) from sales and services, and advertising income. Generally, investment income of section 501(c) corporations, except for those exempt under sections 501(c)(7), (9), and (17), is not taxed as unrelated business income. (See the definition of Investment Income (Less Loss) in the Explanation of Terms section of this article.)

Between 1998 and 2002, investment income (less loss) and capital gain net income reported by section 501(c)(9) VEBA trusts with taxable income were 77 percent and 93 percent less than respective amounts reported for 1998. These two income items ac-
counted for 95 percent of taxable VEBA trusts' gross UBI for 2002. Capital gain net income and combined partnership and S corporation income of section 401(a) trusts fell by a respective 74 percent and 64 percent between the 2 years, and 88 percent of gross UBI was attributable to these items for 2002. Incorporated organizations with taxable unrelated business income reported a 9 percent increase in gross profit (less loss) from sales and services and a 16 percent increase in advertising income between 1998 and 2002. Together, these income sources accounted for 67 percent of their 2002 gross UBI.

The number of trusts with positive UBTI decreased by 71 percent from 1998 to 2002, from 11,044 to 3,156 , compared to a decline of 15 percent for corporations, from 13,395 to 11,339. Most of the decline in the number of trusts was accounted for by the 77 percent decline in the number of IRC section 408(e) traditional IRA trusts reporting UBTI, from 9,741 to 2,253 . However, these organizations accounted for only 4 percent to 5 percent of all trusts' UBTI for each of the 2 years. A substantial portion of the gross UBI of smaller traditional IRA trusts

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## Figure B

## Computation of Total Tax Reported on Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Returns, Tax Year 2002

[Money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Item | Amount |
| :---: | :---: |
| Total unrelated business income tax (UBIT)..................... | 194,074 |
| Corporate UBIT............................................................. | 126,652 |
| Trust UBIT..................................................................... | 67,422 |
| PLUS: |  |
| Total additional taxes..................................................... | 2,234 |
| Alternative minimum tax................................................ | 1,061 |
| Proxy tax ${ }^{1}$ | 1,104 |
| Other taxes.. | 69 |
| MINUS: |  |
| Total tax credits............................................................... | 3,562 |
| Foreign tax credit......................................................... | 1,617 |
| General business credit. | 1,434 |
| Credit for prior-year minimum tax................................... | 262 |
| Other credits.............................................................. | 248 |
| EQUALS: |  |
| Total tax...................................................................... | 192,747 |

${ }^{1}$ Represents the tax for only those organizations that reported gross UBI above the $\$ 1,000$ filing threshold. According to IRS Business Returns Transaction File records, the total proxy tax reported on all Forms 990-T was $\$ 12.1$ million. Some organizations filed Form 990-T only to report the proxy tax and had no unrelated business income.

NOTE: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.
(those with gross income of $\$ 10,000$ or less) consists of combined partnership and S corporation income. Changes in the gains or losses from partnerships and S corporations can affect whether small IRA trusts' total gross UBI is above or below the $\$ 1,000$ threshold for filing Form 990-T. For example, the number of returns filed by traditional IRA trusts fell by 32 percent between 1998 and 1999, and the amount of net partnership and S corporation income decreased by 52 percent.

## Background

## Definition of Unrelated Business Income

Nonprofit organizations that are granted Federal tax exemption based on their mission-related purposes are allowed, within certain limits, to generate income from unrelated business activities; however, the income from these activities is subject to taxation.

Unrelated business income is produced from an activity that is both conducted on a regular basis and not directly related to an organization's tax-exempt mission. The fact that the income may be used for furthering an organization's exempt purposes does not alter the definition [7]. Any profits from an organization's unrelated business activities are taxed at regular corporate or trust income tax rates [8]. There are certain exclusions to this income taxation; some examples are engaging in business activities in which substantially all of the work is performed by volunteer labor; selling merchandise that the organization received as a gift or contribution; and operating certain games of chance, as specified in the Internal Revenue Code (IRC).

## Form 990-T Filing Requirements

Organizations that are described in IRC sections 220(e), 401(a), 408(e), 408A, 501(c)(2)-(27), 529(a), and 530(a) must file a Form 990-T if they received $\$ 1,000$ or more of gross income from business activities that were considered unrelated to the purposes for which they received tax-exempt status. IRC section 501(d) religious and apostolic organizations, farmers' cooperatives, and section 4941(a)(1) "nonexempt charitable trusts" report taxes on forms other than Form 990-T.

Most tax-exempt organizations are required to file an annual Form 990, Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax, or Form 990-EZ, Short Form Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax (used by organizations with annual gross receipts of less than $\$ 100,000$ and total end-of-year assets of less than $\$ 250,000$ ). IRC section 501(c)(3) private foundations and certain charitable trusts file an information return on Form 990-PF, Return of Private Foundation or Section 4947(a)(1) Nonexempt Charitable Trust Treated as a Private Foundation [9]. The Form 990-T is required only for a tax year in which an organization has unrelated business income. While specific taxpayer information reported on an exempt organization's Form 990/ 990-EZ "information return" can be disclosed to the public, specific taxpayer information reported on its Form 990-T "tax return" cannot. Under disclosure rules governing the release of taxpayer information, only aggregate totals from Form 990-T can be presented in this article.

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To report unrelated business income of $\$ 1,000$ (the filing threshold) or more for Tax Year 2002, IRC section 220(e), 401(a), 408(e), 408A, and 530(a) trusts' required reporting period was Calendar Year 2002, and the Form 990-T filing date was April 15, 2003. For all other organizations, the required reporting period was any accounting period beginning in Calendar Year 2002 (and, therefore, ending between December 2002 and November 2003, for full-year return filers). The associated required due dates for filing their Tax Year 2002 Forms 990-T generally spanned May 2003 to April 2004, but extensions of time to file beyond this period were routinely granted to many organizations. Corresponding to the required filing dates, the Tax Year 2002 study sample was drawn from Forms 990-T processed by IRS throughout Calendar Years 2003 and 2004. (See the "Data Sources and Limitations" section of this article for detailed information on the study sample.) Because of the various accounting periods of the organizations filing a 2002 return, the financial activities covered in this article span the period January 2002 through November 2003, although 54 percent of Form 990-T filers had Calendar Year 2002 accounting periods.

Any returns filed by organizations with gross unrelated business income (UBI) below the $\$ 1,000$ filing requirement threshold were excluded from the statistics presented in this article. Some of these returns were filed inadvertently; others were filed for a specific reason, such as to claim a refund of tax withheld erroneously on interest or dividend payments (reported on Form 1099) because the payer did not realize that the payee was a tax-exempt organization. Organizations with gross UBI between $\$ 1,000$ and $\$ 10,000$ were required to report only totals for expenses and deductions (except for the "specific deduction" and "net operating loss deduction," which all organizations reported separately). Organizations with gross UBI over $\$ 10,000$ were required to report more detailed expense and deduction information.

## Statistical Tables

At the end of this article, Tax Year 2002 statistics covering selected financial data (including gross UBI, total deductions, unrelated business taxable income (UBTI), and total income tax) are shown in Tables 15. Tables 6 and 7 provide data on detailed sources of UBI and deductions, respectively. Statistics shown in Table 1 are distributed by type of organization based
on Internal Revenue Code sections. Tables 2, 4, 6, and 7 are distributed by size of gross UBI; Table 4 is also distributed by type of entity. Table 3 is distributed by size of UBTI, while Table 5 is distributed by unrelated business activity or industrial grouping.

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## Reporting Quality

With the advent of electronic filing and imaging of IRS exempt-organization information returns and their widespread availability to the public, the quantity of data available for regulation and research has increased dramatically. Technological improvements that make more data more accessible are certainly desirable, but ensuring that preparers fill out the forms completely and accurately is equally important. Is "more" really better without quality reporting of return information? Ensuring reporting quality is a shared responsibility of both IRS and return preparers. IRS information and tax forms must require information that is essential for effective regulation, oversight, and public transparency; and the form instructions must be complete, explicit, and clear enough for preparers to follow. Preparers need to be diligent in providing complete responses to the requested information on the forms, especially itemized financial components.

## Form 990-T Deductions Allocation Study

The deductions allocation study measures the extent to which high-income organizations (those with gross UBI of $\$ 500,000$ or more) misreported specifically defined, itemized deduction components as "Other deductions" on Tax Year 2002 Forms 990-T. During the data entry process, SOI staff check the required Other deductions statement for inaccurately reported items and move (allocate) amounts, when appropriate, to one or more of the specifically defined deduction components, such as Salaries and wages. The study examined the difference between deduction amounts as initially reported by filers, and as corrected, through allocation, by SOI staff [10].

During normal IRS processing of paper and e-file returns, data are captured as reported by the return filer. Misreported amounts included in the residual "other" categories are not allocated to the proper, specifically defined return line items. Researchers

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and IRS staff who use Returns Transaction File (RTF) data for examination or administrative purposes may find this study useful for gauging the extent to which deductions data may be understated, and extrapolating its results to draw conclusions about the possible understatement of itemized income, deductions, assets, and liabilities reported on other types of IRS exempt-organization returns.

Of the 2,381 high-income returns filed, 20 percent required at least one allocation from Other deductions during SOI data entry. Paid preparers completed 79 percent of these 485 returns with misreported amounts [11]. After allocation, the increase in the total amount of each specifically defined deduction category reported by high-income filers ranged from 3 percent to 45 percent, as shown in Figure C. Salaries and wages, the largest aggregate itemized deduction reported on Form 990-T, rose
by only 3 percent, although it contained the largest aggregate amount allocated from Other deductions. Contributions to deferred compensation plans rose by 14 percent, and Repairs and maintenance rose by 45 percent. Allocations made to other types of itemized deductions resulted in increases ranging from 4 percent to 9 percent. The residual Other deductions category fell by 3.1 percent.

It is worth noting that no allocations were made to Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees, Excess exempt expenses, or Excess readership costs. Form 990-T filers must provide detailed information on related schedules for these items and then enter schedule totals in the itemized deductions statement. The schedule preparation requirement apparently deters preparers from including these items in Other deductions.

## Figure $\mathbf{C}$

## All High-Income Forms 990-T: Deduction Detail, As Edited by SOI, As Reported by Taxpayer, and Aggregate Amount Allocated, Tax Year 2002

| Item | Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees | Salaries and wages | Repairs and maintenance | Bad debts | Interest |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) |
| Number of returns.. | 2,381 | 1,393 | 943 | 287 | 413 |
| Total, as edited by SOI. | 16,563 | 1,059,609 | 70,135 | 41,349 | 39,180 |
| Total, as reported by taxpayer.. | 16,563 | 1,027,583 | 48,469 | 39,741 | 37,090 |
| Amount allocated from Other deductions........... | -- | 32,027 | 21,667 | 1,608 | 2,090 |
| Percentage increase after allocation................. | -- | 3.1 | 44.7 | 4.0 | 5.6 |
| Item | Taxes and licenses | Charitable contributions | Depreciation | Depletion | Contributions to deferred compensation plans |
|  | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| Number of returns.. | 1,117 | 234 | 1,041 | 7 | 175 |
| Total, as edited by SOI.. | 73,644 | 23,274 | 140,164 | 1,790 | 9,679 |
| Total, as reported by taxpayer....................... | 67,727 | 21,787 | 135,169 | 1,790 | 8,471 |
| Amount allocated from Other deductions........... | 5,917 | 1,487 | 4,995 | -- | 1,207 |
| Percentage increase after allocation................. | 8.7 | 6.8 | 7.3 | -- | 14.3 |
| Item |  | Employee benefit programs | Excess exempt expenses | Excess readership costs | Other deductions |
| Number of returns... |  | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) |
|  |  | 1,018 | 40 | 399 | 1,751 |
| Total, as edited by SOI.. |  | $\begin{aligned} & 175,184 \\ & 167,406 \end{aligned}$ | 6,397 | 217,549 | 2,465,018 |
| Total, as reported by taxpayer. |  |  | 6,397 | 217,549 | 2,543,794 |
| Amount allocated from Other deductions.. |  | 7,778 | -- | --- | -78,776 |
| Percentage increase after allocation...... |  | 4.6 | -- |  | -3.1 |

NOTES: "High-income" Forms 990-T are those returns with gross unrelated business income of $\$ 500,000$ or more. "SOI" is the abbreviation for the Statistics of Income program of the Internal Revenue Service. Other deductions did not include any amounts of Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees, Excess exempt expenses, Excess readership costs, or Depletion. Therefore, no allocations to these categories were necessary. For the first three of these items, Form 990-T filers must provide detailed information on related schedules and then enter schedule totals in the itemized deductions statement. The schedule preparation requirement apparently discourages filers from including these items in Other deductions.

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As shown in Figure D, which includes only those returns to which allocations were made, the three deduction items with the largest aggregate dollar amount allocated from Other deductions were Salaries and wages ( $\$ 32.0$ million allocated), Repairs and maintenance ( $\$ 21.7$ million allocated), and Employee benefit programs ( $\$ 7.8$ million allocated). Among returns to which allocations were made, allocated amounts accounted for close to half of the SOIedited amount of Salaries and wages, and threequarters or more of the other two cited deduction items. The largest average dollar amounts allocated from Other deductions were made to Salaries and wages ( $\$ 344,372$ ), Net depreciation ( $\$ 92,503$ ), Repairs and maintenance ( $\$ 89,164$ ), and Employee benefit programs $(\$ 84,544)$. The deduction items with the highest frequency of allocation of misreported taxpayer amounts were Repairs and maintenance (243 returns), Taxes and licenses (180
returns), Salaries and wages (93 returns), and Employee benefit programs ( 92 returns).

Overall, close to 10 percent of Other deductions reported on returns with allocations should have been included in the more specifically defined deduction items. The percentage change in itemized deduction amounts reported on these 485 returns, after SOI allocations were made, ranged from 12.5 (Salaries and wages) to 106.7 (Repairs and maintenance).

Virtually all of the SOI edited amounts shown in Figure D for Bad debts, Interest, Charitable contributions, and Contributions to deferred compensation plans were allocated from Other deductions. Nearly 99 percent of these items' combined SOI edited amounts was allocated from Other deductions, but the combined amounts accounted for less than 1 percent of the $\$ 753,388$ Other deductions total. For the five deduction items with the largest aggregate allocated amounts shown in column (5) of Figure D,

## Figure D

High-Income Forms 990-T with At Least One Allocation Made from Other Deductions: Deductions Detail, Tax Year 2002
[Money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Deduction item | Number of returns with allocations ${ }^{1}$ | Percentage <br> of all returns with allocations ${ }^{1}$ | SOI- <br> edited <br> amount | Taxpayer reported amount | Allocated amount | Percentage of SOI-edited amount allocated from Other deductions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
| Other deductions.. | 485 | 100.0 | 753,388 | 832,164 | -78,776 | N/A |
| Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees............. | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Salaries and wages.. | 93 | 19.2 | 68,069 | 36,043 | 32,027 | 47.1 |
| Repairs and maintenance.. | 243 | 50.1 | 28,840 | 7,174 | 21,667 | 75.1 |
| Bad debts.. | 32 | 6.6 | 1,618 | 10 | 1,608 | 99.4 |
| Interest | 39 | 8.0 | 2,094 | 4 | 2,090 | 99.8 |
| Taxes and licenses.. | 180 | 37.1 | 16,213 | 10,296 | 5,917 | 36.5 |
| Charitable contributions. | 22 | 4.5 | 1,524 | 37 | 1,487 | 97.6 |
| Depreciation.............................................................. | 54 | 11.1 | 6,004 | 1,009 | 4,995 | 83.2 |
| Depletion................................................................ | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Contributions to deferred compensation plans................. | 26 | 5.4 | 1,242 | 34 | 1,207 | 97.2 |
| Employee benefit programs......................................... | 92 | 19.0 | 9,897 | 2,119 | 7,778 | 78.6 |
| Excess exempt expenses............................................ | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Excess readership costs.. | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |

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their respective allocated amounts were between 37 percent to 83 percent of their associated SOI-edited amounts. The proportions of the SOI-edited (corrected) amount attributed to taxpayer reporting and SOI allocation for these deduction items are illustrated in Figure E.

Sixty-eight percent of the high-income returns that required SOI allocations of misreported amounts were filed by section 501(c)(3) nonprofit organizations; the remainder were filed by organizations exempt under other sections of the tax code. Section 501(c)(6) business leagues, chambers of commerce, and real estate boards; section 501(c)(7) social and recreational clubs; section 501(c)(4) civic leagues and social welfare organizations; and section 501(c)(5) labor, agricultural, and horticultural organizations accounted for another 30 percent of all highincome returns that required allocations from Other deductions to specifically defined components. Fig-
ure F presents selected allocation study data for these organizations. While section 501(c)(3) charities had the highest frequency of returns with allocations, the percentage of their Other deductions allocated to more specifically defined deduction categories was smaller than that for section 501(c)(6), (7), and (5) organizations.

The three primary unrelated business activities reported most often by organizations with allocations from Other deductions, based on self-reported North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) codes and percentage of returns with allocations, were medical and diagnostic laboratories ( 14 percent), gambling industries ( 9 percent), and advertising and related services ( 6 percent). A list of acceptable NAICS codes used to describe organizations' unrelated business activities was provided with the 2002 Form 990-T instructions. These activities are included within the major NAICS industrial classifica-

## Figure :

High-Income Forms 990-T with At Least One Allocation Made from Other Deductions: Top Five Deduction Items with Largest Amounts Allocated, Tax Year 2002


NOTES: "High-income" Forms 990-T are those returns with gross unrelated business income of $\$ 500,000$ or more. "SOI" is the abbreviation for the Statistics of Income program of the Internal Revenue Service.

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Figure F

High-Income Forms 990-T with At Least One Allocation Made from Other Deductions: Top Five Organization Types ${ }^{1}$, by Number of Returns With Allocations, Tax Year 2002
[Money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Type of organization |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| by Internal Revenue Code |
| section |

[^21]tions of healthcare and social assistance; arts, entertainment, and recreation; and professional, scientific, and technical services, respectively. (See Table 5 for data distributed by major unrelated business activities/ industrial groupings for all Form 990-T filers.)

The deductions allocation study makes it clear that Form 990-T preparers, as well as preparers of other types of exempt-organization returns, could do a much better job of accurately reporting all-inclusive amounts within the specifically defined deduction components. In order for IRS to make intelligent decisions regarding regulation, compliance, or potential abuses of tax-exempt status, it is imperative that a high priority be placed on educating nonprofit organizations and their tax practitioners to report detailed items completely and accurately. Also, because exempt organizations are not allowed to file supplementary electronic financial statements with e-filed returns (they must provide financial data in the IRS format), there is concern that if the data provided are
incorrect or incomplete, there will be no additional information available with the e-filed returns, as there is with paper returns, that can be used to correct these reporting errors.

## Comparing and Reconciling Unrelared Business Income Data Reported on Forms 990 and 990-T

An analysis of Tax Year 2002 data from 2,894 linked records in the Forms 990 and 990-T "integrated sample" of section 501(c)(3) public charities concludes that unrelated business income (UBI) reported on Form 990-T oftentimes cannot be reconciled with that reported on Form 990. (See the Data Sources and Limitations section of this article for a description of the Forms 990 and $990-\mathrm{T}$ integrated sample design.) Anecdotal information from reviewed cases indicates that the data entered on Form 990-T are much more accurate, perhaps because the purpose of Form 990-T is to calculate tax liability, which carries a greater potential for the assessment of monetary

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penalties for misreporting than Form 990, whose purpose is to supply information only. Applying Form 990 weights to the sample records produced an estimated population of 8,992 public charities that were required to file both a Form 990 and a Form 990-T. The main sources of data for this analysis were Form 990, Part VII, Analysis of IncomeProducing Activities, and Form 990-T, Part I, Unrelated Trade or Business Income.

Form 990, Part VII, provides a three-tiered breakout of an organization's total revenue (excluding any contributions, gifts, and grants received from Government or public sources): potentially taxable UBI reportable on Form 990-T, UBI excluded from taxation under the Internal Revenue Code, and mis-sion-related (exempt function) income. Form 990-T, Part I, contains a statement of gross UBI, direct expenses, and net UBI.

As illustrated in Figure G, the Form 990 returns in the integrated sample were separated into three groups based on potentially taxable UBI reported in Part VII: those with positive total UBI ( 80 percent of all returns), those with zero UBI (13 percent of all returns), and those with negative total UBI (7 percent of all returns). Within these groups, Form 990 total

UBI was compared to both total gross UBI and total net UBI reported in Part I of Form 990-T, and also compared to a computed amount of total "adjusted UBI." Adjusted UBI is derived from a combination of Form 990-T gross and net itemized UBI amounts, based on their correlation to the combination of gross and net UBI amounts required to be reported in Part VII, Form 990. If organizations had reported income consistently on both forms, it was expected that the Form 990 total UBI amount would be the same as the Form 990-T adjusted UBI amount, a value that was no more than gross UBI and no less than net UBI, depending on what types of income were reported in each individual case.

For this analysis, Form 990 UBI in most cases was deemed reconcilable with Form 990-T UBI if it matched any of gross UBI, adjusted UBI, or net UBI, within a $\$ 100$ tolerance. (Cases in which no Form 990 total UBI was reported are discussed below.) Any case where Form 990 UBI equaled Form 990-T adjusted UBI, the expected outcome if UBI was correctly reported on both forms, was considered a "perfect match." Of particular note, as shown in Figure H, is that, out of the 5,567 linked returns with reconciled total UBI, 80 percent were

## Figure $G$

## Reconciliation of Unrelated Business Income (UBI) Data Reported by Public Charities on Form 990 and Form 990-T, Tax Year 2002

| [Money amounts are in thousands of dollars] |
| :--- |

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perfect matches of Form 990 UBI and Form 990-T adjusted UBI.

UBI reported on nearly 4 out of every 10 Forms 990 could not be reconciled with UBI reported on Form 990-T, meaning that total UBI on Form 990 did not match gross UBI, net UBI, or adjusted UBI on Form 990-T, within the $\$ 100$ tolerance. The reasons for the inconsistency are twofold: some filers reported a combination of gross and net taxable income that differed from that specified in the Form 990 instructions; other filers did not report taxable UBI on Form 990 at all. Of the 7,194 returns where the Form 990 UBI amount was positive, 34 percent could not be reconciled. In some observed cases, the Form 990 amounts simply did not correspond to any Form 990-T amounts. In many other cases, filers of Form 990 erroneously reported Gross receipts from sales
and services in Part VII, rather than Gross profit from sales and services, which is the net of gross receipts minus cost of goods sold. Gross profit, not gross receipts, should be included in total UBI on both Forms 990 and 990-T.

Twenty-eight percent of the 1,183 organizations that reported no potentially taxable UBI amounts on Form 990 filed Form 990-T with net UBI that was negative. Organizations may have presumed that negative net UBI amounts need not be reported on Form 990. These cases were not deemed irreconcilable for this analysis. However, 72 percent of the organizations reporting no taxable UBI on Form 990 filed Form 990-T with positive amounts of gross, net, and adjusted UBI. There is no known reason for this, with the exception of some degree of nonreporting on Form 990.

## Figure

Linked Forms 990 and 990-T of Public Charities: Unrelated Business Income (UBI) Reconciliation Outcome, Tax Year 2002

${ }^{1}$ For this analysis, Form 990 UBI was deemed reconcilable with Form 990-T UBI if it matched any of gross UBI, adjusted UBI, or net UBI on Form 990-T, within a $\$ 100$ tolerance. Linked cases in which Form 990-T net UBI was negative and Form 990 UBI was zero were also deemed reconcilable.
${ }^{2}$ Any case where Form 990 UBI corresponded to Form 990-T adjusted UBI, the expected outcome if total UBI was reported correctly on both forms, was considered a "perfect match."

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About one-fifth of the 614 organizations reporting negative UBI on Form 990 filed a Form 990-T with positive amounts of gross, net, and adjusted UBI. In some cases, negative amounts entered on Form 990 for Gain or loss from sales of investment assets were not reported on Form 990-T. As mentioned earlier, income from investments is generally not considered unrelated business income for public charities that file Forms 990 and 990-T. Therefore, net investment income or losses should be reported on Form 990 in Part I, but not in Part VII as UBI.

An exception to the UBIT rules regarding investment income applies to public charities that produce income from debt-financed property, in which case the income is subject to the unrelated business income tax. Public charities are required to provide detailed information about income from debt-financed property on Form 990-T, Schedule E, Unrelated Debt-Financed Income. This schedule contains several financial items used to compute the amount of debt-financed income that is subject to UBIT. In the above described cases, where organizations
reported losses from sales of investment assets on Form 990, Part VII, there was no debt-financed income reported on Form 990-T, within Part I or on Schedule E. In other irreconcilable cases involving the reporting of debt-financed income, organizations reported debt-financed income on both forms, but 1) the Form 990 amount was negative, and the Form 990-T amount was either positive or a smaller negative; or 2) the amounts on both forms were negative and equal, but positive amounts of other UBI components that were reported on Form 990-T were not reported on Form 990. In many other irreconcilable cases, negative entries on Form 990 could not be correlated with any amount reported on Form 990-T.

Figure I presents distributions, by organization size, of the 3,424 linked Form 990 and Form 990-T cases with total UBI that could not be reconciled [12]. The linked returns are grouped by the three categories of total UBI reported on Form 990 that were discussed above: greater than zero, equal to zero, and less than zero. Of the 8,992 Form 990 filers in the linked return study, 34 percent were small

## Figure 1

Linked Forms 990 and 990-T of Public Charities with Total Unrelated Business Income (UBI) That Could Not Be Reconciled, by Organization Size ${ }^{1}$, Tax Year 2002


## Value of Total UBI on Form 990

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charities, 46 percent were medium charities, and 20 percent were large charities. The proportions of small, medium, and large charities shown in Figure I for all irreconcilable returns and for those irreconcilable returns with positive Form 990 total UBI are very similar to the size proportions found within the overall population of linked returns. That was not the case for irreconcilable returns where no Form 990 UBI was reported or Form 990 UBI was negative. Small charities had a greater tendency than medium and large charities to report total UBI on Form 990-T, but not on Form 990. They accounted for half of the 853 Forms 990 on which Form 990-T UBI was omitted. The relatively small number of cases with irreconcilable negative total UBI on Form 990 was attributable mainly to medium-size charities, which filed about three-quarters of these 124 returns.

For each taxable UBI item entered on Form 990, the filer is instructed to provide an associated business activity code from a list of NAICS codes. In 36 percent of the linked Forms 990 and 990-T cases, the primary unrelated business activity indicated on the organization's Form 990-T did not match any activity code reported in Part VII of Form 990 for each itemized taxable UBI amount. This, along with UBI reporting inconsistencies, seems indicative of preparers who fill out Form 990 and 990-T exclusive of any attempted reconciliation of reporting of information on the two forms.

Researchers, both in and outside of IRS, use Form 990 to make assessments of nonprofits' financial activities, operations, and programs. Form 990, Part VII, for example, provides data that should be useful for gauging how much of an organization's income is from taxable unrelated business activities and what types of activities are producing the income. Currently, an IRS team is designing a revised Form 990 that will be geared toward obtaining data that will be useful for better regulation and oversight of nonprofit and other tax-exempt organizations. Taxpayer education, comprehensive IRS form instructions, and complete and accurate reporting by return preparers are vital for making the Form 990 a consistent and reliable tool for research and public accountability.

## Summary

During 2003 and 2004, tax-exempt organizations filed an estimated 35,103 Forms 990-T, Exempt Organi-
zation Business Income Tax Returns, for Tax Year 2002. Compared to Tax Year 2001, organizations reporting "unrelated business income" (UBI) filed only slightly fewer returns for 2002 , but it was the fourth consecutive year for which filings of Form 990-T declined. From Tax Year 1998 to Tax Year 2002, the number of filings dropped nearly 25 percent. After offsetting $\$ 7.8$ billion of total gross UBI with $\$ 7.9$ billion of expenses and deductions, the resulting unrelated business taxable income (less deficit) for 2002 was $\$-0.1$ billion. Unrelated business taxable income (UBTI) and the associated unrelated business income tax (UBIT) decreased by 18 percent and 14 percent, respectively, over amounts reported for 2001. For the 4 years between 1998 and 2002, UBTI and UBIT each declined by approximately 61 percent.

This article contains analyses from two special studies of exempt-organization reporting quality on Form 990, Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax, and Form 990-T. The Form 990-T deductions allocation study measures the extent to which high-income organizations (those with gross UBI of $\$ 500,000$ or more) misreported specifically defined, itemized deduction components as "Other deductions" on Tax Year 2002 Forms 990-T. After allocation, the increase in the total amount of each specifically defined deduction category reported by high-income filers ranged from 3 percent to 45 percent. A second special study, comparing total unrelated business income (UBI) amounts reported on Forms 990 and 990-T, revealed that total UBI reported on nearly 4 out of every 10 Forms 990 could not be reconciled with total UBI reported on Form 990-T. The main reasons for this were twofold: some Form 990 filers reported a combination of gross and net taxable income that differed from the combination specified in the return form instructions; other filers did not report total UBI on Form 990 at all.

## Data Sources and Limitations

The Tax Year 2002 Form 990-T study incorporated a two-stage sample design consisting of a stratified random sample and a special "integrated" sample. The integrated sample was designed to gather information on "related" (tax-exempt) and "unrelated" (taxable) income and expenses for section 501(c)(3) organizations that filed both Form 990, Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax

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(or Form 990-EZ, the short-form version of this information return), and Form 990-T. This integrated sampling program ensured that the Statistics of Income sample of Forms 990-T included any unrelated business income tax returns (with gross UBI of $\$ 1,000$ or more) filed by organizations whose Form 990 or Form 990 -EZ information returns were selected for the separate sample of section 501(c)(3) nonprofit charitable organizations. Organizations exempt under other Code sections were not subjected to the integrated sampling program.

The Form 990-T returns were initially divided into strata, based on gross UBI, and selected using Bernouli sampling. Section 501(c)(3) returns not selected randomly were then linked, by Employer Identification Number (EIN), to returns in the Forms 990/990-EZ sample. These linked returns, along with any randomly selected Forms 990-T that also had counterparts in the Forms 990/990-EZ sample,
formed the "integrated" IRC section 501(c)(3) portion of the Form 990-T sample [13].

As shown in Figure J, the designed sampling rates ranged from a minimum of 2 percent (Form 990-T gross UBI less than $\$ 20,000$, with either no Form 990/990-EZ EIN match or an EIN match to a Code section 501(c)(3) Form 990/990-EZ with total assets under $\$ 1,000,000$ ) to a maximum of 100 percent (either Form 990-T gross UBI of $\$ 300,000$ or more, or Form 990-T with any amount of gross UBI and an EIN match to a section 501(c)(3) Form 990 with total assets of $\$ 30,000,000$ or more). Other Forms 990-T were selected at rates ranging from 2 percent to 30 percent. In addition to designed sample rates, Figure J contains population counts, sample counts, and achieved sample rates, by size of gross unrelated business income reported on Form 990-T and size of total assets reported on Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

## Figure $J$

## Population and Sample Counts, and Designed and Achieved Sample Rates, by Sample Group,

 Tax Year 2002| Sample group number | Size of gross unrelated business income (UBI) on Form 990-T and size of total assets on matching IRC section 501(c)(3) Form 990 or Form 990-EZ ${ }^{1}$ | Population counts | Sample counts | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Designed } \\ \text { sample } \\ \text { rate } \\ \hline \hline \end{gathered}$ | Achieved sample rate |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Percentages |  |
| 1 |  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) |
|  | Gross UBI \$1,000 under \$20,000 and total assets under \$1,000,000, or Gross UBI \$1,000 under \$20,000 and no matching Form 990 or Form 990-EZ | 15,021 | 317 | 2.00 | 2.11 |
| 2 | Gross UBI $\$ 1,000$ under $\$ 20,000$ and total assets $\$ 1,000,000$ under $\$ 2,500,000$, or Gross UBI $\$ 20,000$ under $\$ 60,000$ and total assets under $\$ 2,500,000$, or Gross UBI $\$ 20,000$ under $\$ 60,000$ and no matching Form 990 or Form 990-EZ....... | 6,853 | 301 | 4.00 | 4.39 |
| 3 | Gross UBI \$1,000 under \$60,000 and total assets $\$ 2,500,000$ under $\$ 10,000,000$, or Gross UBI \$60,000 under $\$ 150,000$ and total assets under $\$ 10,000,000$, or Gross UBI \$60,000 under \$150,000 and no matching Form 990 or Form 990-EZ | 5,580 | 532 | 10.00 | 9.53 |
| 4 | Gross UBI \$1,000 under \$150,000 and total assets \$10,000,000 under \$30,000,000, or Gross UBI $\$ 150,000$ under $\$ 300,000$ and total assets under $\$ 30,000,000$, or Gross UBI $\$ 150,000$ under $\$ 300,000$ and no matching Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. | 2,950 | 942 | 30.00 | 31.93 |
| 5 | Gross UBI \$300,000 or more, or total assets \$30,000,000 or more. | 4,832 | 4,832 | 100.00 | 100.00 |
|  |  | 35,236 | 6,924 | N/A | N/A |

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The population from which the 2002 Form 990-T sample was drawn consisted of Form 990-T records posted to the IRS Business Master File system during 2003 and 2004. Returns filed after Calendar Year 2004 were not included in the sample, unless a return was considered a large income-size case (over $\$ 300,000$ or more of gross UBI). The returns in the sample were stratified based on the size of gross unrelated business income (UBI). A sample of 6,924 returns was selected from a population of 35,236 . After excluding returns that were selected for the sample but later rejected, the resulting sample size was 6,893 returns, and the estimated population size was 35,103 . Rejected returns included those that had gross UBI below the $\$ 1,000$ filing threshold; were filed for a part-year accounting period for 2002, and a full-year return was also filed for that year; or were filed for a part-year accounting period that began in a year other than 2002. For example, a final return filed for the short period of January 2003-June 2003 may have been initially selected for the 2002 sample based on the criterion of an accounting period that ended between December 2002 and November 2003, but it was later rejected because, in actuality, it was a Tax Year 2003 return.

The information presented in this article was obtained from returns as originally filed with the Internal Revenue Service. The data were subjected to comprehensive testing and correction procedures in order to improve statistical reliability and validity. In most cases, due to time constraints, changes made to the original return as a result of administrative processing, audit procedures, or a taxpayer amendment were not incorporated into the database.

Because the data are based on a sample, they are subject to sampling error. In order to use these statistics properly, the magnitude of the sampling error, measured by the coefficient of variation (CV), should be taken into account. Figure K shows CVs for selected financial data. CVs are not shown for returns with gross UBI of $\$ 300,000$ or more because they were sampled at a 100 -percent rate and, therefore, are not subject to sampling variability. A discussion of the reliability of estimates based on samples and methods for evaluating both the magnitude of sampling and nonsampling error and the precision of sample estimates can be found in the general Appendix, located near the back of this issue of the SOI Bulletin.

## Figure K

Coefficients of Variation for Selected Items, by Size of Gross Unrelated Business Income, Tax Year 2002

| Size of gross unrelated business income | Number of returns | Gross unrelated business income | Total deductions | Unrelated business taxable income | Total tax |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Coefficient of variation (percentages) |  |  |  |  |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) |
| Total.. | 0.15 | 0.57 | 0.59 | 1.19 | 1.05 |
| \$1,000 under \$10,001 ${ }^{1} \ldots . .$. | 2.69 | 4.40 | 10.87 | 9.87 | 11.94 |
| \$10,001 under \$100,000 ${ }^{1} \ldots$ | 2.77 | 2.28 | 2.93 | 7.52 | 9.47 |
| \$100,000 under \$300,000... | 2.43 | 1.94 | 2.35 | 6.44 | 7.38 |
| \$300,000 or more.............. | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |

N/A--Not applicable because the achieved sample rate was 100 percent.
${ }^{1}$ Organizations with gross unrelated business income (UBI) between \$1,000 (the filing threshold) and $\$ 10,000$ were not required to report itemized expenses and deductions, or to complete return schedules. Those with gross UBI over $\$ 10,000$ were required to fill out a more detailed "complete" return.

## Explanation of Selected Terms

In some of the following explanations, tax-exempt organizations are cited by the Internal Revenue Code section under which they are described. The various types of tax-exempt organizations subject to the unrelated business income tax provisions are described by Code section in the Appendix to this article. This section provides definitions to help the reader understand the terms contained in the article and in Tables 1 through 7 at the end of the article.

Advertising Income.--Gross income realized by a tax-exempt organization from the sale of advertising in a periodical was gross income from an unrelated trade or business activity involving the "exploitation of an exempt activity," namely, the circulation and readership of the periodical developed by producing and distributing the readership content of that periodical. Advertising income was reported separately from other types of "exploited exempt activity income." (See the explanation of Exploited Exempt Activity Income.) Internal Revenue Code section 501(c)(7), (9), and (17) organizations reported gross advertising income, as well as other types of "exploited exempt activity income," as part of gross receipts from sales and services. All other organizations reported this income separately.

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Capital Gain Net Income.--Generally, organizations required to file Form 990-T (except organizations tax-exempt under Internal Revenue Code sections 501(c)(7), (9), and (17)) were not taxed on net gains from the sale, exchange, or other disposition of property. However, capital gain net income on sales of debt-financed property, certain gains on the cutting of timber (section 1231), and gains on sales of certain depreciable property (described in sections 1245 , $1250,1252,1254$, and 1255) were taken into account in computing capital gain net income. Also, any gain or loss passed through from a partnership or S corporation, or any gain or loss on the disposition of S corporation stock by a "qualified tax-exempt" (defined in the explanation of Income (Less Loss) from Partnerships and S Corporations), was taxed as a capital gain or loss. (See the explanation of Investment Income (Less Loss) for information regarding investment income of section 501(c)(7), (9), and (17) organizations.)

Contributions.--To the extent permissible under the Internal Revenue Code, a deduction was allowed for contributions or gifts actually paid within the tax year to, or for the use of, another entity that was a charitable or Governmental organization described in Code section 170(c). A tax-exempt corporation was allowed a deduction for charitable contributions up to 10 percent of its unrelated business taxable income (UBTI) computed without regard to the deduction for contributions. A tax-exempt trust was generally allowed a deduction for charitable contributions under the rules applicable to individual taxpayers, except the limit on the deduction was determined in relation to UBTI computed without regard to the contributions deduction, rather than in relation to adjusted gross income. Contributions in excess of the respective corporate or trust limitations may be carried over to the next 5 taxable years, subject to certain rules. The contributions deduction was allowed whether or not directly connected with the carrying on of a trade or business.

Cost of Sales and Services.--Cost of sales and services was reported as a lump-sum total, but may have included depreciation, salaries and wages, and certain other types of deductible items. For this reason, the total amount shown for some of the separately reported components of total deductions, such as "salaries and wages," may be understated. Cost of sales and services was subtracted from gross
receipts from sales and services in computing gross profit (less loss) from sales and services, which is a component of gross unrelated business income (UBI). Because Form 990-T filing requirements are based on gross UBI, and cost of sales and services is factored into the computation of gross income, the deduction for cost of sales and services is reported in the gross income section of Form 990-T, not the deductions section.

Deductions Directly Connected With Unrelated Business Income.--These were deductions allowed in computing net income, if they otherwise qualified as income tax deductions under the Internal Revenue Code and if they had a "proximate and primary" relationship to carrying on an unrelated trade or business. Allowable deductions included those allocable to rental of personal property; those allocable to unrelated debt-financed income; those allocable to investment income of Internal Revenue Code section 501(c)(7), (9), and (17) organizations; those allocable to interest, annuities, royalties, and rents received from "controlled organizations" (see definition of Income from Controlled Organizations); those allocable to "exploited exempt activity income" other than advertising; direct advertising costs; compensation of officers, directors, and trustees; salaries and wages; repairs and maintenance; bad debts; interest; taxes and licenses; depreciation (unless deducted elsewhere); depletion; contributions to deferred compensation plans; contributions to employee benefit plans; the "net operating loss deduction"; and "other deductions." Tax-exempt organizations with gross unrelated business income (UBI) above $\$ 10,000$ were required to report each deduction component separately. Organizations with gross UBI between $\$ 1,000$ (the filing threshold) and $\$ 10,000$ reported a single total of the first five types of directly-connected expenses listed above (those described as "allocable to") and a single total for all other types of deductions (both deductions directly connected with UBI and those not directly connected, each defined elsewhere in this section), except for two items that were required to be reported separately: the "net operating loss deduction" (directly connected) and the "specific deduction" (not directly connected), both also defined below.

Deductions Not Directly Connected With Unrelated Business Income.--The component deductions were "set-asides," "excess exempt ex-

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penses," charitable contributions, and the "specific deduction." The specific deduction was reported, when applicable, by all organizations with positive taxable income; the other types of deductions not directly connected with UBI were reported separately, when applicable, only by tax-exempt organizations with gross UBI above $\$ 10,000$. (See, also, the explanations of Set-Asides, Excess Exempt Expenses, Contributions, and the Specific Deduction.)

Excess Exempt Expenses.--The two types of "excess" expenses allowed as deductions from unrelated business income were (1) excess exempt expenses attributable to commercial exploitation of exempt activities, and (2) excess exempt expenses attributable to advertising income. In the case of "exploited" exempt activity income (see the explanation of Exploited Exempt Activity Income, Except Advertising, below), if the expenses of the organization's exempt activity exceeded the income from the exempt activity, then the excess expenses could be used to offset any positive net unrelated business income produced from exploiting the exempt activity, to the extent that it did not result in a loss. Excess expenses of a commercially exploited exempt activity could not be used to offset income from another type of unrelated business activity if the unrelated activity did not exploit that particular exempt activity. In the case of excess exempt expenses attributable to advertising income, if the expenses attributable to producing and distributing the readership content of a periodical exceeded the circulation income, then the excess of readership costs over circulation income could be used to offset any net gain from advertising (gross advertising income less direct advertising costs), to the extent that it did not result in a loss.

Exploited Exempt Activity Income, Except Advertising.--In some cases, exempt activities create goodwill or other intangibles that are capable of being exploited in a commercial manner. When an organization exploited such an intangible in commercial activities that did not contribute importantly to the accomplishment of an exempt purpose, the income it produced was gross income from an unrelated trade or business. An example of this type of activity would be an exempt scientific organization with an excellent reputation in the field of biological research that exploits its reputation regularly by selling endorsements of laboratory equipment to manufactur-
ers. Endorsing laboratory equipment would not have contributed importantly to the accomplishment of any purpose for which tax exemption was granted to the organization. Accordingly, the income from selling such endorsements is gross unrelated business income. Exploited exempt activity income from advertising was reported separately from other types of exploited exempt activity income (see the explanation of Advertising Income). Internal Revenue Code section 501(c)(7), (9), and (17) organizations reported income from exploited exempt activities as part of gross receipts from sales and services. All other organizations reported this income separately.

Gross Profit (Less Loss) from Sales and Ser-vices.--This was the gross profit (less loss) from any unrelated trade or business regularly carried on that involved the sale of goods or performance of services. It did not include income from unrelated business activities that were required to be reported separately on any of the tax form's supporting schedules. For example, an Internal Revenue Code section 501(c)(7) social club would include gross restaurant and bar receipts from nonmembers in the calculation of gross profit (less loss) from sales and services, but would report its investment income from sales of securities on the required supporting schedule. Gross profit (less loss) from sales and services is computed as gross receipts from sales or services, less returns and allowances, minus cost of sales and services.

Gross Unrelated Business Income (UBI).--This was the total gross unrelated business income prior to reduction by allowable deductions used in computing unrelated business taxable income. All organizations were required to report detailed sources of gross UBI. The components of gross UBI were gross profit (less loss) from sales and services; capital gain net income; net gain (less loss) from sales of noncapital assets; net capital loss deduction (trusts only); income (less loss) from partnerships and S corporations; rental income; unrelated debt-financed income; investment income (less loss) of Internal Revenue Code section 501(c)(7), (9), and (17) organizations; income (annuities, interest, rents, and royalties) from controlled organizations; "exploited exempt activity" income, except advertising; advertising income; and "other" income (less loss). (For an explanation of these sources of income, see the separate explanations of each component.)

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A tax-exempt organization's income was treated as unrelated business income if it was from a trade or business that was regularly carried on by the organization and that was not substantially related to the performance of the organization's exempt purpose or function (other than that the organization needed the profits derived from the unrelated activity). The term "trade or business" generally comprised any activities carried on for the production of income from selling goods or performing services. These activities did not lose their identity as trades or businesses merely because they were carried on within a larger aggregate of similar activities or within a larger complex of other endeavors that may, or may not, have been related to the exempt purposes of the organization. For example, soliciting, selling, or publishing commercial advertising is identified as a trade or business even though the advertising is published in an exempt organization's periodical that contains editorial matter related to the organization's exempt purpose.

Income from Controlled Organizations.-When an exempt organization controls another organization, the entire amount of gross annuities, interest, rents, and royalties (termed "specified payments") received from the controlled organization are included in the gross UBI of the controlling organization, to the extent that the specified payments were claimed as a deduction from the controlled organization's own UBI (in the case of an exempt controlled organization) or the "equivalent" of UBI (in the case of a nonexempt controlled organization). The equivalent of UBI was computed as if the nonexempt controlled organization were exempt and had the same exempt purpose as the controlling organization. "Control" meant: (a) for a stock corporation, the ownership (by vote or value) of more than 50 percent of the stock; (b) for a partnership, ownership of more than 50 percent of the profits or capital interests; or (c) for any other organization, ownership of more than 50 percent of the beneficial interests. All deductions "directly connected" with a Form 990-T filer's gross controlled-organization income were allowed. The rules for debt-financed property did not apply to passive income (generally, investment income) from controlled organizations. (See the definition of Unrelated Debt-Financed Income.)

Income (Less Loss) from Partnerships and $S$ Corporations.--If an organization was a partner in
any partnership that carried on an unrelated trade or business, this income item included the organization's share of partnership gross unrelated business income less its share of partnership deductions that were directly connected with the unrelated income. If an organization was a "qualified tax-exempt" that held stock in an S corporation, this income item included the income or loss from the stock interest. The stock interest was treated as an unrelated trade or business, and all items of income, loss, or deduction were taken into account in computing unrelated business taxable income. A "qualified tax-exempt" was an organization described in Internal Revenue Code section 401(a) (qualified stock bonus, pension, or profit-sharing plan) or section 501(c)(3), and exempt from tax under section 501(a).

Investment Income (Less Loss).--This income was reported only by organizations exempt under Internal Revenue Code sections 501(c)(7), (9), and (17) and included such income as gross unrelated debt-financed income, gross income from the ownership or sale of securities, and set-asides deducted from investment income in previous years that were subsequently used for a purpose other than that for which a deduction was allowed. (See, also, the explanation of Set-Asides.) All gross rents (except those that were exempt-function income) of section 501(c)(7), (9), and (17) organizations were treated as unrelated business income and were reported as "rental income." Organizations exempt under sections other than 501(c)(7), (9), and (17) did not report "investment income (less loss)." Generally, these organizations' investment income (dividends, interest, rents, and annuities) and royalty income were not taxed as unrelated business income, unless it was income, other than dividends, from a controlled organization or debt-financed income, or the rents were of the type described in the explanation of rental income. (See explanations of Income from Controlled Organizations, Rental Income, and Unrelated DebtFinanced Income.)

Net Capital Loss (Trusts Only).--If a trust had a net loss from sales or exchanges of capital assets, it was allowed a deduction for the amount of the net loss or $\$ 3,000$, whichever was lower. (Tax-exempt corporations were not allowed to deduct any excesses of capital losses over capital gains.) Taxexempt trusts reported the net capital loss deduction

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on Form 990-T as a component of gross unrelated business income, and it was subtracted when computing total gross UBI.

Net Gain (Less Loss), Sales of Noncapital Assets.--This was the gain or loss from the sale or exchange of business property, as reported on Form 4797, Sales of Business Property. Property other than capital assets generally included property of a business nature, in contrast to personal and investment properties, which were capital assets.

Net Operating Loss Deduction (NOLD).--The net operating loss carryover or carryback (as described in Internal Revenue Code section 172) was allowed as a deduction (limited to the current-year excess of receipts over deductions, prior to applying the NOLD) in computing unrelated business taxable income. However, the net operating loss carryover or carryback (allowed only to or from a tax year for which the organization was subject to tax on unrelated business income) was determined without taking into account any amount of exempt-function income or deductions that had been excluded from the computation of unrelated business taxable income. A "net operating loss" represented the excess of deductions over receipts for a specified year for which an organization reported an overall deficit from its unrelated trade or business activities. The net operating loss deduction statistics in this article represent only net operating loss carryovers from prior years because carrybacks from future years would be reported in a later year on an amended return, not on the return as initially filed (which served as the basis for the statistics).

Other Deductions.--This included all types of unrelated business deductions that were not specifically required to be reported elsewhere on the tax return. Examples are fees for accounting, legal, consulting, or financial management services; insurance costs (if not for employee-related benefits); equipment costs; mailing costs; office expenses, such as janitorial services, supplies, or security services; rent; travel expenses; educational expenses; and utilities.

Other Income (Less Loss).--This included all types of unrelated business income that were not specifically required to be reported elsewhere on the tax return. Examples are insurance benefit fees; member support fees; commissions; returned contributions that were deducted in prior years; income from insurance activities that was not properly set
aside in prior years; recoveries of bad debts; and refunds of State or local government tax payments, if the payments were previously reported as a deduction.

Proxy Tax.--This was a tax on certain nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures. A membership organization that was tax-exempt under Internal Revenue Code sections 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) was liable for the proxy tax if the organization did not notify its members of the shares of their dues that were allocated to the nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures, or if the notice did not include the entire amount of dues that was allocated. The proxy tax was computed as 35 percent of the aggregate amount of nondeductible lobbying expenditures that was not included in the notices sent to the organization's members. The proxy tax was required to be reported on Form 990-T and was included in total tax; however, there was no connection between the proxy tax and the taxation of income from an organization's unrelated business activities.

Rental Income.--For organizations tax-exempt under Internal Revenue Code sections other than 501(c)(7), (9), and (17), this was the amount of (1) gross rents from personal property (e.g., computer equipment or furniture) leased with real property, if the rental income from the personal property was more than 10 percent, but not more than 50 percent, of the total rents from all leased property; or (2) gross rents from both real property and personal property leased with real property if the personal property was more than 50 percent of the total rents from all leased property. Except for the second situation covered above, gross rents from real property were generally excluded in computing unrelated business taxable income. In addition, gross rents from personal property that did not exceed 10 percent of the total rents from all leased property were excluded (and not included in gross UBI). Any rents not covered by the explanation of "rental income" had to be considered in terms of their taxability as unrelated business income from controlled organizations or unrelated debt-financed income, in that order. For organizations tax-exempt under sections 501(c)(7), (9), and (17), rental income included all gross rents (except those that were exempt-function income), with no exclusions. (See explanations of Income from Controlled Organizations and Unrelated Debt-Financed Income.)

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Set-Asides.--This deduction from investment income was allowed to social and recreational clubs (Internal Revenue Code section 501(c)(7)), voluntary employees' beneficiary associations (section 501(c)(9)), and supplemental unemployment benefit trusts (section 501(c)(17)). The deduction was equal to the amount of passive income (generally, investment income) that these organizations set aside (1) to be used for charitable purposes or (2) to provide payment of life, health, accident, or other insurance benefits (section 501(c)(9) and (17) organizations only). However, any amounts set aside that exceeded the "qualified asset account" limit, as figured under section 419A, were not allowed as a deduction from unrelated business investment income; they were treated as taxable investment income. A section 419A qualified asset account is any account consisting of assets set aside to provide for the payment of disability benefits, medical benefits, severance pay benefits, or life insurance benefits.

Specific Deduction.--The specific deduction was $\$ 1,000$ or the amount of positive taxable income, whichever was less. The amount deducted was considered "not directly connected" with gross unrelated business income and was allowed to all organizations that had positive taxable income after all other types of deductions were taken. This deduction provided the equivalent benefit of the $\$ 1,000$ gross unrelated business income filing threshold under which some organizations were exempted from filing a return and paying the unrelated business income tax.

Total Deductions.--Total deductions included both deductions reported on the main part of Form 990-T and expense items reported on any of six supporting schedules, which were also part of the tax form. It excluded cost of sales and services (\$2.4 billion for 2002), which was subtracted from gross receipts from sales and services in computing gross profit (less loss) from sales and services, which is a component of gross unrelated business income (UBI). (See the explanation of Cost of Sales and Services.)

Total Tax.--Total tax was unrelated business income tax less the foreign tax credit, general business credit, credit for prior-year minimum tax, and other allowable credits, plus the "proxy tax" on certain lobbying and political expenditures, the "alternative minimum tax," and "other" taxes.

Unrelated Business Income (UBI).--See definition of Gross Unrelated Business Income (UBI).

Unrelated Business Income Tax.--This was the tax imposed on unrelated business taxable income. It was determined based on the regular corporate or trust income tax rates that were in effect for the 2002 Tax Year, as shown in the following schedules.

## Tax Rates for Corporations

Amount of unrelated business taxable income is:

| Over-- | But not <br> over- | Tax is: <br> $\$ 0$ | Of the <br> amount <br> over- |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 50,000 | 75,000 | $15 \%$ | $\$ 0$ |
| 75,000 | 100,000 | $13,500+25 \%$ | 50,000 |
| 100,000 | 335,000 | $22,250+34 \%$ | 75,000 |
| 335,000 | $10,000,000$ | $113,900+34 \%$ | 100,000 |
| $10,000,000$ | $15,000,000$ | $3,400,000+35 \%$ | $10,000,000$ |
| $15,000,000$ | $18,333,333$ | $5,150,000+38 \%$ | $15,000,000$ |
| $18,333,333$ | -- | $35 \%$ | 0 |

## Tax Rates for Trusts

Amount of unrelated business taxable income is:
Of the

| Over- | But not <br> over- |  | Tax is: | amount <br> over- |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| $\$ 0$ | $\$ 1,850$ | $15.0 \%$ | $\$ 0$ |  |
| 1,850 | 4,400 | $\$ 277.50+27.0 \%$ | 1,850 |  |
| 4,400 | 6,750 | $966.00+30.0 \%$ | 4,400 |  |
| 6,750 | 9,200 | $1,671.00+35.0 \%$ | 6,750 |  |
| 9,200 | -- | $2,528.50+38.6 \%$ | 9,200 |  |

Unrelated Business Taxable Income (Less Deficit).--This was gross income derived from any unrelated trade or business regularly carried on by an exempt organization, less deductions directly connected with carrying on the trade or business and less other allowable deductions not directly connected. On a return-by-return basis, the result of this computation was either positive (unrelated business taxable income), negative (deficit), or zero. Taxable income was subject to the unrelated business income tax. (See, also, explanations of Deductions Directly Connected With Unrelated Business Income and Deductions Not Directly Connected With Unrelated Business Income.)

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Unrelated Debt-Financed Income.--Gross income from investment property for which acquisition indebtedness was outstanding at any time during the tax year was subject to the unrelated business income (UBI) tax. The percentage of investment income to be included as gross UBI was proportional to the ratio of average acquisition indebtedness to the average adjusted basis of the property. Various types of passive income (generally, investment income) were considered to be unrelated debt-financed income, but only if the income arose from property acquired or improved with borrowed funds and if the production of income was unrelated to the organization's tax-exempt purpose. When any property held for the production of income by an organization was disposed of at a gain during the tax year, and there was acquisition indebtedness outstanding at any time during the 12 -month period prior to the date of disposition, the property was considered debtfinanced property, and the gain was treated as unrelated debt-financed income. Income from debtfinanced property did not include rents from personal property (e.g., computers or furniture) leased with real property, certain passive income (generally, investment income) from controlled organizations, and other amounts that were otherwise included in computing unrelated business taxable income. Internal Revenue Code section 501(c)(7), (9), and (17) organizations reported all debt-financed income as "Investment Income (Less Loss)." All other organizations reported debt-financed income separately.

## Nołes and References

[1] The unrelated business income tax (UBIT) was imposed on the portion of a tax-exempt organization's income produced from a trade or business that was conducted on a regular basis and was not substantially related to the organization's tax-exempt mission. After reducing gross income by allowable deductions, any resulting positive net income was subject to UBIT.
[2] The proxy tax is required to be reported on Form 990-T and is included in total tax, but it has no connection to the imposition of the unrelated business income tax or an organization's involvement in unrelated business activities. A tax-exempt membership organization was liable
for the proxy tax on certain nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures if the organization did not notify its members of the shares of their dues that were allocated to the nondeductible expenditures, or if the notice did not include the entire amount of dues that was allocated. (See "Proxy Tax" in the Explanation of Selected Terms section of this article for more information.) The proxy tax of $\$ 1.4$ million shown in the total tax computation is only that reported by Form 990-T filers with gross unrelated business income above the $\$ 1,000$ filing threshold, a criterion for selection for the Statistics of Income (SOI) sample. Proxy tax reported by organizations that had no UBI or those that had UBI below the filing threshold is not included. According to IRS Business Returns Transactions File records, total proxy tax of $\$ 12.1$ million was reported on Forms 990-T for Tax Year 2002.
[3] The amount of total tax liability originally reported on Forms 990-T, as stated in these statistics, may not necessarily be the amount ultimately paid to the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). Changes in tax liability assessments can be made after the original return is filed, either by the taxpayer on an amended return, by the IRS after examination, or by litigation.
[4] All Form 990-T filers described under Internal Revenue Code sections 220(e) (Archer Medical Savings Accounts), 401(a) (pension, profitsharing and stock bonus plans), 408(e) (traditional Individual Retirement Arrangement), 408A (Roth Individual Retirement Arrangement), 529(a) (Qualified State Tuition Plans), and 530(a) (Coverdall Education Savings Accounts) are trusts. The group of filers described under section 501(c) contains a mix of trusts and corporations, depending on an entity's choice of organizational structure when it was created (defined in the organization's articles of incorporation or association). See the Appendix to this article for a description of the various types of tax-exempt organizations subject to the unrelated business income tax provisions.
[5] Most of the statistics on tax-exempt trusts and tax-exempt corporations presented in this

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section are from unpublished data from Form 990-T SOI studies conducted for Tax Years 1998, 1999, and 2002.
[6] Eighty-one percent of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary associations (VEBAs) that had taxable unrelated business income for 2002 were structured as trusts, and these trusts accounted for 98 percent of the unrelated business income tax liability of all VEBA's filing Form 990-T for 2002.
[7] A business activity is considered unrelated if it does not contribute importantly (other than the production of funds) to accomplishing an organization's charitable, educational, or other purpose that is the basis for the organization's tax exemption. In determining whether activities contribute importantly to the accomplishment of an exempt purpose, the size, extent, and nature of the activities involved must be considered in relation to the size, extent, and nature of the exempt function that they intend to serve. To the extent an activity is conducted on a scale larger than is reasonably necessary to perform an exempt purpose, it does not contribute importantly to the accomplishment of the exempt purpose. The part of the activity that is more than needed to accomplish the exempt purpose is an unrelated trade or business. Whether an activity contributes importantly depends in each case on the facts involved. See IRS Publication 598, Tax on Unrelated Business Income of Exempt Organizations, for additional information on unrelated business income and tax.

The following is a case example from Publication 598. An American folk art museum operates a shop in the museum that sells reproductions of works in the museum's own collection and also works from the collections of other art museums. In addition, the museum sells souvenir items of the city where the museum is located. The sale of the reproductions, regardless of which museum houses the original works, is considered to be "related" because it contributes importantly to the achievement of the museum's exempt educational purpose by making works of art familiar to a broader
segment of the public, thereby enhancing the public's understanding and appreciation of art. However, the sale of souvenir items depicting the city in which the museum is located is considered to be "unrelated" because it has no causal relationship to art or to artistic endeavor, and, therefore, does not contribute importantly to the accomplishment of the museum's exempt educational purposes.
[8] The unrelated business income tax (UBIT) for exempt corporations and trusts was determined based on the regular corporate and trust income tax rates in effect for the tax year of the Form 990-T filing. Trusts that were eligible for the maximum 28 -percent tax rate on capital gain net income figured their tax based on Schedule D of Form 1041, U.S. Income Tax Return for Estates and Trusts. The corporate and trust tax-rate schedules for Tax Year 2002 are included in the definition of Unrelated Business Income Tax, found in the Explanation of Se lected Terms section of this article.
[9] Churches, which are tax-exempt under Internal Revenue Code section 501(c)(3), are not required to apply for exemption unless they desire to obtain an Internal Revenue Service ruling, and they do not have to file a Form 990 information return. However, these churches are required to file Form 990 -T if they received $\$ 1,000$ or more of gross income from business activities that were considered unrelated to their religious purposes. For the most recent Form 990 annual data on organizations tax-exempt under Internal Revenue Code sections 501(c)(3) (excluding private foundations and most religious organizations) through 501(c)(9), see Arnsberger, Paul D., "Charities and Other TaxExempt Organizations, 2002," Statistics of Income Bulletin, Fall 2005, Volume 25, Number 2. For the most recent data on private foundations, see Ludlum, Melissa, "Domestic Private Foundations, 1993-2002," Statistics of Income Bulletin, Fall 2005, Volume 25, Number 2. Internal Revenue Code section 4947(a)(1) "nonexempt charitable trusts" and section 4947(a)(2) "split-interest trusts" are required to

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report unrelated business income on Form 1041, Estate and Trust Income Tax Return, rather than Form 990-T. For information on splitinterest trusts, which file Form 5227, SplitInterest Trust Information Return, see Schreiber, Lisa, "Split-Interest Trusts, 2003," Statistics of Income Bulletin, Spring 2006, Volume 25, Number 4. These reports, and statistical tables of nonexempt charitable trust data for 2002, are available from the IRS Tax Stats Web site at http://www.irs.gov/taxstats.
[10] Data collected for the deductions allocation study were controlled to provide statistics solely on amounts of itemized deductions allocated from Other deductions. Any SOI adjustments made for reasons other than allocating, such as correcting math errors, are included in both the SOI adjusted amounts and the taxpayer reported amounts.
[11] The actual number of Tax Year 2002 largeincome Forms 990-T with allocations was 492. Seven returns could not be located for the study, and data on taxpayer entries of itemized deductions were not available from any other source.
[12] For purposes of analysis, "small" public charities hold less than $\$ 1$ million in book value of total assets; "medium" public charities hold from \$1 million to less than $\$ 50$ million in book value of total assets; and "large" public charities hold \$50 million or more in book value of total assets.
[13] For additional information on the Forms 990 and 990-T integrated sample design, see Harte, James M. and Hilgert, Cecelia H., "Enriching One Sample While Improving Another: Linking Differently Stratified Samples of Documents Filed by Exempt Organizations," Statistics of Income: Turning Administrative Systems Into Information Systems, 1993.

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## Appendix <br> Types of Tax-Exempt Organizations Subject to the Unrelated Business Income Tax Provisions, by Internal Revenue Code Section

| Code section | Description of organization | General nature of activities |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 220(e) | Archer Medical Savings Accounts (MSA's) | Fiduciary agent for accounts used in conjunction with high-deductible health insurance plans to save funds for future medical expenses |
| 401(a) | Qualified pension, profit-sharing, or stock bonus plans | Fiduciary agent for pension, profit-sharing, or stock bonus plans |
| 408(e) | Traditional Individual Retirement Accounts (IRA's) | Fiduciary agent for retirement funds |
| 408A | Roth Individual Retirement Accounts (IRA's) | Fiduciary agent for retirement funds; subject to same rules as traditional IRA's, except contributions are not tax-deductible and qualified distributions are tax free |
| 501(c)(2) | Title-holding corporations for exempt organizations | Holding title to property for exempt organizations |
| (3) | Religious, educational, charitable, scientific, or literary organizations; testing for public safety organizations. Also, organizations preventing cruelty to children or animals, or fostering national or international amateur sports competition | Activities of a nature implied by the description of the class of organization |
| (4) | Civic leagues, social welfare organizations, and local associations of employees | Promotion of community welfare and activities from which net earnings are devoted to charitable, educational, or recreational purposes |
| (5) | Labor, agricultural, and horticultural organizations | Educational or instructive groups whose purpose is to improve conditions of work, products, and efficiency |
| (6) | Business leagues, chambers of commerce, real estate boards, and like organizations | Improving conditions in one or more lines of business |
| (7) | Social and recreational clubs | Pleasure, recreation, and social activities |
| (8) | Fraternal beneficiary societies and associations | Lodges providing for payment of life, health, accident, or other insurance benefits to members |
| (9) | Voluntary employees' beneficiary associations (including Federal employees' voluntary beneficiary associations formerly covered by section 501(c)(10)) | Providing for payment of life, health, accident, or other insurance benefits to members |
| (10) | Domestic fraternal beneficiary societies and associations | Lodges, societies, or associations devoting their net earnings to charitable, fraternal, and other specified purposes, without life, health, or accident insurance benefits to members |
| (11) | Teachers' retirement fund associations | Fiduciary associations providing for payment of retirement benefits |

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## Appendix <br> Types of Tax-Exempt Organizations Subject to the Unrelated Business Income Tax Provisions, by Internal Revenue Code Section--Continued

| Code section | Description of organization | General nature of activities |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 501(c)(12) | Benevolent life insurance associations, mutual ditch or irrigation companies, mutual or cooperative telephone companies, and like organizations | Activities of a mutually beneficial nature implied by the description of the class of organization |
| (13) | Cemetery companies | Arranging for burials and incidental related activities |
| (14) | State-chartered credit unions and mutual insurance or reserve funds | Providing loans to members or providing insurance of, or reserve funds for, shares or deposits in certain banks or loan associations |
| (15) | Mutual insurance companies or associations other than life, if written premiums for the year do not exceed $\$ 350,000$ | Providing insurance to members, substantially at cost |
| (16) | Corporations organized to finance crop operations | Financing crop operations in conjunction with activities of a marketing or purchasing association |
| (17) | Supplemental unemployment benefit trusts | Fiduciary agent for payment of supplemental unemployment compensation benefits |
| (18) | Employee-funded pension trusts (created before June 25 , 1959) | Providing for payments of benefits under a pension plan funded by employees |
| (19) | Posts or organizations of past or present members of the armed forces | Providing services to veterans or their dependents; advocacy of veteran's issues; and promotion of patriotism and community service programs |
| (21) | Black Lung Benefit Trusts | Created by coal mine operators to satisfy their liability for disability or death due to black lung disease |
| (22) | Withdrawal liability payment funds | Providing funds to meet the liability of employers withdrawing from a multiple-employer pension fund |
| (23) | Associations of past and present members of the armed forces founded before 1880 | Providing insurance and other benefits to veterans or their dependents |
| (24) | Trusts described in section 4049 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 | Providing funds for employee retirement income |
| (25) | Title-holding corporations or trusts with no more than 35 shareholders or beneficiaries and only one class of stock or beneficial interest | Acquiring real property and remitting all income earned from such property to one or more exempt organizations; pension, profit-sharing, or stock bonus plans; or governmental units |

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| $\begin{array}{c}\text { Code } \\ \text { section }\end{array}$ | Description of organization | General nature of activities |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 501(c)(26) | State-sponsored high-risk health insurance plans | $\begin{array}{l}\text { Providing coverage for medical care on a not-for- } \\ \text { profit basis to residents with pre-existing medical } \\ \text { conditions that resulted in denied or exorbitantly } \\ \text { priced traditional medical care coverage }\end{array}$ |
| (27) | $\begin{array}{l}\text { State-sponsored workers' compensation reinsurance } \\ \text { plans } \\ \text { Pooled employers' funds providing reimbursements } \\ \text { to employees for losses arising under workers' } \\ \text { compensation acts; also, State-created, -operated, } \\ \text { and -controlled organizations providing workers' } \\ \text { compensation insurance to employers } \\ \text { 529(a) }\end{array}$ | Qualified State Tuition Plans |
| 530(a) | Coverdell Education Savings Accounts agency-maintained plans that allow |  |
| individuals to purchase credits or certificates, or |  |  |
| make contributions to an account, to pay for future |  |  |
| educational expenses |  |  |
| Fiduciary agent for accounts created for the |  |  |
| purpose of paying qualified higher education |  |  |
| expenses of a designated beneficiary |  |  |$]$

NOTE: Corporations that are organized under an Act of Congress, and are instrumentalities of the United States, described in section 501(c)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code, are not subject to unrelated business income taxation. Prepaid legal service funds, previously described in section 501 (c)(20) of the Internal Revenue Code, were no longer tax-exempt effective with tax years beginning after June 30, 1992.

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Table 1.--Number of Returns, Gross Unrelated Business Income (UBI), Total Deductions, Unrelated Business Taxable Income (Less Deficit), Unrelated Business Taxable Income, and Total Tax, by Internal Revenue Code Section Describing Type of Tax-Exempt Organization, Tax Year 2002
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Internal Revenue Code section | Number <br> of returns | Gross unrelated business income (UBI) | Total deductions ${ }^{1,2}$ |  | Unrelated business taxable income (less deficit) |  | Unrelated business taxable income ${ }^{3}$ | Total tax ${ }^{4}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Number <br> of returns | Amount | Number of returns | Amount |  | Number <br> of returns | Amount |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) |
| All sections.. | 35,103 | 7,776,017 | 34,977 | 7,922,208 | 27,230 | -146,191 | 647,246 | 14,511 | 192,747 |
| 220(e). | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 401(a). | 381 | 79,958 | 334 | 31,491 | 325 | 48,467 | 49,652 | 249 | 16,591 |
| 408(e). | 2,300 | 13,124 | 2,300 | 3,288 | 2,253 | 9,837 | 9,837 | 2,206 | 3,373 |
| 408A.. | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| 501(c)(2) ${ }^{5}$ | 286 | 87,717 | 286 | 91,473 | 229 | -3,756 | 11,099 | 84 | 3,487 |
| 501(c)(3). | 12,803 | 4,720,890 | 12,795 | 5,005,814 | 9,852 | -284,924 | 288,853 | 4,183 | 86,001 |
| 501(c)(4). | 1,484 | 437,329 | 1,462 | 448,785 | 878 | -11,456 | 14,598 | 214 | 3,855 |
| 501(c)(5). | 2,079 | 241,256 | 2,078 | 242,656 | 1,545 | -1,400 | 19,360 | 651 | 5,126 |
| 501(c)(6). | 5,483 | 924,341 | 5,483 | 911,889 | 3,889 | 12,452 | 73,346 | 1,762 | 20,775 |
| 501(c)(7). | 6,372 | 494,524 | 6,325 | 486,541 | 5,400 | 7,983 | 50,067 | 3,662 | 10,680 |
| 501(c)(8). | 595 | 130,038 | 595 | 128,594 | 338 | 1,444 | 3,931 | 221 | 709 |
| 501(c)(9).. | 733 | 347,553 | 733 | 252,661 | 426 | 94,892 | 102,233 | 395 | 35,744 |
| 501(c)(10). | 245 | 23,962 | 245 | 25,193 | 206 | -1,231 | 1,922 | 41 | 351 |
| 501(c)(11).. | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 501(c)(12).. | 231 | 77,910 | 231 | 77,279 | 182 | 631 | 7,357 | 102 | 2,499 |
| 501(c)(13). | *114 | *3,470 | *114 | *3,034 | *114 | *436 | *997 | *102 | *211 |
| 501(c)(14). | 123 | 45,949 | 123 | 56,372 | 121 | -10,423 | 4,026 | 84 | 1,224 |
| 501(c)(15).. | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| 501(c)(16)... | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 501(c)(17)... | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 501(c)(18).. | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 501(c)(19)... | 1,799 | 135,489 | 1,799 | 139,487 | 1,397 | -3,998 | 6,795 | 483 | 1,094 |
| 501(c)(21) ${ }^{6}$ | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 501(c)(22)... | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 501(c)(23)... | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 501(c)(24). | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| 501(c)(25).. | *25 | *1,732 | *25 | *1,245 | *25 | *488 | *641 | *23 | *96 |
| 501(c)(26)... | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 501(c)(27).... | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| 529(a).. | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| 530(a).... | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |

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Table 2.--Number of Returns, Gross Unrelated Business Income (UBI), Total Deductions, Unrelated Business Taxable Income (Less Deficit), Unrelated Business Taxable Income, and Total Tax, by Size of Gross UBI, Tax Year 2002
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Size of gross unrelated business income (UBI) | Number <br> of returns | Gross unrelated business income (UBI) | Total deductions 1,2 |  | Unrelated business taxable income (less deficit) |  | Unrelated <br> business taxable income ${ }^{3}$ | Total tax ${ }^{4}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Number <br> of returns | Amount | Number <br> of returns | Amount |  | Number <br> of returns | Amount |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) |
| Total.. | 35,103 | 7,776,017 | 34,977 | 7,922,208 | 27,230 | -146,191 | 647,246 | 14,511 | 192,747 |
| \$1,000 under \$10,001 ${ }^{5}$. | 13,395 | 53,742 | 13,348 | 62,733 | 10,310 | -8,991 | 13,624 | 6,868 | 2,444 |
| \$10,001 under \$100,000 ${ }^{5}$. | 13,341 | 508,157 | 13,266 | 541,776 | 10,389 | -33,619 | 71,541 | 4,584 | 13,280 |
| \$100,000 under \$500,000. | 5,987 | 1,306,509 | 5,986 | 1,339,646 | 4,722 | -33,138 | 136,918 | 2,237 | 36,772 |
| \$500,000 under \$1,000,000.. | 1,139 | 794,839 | 1,138 | 798,162 | 853 | -3,324 | 69,732 | 410 | 21,231 |
| \$1,000,000 under \$5,000,000.. | 999 | 2,022,671 | 997 | 2,041,214 | 769 | -18,543 | 194,002 | 329 | 64,471 |
| \$5,000,000 or more............. | 242 | 3,090,100 | 242 | 3,138,677 | 187 | -48,577 | 161,429 | 82 | 54,549 |

${ }^{1}$ Excludes cost of sales and services, which was subtracted from gross receipts from sales and services in computing gross profit from sales and services. Gross profit from sales and services was a component of gross unrelated business income (UBI). Cost of sales and services can include amounts attributable to depreciation, salaries and wages, and certain other deductible items. For all exempt organizations reporting gross UBI, cost of sales and services was $\$ 2.4$ billion.
${ }^{2}$ Includes both expenses and deductions reported on Form 990-T, lines 13(B) and 34, respectively.
${ }^{3}$ Includes only positive amounts of unrelated business taxable income.
${ }^{4}$ Total tax is the regular unrelated business income tax after reduction by any tax credits (foreign tax credit, general business credit, prior-year minimum tax credit, and other allowable credits), plus the "alternative minimum tax," the "proxy" tax on nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures, and "other" taxes. The proxy tax was reported on Form 990-T and was included in total tax; however, it had no connection to the tax on unrelated business income or an organization's involvement in unrelated business activities. For exempt organizations reporting gross UBI above the $\$ 1,000$ filing threshold, total proxy tax was $\$ 1.1$ million.
${ }^{5}$ The gross unrelated business income (UBI) brackets of "\$1,000 under \$10,001" and "\$10,001 under \$100,000" reflect the different filing requirements for organizations with gross UBI of $\$ 10,000$ or less (not required to report itemized expenses and deductions, or to complete return schedules) and all other Form 990 -T filers (required to file a more detailed "complete" return). Organizations with gross UBI below $\$ 1,000$ were not required to file Form 990-T.

NOTE: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.

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Table 3.--Number of Returns, Gross Unrelated Business Income (UBI), Total Deductions, Unrelated Business Taxable Income (Less Deficit), Unrelated Business Taxable Income, and Total Tax, by Size of Unrelated Business Taxable Income or Deficit, Tax Year 2002
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Size of unrelated business taxable income or deficit | Number <br> of returns | Gross unrelated business income (UBI) | Total deductions ${ }^{1,2}$ |  | Unrelated business taxable income (less deficit) |  | Total$\operatorname{tax}^{3}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Number of returns | Amount | Number <br> of returns | Amount | Number <br> of returns | Amount |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) |
| Total................................................ | 35,103 | 7,776,017 | 34,977 | 7,922,208 | 27,230 | -146,191 | 14,511 | 192,747 |
| Deficit. | 12,735 | 3,466,715 | 12,735 | 4,260,153 | 12,735 | -793,438 | 108 | 650 |
| Zero ${ }^{4}$................................................. | 7,873 | 1,872,093 | 7,873 | 1,872,093 | -- | -- | 123 | 584 |
| \$1 under \$1,000.. | 3,232 | 60,533 | 3,232 | 59,225 | 3,232 | 1,308 | 3,227 | 197 |
| \$1,000 under \$10,000... | 6,653 | 270,326 | 6,606 | 245,392 | 6,653 | 24,934 | 6,522 | 3,982 |
| \$10,000 under \$100,000.. | 3,663 | 664,768 | 3,588 | 544,351 | 3,663 | 120,417 | 3,592 | 22,328 |
| \$100,000 under \$500,000... | 741 | 647,714 | 740 | 490,728 | 741 | 156,986 | 736 | 49,490 |
| \$500,000 under \$1,000,000... | 92 | 224,881 | 91 | 160,677 | 92 | 64,205 | 90 | 20,825 |
| \$1,000,000 or more.............................. | 114 | 568,987 | 112 | 289,591 | 114 | 279,396 | 113 | 94,691 |

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Table 4.--Returns with Positive Unrelated Business Taxable Income: Number of Returns, Gross Unrelated Business Income (UBI), Total Deductions, Unrelated Business Taxable Income, and Total Tax, by Type of Entity and Size of Gross UBI, Tax Year 2002
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]


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Table 5.--Number of Returns, Gross Unrelated Business Income (UBI), Total Deductions, Unrelated Business Taxable Income (Less Deficit), Unrelated Business Taxable Income, and Total Tax, by Primary Unrelated Business Activity or Industrial Grouping, Tax Year 2002
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Primary unrelated business activity or industrial grouping | Number of returns | Gross unrelated business income (UBI) | Total deductions ${ }^{1,2}$ |  | Unrelated business taxable income (less deficit) |  | Unrelated business taxable income ${ }^{3}$ | Total tax ${ }^{4}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Number of returns | Amount | Number of returns | Amount |  | Number of returns | Amount |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) |
| All activities and groupings...................... | 35,103 | 7,776,017 | 34,977 | 7,922,208 | 27,230 | -146,191 | 647,246 | 14,511 | 192,747 |
| Agriculture, forestry, hunting, and fishing.......... | 224 | 41,133 | 224 | 21,943 | 173 | 19,190 | 22,680 | 158 | 7,664 |
| Mining. | 244 | 26,503 | 244 | 26,136 | 181 | 367 | 4,306 | 179 | 1,049 |
| Utilities. | 30 | 26,162 | 30 | 25,336 | 26 | 826 | *1,431 | *19 | *517 |
| Construction. | 52 | 110,862 | 52 | 111,350 | 45 | -488 | *1,401 | *29 | *453 |
| Manufacturing. | 139 | 57,988 | 139 | 68,228 | 105 | -10,240 | 11,233 | 58 | 3,864 |
| Wholesale trade | *63 | *2,396 | *63 | *2,173 | *62 | *223 | *559 | *49 | *139 |
| Retail trade. | 1,625 | 441,128 | 1,625 | 501,662 | 1,294 | -60,534 | 19,021 | 564 | 5,222 |
| Transportation and warehousing. | 32 | 6,854 | 32 | 7,935 | 30 | -1,081 | 1,031 | 4 | 340 |
| Information. | 673 | 231,030 | 671 | 230,076 | 506 | 954 | 22,101 | 273 | 7,777 |
| Finance and insurance, total | 8,470 | 1,102,210 | 8,421 | 905,596 | 7,009 | 196,614 | 263,473 | 5,812 | 84,499 |
| Unrelated debt-financed activities, other than rental of real estate ${ }^{5}$.. | 437 | 100,798 | 437 | 61,805 | 372 | 38,993 | 48,008 | 211 | 15,677 |
| Investment activities of Code section 501(c)(7), (9), and (17) organizations........ | 3,187 | 366,694 | 3,187 | 256,770 | 2,462 | 109,924 | 118,609 | 2,156 | 38,495 |
| Passive income activities with controlled organizations... | 342 | 180,936 | 341 | 166,634 | 286 | 14,302 | 27,851 | 209 | 8,965 |
| Other finance and insurance | 4,505 | 453,782 | 4,456 | 420,387 | 3,889 | 33,396 | 69,005 | 3,236 | 21,362 |
| Real estate and rental and leasing, total.. | 6,106 | 941,635 | 6,081 | 928,794 | 4,921 | 12,841 | 106,421 | 2,470 | 29,860 |
| Rental of personal property . | 620 | 52,796 | 620 | 52,694 | 486 | 102 | 5,304 | 210 | 1,196 |
| Other real estate and rental and leasing.. | 5,486 | 888,839 | 5,461 | 876,100 | 4,436 | 12,739 | 101,118 | 2,259 | 28,663 |
| Professional, scientific, and technical services. | 7,854 | 1,732,006 | 7,854 | 1,784,898 | 5,114 | -52,891 | 75,924 | 1,674 | 20,969 |
| Management of companies and enterprises..... | 4 | 3,567 | 4 | 1,128 | 4 | 2,439 | 2,476 | 3 | 837 |
| Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services. $\qquad$ | 704 | 335,269 | 704 | 351,506 | 482 | -16,237 | 16,953 | 207 | 5,059 |
| Educational services... | 12 | 32,602 | 12 | 37,650 | 8 | -5,049 | 351 | 3 | 112 |
| Healthcare and social assistance... | 993 | 1,348,143 | 991 | 1,468,051 | 837 | -119,909 | 42,616 | 307 | 13,517 |
| Arts, entertainment, and recreation.. | 4,070 | 616,715 | 4,022 | 662,940 | 3,171 | -46,225 | 26,261 | 1,420 | 4,488 |
| Accommodation and food services.................. | 2,739 | 485,360 | 2,739 | 536,932 | 2,394 | -51,572 | 16,702 | 851 | 3,423 |
| Other services.. | 698 | 154,288 | 698 | 170,293 | 608 | -16,005 | 6,436 | 300 | 1,348 |
| Exploited exempt activities.. | 210 | 75,233 | 210 | 74,517 | 145 | 716 | 5,309 | 127 | 1,432 |
| Not allocable. | 163 | 4,933 | 163 | 5,064 | 115 | -131 | *561 | *5 | *178 |

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Table 6.--Sources of Gross Unrelated Business Income (UBI), by Size of Gross UBI, Tax Year 2002
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Size of gross unrelated business income (UBI) | Gross unrelated business income (UBI) |  | Sources of gross unrelated business income (UBI) ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Gross profit (less loss) from sales and services |  | Capital gain net income |  |
|  | Number <br> of returns | Amount | Number of returns | Amount | Number <br> of returns | Amount |
| Total $\qquad$ <br> $\$ 1,000$ under $\$ 10,001^{2}$ <br> $\$ 10,001$ or more, total ${ }^{2,3}$. <br> \$10,001 under \$100,000 <br> $\$ 100,000$ under \$500,000. <br> \$500,000 under \$1,000,000. <br> $\$ 1,000,000$ under $\$ 5,000,000$. <br> $\$ 5,000,000$ or more. | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
|  | 35,103 | 7,776,017 | 14,895 | 4,322,643 | 614 | 106,267 |
|  | $13,395$ | $53,742$ | $2,864$ | $10,010$ | *151 | *184 |
|  | 21,708 | 7,722,275 | 12,031 | 4,312,632 | 463 | 106,083 |
|  | 13,341 | 508,157 | 6,731 | 230,100 | 214 | 7,641 |
|  | 5,987 | 1,306,509 | 3,734 | 707,744 | 159 | 17,842 |
|  | 1,139 | 794,839 | 735 | 412,856 | 30 | 11,109 |
|  | 999 | 2,022,671 | 659 | 1,094,952 | 42 | 38,761 |
|  | 242 | 3,090,100 | 172 | 1,866,979 | 18 | 30,730 |
| Sources of gross unrelated business income (UBI) ${ }^{1}$--Continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Size of gross unrelated business income (UBI) | Net capital loss (trusts only) |  | Net gain (less loss), sales of noncapital assets ${ }^{4}$ |  | Income (less loss) from partnerships and S corporations |  |
|  | Number <br> of returns | Amount | Number <br> of returns | Amount | Number of returns | Amount |
|  | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) |
| Total........................................................ | 147 | 930 | 250 | 4,445 | 3,977 | 180,890 |
| \$1,000 under \$10,001 ${ }^{2}$............................... | *47 | *142 | *10 | *-220 | 2,793 | 7,353 |
|  | 99 | 788 | 240 | 4,664 | 1,184 | 173,537 |
| \$10,001 under \$100,000........................... | -- | -- | 121 | -160 | 548 | 10,652 |
| \$100,000 under \$500,000........................... | 62 | 548 | 65 | 697 | 317 | 35,560 |
| \$500,000 under \$1,000,000....................... | 10 | 30 | 15 | 242 | 107 | 20,078 |
| \$1,000,000 under \$5,000,000..................... | 24 | 200 | 23 | -820 | 150 | 59,219 |
| $\$ 5,000,000$ or more. | 3 | 9 | 16 | 4,706 | 62 | 48,028 |
| Sources of gross unrelated business income (UBI) ${ }^{1--}$ Continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Size of gross unrelated business income (UBI) | Rental income ${ }^{5}$ |  | Unrelated debtfinanced income |  | Investment income$\left(\text { less loss) }{ }^{6}\right.$ |  |
|  | Number <br> of returns | Amount | Number <br> of returns | Amount | Number <br> of returns | Amount |
|  | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) |
| Total........................................................ | 4,550 | 240,445 | 3,079 | 436,949 | 5,454 | 350,619 |
| \$1,000 under \$10,001 ${ }^{\text {2 }}$.............................. | 1,163 | 5,415 | 866 | 3,539 | 2,606 | 7,702 |
|  | 3,387 | 235,031 | 2,213 | 433,410 | 2,848 | 342,917 |
| \$10,001 under \$100,000........................... | 2,423 | 55,547 | 1,380 | 43,575 | 1,630 | 22,184 |
| \$100,000 under \$500,000.......................... | 722 | 63,133 | 590 | 81,312 | 951 | 43,446 |
| \$500,000 under \$1,000,000....................... | 125 | 31,728 | 95 | 40,519 | 169 | 30,141 |
| \$1,000,000 under \$5,000,000..................... | 92 | 47,944 | 120 | 120,796 | 84 | 94,406 |
| \$5,000,000 or more.................................. | 25 | 36,678 | 28 | 147,208 | 14 | 152,738 |

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Table 6.--Sources of Gross Unrelated Business Income (UBI), by Size of Gross UBI, Tax Year 2002 --Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Size of gross unrelated business income (UBI) | Sources of gross unrelated business income (UBI) ${ }^{1}$--Continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Income from controlled organizations ${ }^{7}$ |  | Exploited exempt activity income, except advertising |  | Advertising income |  | Other income (less loss) |  |
|  | Number <br> of returns | Amount | Number <br> of returns | Amount | Number <br> of returns | Amount | Number <br> of returns | Amount |
|  | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) |
| Total... | 1,358 | 211,110 | 842 | 128,202 | 8,226 | 1,281,633 | 5,035 | 513,745 |
| \$1,000 under \$10,001 ${ }^{2}$. | 400 | $1,100$ | *181 | *1,080 | 3,387 | 13,927 | 1,131 | 3,795 |
| \$10,001 or more, total ${ }^{2,3}$. | 958 | $\mathbf{2 1 0 , 0 1 0}$ | 661 | 127,122 | 4,839 | 1,267,706 | 3,905 | 509,950 |
| \$10,001 under \$100,000... | 540 | 8,508 | 291 | 5,520 | 2,686 | 80,801 | 2,134 | 43,789 |
| \$100,000 under \$500,000... | 249 | 22,890 | 225 | 17,272 | 1,512 | 220,800 | 1,254 | 96,360 |
| \$500,000 under \$1,000,000... | 57 | 12,691 | 57 | 15,973 | 313 | 170,229 | 215 | 49,302 |
| \$1,000,000 under \$5,000,000.. | 75 | 58,568 | 69 | 45,285 | 265 | 316,355 | 234 | 147,403 |
| \$5,000,000 or more..... | 37 | 107,352 | 19 | 43,072 | 62 | 479,522 | 68 | 173,096 |

*Estimate should be used with caution because of the small number of sample returns on which it is based.
${ }^{1}$ For definitions of the sources of gross unrelated business income, see the Explanation of Selected Terms section of this article.
${ }^{2}$ The gross unrelated business income (UBI) brackets of "\$1,000 under \$10,001" and "\$10,001 under \$100,000" reflect the different filing requirements for organizations with gross UBI of $\$ 10,000$ or less (not required to report itemized expenses and deductions, or to complete return schedules) and all other Form 990 -T filers (required to file a more detailed "complete" return). Organizations with gross UBI below $\$ 1,000$ were not required to file Form 990-T.
${ }^{3}$ All organizations were required to report each income item, as shown in columns 3 through 26 . However, only organizations with gross UBI over $\$ 10,000$ were required to report each deduction shown in columns 14 through $45,48,49$, and 54 through 59 of Table 7 . Income totals for these larger organizations with gross UBI over $\$ 10,000$ are shown in order to facilitate comparison with Table 7
${ }^{4}$ Property other than capital assets generally included property of a business nature, in contrast to personal and investment property, which were capital assets
${ }^{5}$ Income from real property and personal property leased with real property
${ }^{6}$ Reported by Internal Revenue Code section 501(c)(7), (9), and (17) organizations only.
${ }^{7}$ Annuities, interest, rents, and royalties
NOTE: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding

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Table 7.--Types of Deductions, by Size of Gross Unrelated Business Income (UBI), Tax Year 2002


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Table 7.--Types of Deductions, by Size of Gross Unrelated Business Income (UBI), Tax Year 2002 --Continued

| [All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars] |
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# Transactions Between Large Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations and Related Foreign Persons, 2002 

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The total value of transactions between large foreign-owned domestic corporations and related foreign persons declined for Tax Year 2002 despite the increased number of domestic corporations and related persons engaged in these transactions. The number of large domestic corporations that were 25 percent or more foreign-owned and reported transactions with related foreign parties continued to grow. For 2002, there were 737 for-eign-owned domestic corporations, which reported transactions with related foreign persons on Form 5472, up from 612 in 2000 and 610 in 1998. Figure A, which provides statistics on selected items from Form 5472 for Tax Years 1992 through 2002, highlights the extent of the decline in the value of transactions from 2000 levels. The total amounts received (excluding loan balances) declined by 37.2 percent to $\$ 166.7$ billion, and the total amounts paid (excluding loan balances) declined by 26.4 percent to $\$ 353.6$ billion. While loan balances, both amounts borrowed and amounts loaned, increased for 2002, the net increase on those balances declined by $\$ 11.5$ billion. For 2002, the ending balance for the amount borrowed, $\$ 498.8$ billion, was $\$ 55.1$ billion greater than the beginning balance; for 2000 the difference was $\$ 140.0$ billion. For 2002 the ending balance for amounts loaned, $\$ 189.1$ billion, was $\$ 44.3$ billion greater than the beginning balance; for 2000 this difference was $\$ 46.1$ billion. Total inflows, the total received plus the increase between the beginning amounts borrowed and the ending amounts borrowed, equaled $\$ 221.8$ billion, a decline of 45.3 percent from the 2000 amount. Total outflows, the total paid plus the increase between the beginning amounts loaned and the ending amounts loaned, equaled $\$ 397.9$ billion, a decline of 24.4 percent from the 2000 amount. Taken together, the U.S. corporations in this study sent out more in property, services, and money than they received in transactions with related foreign parties, resulting in a net outflow of $\$ 176.1$ billion.

## Study Criteria

This study covers transactions between reporting corporations and related foreign persons. A reporting

[^31]corporation is defined as either a domestic corporation that is 25 percent or more owned by a single foreign person or a foreign corporation engaged in a U.S. trade or business (i.e., a U.S. branch of a foreign corporation).
More then 99 percent of the reporting corporations included in this

Total value of transacfions covered by these statistics dedined despite the increased number of domestic corporations and related foreign persons engaged in these
transuctions. study are companies incorporated in the United States. These corporations must report transactions made with each related foreign party during the taxable year[1]. Related foreign persons include any direct or indirect 25 percent foreign shareholder, as well as any foreign person related to either the reporting corporation or a 25 -percent foreign shareholder as defined by the Internal Revenue Code [2]. The transactions are reported on Form 5472, Information Return of a 25-Percent Foreign-Owned U.S. Corporation or a Foreign Corporation Engaged in a U.S. Trade or Business. A consolidated corporate tax return can and frequently does include multiple Forms 5472. Data in this study are not published by individual reporting corporations but instead are published by either the corporation on whose return the Form 5472 was filed or by the country of the related foreign person (or both). See Tables 1, 2, and 3.

Congress, concerned that related party transactions could be manipulated to avoid U.S. taxation, added reporting requirements as part of the Tax Equity and Fiscal Responsibility Act (TEFRA) of 1982 to provide the Internal Revenue Service with more information about the nature and amount of these transactions. The TEFRA reporting requirements led the IRS to publish and distribute Form 5472 [3]. This new form was attached to corporation income tax returns for tax years beginning after December 31, 1983. The data in this study are of particular interest because they cover transactions between U.S. and foreign companies where an arm's-length relationship cannot be assumed.

Statistics of Income conducted this study annually beginning in 1988, then biennially since 1994. For inclusion in this study, a corporation must report \$500

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million or more in total receipts and file a Form 5472. In 2002, a domestic corporation was required to file a Form 5472 if it was at least 25 -percent foreignowned and engaged in transactions with at least one related foreign party. The Internal Revenue Code subjects each reporting corporation to a fine of $\$ 10,000$ for each related party for which it failed to file all reportable transactions on Form 5472 [4].

## Decline in Total Amounts Received and Total Amounts Paid

Despite the increase in the number of large foreignowned domestic corporations and in the number of
related foreign parties covered by the study, the amount that these domestic corporations received from related foreign persons declined compared with 2000 amounts. Peaking at $\$ 297.9$ billion in 1998, the total received from related foreign persons (excluding loan balances) has declined in the two successive studies, to $\$ 265.3$ billion in 2000 and $\$ 166.7$ billion in 2002 (Figure A). Contributing to the decline in the total amount received for 2002 were a 44.4 -percent drop in the sales of stock in trade to the United Kingdom (U.K.), decreasing from $\$ 83.8$ billion in 2000 to $\$ 46.6$ billion in 2002 and a dramatic 97.8percent drop in the "other amounts" received from

Figure A
Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations with Total Receipts of $\$ 500$ Million or More and with Form 5472: Selected Items for Selected Tax Years 1992 through 2002
[Money amounts are in billions of dollars]

| Item | 1992 | 1993 | 1994 | 1996 | 1998 | 2000 | 2002 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) |
| Foreign-owned domestic corporations with total receipts of $\$ 500$ million or more and with Form $5472{ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 366 | 437 | 444 | 545 | 610 | 612 | 737 |
| Total assets. | 1,317.3 | 1,540.5 | 1,681.6 | 2,125.8 | 2,929.4 | 4,486.1 | 4,712.3 |
| Total receipts.. | 808.0 | 871.4 | 944.6 | 1,175.4 | 1,292.9 | 1,920.8 | 1,851.1 |
| Income subject to U.S. tax........ | 14.5 | 15.7 | 18.5 | 36.2 | 36.4 | 72.7 | 46.4 |
| Total U.S. income tax after credits. | 4.1 | 4.9 | 5.8 | 10.2 | 10.8 | 20.2 | 12.1 |
| Transactions between foreign-owned domestic corporations and related foreign persons |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of related foreign persons.. | 6,708 | 7,662 | 8,540 | 10,316 | 11,379 | 12,276 | 14,515 |
| Amounts received from related foreign persons: |  | 77. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total (excluding loan balances) ${ }^{2}$................... | 63.1 | 77.1 | 112.3 | 132.5 | 297.9 | 265.3 | 166.7 |
| Sales of stock in trade <br> Sales of tangible property other than | 49.0 | 53.1 | 69.4 | 65.8 | 259.4 | 159.2 | 110.3 |
| stock in trade. | 0.7 | 0.5 | 1.1 | 2.8 | 3.3 | 4.7 | 8.2 |
| Consideration for technical, managerial, or like services. | 3.0 | 3.1 | 3.6 | 4.4 | 10.6 | 10.9 | 12.2 |
| Interest. | 1.1 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 1.8 | 2.7 | 4.6 | 4.2 |
| Premiums for insurance or reinsurance. | 2.8 | 1.4 | 0.7 | 0.9 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 1.4 |
| Amounts borrowed, ending balance... | 67.9 | 88.6 | 87.9 | 134.2 | 206.5 | 418.2 | 498.8 |
| Amounts paid to related foreign persons: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total (excluding loan balances) ${ }^{2} \ldots \ldots \ldots$ | 139.2 | 185.3 | 220.0 | 212.3 | 398.9 | 480.2 | 353.6 |
| Purchases of stock in trade....... | 120.8 | 153.4 | 177.9 | 178.0 | 348.7 | 347.0 | 278.2 |
| Purchases of tangible property other than stock in trade. | 2.6 | 3.9 | 2.7 | 3.9 | 5.3 | 7.4 | 2.4 |
| Consideration for technical, managerial, or like services. | 2.1 | 2.5 | 3.4 | 4.4 | 6.5 | 8.5 | 7.3 |
| Interest. | 5.4 | 5.7 | 6.2 | 8.8 | 14.5 | 26.1 | 24.6 |
| Premiums for insurance or reinsurance.. | 3.1 | 1.7 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 2.0 | 14.0 |
| Amounts loaned, ending balance.............. | 19.2 | 24.0 | 28.4 | 30.4 | 55.8 | 97.0 | 189.1 |

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the Netherlands, down from $\$ 85.4$ billion in 2000 to $\$ 1.9$ billion in 2002 [5]. "Other amounts" act as a catchall for all transaction amounts that do not fit on one of the defined lines of the form.

The amount that domestic corporations paid to related foreign persons declined for the first time since the drop between the 1994 and 1996 studies. In 1996, domestic corporations covered by these statistics made total payments of $\$ 212.3$ billion, down from $\$ 220.0$ billion in 1994. Following the 1996 study, the total amounts paid climbed to $\$ 398.9$ billion in 1998 and $\$ 480.2$ billion in 2000. For 2002, total amounts paid declined to $\$ 353.6$ billion. The cause of the decline in total amounts paid correlates with the cause of the decline in total amounts received, discussed above. The decline in total amounts paid was caused by a 57.9 -percent drop in the purchase of stock in trade from the U.K., down from $\$ 94.9$ billion in 2000 to $\$ 39.9$ billion in 2002 and on 83.6 percent drop in "other amounts" paid to the Netherlands, down from $\$ 75.0$ billion in 2000 to $\$ 12.3$ billion in 2002 [6].

The decline in total amounts received and in total amounts paid in 2002 can be further isolated to for-eign-controlled domestic corporations in the finance and insurance sector, which transacted with related foreign persons from the U.K. and the Netherlands. For the U.K. despite the increase both in the number of 25-percent foreign-owned domestic corporations (which will subsequently be referred to simply as the "number of returns") in this industry reporting transactions with related foreign parties and in the number of related foreign parties which transacted with those corporations, the drop in 2002 for sales of stock in trade and purchases of stock in trade came almost entirely from the finance and insurance sector. The number of returns in the finance and insurance sector which reported transactions with at least one related foreign party from the U.K. increased from 26 in 2000 to 41 in 2002. The number of related foreign persons in this category increased from 103 in 2000 to 142 in 2002. See Table 3 for current-year amounts. Despite these increases, the amount domestic corporations in the finance and insurance sector received from sales of stock in trade made to related persons resident and doing business in the U.K. declined 47.2 percent, dropping from $\$ 78.2$ billion in 2000 to $\$ 41.3$ billion in 2002. The amount paid by domestic corporations in purchases of stock
in trade from related persons in the U.K. similarly declined 71.9 percent, dropping from $\$ 74.5$ billon in 2000 to $\$ 20.9$ billion in 2002.

Similarly, the drop in "other amounts" received from the Netherlands and "other amounts" paid to the Netherlands also came from the finance and insurance sector, despite the increase in the number of returns in the industrial sector reporting transactions with related foreign persons from the Netherlands and the number of related foreign persons who transacted with those corporations. The number of returns in the finance sector that reported transactions with at least one related foreign person from the Netherlands increased from 13 in 2000 to 15 in 2002 (Table 3). The number of related foreign persons in this category increased from 19 in 2000 to 25 in 2002. Despite these increases, the amount domestic corporations in the finance and insurance sector received in the form of "other amounts" from related persons resident of and doing business in the Netherlands declined 99.1 percent, dropping from $\$ 65.0$ billion for 2000 to $\$ 0.6$ billion in 2002. "Other amounts" paid by domestic corporations to related persons from the Netherlands similarly declined 99.8 percent, dropping from $\$ 65.0$ billon in 2000 to $\$ 0.1$ billion in 2002.

## Receipts and Payments by Industrial Sector

Foreign-owned domestic corporations classified in three industrial sectors, wholesale trade, manufacturing, and finance and insurance, were responsible for 79 percent of all related foreign persons and 92 percent of all nonloan transactions. The wholesale trade sector reported the largest amount of nonloan transactions, $\$ 198.3$ billion or 38.1 percent of the total receipts and payments, and the second largest number of related foreign persons, 2,879 persons or 19.8 percent of the total. See Table 1 for statistics by industry of the foreign-owned domestic corporation. Total receipts and payments for these 189 wholesale trade corporations rose by 4.7 percent compared with 2000 levels. See Figure B for the number of returns broken out by industry. The wholesale trade sector reported the highest amount of total nonloan receipts and payments largely due to a total paid of $\$ 158.3$ billion and the dramatic decrease in nonloan receipts and payments from the finance sector, down from $\$ 309.9$ billion in 2000 to $\$ 104.9$ billion in 2002. The 282 corporations in the manufacturing sector reported transactions with the

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## Figure B

Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations with Total Receipts of $\$ 500$ Million or More and with Form 5472: Number of Returns, by NAICS Industrial Sector of Domestic Corporation, Tax Year 2002


1 "Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services."
NOTE: NAICS is the abbreviation for the North American Industry Classification System. Not shown to avoid disclosure of information about specific corporations are the NAICS industrial sectors, "Arts, entertainment, and recreation"; "Agriculture, forestry, fishing, and hunting"; and "Other services (except Public Administration)."
largest number of related foreign persons, 7,794 persons or 53.7 percent of the total, and the second largest amount of total nonloan transactions, \$173.3 billion or 33.3 percent of the total. Due to the drop in total receipts and payments, corporations in the finance and insurance sector reported the third largest amount, $\$ 104.9$ billion or 20.2 percent of the total, and the third largest number of related foreign persons, 810 persons or 5.6 percent of the total.

It is important to note that the number of related foreign persons is not necessarily the same as the number of transactions. A related foreign person may have had multiple transactions with a foreignowned domestic corporation during an accounting period included in this study. The number of transactions was not available for this study.

## Transactions with Whom?

Related persons from only five countries are responsible for 67.9 percent of the total nonloan transactions. In order, the five countries are Japan, the United Kingdom, Canada, Germany, and Switzerland (Figure C). Domestic corporations reporting transactions with related persons from four of these five countries paid out more than they received (meaning that there was a net outflow (not including loan balances) during 2002 from the domestic corporations to the related persons from these particular countries). The largest discrepancy came from related persons resident and doing business in Japan, who were paid $\$ 93.5$ billion more than the domestic corporations transacting with them received. The only country among the five where related persons

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 Foreign Persons, 2002from that country were paid less than domestic corporations transacting with them received was the United Kingdom. Corporations transacting with related persons from the United Kingdom received $\$ 14.7$ billion more than they paid to the related foreign persons.

Related parties from 16 countries each accounted for more than 1 percent of total nonloan transactions (Figure C). The additional 11 countries are (in order): South Korea, the Netherlands, France, Singapore, Mexico, Belgium, Hong Kong, Bermuda, Ireland, Sweden, and Taiwan. These 16 countries were responsible for 89.5 percent of total nonloan transactions for 2002. It is notable that transactions between domestic corporations and foreign persons from China do not make up a significant part of these statistics despite China being the U.S.'s fourth largest trading partner in 2002 [7]. The 329 persons from China, 2.3 percent of all foreign persons, accounted
for only 0.3 percent of total nonloan transactions. See Table 2 for statistics by country of related foreign person, including China.

## Sample Selection, Data Sources, and Limitations

The foreign-owned domestic corporation statistics were collected annually from 1988 to 1993, then collected biennially since 1994 [8, 9]. The Tax Year 2002 statistics include data from Forms 5472, in general, for all U.S. corporations with total receipts of $\$ 500$ million or more, which were owned ( 25 percent or more) by a foreign person and reported transactions with related foreign persons.

The corporation Statistics of Income study is based on a sample of over 145,000 corporate income tax returns chosen from 5.7 million returns which companies filed for Tax Year 2002, i.e., with accounting periods ending July 2002 through June 2003.

Figure C

## Transactions Between Large Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations and Related Foreign Persons: Total Value of Nonloan Transactions, by Selected Country of Residence of Related Foreign Persons, Tax Year 2002



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These returns were selected after completion of administrative processing but before the start of any audit examinations [10]. From the sample, only those returns of domestic corporations reporting total receipts of $\$ 500$ million or more and with attached Forms 5472 were selected for this study. Returns, however, with at least one Form 5472 attached and selected in previous studies were included in these statistics, even if the corporation fell below the $\$ 500-$ million receipts threshold. Foreign corporations (filing Form 1120F) engaged in a U.S. trade or business were not included in these statistics, even though the corporation may have filed Forms 5472 for transactions with related foreign persons [11]. Because corporation income tax returns with total receipts of $\$ 500$ million or more are sampled at the 100 -percent rate the data in this study are not subject to sampling variability though possibly subject to nonsampling error.

For 2002, the 737 "large" foreign-owned domestic corporations filing Forms 5472 comprised 72.1 percent of the total assets and 71.9 percent of the total receipts reported by all 25 -percent-or-more foreign-owned domestic corporations. These large corporations accounted for 9.3 percent of the total assets and 9.4 percent of the total receipts reported by all domestic corporations for 2002 (Figure D). These data showed a relative lessening of the importance of these corporations among the total population of domestic corporations. Compare Figure D of
this article with Figure C of the 2000 article. The comparison shows an increase in the percentage of corporate receipts that corporations in this study accounted for among all corporations but decreases in their percentage of assets, income subject to tax, and income tax after credits.

The industry code used to classify returns for Figure A and Tables 1 and 3 represents the principal business activity of the corporation filing the tax return - i.e., the activity that accounted for the largest portion of total receipts as reported in the corporation's income statement [12]. However, a given return may refer to a company engaged in several business activities or an affiliated group of corporations that conducted different business activities (consolidated return filing). To the extent that some consolidated (and nonconsolidated) returns were engaged in more than one type of business activity, transaction data in this article are not entirely related to the industrial activity under which they are shown.

## Explanation of Selected Terms

Amounts Borrowed and Loaned.--Because the beginning and ending balances, in general, reflect only the amounts outstanding at the beginning and end of the accounting period, respectively, these amounts do not reflect amounts borrowed and loaned in transactions that took place entirely within the accounting period.

## Figure D

Foreign-Owned and Other Domestic Corporations: Selected Items, Tax Year 2002
[Money amounts are in billions of dollars]

| Item | All domestic corporations ${ }^{1}$ | 25-percent-or-more foreign-owned domestic corporations ${ }^{2}$ |  | 25-percent-or-more foreign-owned domestic corporations with total receipts of $\$ 500$ million or more and with Form 5472 as a percentage of . . . |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | With total receipts of \$500 million or more and with Form 5472 | All domestic corporations | 25-percent-or-more foreignowned domestic corporations ${ }^{2}$ |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) |
| Number of returns. | 5,266,607 | 66,286 | 737 | 0.01 | 1.11 |
| Total assets.. | 50,413.5 | 6,533.9 | 4,712.3 | 9.35 | 72.12 |
| Total receipts.. | 19,749.4 | 2,575.2 | 1,851.1 | 9.37 | 71.88 |
| Income subject to U.S. tax.. | 600.6 | 68.1 | 46.4 | 7.73 | 68.14 |
| Total U.S. income tax after credits. | 153.6 | 18.5 | 12.1 | 7.88 | 65.41 |

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Country of Residence of a Related Person.-Based on the income tax regulations related to Internal Revenue Code section 6038A, Form 5472 requires the reporting of each country in which a related person files an income tax return as a resident under the tax laws of that country. The statistics in Tables 2 and 3 are based on this reported residence, and, within this meaning, the related foreign person is a resident of a particular foreign country.

Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations.--For purposes of these statistics, a domestic corporation was considered foreign-owned if at least 25 percent of the total voting power of all classes of stock permitted to vote, or 25 percent of the total value of all classes of stock of the corporation, was owned, directly or indirectly, at any time in the tax year, by a single foreign shareholder (generally a foreign parent corporation). This is in contrast to the other Statistics of Income data on "foreign-controlled" domestic corporations, which are based on 50-percent-or-more ownership by a foreign person [13].

Foreign Person.--The term "foreign person" generally includes: (1) any partnership, association, company, or corporation that was not created or organized under the laws of the United States or of any of its States; (2) any individual who is not a citizen or resident of the United States; (3) any individual who is a citizen of a U.S. possession but is not otherwise a U.S. citizen or resident; and (4) any foreign trust, estate, or government. For the most part, the foreign persons referred to in this article are corporations. See also "Related Foreign Person," below.

Number of Foreign Persons.--The data shown in the figures and tables, in general, represent the number of foreign persons reported on the Forms 5472 appended to the 737 income tax returns filed by domestic corporations with $\$ 500$ million or more in total receipts (defined below) that were 25 -percent-or-more owned by a foreign person. Domestic member corporations of an affiliated group that filed a consolidated income tax return could also join in filing a consolidated Form 5472 for transactions with a given related foreign person. However, some affiliated domestic corporations that could have filed consolidated Forms 5472 filed separate forms instead. When these forms were identified during statistical processing, the information on them was
combined, and the result treated as a single Form 5472 for consistency. To this extent, the "number of persons" understates the actual number of Forms 5472 attached to the 737 income tax returns included in the statistics.

OPEC Countries.--Summary statistics are provided in Table 2 for the following Middle Eastern countries that were members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) for 2002: Iran, Iraq, Kuwait, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, and the United Arab Emirates. Data for non-Middle Eastern OPEC members are not shown by country.

Related Foreign Person.--Persons related to the domestic corporation that filed a Form 5472 include the 25 -percent-or-more foreign shareholder, any foreign person who was related to the reporting corporation or the 25 -percent-or-more shareholder (as described in Internal Revenue Code sections 267(b) or 707(b)), or any other foreign person who was related to the reporting corporation within the meaning of Internal Revenue Code section 482 (covering the allocation of income and deductions among related taxpayers) and the associated regulations. See also "Foreign Person," above, for the definition of "person."

Total Nonloan Transactions.--A term used in the article for the total value of transactions paid to or received from a related foreign person.

Total Receipts.--Total receipts are the total income of the domestic corporation as reported in the U.S. income tax return. In general, they are derived from the tax return as follows: (1) gross taxable receipts (before deduction of cost of sales and operations, and ordinary and necessary business expenses), plus (2) tax-exempt interest received from State and local government obligations, less (1) net losses from sales of property other than capital assets and (2) certain taxable income from related foreign corporations only constructively received.

## Notes and References

[1] IR Code section 6038A.
[2] See IR Code sections 267(b), 482, and 707(b)(1).
[3] For a more extensive discussion of the legislative history of this reporting requirement see Duffy, Heather R., "Transactions Between Large Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations

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 Foreign Persons, 2002and Related Foreign Persons, 2000," Statistics of Income Bulletin, Fall 2003, Volume 23, Number 1. For the discussion of these requirements in the congressional record, see 135 Congressional Records S13057-03, S13147.
[4] IR Code section 6038A(d).
[5] Compare Table 3 of this article with Table 3 of "Transactions Between Large Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations and Related Foreign Persons, 2000" in Duffy, Heather R., "Transactions Between Large Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations and Related Foreign Persons, 2000," Statistics of Income Bulletin, Fall 2003, Volume 23, Number 1.
[6] Ibid.
[7] For an article discussing the U.S. trade deficit with China for 2002, see Leonhardt, David, "Slump Aside, Trade Deficit Hits a Record," New York Times, February 2003, 21, late edition, section C 1. For statistics on U.S. trade with China, listing it as the U.S.'s fourth largest trading partner in 2002, see Foreign Trade Statistics on the U.S. Census Bureau's Web site at www.census.gov/foreign-trade/top/dst/2002/ 12/balance.html.
[8] Additional information about Statistics of Income Form 5472 studies for Tax Years 1988 through 2000 may be found in the following Statistics of Income Bulletin issues: Tax Year 1988, Summer 1992, Volume 12, Number 1; Tax Year 1989, Spring 1993, Volume 12, Number 4; Tax Year 1990, Summer 1994, Volume 14, Number 1; Tax Year 1991, Summer 1995, Volume 15, Number 1; Tax Year 1992, Fall 1996, Volume 16, Number 2; Tax Year 1993, Fall 1997, Volume 17, Number 2; Tax Year 1994, Winter 19971998, Volume 17, Number 3; Tax Year 1996, Fall 1999, Volume 19, Number 2; Tax Year 1998, Fall 2001, Volume 21, Number 2; and Tax Year 2000, Fall 2003, Volume 23, Number 2.
[9] Form 5472 statistics for Tax Years 1988 through 1990 covered all foreign-owned domestic
corporations with total receipts of $\$ 1$ billion or more. Statistics for Tax Years 1991 through 1994, 1996, 1998, 2000, and 2002 covered all foreign-owned domestic corporations with total receipts of $\$ 500$ million or more. Consequently, data for 1991 and thereafter are not comparable to the earlier studies.
[10] For more information on the corporate sample and statistics on corporation income tax returns for 2002, see Statistics of Income--2002, Corporation Income Tax Returns.
[11] Foreign corporations (except life insurance companies) engaged in a U.S. trade or business file Form 1120-F, U.S. Income Tax Return of a Foreign Corporation. These returns are excluded from the Form 5472 statistics. However, data reported by a few foreign life insurance companies filing Form 1120-L, U.S. Life Insurance Company Income Tax Return, are included in the Form 5472 statistics to ensure completeness of the industry statistics for domestic corporations.
[12] For the first time in Tax Year 1998, corporate returns reported their principal business activities according to the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS). This system was developed as a result of the North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA) to standardize business classifications for the United States, Canada, and Mexico. NAICS divides the economy into twenty sectors, with an emphasis on production processes. NAICS replaced the Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) codes, which were used to classify corporations in past Statistics of Income studies, causing a break in the year-to-year comparability of the industrial data.
[13] Statistics on domestic corporations controlled by foreign persons for 2000 are reported in Hobbs, James R., "Foreign-Controlled Domestic Corporations, 2000," Statistics of Income Bulletin, Summer 2005, Volume 25, Number 1.

## Transactions Between Large Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations and Related

 Foreign Persons, 2002Table 1.--Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations with Total Receipts of $\$ 500$ Million or More and with Forms 5472: Transactions Between Corporations and Related Foreign Persons, by NAICS Industrial Sector of Domestic Corporation

| Industrial sector | Number <br> of returns | Total assets | Total receipts | Income subject to U.S. $\operatorname{tax}$ | Total U.S. income tax after credits |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) |
| All industries......... | 737 | 4,712,254,880 | 1,851,085,416 | 46,445,050 | 12,108,382 |
| Agriculture, forestry, fishing, and hunting. | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Mining..................................................................... | 14 | 73,911,580 | 19,578,737 | 436,193 | 39,679 |
| Utilities.. | 7 | 54,630,870 | 21,900,900 | 2,083 | 7,058 |
| Construction... | 17 | 31,239,681 | 32,182,624 | 368,848 | 127,993 |
| Manufacturing. | 282 | 1,223,499,735 | 822,694,555 | 27,329,620 | 6,093,320 |
| Wholesale trade.. | 189 | 255,926,647 | 417,664,962 | 8,016,116 | 2,603,360 |
| Retail trade.. | 25 | 62,665,529 | 102,323,874 | 1,325,535 | 454,336 |
| Transportation and warehousing.. | 15 | 26,217,852 | 23,266,314 | 81,987 | 33,173 |
| Information.. | 29 | 526,994,672 | 74,257,619 | 783,723 | 258,443 |
| Finance and insurance.. | 85 | 1,857,663,658 | 233,936,113 | 4,455,972 | 1,524,372 |
| Real estate and rental and leasing.. | 6 | 14,280,800 | 4,841,469 | 46,011 | 16,672 |
| Professional, scientific, and technical services................. | 23 | 43,320,083 | 17,329,897 | 262,077 | 82,686 |
| Management of companies and enterprises.................... | 15 | 464,841,004 | 34,125,671 | 2,969,123 | 770,276 |
| Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services. | 12 | 28,723,734 | 17,016,565 | 29,264 | 5,870 |
| Health care and social assistance................................ | 3 | 10,718,158 | 7,360,252 | 45,705 | 15,424 |
| Arts, entertainment, and recreation.. | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Accommodation and food services... | 10 | 31,256,190 | 18,524,437 | 279,813 | 74,848 |
| Other services (except public administration)................... | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
|  | Transa | $s$ between foreig | ed domestic cor | ations and related f | persons |
|  |  |  | ts received from | ted foreign person |  |
| Industrial sector | Number of related foreign persons | Total (excluding Ioan balances) | Sales of stock in trade | Sales of tangible property other than stock in trade | Rents and royalties |
|  | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| All industries............................................................... | 14,515 | 166,722,849 | 110,256,958 | 8,172,296 | 1,815,700 |
| Agriculture, forestry, fishing, and hunting......................... | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Mining...................................................................... | 362 | 2,849,224 | 1,817,729 | 128,069 | 40,960 |
| Utilities............................................................. | 20 | 97,288 | 17,377 | -- | -- |
| Construction... | 461 | 1,402,020 | 205,591 | 771,462 | 64 |
| Manufacturing.. | 7,794 | 49,882,729 | 32,600,826 | 2,336,004 | 959,297 |
| Wholesale trade.. | 2,879 | 40,009,229 | 30,391,360 | 907,340 | 262,042 |
| Retail trade.. | 186 | 319,759 | 42,062 | 350 | 2,787 |
| Transportation and warehousing.. | 250 | 4,810,151 | 25,798 | 21,366 | 320,083 |
| Information.. | 780 | 3,064,191 | 270,712 | -- | 201,055 |
| Finance and insurance.. | 810 | 59,210,537 | 44,434,023 | 799,495 | 24,527 |
| Real estate and rental and leasing.. | 17 | 11,853 | -- | -- | -- |
| Professional, scientific, and technical services.................. | 586 | 906,403 | 170,998 | 2,868 | -- |
| Management of companies and enterprises...................... | 130 | 521,219 | 43,478 | -- | 2,397 |
| Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services. $\qquad$ | 73 | 3,378,034 | 95,328 | 3,205,342 | -- |
| Health care and social assistance................................ | 34 | 83,600 | 83,600 | -- | -- |
| Arts, entertainment, and recreation.. | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Accommodation and food services............................... | 109 | 161,187 | 46,209 | -- | 2,488 |
| Other services (except public administration)................... | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |

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## Transactions Between Large Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations and Related Foreign Persons, 2002

Table 1.--Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations with Total Receipts of $\$ 500$ Million or More and with Forms 5472: Transactions Between Corporations and Related Foreign Persons, by NAICS Industrial Sector of Domestic Corporation--Continued
[Money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Industrial sector | Transactions between foreign-owned domestic corporations and related foreign persons--continued |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Amounts received from related foreign persons--continued |  |  |  |  |
|  | Sales, leases, and licenses of intangible property rights | Consideration for technical, managerial, or like services | Commissions | Interest | Premiums for insurance or reinsurance |
|  | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) |
| All industries... | 2,059,716 | 12,183,421 | 5,711,384 | 4,231,633 | 1,398,520 |
| Agriculture, forestry, fishing, and hunting... | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Mining.. | 2,031 | 538,685 | 902 | 42,364 | -- |
| Utilities. | -- | 5,790 | -- | 12,796 | -- |
| Construction.. | 2,999 | 137,738 | 12,337 | 11,603 | -- |
| Manufacturing. | 1,322,691 | 6,240,490 | 145,908 | 1,492,386 | 17,936 |
| Wholesale trade. | 308,195 | 2,688,795 | 392,773 | 524,334 | 8,719 |
| Retail trade. | 544 | 125,392 | 37 | 9,247 | -- |
| Transportation and warehousing. | 49,361 | 232,848 | 2,198,203 | 2,180 | -- |
| Information. | 337,805 | 885,373 | 9,051 | 118,233 | 180 |
| Finance and insurance. | 559 | 652,123 | 2,898,475 | 1,650,151 | 1,371,541 |
| Real estate and rental and leasing. | -- | 3,300 | 32 | 8,521 | -- |
| Professional, scientific, and technical services.. | 1,458 | 519,951 | 2,326 | 96,882 | 144 |
| Management of companies and enterprises... | -- | 55,697 | 42,832 | 225,719 | -- |
| Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services.... | -- | 47,545 | 4,492 | 19,922 | -- |
| Health care and social assistance.. | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Arts, entertainment, and recreation.. | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Accommodation and food services. | 34,076 | 49,693 | 470 | 17,295 | -- |
| Other services (except public administration). | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |


| Industrial sector | Transactions between foreign-owned domestic corporations and related foreign persons--continued |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Amounts received from related foreign persons--continued |  |  | Amounts paid to related foreign persons |  |
|  | Other | Amounts borrowed |  |  |  |
|  |  | Beginning balance | Ending balance | Total (excluding Ioan balances) | Purchases <br> of stock in trade |
| All industries............................................................... | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) |
|  | 20,893,221 | 443,786,171 | 498,848,454 | 353,585,732 | 278,158,928 |
| Agriculture, forestry, fishing, and hunting. | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Mining. | 278,485 | 7,338,618 | 8,819,445 | 3,701,189 | 2,460,886 |
| Utilities. | 61,325 | 7,400,078 | 6,390,614 | 1,249,669 | 31,076 |
| Construction. | 260,227 | 1,316,594 | 1,884,641 | 1,478,177 | 461,687 |
| Manufacturing. | 4,767,190 | 113,773,991 | 137,046,150 | 123,454,900 | 97,879,926 |
| Wholesale trade. | 4,525,671 | 26,374,684 | 31,366,675 | 158,338,658 | 149,218,730 |
| Retail trade. | 139,341 | 10,899,466 | 15,099,163 | 2,959,747 | 1,173,699 |
| Transportation and warehousing.. | 1,960,312 | 7,964,574 | 7,858,743 | 2,972,608 | 4,490 |
| Information.. | 1,241,781 | 54,684,749 | 57,150,869 | 6,857,282 | 2,699,593 |
| Finance and insurance. | 7,379,644 | 160,883,020 | 172,676,263 | 45,691,941 | 22,326,200 |
| Real estate and rental and leasing. | -- | 6,368,683 | 7,469,720 | 370,339 | -- |
| Professional, scientific, and technical services. Management of companies and enterprises...... | 111,777 | 7,907,161 | 6,116,584 | 3,592,614 | 1,585,282 |
|  | 151,096 | 22,250,983 | 29,359,397 | 1,173,619 | 192,561 |
| Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services | 5,404 | 8,360,855 | 10,142,018 | 848,505 | 13,896 |
| Health care and social assistance.. | -- | 1,295,927 | 957,965 | 243,231 | 81,214 |
| Arts, entertainment, and recreation. | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Accommodation and food services. | 10,956 | 6,351,379 | 5,877,848 | 543,359 | -- |
| Other services (except public administration). | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |

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## Transactions Between Large Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations and Related Foreign Persons, 2002

Table 1.--Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations with Total Receipts of $\$ 500$ Million or More and with Forms 5472: Transactions Between Corporations and Related Foreign Persons, by NAICS Industrial Sector of Domestic Corporation--Continued

| Industrial sector | Transactions between foreign-owne domestic corporations and related foreign persons--continued |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Amounts paid to related foreign persons--continued |  |  |  |  |
|  | Purchases of tangible property other than stock in trade | Rents and royalties | Purchases, leases, and licenses of intangible property rights | Consideration for technical, managerial, or like services | Commissions |
| All industries.............................................................. | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) |
|  | 2,423,142 | 6,790,906 | 2,984,581 | 7,348,632 | 2,281,961 |
| Agriculture, forestry, fishing, and hunting. | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Mining | 37,704 | 330,780 | -- | 231,758 | 1,850 |
| Utilities. | -- | -- | -- | 51,899 | -- |
| Construction.. | 121,869 | 8,533 | 42,794 | 248,504 | 642 |
| Manufacturing.. | 1,298,512 | 4,129,469 | 1,644,875 | 3,576,979 | 111,213 |
| Wholesale trade. | 891,752 | 1,886,565 | 243,893 | 884,976 | 162,996 |
| Retail trade.. | 1,117 | 37,046 | 153,698 | 40,116 | 94,262 |
| Transportation and warehousing. | 14,155 | 86,914 | 8,510 | 308,936 | 1,543,577 |
| Information. | 42,912 | 178,277 | 210,573 | 304,681 | 82,194 |
| Finance and insurance.. | 61 | 21,965 | 40,637 | 713,492 | 209,563 |
| Real estate and rental and leasing.. | -- | -- | -- | 6,589 | -- |
| Professional, scientific, and technical services.... | 7,839 | 6,162 | 555,675 | 694,873 | 43,410 |
| Management of companies and enterprises.. | -- | 497 | -- | 34,039 | 7,099 |
| Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services. | 7,221 | 81,764 | 67,222 | 13,443 | 25,156 |
| Health care and social assistance................................ | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Arts, entertainment, and recreation................................. | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Accommodation and food services............................... | -- | 22,935 | 16,704 | 237,212 | -- |
| Other services (except public administration).................... | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
|  | Transactions b | en foreign-owned | mestic corporations | nd related foreign $p$ | ns--continued |
|  |  | Amounts pai | related foreign pers | ns--continued |  |
|  |  |  |  | Amoun | aned |
| Industrial sector | Interest | for insurance or reinsurance | Other | Beginning balance | Ending balance |
|  | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) |
| All industries... | 24,581,098 | 13,997,800 | 15,018,683 | 144,750,738 | 189,091,050 |
| Agriculture, forestry, fishing, and hunting.. | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Mining. | 377,220 | 14,334 | 246,657 | 901,162 | 776,797 |
| Utilities. | 717,572 | -- | 449,123 | 107,404 | 109 |
| Construction.. | 397,092 | 29,776 | 167,281 | 166,557 | 360,945 |
| Manufacturing.... | 9,377,413 | 226,618 | 5,209,895 | 52,605,390 | 60,850,162 |
| Wholesale trade. | 1,393,469 | 18,592 | 3,637,685 | 4,128,124 | 7,642,104 |
| Retail trade. | 1,142,222 | 160,415 | 157,170 | 936,603 | 213,773 |
| Transportation and warehousing. | 189,330 | 114,046 | 702,650 | 1,608,652 | 1,864,043 |
| Information.. | 2,905,986 | 5,377 | 427,688 | 8,198,652 | 11,112,876 |
| Finance and insurance.. | 5,539,005 | 13,393,633 | 3,447,386 | 68,816,404 | 95,753,228 |
| Real estate and rental and leasing...... | 324,751 | -- | 38,999 | 137,211 | 754,055 |
| Professional, scientific, and technical services................. | 672,903 | 5,678 | 20,793 | 1,444,139 | 2,107,125 |
| Management of companies and enterprises..................... | 503,244 | 494 | 435,686 | 2,438,835 | 4,234,512 |
| Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services. | 573,820 | 10,158 | 55,824 | 384,594 | 1,064,709 |
| Health care and social assistance................................ | 152,787 | 9,229 | -- | 1,721,007 | 1,586,762 |
| Arts, entertainment, and recreation................................. | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| Accommodation and food services............................... | 253,485 | -- | 13,023 | 1,154,603 | 758,837 |
| Other services (except public administration).................. | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |

[^34] NOTES: NAICS is the abbreviation for the North American Industry Classification System. Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.

## Transactions Between Large Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations and Related

 Foreign Persons, 2002Table 2.--Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations with Total Receipts of $\$ 500$ Million or More and with Forms 5472: Transactions Between Corporations and Related Foreign Persons, by Selected Country of Residence of Related Foreign Person

| Residence of related foreign person ${ }^{1}$ | Number of related foreign persons | Transactions between foreign-owned domestic corporations and related foreign persons |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Amounts received from related foreign persons |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Total (excluding loan balances) | Sales of stock in trade | Sales of tangible property other than stock in trade | Rents and royalties | Sales, leases, and licenses of intangible property rights | Consideration for technical, managerial, or like services | Commissions | Interest |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) |
| All geographic areas, to | 14,515 | 166,722,849 | 110,256,958 | 8,172,296 | 1,815,700 | 2,059,716 | 12,183,421 | 5,711,384 | 4,231,633 |
| Canada. | 759 | 16,189,659 | 12,779,266 | 120,836 | 167,006 | 67,794 | 688,223 | 80,545 | 206,915 |
| Latin America, total. | 1,956 | 7,867,364 | 6,161,171 | 84,092 | 58,736 | 34,935 | 901,566 | 44,573 | 273,861 |
| Argentina.. | 188 | 128,221 | 88,790 | 735 | 1,970 | 1,019 | 5,988 | 423 | 17,821 |
| Brazil.. | 382 | 1,652,617 | 1,558,008 | 10,337 | 2,467 | 4,226 | 45,484 | 1,130 | 18,688 |
| Mexico... | 470 | 3,708,301 | 3,029,853 | 21,405 | 31,688 | 25,076 | 338,049 | 32,135 | 61,584 |
| Panama. | 99 | 830,479 | 606,085 | 36,870 | 3,974 | 445 | 81,238 | 65 | 50,682 |
| Venezuela. | 116 | 244,499 | 151,937 | 5,085 | 3,057 | 214 | 13,856 | 1,562 | 41,378 |
| Other Western Hemisphere, total.. | 257 | 4,306,827 | 284,286 | 764,340 | 2,809 | 435 | 159,109 | 619,692 | 239,228 |
| Bermuda.. | 142 | 3,514,088 | 65,009 | 733,309 | 106 | -- | 66,082 | 619,626 | 157,960 |
| Europe, total.. | 7,195 | 102,657,815 | 62,835,038 | 6,176,063 | 1,438,886 | 1,821,664 | 8,104,447 | 3,411,134 | 3,041,490 |
| Belgium.. | 275 | 4,805,539 | 689,572 | 1,613,040 | 125,832 | 5,747 | 56,382 | 10,322 | 61,898 |
| Finland... | 160 | 940,240 | 133,213 | 731 | 71 | 3,118 | 790,459 | 4,323 | 417 |
| France.. | 888 | 3,484,437 | 1,616,481 | 17,083 | 66,853 | 18,297 | 357,467 | 469,705 | 121,958 |
| Germany.. | 1,031 | 10,548,784 | 6,888,994 | 86,424 | 229,902 | 41,830 | 1,092,344 | 296,050 | 61,450 |
| Ireland... | 201 | 2,075,283 | 201,993 | 515 | 72,687 | 39,085 | 417,484 | 6,386 | 27,151 |
| Italy ... | 310 | 619,226 | 533,630 | 2,085 | 2,690 | 19,339 | 22,530 | 1,334 | 2,011 |
| Netherlands | 680 | 5,318,676 | 1,967,025 | 5,559 | 14,896 | 313,592 | 691,847 | 11,931 | 384,041 |
| Sweden... | 368 | 2,357,584 | 540,296 | 504 | 12,683 | 37,913 | 1,331,271 | 6,599 | 15,020 |
| Switzerland. | 425 | 13,540,826 | 2,732,872 | 3,252,624 | 390,918 | 1,123,020 | 1,291,522 | 1,377,400 | 555,366 |
| United Kingdom.. | 1,443 | 54,684,714 | 46,671,889 | 1,046,013 | 228,168 | 208,025 | 1,947,905 | 191,161 | 1,735,177 |
| Africa, total...... | 271 | 104,495 | 75,924 | 1,235 | 3,993 | 1,070 | 13,485 | 890 | 178 |
| South Africa. | 145 | 79,873 | 61,826 | 337 | 3,991 | 975 | 8,432 | 505 | 178 |
| Asia, total... | 3,435 | 34,194,096 | 26,995,089 | 1,016,161 | 143,301 | 116,408 | 2,171,924 | 1,548,389 | 454,753 |
| China.. | 329 | 173,277 | 144,276 | 5,633 | 1,997 | 1,570 | 11,304 | 1,927 | 236 |
| Hong Kong. | 345 | 3,959,215 | 3,834,290 | 1,178 | 426 | 13,095 | 23,163 | 26,524 | 35,745 |
| Indonesia.. | 113 | 142,135 | 100,405 | 11,799 | 9,383 | 1,393 | 10,601 | 67 | -- |
| Japan....................................... | 875 | 20,121,107 | 16,250,439 | 47,067 | 67,457 | 76,136 | 1,439,733 | 308,111 | 405,245 |
| Middle East countries (except OPEC).... | 91 | 264,867 | 27,378 | 361 | 228 | 822 | 200,570 | 185 | 108 |
| OPEC countries (excluding Indonesia)... | 111 | 515,453 | 198,018 | 18,554 | 50,953 | 1,838 | 214,889 | 5,413 | 1,803 |
| Singapore.... | 422 | 5,850,626 | 4,482,449 | 37,580 | 2,677 | 4,725 | 96,270 | 1,171,258 | 1,010 |
| South Korea.. | 208 | 1,992,843 | 875,934 | 885,156 | 3,653 | 7,944 | 157,723 | 25,854 | 10,546 |
| Taiwan.. | 222 | 411,550 | 389,776 | 4 | 169 | 5,173 | 2,587 | 6,852 | 37 |
| Oceania, total... | 571 | 913,653 | 757,814 | 8,248 | 927 | 17,409 | 44,817 | 6,140 | 8,200 |
| Australia... | 425 | 874,002 | 733,550 | 3,577 | 851 | 12,654 | 42,333 | 5,836 | 8,200 |
| Puerto Rico and U.S. Possessions.......... | 71 | 488,941 | 368,371 | 1,320 | 42 | -- | 99,850 | 21 | 7,009 |

Footnotes at the end of table.

## Transactions Between Large Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations and Related Foreign Persons, 2002

Table 2.--Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations with Total Receipts of $\$ 500$ Million or More and with Forms 5472: Transactions Between Corporations and Related Foreign Persons, by Selected Country of Residence of Related Foreign Person--Continued

| Residence of related foreign person ${ }^{1}$ | Transactions between foreign-owned domestic corporations and related foreign persons--continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Amounts received from related foreign persons--continued |  |  |  | Amounts paid to related forreign persons |  |  |  |
|  | Premiums for insurance or reinsurance | Other | Amounts borrowed |  | Total (excluding loan balances) | Purchases <br> of stock in trade | Purchases of tangible property other than stock in trade | Rents and royalties |
|  |  |  | Beginning balance | Ending balance |  |  |  |  |
|  | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) |
| All geographic areas, total. | 1,398,520 | 20,893,221 | 443,786,171 | 498,848,454 | 353,585,732 | 278,158,928 | 2,423,142 | 6,790,906 |
| Canada.. | 187,661 | 1,891,412 | 11,074,544 | 7,942,230 | 31,156,963 | 27,640,161 | 519,422 | 164,989 |
| Latin America, total. | 83,494 | 224,937 | 12,748,713 | 11,189,434 | 16,333,547 | 14,770,320 | 14,004 | 318,289 |
| Argentina. | 4,282 | 7,194 | 74,502 | 58,056 | 841,424 | 831,491 | -- | -- |
| Brazil....... | 13 | 12,264 | 35,545 | 74,863 | 1,942,349 | 1,908,603 | 481 | 14 |
| Mexico.. | 60,140 | 108,371 | 410,826 | 1,687,867 | 6,142,834 | 5,815,991 | 4,087 | 4,013 |
| Panama.. | 4 | 51,115 | 2,332,488 | 1,283,904 | 36,150 | 18,963 | 9,092 | 42 |
| Venezuela.. | 3,564 | 23,847 | 40,114 | 40,389 | 3,412,450 | 3,348,441 | -- | -- |
| Other Western Hemisphere, total. | 131,553 | 2,105,375 | 3,691,258 | 3,819,860 | 4,781,391 | 954,186 | 42,084 | 39,970 |
| Bermuda.... | 131,553 | 1,740,444 | 3,196,536 | 3,082,603 | 3,583,292 | 533,553 | 41,494 | -- |
| Europe, total... | 940,973 | 14,888,120 | 404,858,625 | 461,896,561 | 139,602,869 | 83,979,642 | 653,926 | 2,550,865 |
| Belgium. | 157,071 | 2,085,674 | 900,546 | 6,003,455 | 3,508,164 | 881,180 | 9,339 | 21,587 |
| Finland.. | 400 | 7,508 | 2,853,656 | 1,571,357 | 3,426,874 | 3,269,821 | 71 | 18,964 |
| France.. | 62,475 | 754,117 | 43,792,214 | 36,146,905 | 7,899,038 | 4,134,315 | 39,129 | 518,727 |
| Germany.. | 45,221 | 1,806,569 | 20,326,238 | 21,838,387 | 31,336,040 | 24,231,646 | 71,175 | 392,111 |
| Ireland. | 115,322 | 1,194,660 | 14,914,140 | 15,364,841 | 4,068,962 | 548,998 | 2,745 | 61,451 |
| Italy . | 4,198 | 31,409 | 459,846 | 230,744 | 1,101,314 | 930,920 | 10,803 | 13,076 |
| Netherlands | 22,517 | 1,907,266 | 72,227,850 | 92,604,989 | 12,245,621 | 3,969,368 | 50,555 | 268,121 |
| Sweden.. | 2,669 | 410,628 | 4,306,110 | 4,116,293 | 3,770,023 | 2,672,213 | 5,363 | 209,739 |
| Switzerland. | 398,765 | 2,418,339 | 34,160,936 | 85,167,031 | 22,089,844 | 7,735,903 | 313,742 | 517,254 |
| United Kingdom.. | 123,525 | 2,532,853 | 137,710,665 | 136,148,092 | 39,939,644 | 29,610,086 | 68,122 | 441,818 |
| Africa, total.. | 2,002 | 5,719 | 330,345 | 337,297 | 133,755 | 81,001 | 892 | -- |
| South Africa. | 2,002 | 1,628 | 330,000 | 336,101 | 93,461 | 80,586 | 16 | -- |
| Asia, total... | 29,377 | 1,718,693 | 7,596,879 | 10,690,598 | 157,203,763 | 146,739,514 | 1,192,374 | 3,715,372 |
| China. | -- | 6,333 | 331 | 9,601 | 1,171,198 | 1,133,971 | 625 | 1,042 |
| Hong Kong.... | 2,619 | 22,174 | 1,171,135 | 1,940,542 | 3,177,656 | 2,655,091 | 79,694 | 473 |
| Indonesia. | 1,645 | 6,842 | 875 | 1,346 | 247,588 | 226,639 | 16,687 | 17 |
| Japan... | 15,939 | 1,510,979 | 5,072,287 | 6,763,761 | 113,655,561 | 106,404,048 | 921,604 | 3,683,399 |
| Middle East countries (except OPEC)...... | 12 | 35,204 | 611 | 2,754 | 833,125 | 719,081 | 3,253 | -- |
| OPEC countries (excluding Indonesia)..... | -- | 23,984 | 2,230 | 3,583 | 5,858,999 | 5,656,379 | 98 | - |
| Singapore......................... | 4,093 | 50,564 | 53,366 | 30,590 | 4,442,024 | 2,808,882 | 26,620 | 691 |
| South Korea.. | 26 | 26,006 | 1,208,713 | 1,673,361 | 20,500,807 | 19,993,962 | 123,121 | 29,692 |
| Taiwan. | 998 | 5,955 | 81,709 | 221,597 | 5,353,505 | 5,296,146 | 7,434 | -- |
| Oceania, total.................................... | 18,458 | 51,639 | 3,356,310 | 2,713,677 | 1,769,543 | 1,481,699 | 440 | 1,420 |
| Australia... | 17,834 | 49,167 | 3,192,033 | 2,404,988 | 1,166,249 | 891,501 | 440 | 1,420 |
| Puerto Rico and U.S. Possessions........... | 5,001 | 7,327 | 129,497 | 258,796 | 2,603,902 | 2,512,405 | -- | -- |

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## Transactions Between Large Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations and Related Foreign Persons, 2002

Table 2.--Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations with Total Receipts of $\$ 500$ Million or More and with Forms 5472: Transactions Between Corporations and Related Foreign Persons, by Selected Country of Residence of Related Foreign Person--Continued
[Money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Residence of related foreign person ${ }^{1}$ | Transactions between foreign-owned domestic corporations and related foreign persons--continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Amounts paid to related foreign persons--continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Purchases, leases, and licenses of intangible property rights | Consideration for technical, managerial, or like services | Commissions | Interest | Premiums for insurance or reinsurance | Other | Amounts loaned |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Beginning balance | Ending balance |
|  | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) |
| All geographic areas, total. | 2,984,581 | 7,348,632 | 2,281,961 | 24,581,098 | 13,997,800 | 15,018,683 | 144,750,738 | 189,091,050 |
| Canada.. | 3,145 | 1,130,578 | 35,127 | 499,268 | 210,967 | 953,306 | 23,411,271 | 16,696,942 |
| Latin America, total.. | 9,285 | 232,800 | 42,305 | 574,947 | 135,978 | 235,620 | 3,193,112 | 2,911,981 |
| Argentina.. | 167 | 3,964 | 1,923 | 1,180 | 71 | 2,629 | 6,129 | 26,897 |
| Brazil. | 157 | 10,459 | 10,628 | 3,129 | -- | 8,877 | 300,599 | 248,403 |
| Mexico. | 8,748 | 143,012 | 16,681 | 13,623 | 2,524 | 134,155 | 430,419 | 458,322 |
| Panama. | -- | 549 | 134 | -- | 1 | 7,369 | 162,874 | 75,703 |
| Venezuela. | -- | 3,468 | 1,069 | -- | 11 | 59,461 | 502,071 | 500,896 |
| Other Western Hemisphere, total. | 150,876 | 94,318 | 36,739 | 282,185 | 2,452,929 | 728,104 | 6,216,854 | 9,407,863 |
| Bermuda. | -- | 7,594 | 8,351 | 128,149 | 2,263,544 | 600,607 | 4,785,607 | 7,769,710 |
| Europe, total. | 2,518,571 | 4,461,519 | 364,158 | 23,030,739 | 11,173,060 | 10,870,388 | 107,978,560 | 150,711,114 |
| Belgium. | 101,046 | 49,440 | 5,032 | 225,180 | 22,616 | 2,192,743 | 1,274,468 | 1,269,321 |
| Finland. | 291 | 44,208 | 130 | 78,861 | 2,306 | 12,223 | 82,590 | 206,868 |
| France.. | 219,310 | 651,257 | 22,277 | 1,701,876 | 255,944 | 356,204 | 21,337,246 | 18,705,895 |
| Germany. | 753,729 | 171,530 | 60,307 | 1,401,160 | 3,367,895 | 886,486 | 3,016,027 | 3,888,765 |
| Ireland.. | 7,130 | 52,634 | 1,453 | 676,243 | 2,071,283 | 647,025 | 998,276 | 1,339,254 |
| Italy . | 1,248 | 71,826 | 7,544 | 7,296 | 5,496 | 53,106 | 25,475 | 322,615 |
| Netherlands | 75,272 | 712,584 | 43,717 | 3,732,106 | 46,769 | 3,347,128 | 7,213,204 | 9,051,930 |
| Sweden. | 19,788 | 195,644 | 16,107 | 395,318 | 39,143 | 216,708 | 1,801,758 | 1,705,468 |
| Switzerland. | 830,319 | 458,367 | 64,362 | 6,764,814 | 4,872,207 | 532,876 | 15,769,162 | 26,086,613 |
| United Kingdom | 500,185 | 1,685,346 | 130,390 | 4,720,146 | 469,741 | 2,313,809 | 53,728,220 | 83,943,164 |
| Africa, total.. | 4 | 8,136 | 1,216 | -- | 31 | 42,474 | 12,410 | 7,865 |
| South Africa. | 4 | 6,919 | 643 | -- | 31 | 5,262 | 9,987 | 7,063 |
| Asia, total. | 302,478 | 1,283,195 | 1,746,468 | 133,928 | 17,460 | 2,072,974 | 3,775,858 | 7,283,552 |
| China.. | 2 | 5,159 | 4,705 | -- | -- | 25,695 | 3,744 | 17,635 |
| Hong Kong. | 7 | 72,265 | 105,445 | 8,201 | 159 | 256,320 | 560,264 | 368,622 |
| Indonesia.. | -- | 1,923 | 1,294 | -- | -- | 1,029 | 10,143 | 20,157 |
| Japan... | 265,466 | 547,114 | 83,448 | 111,386 | 7,368 | 1,631,728 | 2,796,251 | 6,444,681 |
| Middle East countries (except OPEC)... | 4 | 101,293 | 372 | -- | 6,497 | 2,625 | 257 | 874 |
| OPEC countries (excluding Indonesia). | 90 | 175,409 | 911 | 9,031 | -- | 17,080 | 66,818 | 113,609 |
| Singapore....................................... | 3,008 | 63,731 | 1,505,490 | 268 | 3,436 | 29,899 | 139,190 | 122,747 |
| South Korea.. | 31,873 | 271,166 | 11,086 | 4,713 | -- | 35,194 | 188,502 | 164,550 |
| Taiwan.. | 444 | 7,059 | 19,971 | -- | -- | 22,452 | 7,325 | 15,514 |
| Oceania, total.. | 221 | 53,878 | 55,344 | 58,271 | 7,308 | 110,962 | 36,746 | 2,032,515 |
| Australia... | 205 | 53,501 | 54,404 | 51,723 | 7,308 | 105,748 | 32,026 | 2,025,011 |
| Puerto Rico and U.S. Possessions.... | -- | 84,208 | 606 | 1,760 | 68 | 4,855 | 125,927 | 39,218 |

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## Transactions Between Large Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations and Related

 Foreign Persons, 2002Table 3.--Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations with Total Receipts of $\$ 500$ Million or More and with Forms 5472: Transactions Between Corporations and Related Foreign Persons, by NAICS Industrial Sector of Domestic Corporation and Selected Country of Residence of Related Foreign Person
[Money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Selected NAICS industrial sector of domestic corporation and residence of related foreign person ${ }^{1}$ | Number of returns | Number of related foreign persons | Transactions between foreign-owned domestic corporations and related foreign persons |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Amounts received from related foreign persons |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Total (excluding loan balances) | Sales of stock in trade | Sales of tangible property other than stock in trade | Rents and royalties | Sales, leases, and licenses of intangible property rights | Consideration for technical, managerial, or like services | Commissions |
| All industries <br> All geographic areas. | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) |
|  |  | 14,515 | 166,722,849 | 110,256,958 | 8,172,296 | 1,815,700 | 2,059,716 | 12,183,421 | 5,711,384 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Australia. | $236$ | 425 | 874,002 | 733,550 | 3,577 | 851 | 12,654 | 42,333 | 5,836 |
| Belgium... | $152$ | 275 | 4,805,539 | 689,572 | 1,613,040 | 125,832 | 5,747 | 56,382 | 10,322 |
| Bermuda... | 60 | 142 | 3,514,088 | 65,009 | 733,309 | 106 | -- | 66,082 | 619,626 |
| Brazil.... | 201 | 382 | 1,652,617 | 1,558,008 | 10,337 | 2,467 | 4,226 | 45,484 | 1,130 |
| Canada. | 358 | 759 | 16,189,659 | 12,779,266 | 120,836 | 167,006 | 67,794 | 688,223 | 80,545 |
| France.. | 263 | 888 | 3,484,437 | 1,616,481 | 17,083 | 66,853 | 18,297 | 357,467 | 469,705 |
| Germany.. | 297 | 1,031 | 10,548,784 | 6,888,994 | 86,424 | 229,902 | 41,830 | 1,092,344 | 296,050 |
| Hong Kong. | 201 | 345 | 3,959,215 | 3,834,290 | 1,178 | 426 | 13,095 | 23,163 | 26,524 |
| Ireland.... |  | 201 | 2,075,283 | 201,993 | 515 | 72,687 | 39,085 | 417,484 | 6,386 |
| Japan..... | 320 | 875 | 20,121,107 | 16,250,439 | 47,067 | 67,457 | 76,136 | 1,439,733 | 308,111 |
| Mexico. | 225 | 470 | 3,708,301 | 3,029,853 | 21,405 | 31,688 | 25,076 | 338,049 | 32,135 |
| Netherlands | 234 | 680 | 5,318,676 | 1,967,025 | 5,559 | 14,896 | 313,592 | 691,847 | 11,931 |
| Singapore.. | 228 | 422 | 5,850,626 | 4,482,449 | 37,580 | 2,677 | 4,725 | 96,270 | 1,171,258 |
| South Korea. | 130 | 208 | 1,992,843 | 875,934 | 885,156 | 3,653 | 7,944 | 157,723 | 25,854 |
| Sweden.. | 117 | 368 | 2,357,584 | 540,296 | 504 | 12,683 | 37,913 | 1,331,271 | 6,599 |
| Switzerland.. | 165 | 425 | 13,540,826 | 2,732,872 | 3,252,624 | 390,918 | 1,123,020 | 1,291,522 | 1,377,400 |
| Taiwan.. | 133 | 222 | 411,550 | 389,776 | 4 | 169 | 5,173 | 2,587 | 6,852 |
| United Kingdom... | 396 | 1,443 | 54,684,714 | 46,671,889 | 1,046,013 | 228,168 | 208,025 | 1,947,905 | 191,161 |
| fishing, and hun <br> All geographic areas.... <br> Mining | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All geographic areas.................... | 14 | 362 | 2,849,224 | 1,817,729 | 128,069 | 40,960 | 2,031 | 538,685 | 902 |
| Australia....... | 8 | 14 | 10,220 | 2,801 | 135 | 45 | -- | 1,506 | -- |
| Belgium... | 3 | 4 | 1,326 | 988 | 234 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Bermuda.. | 4 | 7 | 47,737 | 11,102 | 2,349 | 106 | -- | 257 | -- |
| Brazil.. | 5 | 16 | 1,090,140 | 1,085,187 | 3,150 | 2 | -- | 128 | -- |
| Canada. | 7 | 26 | 85,673 | 3,240 | 7,283 | 4,664 | -- | 52,179 | 902 |
| France.. | 7 5 | 17 | 88,982 | 49,999 | 4,435 | 9 | -- | 9,795 | -- |
| Germany.. | 3 | 7 | 42,165 | 35,696 | 2,514 | 6 | -- | 2,426 | -- |
| Ireland.. | 3 | 5 | 3,322 | 50 | -- | -- | -- | 506 | -- |
| Japan......... | 3 | 4 | 23,059 | 16,916 | 382 | -- | -- | 1,499 | -- |
| Mexico... | 3 | 9 | 38,579 | 15,874 | 9,085 | 541 | -- | 4,628 | -- |
| Netherlands | 3 | 11 | 32,977 | 220 | -- | -- | -- | 21,198 | -- |
| Singapore.......... | 4 | 17 | 117,343 | 80,611 | 5,473 | 828 | 673 | 17,337 | -- |
| United Kingdom... | 6 | 33 | 198,443 | 148,958 | 5,036 | 59 | 1,358 | 14,584 | -- |
| Utilities | 7 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All geographic areas..................... |  | 20 | 97,288 | 17,377 | -- | -- | -- | 5,790 | -- |
| Canada..................................... | 3 | 7 | 91,498 | 17,377 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| United Kingdom.......................... | 3 | 7 | 5,790 | -- | -- | -- | -- | 5,790 | -- |

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| Selected NAICS industrial sector of domestic corporation and residence of related foreign person ${ }^{1}$ | Number of returns | Number <br> of related foreign persons | Transactions between foreign-owned domestic corporations and related foreign persons |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Amounts received from related foreign persons |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Total (excluding loan balances) | Sales of stock in trade | Sales of tangible property other than stock in trade | Rents and royalties | Sales, leases, and licenses of intangible property rights | Consideration for technical, managerial, or like services | Commissions |
| Construction <br> All geographic areas. | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) |
|  | 17 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 461 | 1,402,020 | 205,591 | 771,462 | 64 | 2,999 | 137,738 | 12,337 |
| Australia.. | 4 | 9 | 31,240 | 3,760 | -- | -- | -- | 3,149 | -- |
| Brazil... | 3 | 5 | 9,061 | 7,583 | -- | -- | 1,003 | 185 | -- |
| Canada. | 5 | 14 | 65,443 | 57,074 | 1,100 | 10 | -- | 6,288 | 8 |
| France. | 5 | 14 | 3,744 | 3,588 | 91 | -- | -- | 7 | -- |
| Germany.. | 8 | 31 | 16,948 | 8,470 | 67 | -- | 325 | 7,838 | 22 |
| Hong Kong. | 3 | 10 | 3,810 | 2,710 | -- | -- | -- | 1,089 | 11 |
| Japan.. | 3 | 5 | 2,717 | 2,511 | -- | -- | -- | 200 | -- |
| Netherlands | 4 | 16 | 22,635 | 2,504 | 340 | -- | 337 | 19,349 | 13 |
| Singapore... | 6 | 9 | 7,407 | 6,208 | -- | -- | -- | 1,135 | 2 |
| Switzerland... | 3 |  | 151,423 | 4,421 | -- | -- | 275 | 47,003 | -- |
| United Kingdom... | 9 |  | 31,259 | 10,035 | 15,114 | -- | 159 | 3,213 | 1 |
| Manufacturing |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All geographic areas....... | 282 | 7,794 | 49,882,729 | 32,600,826 | 2,336,004 | 959,297 | 1,322,691 | 6,240,490 | 145,908 |
| Australia... | 107 | 218 | 391,975 | 359,688 | 413 | 223 | 415 | 23,591 | 160 |
| Belgium. | 82 | 178 | 2,454,709 | 644,490 | 1,612,013 | 124,223 | 2,903 | 35,272 | 8,815 |
| Bermuda. | 19 | 30 | 53,448 | -- | -- | -- | -- | $28,098$ | -- |
| Brazil.... | $\begin{aligned} & 115 \\ & 170 \end{aligned}$ | 245 | 424,009 | 400,157 | 7,110 | 2,279 | 498 | 8,950 | -- |
| Canada. |  | 392 | 8,742,0911,254,865 | $\begin{array}{r} 7,607,719 \\ 914.101 \end{array}$ | 100,031 | 72,954 | 55,840 | 458,016 | 47,508 |
| France... | 131 | 520 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 12,419 \\ & 81,360 \end{aligned}$ | 21,041 | 5,400 | 185,673 | 7,614 |
| Germany.... | 147 | 588 | 7,147,223 | 6,193,625 |  | $\begin{array}{r} 95,203 \\ -- \end{array}$ | 19,477 | 275,578 | 6,315 |
| Hong Kong. | 76 | 137 | 362,459 | 353,304 | 780 |  | 735 | 4,657 | 24 |
| Ireland.. | 59 | 101 | 542,186 | 180,651 | 23 | 72,686 | 38,410 | 195,029 | 366 |
| Japan.. | $\begin{aligned} & 140 \\ & 128 \end{aligned}$ | 336 | 2,721,132 | 1,939,697 | 37,006 | 16,799 | 1,437 | 374,894 | 21,601 |
| Mexico.. |  | 298 | 2,740,550 | 2,481,524 | 9,069 | 30,669 | 9,077 | 56,626 | 2,523 |
| Netherlands | $\begin{aligned} & 128 \\ & 110 \end{aligned}$ | 391 | 2,570,614 | 1,365,139 | 3,532 | 2,239 | 24,097 | $\begin{array}{r} 572,309 \\ 23,427 \end{array}$ | 7,007 |
| Singapore... | 99 | 211 | 771,768 | 708,785 | $\begin{array}{r} 32,020 \\ 3,146 \end{array}$ | 317 | 106 |  | 1,910 |
| South Korea.. | 67 | 115 | 166,791 | $\begin{aligned} & 151,072 \\ & 412,847 \end{aligned}$ |  | 332 | 588 | $2,358$ | 9 |
| Sweden.... | 74 | 256 | 1,912,382 |  | 504 | 7,269 | $\begin{array}{r} 32,245 \\ 1,065,553 \end{array}$ | 1,164,460 | r 11,582 |
| Switzerland.. | 8062 | 217 | 5,393,061 | $\begin{array}{r} 2,068,577 \\ 306,106 \end{array}$ | 46,922 | $\begin{array}{r} 254,697 \\ 169 \end{array}$ |  | 777,609 |  |
| Taiwan.. |  | 119 | 312,067 |  | 1 |  | 2,260 | 380 | 445 |
| United Kingdom... | 173 | 710 | 6,196,718 | 3,932,703 | 224,726 | 160,130 | 50,099 | 935,467 | 14,528 |
| Wholesale trade |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All geographic areas......... | 189 | 2,879 | 40,009,229 | 30,391,360 | 907,340 | 262,042 | 308,195 | 2,688,795 | 392,773 |
| Australia... | 60 | 74 | 361,305 | 343,876 | 697 | 182 | 369 | 1,358 | 302 |
| Belgium... | 32 | 44 | 1,877,213 | 37,997 | 793 | 1,482 | -- | 2,612 | 138 |
| Bermuda.. | 8 | 14 | 168,943 | 11,833 | -- | -- | -- | 290 | -- |
| Brazil. | 47 | 72 | 89,811 | 54,219 | -- | 148 | -- | 27,775 | 1,117 |
| Canada. | 80 | 128 | 5,019,718 | 4,912,964 | 1,506 | 846 | 2,619 | 40,498 | 403 |
| France.. | 58 | 161 | 887,421 | 604,048 | 138 | 9,104 | 474 | 98,454 | 1,253 |
| Germany.... | 80 | 193 | 1,508,196 | 574,756 | 2,483 | 36,172 | -- | 554,171 | 3,675 |
| Hong Kong..... | 69 | 108 | 724,932 | 710,822 | 42 | 426 | 267 | 2,182 | 4,100 |
| Ireland.. | 19 | 23 | 939,886 | 8,701 | 493 | 1 | -- | 8,963 | 1,708 |
| Japan...... | 105 | 400 | 16,176,646 | 13,887,467 | 9,680 | 44,968 | 41,293 | 923,685 | 271,859 |
| Mexico... | 53 | 102 | 813,814 | 514,916 | 3,251 | 402 | 58 | 267,467 | 21,012 |
| Netherlands | 50 | 93 | 1,173,202 | 597,588 | 1,687 | 11,933 | 243,692 | 74,595 | 813 |
| Singapore.... | 42 | 69 | 1,818,169 | 724,580 | 882,010 | 547 | 6,991 | 154,065 | 25,846 |
| South Korea... | 72 | 114 | 3,660,554 | 3,631,677 | 87 | 917 | 857 | 16,032 | 6,222 |
| Sweden.. | 15 | 18 | 76,947 | 47,573 | -- | 16 | -- | 12,655 | 99 |
| Switzerland.. | 30 | 59 | 1,200,988 | 646,001 | 360 | 136,221 | -- | 383,465 | 31,526 |
| Taiwan.... | 47 | 69 | 74,523 | 70,374 | 3 | -- | 263 | 13 | 2,677 |
| United Kingdom... | 90 | 208 | 1,365,114 | 1,203,000 | 1,219 | 9,635 | 9,728 | 30,498 | 4,948 |

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 Foreign Persons, 2002Table 3.--Foreign-Owned Domestic Corporations with Total Receipts of $\$ 500$ Million or More and with Forms 5472: Transactions Between Corporations and Related Foreign Persons, by NAICS Industrial Sector of Domestic Corporation and Selected Country of Residence of Related Foreign Person
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| Selected NAICS industrial sector of domestic corporation and residence of related foreign person ${ }^{1}$ | Transactions between foreign-owned domestic corporations and related foreign persons--continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Amounts received from related foreign persons--continued |  |  |  |  | Amounts paid to related foreign persons |  |  |  |
|  | Interest | Premiums for insurance or reinsurance | Other | Amounts borrowed |  | Total (excluding Ioan balances) | Purchases <br> of stock <br> in trade | Purchases of tangible property other than stock in trade | Rents and royalties |
|  |  |  |  | Beginning balance | Ending balance |  |  |  |  |
| Construction All geographic areas. | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) |
|  | 11,603 |  | 260,227 | 1,316,594 | 1,884,641 | 1,478,177 | 461,687 | 121,869 | 8,533 |
| Australia.... | -- | -- | 24,330 | 504,862 | 606,771 | 89,090 | 29 | -- | -- |
| Brazil... | 123 | -- | 290 | -- | -- | 438 | 266 | -- | -- |
| Canada. |  | -- | 841 | 8,835 | 46,455 | 30,987 | 25,667 | -- | 39 |
| France... | -- | -- | 58 | -- | -- | 26,829 | 7,164 | 2,021 | 5,000 |
| Germany... | -- | -- | 226 | 25,554 | 23,901 | 61,822 | 47,497 | -- | -- |
| Hong Kong... | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 9 | -- | -- | -- |
| Japan...... | -- | -- | 6 | -- | 58,961 | 3,524 | 3,392 | -- | -- |
| Netherlands | 92 | -- | -- | 106,605 |  | 21,376 | 196 | -- | -- |
| Singapore... | -- |  | 62 | -- | 58,961 | 2,486 | 77 | -- | -- |
| Switzerland. | 7,153 | -- | 92,571 | 194,000 | 844,000 | 537,321 | 99,011 | 1,730 | 3,494 |
| United Kingdom.. | -- |  | 2,736 | 269,988 | 97,778 | 38,834 | 20,758 | 86 | -- |
| Manufacturing |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All geographic areas....... | 1,492,386 | 17,936 | 4,767,190 | 113,773,991 | 137,046,150 | 123,454,900 | 97,879,926 | 1,298,512 | 4,129,469 |
| Australia. | 560 | 79 | 6,845 | 314,716 | 244,172 | 206,268 | 164,358 | 395 | 1,075 |
| Belgium... | 6,389 | 25 | 20,579 | 143,602 | 4,826,781 | 1,135,462 | 736,978 | 9,339 | 21,155 |
| Bermuda. | $\begin{array}{r} 16,790 \\ 1,021 \end{array}$ | 8,465 | 94 | 1,264,841 | 1,447,424 | 226,801 | 21 | -- -- |  |
| Brazil... |  | 4 | 3,990 | 12,212 | 3,286 | 1,000,793 | 984,050 | 138 | -- |
| Canada. | 84,280 5,192 310,552 $1,633,401$ $2,161,044$ $21,039,418$ $19,628,821$ 504,336 112,857 <br> 7,295 350 100,972 $13,267,105$ $13,318,491$ $4,470,077$ $2,601,659$ 15,116 404,585 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| France.. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Germany.... | 21,723 | 154 | 453,789 | 1,108,790 | 3,387,685 | 8,169,536 | 7,137,850 | 68,688 | 380,573 |
| Hong Kong... | 456 | -- | 2,503 | 30,337 | 30,981 | 1,258,627 | 1,241,387 | 193 |  |
| Ireland...... | $\begin{array}{r} 11,606 \\ 6,986 \end{array}$ | 139 | 43,276 | 5,055,209 | 4,548,428 | 929,458 |  | 2,745 | $\begin{array}{r} 31,189 \\ 2,265,964 \end{array}$ |
| Japan... |  | $\begin{array}{r} 420 \\ 37 \end{array}$ | 322,292 | 262,588 | 1,101,432 | 26,474,260 | 23,186,002 | 544,148 |  |
| Mexico.. | 56,538 |  | 94,488 | 68,433 | 1,216,348 | 2,661,862 | 2,424,692 | 3,302 36 |  |
| Netherlands | $\begin{array}{r} 12,663 \\ 282 \end{array}$ | 688 | 582,941 | 9,922,962 | 20,274,827 | 6,696,767 | 2,246,798 | 25,795 | 60,818 |
| Singapore... |  | 64 | 4,857 | 1,443 | 3,312 | 870,807 | 798,370 | 19,558 | 426 |
| South Korea.. | -- | 26 | 9,259 | 176,941 | 176,622 | 1,487,172 | 1,478,436 | 418 | -- |
| Sweden... | 8,059 | 20 | 283,297 | 3,624,370 | 3,610,598 | 3,112,333 | 2,283,440 | 5,346 | 177,968 |
| Switzerland.. | 533,849 | 77 | 634,244 | 9,418,510 | 29,455,510 | 10,104,510 | 5,824,084 | 9,499 | 216,458 |
| Taiwan.. | 26 | -- | 2,680 | 319 | 123 | 384,372 | 372,637 | 7,165 | -- |
| United Kingdom.. | 574,923 | 1,592 | 302,550 | 27,256,247 | 24,114,356 | 11,982,196 | 7,720,822 | 53,004 | 354,705 |
| Wholesale trade |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All geographic areas.... | 524,334 | 8,719 | 4,525,671 | 26,374,684 | 31,366,675 | 158,338,658 | 149,218,730 | 891,752 | 1,886,565 |
| Australia.. | 2,428 | -- | 12,094 | -- | 907,527 | 732,878 | 722,992 | -- | -- |
| Belgium. | 52,509 | -- | 1,781,683 | 636,163 | 65,830 | 1,895,276 | 120,690 | -- | -- |
| Bermuda.. | 6,716 | -- | 150,104 | -- | 20,387 | 544,339 | 533,532 | -- | -- |
| Brazil. | 3,075 | -- | 3,477 | 348 | 8,234 | 490,305 | 486,004 | 29 | -- |
| Canada. | 26,159 | 6 | 34,716 | 1,002,040 | 307,714 | 7,612,618 | 7,517,700 | 1,173 | 4,319 |
| France. | 18,869 | -- | 155,082 | 2,128,785 | 2,651,952 | 1,576,832 | 1,125,859 | 7,857 | 96,360 |
| Germany... | 2,291 | 8,571 | 326,077 | 1,991,538 | 2,459,951 | 17,613,329 | 16,835,724 | 1,371 | 10,817 |
| Hong Kong... | 1,067 | -- | 6,026 | 2,930 | 4,336 | 1,499,685 | 1,398,069 | 37,298 | 4 |
| Ireland.. | 2,193 | -- | 917,827 | 422,729 | 549,064 | 621,636 | 120,742 | -- | -- |
| Japan..... | 329,055 | -- | 668,640 | 840,603 | 1,110,378 | 82,013,728 | 79,314,086 | 369,887 | 1,398,184 |
| Mexico... | 4,322 | -- | 2,387 | 14,091 | 208,276 | 3,400,666 | 3,372,874 | -- | 338 |
| Netherlands | 3,969 | -- | 238,924 | 5,385,892 | 5,779,723 | 2,278,559 | 1,718,236 | 24,760 | 120,847 |
| Singapore.... | 10,546 | -- | 13,584 | 1,031,773 | 1,496,284 | 18,984,063 | 18,511,575 | 122,703 | 29,692 |
| South Korea.. | 721 | -- | 4,041 | 47,437 | 17,422 | 1,889,839 | 1,875,895 | 7,061 | -- |
| Sweden....... | 40 | -- | 16,563 | 2,295 | 1,053 | 182,211 | 165,462 | 17 | -- |
| Switzerland.. | 2,333 | -- | 1,081 | 1,287,102 | 2,832,526 | 1,812,456 | 1,120,627 | 295,291 | 202,151 |
| Taiwan... | 11 | -- | 1,181 | 12,607 | 126,522 | 4,086,284 | 4,082,784 | 269 | -- |
| United Kingdom......................... | 25,812 | -- | 80,274 | 5,651,631 | 6,091,785 | 1,145,609 | 772,663 | 3,388 | 4,940 |

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| Selected NAICS industrial sector of domestic corporation and residence of related foreign person ${ }^{1}$ | Transactions between foreign-owned domestic corporations and related foreign persons--continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Amounts received from related foreign persons--continued |  |  |  |  | Amounts paid to related foreign persons |  |  |  |
|  | Interest | Premiums for insurance or reinsurance | Other | Amounts borrowed |  | Total (excluding Ioan balances) | Purchases <br> of stock <br> in trade | Purchases of tangible property other than stock in trade | Rents and royalties |
|  |  |  |  | Beginning balance | Ending balance |  |  |  |  |
| Retail trade <br> All geographic areas | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) |
|  | 9,247 |  | 139,341 | 10,899,466 | 15,099,163 | 2,959,747 | 1,173,699 | 1,117 | 37,046 |
|  |  | -- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Belgium... | 1,095 | -- | -- | -- | -- | 114,636 | -- | -- | -- |
| Brazil........................................ | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 1,485 | -- | -- | -- |
| Canada.. | -- | -- | -- | -- | 30,024 | 15,590 | 14,465 | -- | -- |
| France... | -- | -- | 7,136 | 1,933,858 | 858,523 | 246,375 | 182,584 | 2 | 1,391 |
| Germany.. | -- | -- | 2,462 | -- | -- | 32,785 | 30,220 | 1,115 | 434 |
| Hong Kong. | -- | -- | -- | 180 | 389 | 43,460 | 12,913 | -- | -- |
| Ireland... | -- | -- | -- | 185,338 | 282,967 | 10,117 | -- | -- | -- |
| Japan.... | -- | -- | -- | 140,002 | 170,003 | 3,643 | -- | -- | 286 |
| Netherlands | -- | -- | 1,782 | 2,380,276 | 430,943 | 68,788 | 40 | -- | 19,287 |
| Switzerland.. | -- | -- | -- | 3,291,408 | 11,104,033 | 1,601,495 | 691,777 | -- | 9,724 |
| United Kingdom.. | 8,152 | -- | -- | 1,849,259 | 1,412,141 | 111,261 | 17,170 | -- | -- |
| Transportation and warehousing |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All geographic areas.................... | 2,180 | -- | 1,960,312 | 7,964,574 | 7,858,743 | 2,972,608 | 4,490 | 14,155 | 86,914 |
| Australia... | -- | -- | 3,620 | -- | -- | 5,558 | -- | -- | -- |
| Belgium.. | -- | -- | 282,604 | 4,256 | -- | 284,007 | -- | -- | -- |
| Brazil.. | -- | -- | 1,652 | -- | 834 | 2,318 | -- | -- | -- |
| Canada. | -- | -- | 1,267,661 | 157,501 | 840,338 | 220,960 | 878 | 10,511 | 46,218 |
| France... | -- | -- | 4,525 | -- | -- | 9,856 | 4 | -- | -- |
| Germany.. | -- | -- | 14,773 | 555,147 | 592,398 | 81,002 | 330 | -- | -- |
| Hong Kong. | -- | -- | 5,652 | -- | -- | 114,646 | -- | -- | -- |
| Ireland.... | -- | -- | 10,967 | 2,755,398 | 2,755,398 | 11,734 | -- | -- | -- |
| Japan.. | -- | -- | 65,682 | 3,294 | 152,586 | 20,563 | -- | -- | -- |
| Mexico.. | -- | -- | 532 | -- | -- | 5,779 | 115 | -- | -- |
| Netherlands | 1,540 | -- | 6,111 | 332,698 | 272,236 | 51,693 | -- | -- | -- |
| Singapore.. | -- | -- | 17,012 | -- | -- | 1,512,822 | -- | -- | -- |
| South Korea.. | -- | -- | 3,136 | -- | -- | 16,185 | -- | -- | -- |
| Sweden.. | -- | -- | 1,766 | -- | -- | 2,108 | -- | -- | -- |
| Taiwan.. | -- | -- | 2,060 | -- | -- | 20,028 | -- | -- | -- |
| United Kingdom.... | 640 | -- | 230,110 | 1,367,759 | 1,541,831 | 172,126 | 2,849 | 3,644 | 7,662 |
| Information |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All geographic areas..................... | 118,233 | 180 | 1,241,781 | 54,684,749 | 57,150,869 | 6,857,282 | 2,699,593 | 42,912 | 178,277 |
| Australia. | -- | 16 | 52 | 20,190 | 4,300 | 56,324 | 2,450 | -- | 178 |
| Belgium.. | -- | 4 | 4 | -- | 947,031 | 5,157 | 224 | -- | 432 |
| Bermuda. | -- | -- | -- | 932,141 | 1,032,650 | 16,321 | -- | -- | -- |
| Brazil... | -- | 9 | 569 | 38 | 500 | 1,082 | 554 | 315 | 14 |
| Canada. | 1,866 | -- | 97,306 | 299,613 | 433,201 | 268,655 | 107,830 | 3 | 1,409 |
| France.. | -- | 2 | 36,737 | 14,613 | 156,337 | 250,111 | 129 | -- | 4,717 |
| Germany... | 19,649 | 6 | 5,947 | 4,100,075 | 2,785,022 | 519,201 | 4,133 | -- | 69 |
| Hong Kong.. | -- | 1 | 545 | 11,456 | 17,220 | 54,394 | 2,709 | 42,204 | -- |
| Ireland. | -- | 1 | 202,848 | 10,865 | 30,871 | 113,161 | 501 | -- | -- |
| Japan.... | 29 | -- | 13,944 | 616 | 74 | 2,449,987 | 2,285,650 | 44 | 17,023 |
| Mexico........ | 610 | 3 | 844 | -- | 6 | 14,833 | 9,384 | -- | 3,638 |
| Netherlands | 1,582 | 2 | 458,105 | 7,946,444 | 12,756,885 | 537,554 | 77 | -- | 64,395 |
| Singapore....... | -- | ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | 1,014 | 54 | 34 | 8,561 | 3,786 | -- | 225 |
| South Korea.... | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 3,197 | 1,635 | -- | -- |
| Sweden...... | 5,079 | 3 | 170 | 145 | 42 | 120,044 | 76,203 | -- | 31,771 |
| Switzerland... | -- | 1 | 132,095 | 9,411,629 | 9,026,149 | 714,235 | -- | -- | 1,675 |
| Taiwan.............. | -- | -- | 6 | 3 | 3 | 222 | 203 | -- | -- |
| United Kingdom.......................... | 36,336 | 118 | 277,594 | 4,968,210 | 3,731,477 | 694,021 | 85,348 | -- | 52,095 |

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| Selected NAICS industrial sector of domestic corporation and residence of related foreign person ${ }^{1}$ | Transactions between foreign-owned domestic corporations and related foreign persons--continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Amounts received from related foreign persons--continued |  |  |  |  | Amounts paid to related foreign persons |  |  |  |
|  | Interest | Premiums for insurance or reinsurance | Other | Amounts borrowed |  | Total (excluding Ioan balances) | Purchases <br> of stock <br> in trade | Purchases of tangible property other than stock in trade | Rents and royalties |
|  |  |  |  | Beginning balance | Ending balance |  |  |  |  |
|  | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) |
| Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services <br> All geographic areas. $\qquad$ |  |  | 5,404 | 8,360,855 | 10,142,018 | 848,505 | 13,896 | 7,221 | 81,764 |
|  | 19,922 | -- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Netherlands | $\begin{aligned} & 3,450 \\ & 4,584 \end{aligned}$ |  | 5,404 135 | 1,507,733 | 1,068,701 | 105,106155,448 | $13,896$ | 7,221 | -- |
| United Kingdom... |  | -- | -- | 2,964,648 | 3,299,675 |  |  | -- | -- |
| Health care and social assistance |  |  |  |  |  | 155,448 | $13,896$ |  |  |
| All geographic areas..................... | -- | -- | -- | 1,295,927 | 957,965 | 243,231 | 81,214 | -- | -- |
| Arts, entertainment, and recreation <br> All geographic areas. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Accommodation and food services |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All geographic areas.................... | 17,295 | -- | 10,956 | 6,351,379 | 5,877,848 | 543,359 | -- | -- | 22,935 |
| France............... | -- | -- | 10,552 | 310,772 | 309,000 | 32,853 | -- | -- | 3,496 |
| United Kingdom.... | 16,127 | -- | -- | 3,146,358 | 3,054,608 | 328,440 | -- | -- | -- |
| Other services |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All geographic areas..................... | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |

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| Selected NAICS industrial sector of domestic corporation and residence of related foreign person ${ }^{1}$ | Transactions between foreign-owned domestic corporations and related foreign persons--continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Amounts paid to related foreign persons--continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Purchases, leases, and licenses of intangible property rights | Consideration for technical, managerial, or like services | Commissions | Interest | Premiums for insurance or reinsurance | Other | Amounts loaned |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Beginning balance | Ending balance |
| Construction <br> All geographic areas. | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) |
|  | 42,794 | 248,504 | 642 | 397,092 | 29,776 | 167,281 | 166,557 | 360,945 |
| Australia........................................ | -- | 10,115 | -- | 10,380 | -- | 68,567 | -- | -- |
| Brazil. | -- | 162 | -- | -- | -- | 10 | 3,294 | 5,927 |
| Canada.......................................... | -- | 4,987 | -- | 178 | -- | 116 | 1,481 | -- |
| France. | -- | 12,644 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Germany.. | -- | 11,970 | 94 | 528 | -- | 1,734 | 30 | 1,200 |
| Hong Kong..................................... | -- | 9 | -- | -- | -- | -- | 38 | -- |
| Japan...... | -- | 132 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Netherlands | 2,734 | 13,663 | -- | 4,782 | -- | 1 | 28 | 28 |
| Singapore... | -- | 2,409 | -- | -- | -- | -- | 2,012 | 2,501 |
| Switzerland... | 22,804 | 51,051 | 206 | 350,966 | -- | 8,057 | 36,194 | 176,618 |
| United Kingdom.............................. | -- | 2,822 | -- | 7,368 | -- | 7,799 | 2,008 | 5,816 |
| Manufacturing |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All geographic areas.......................... | 1,644,875 | 3,576,979 | 111,213 | 9,377,413 | 226,618 | 5,209,895 | 52,605,390 | 60,850,162 |
| Australia........................................ | 61 | 5,459 | 1,060 | 5,277 | 2,893 | 25,689 | 1,776 | 48,292 |
| Belgium... | 100,747 | 31,834 | 3,863 | 223,658 | 1,965 | 5,922 | 40,621 | 175,488 |
| Bermuda. | -- | 1,478 | 3,369 | 101,169 | 16,233 | 104,531 | 1,060,700 | 1,139,617 |
| Brazil... | 25 | 9,297 | 2,629 | 735 | -- | 3,919 | 35,783 | 56,459 |
| Canada. | 1,171 | 449,633 | 10,330 | 94,060 | 6,395 | 231,816 | 3,300,836 | 3,337,397 |
| France... | 40,102 | 489,947 | 3,971 | 716,797 | 45 | 197,856 | 5,689,297 | 4,322,784 |
| Germany.. | 202,303 | 50,896 | 7,282 | 183,608 | 10 | 138,325 | 467,121 | 725,958 |
| Hong Kong.. | 6 | 6,205 | 7,291 | 4 | -- | 3,383 | 11,581 | 9,953 |
| Ireland.. | 7,129 | 49,892 | 1,003 | 371,965 | 5,713 | 41,577 | 351,614 | 843,037 |
| Japan. | 96,588 | 187,957 | 6,366 | 3,643 | 526 | 183,066 | 575,294 | 1,161,901 |
| Mexico... | 7,000 | 88,753 | 3,205 | 12,147 | -- | 122,726 | 411,641 | 385,591 |
| Netherlands | 58,430 | 436,754 | 17,328 | 1,057,853 | 171 | 2,792,821 | 695,155 | 552,679 |
| Singapore.. | 451 | 36,112 | 3,484 | -- | 2,839 | 9,567 | 40 | 1,880 |
| South Korea. | 17 | 2,910 | 1,350 | 2,993 | -- | 1,048 | -- | 461 |
| Sweden.. | 1,944 | 159,191 | 798 | 280,447 | 1,518 | 201,683 | 17,983 | 32,471 |
| Switzerland. | 547,385 | 345,434 | 5,579 | 2,833,718 | 11,045 | 311,309 | 13,777,533 | 13,720,323 |
| Taiwan.. | 444 | 1,629 | 514 | -- | -- | 1,983 | 4,874 | 14,588 |
| United Kingdom.. | 426,041 | 950,052 | 24,275 | 1,703,885 | 162,393 | 587,019 | 24,091,759 | 31,283,622 |
| Wholesale trade |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All geographic areas.......................... | 243,893 | 884,976 | 162,996 | 1,393,469 | 18,592 | 3,637,685 | 4,128,124 | 7,642,104 |
| Australia........................................ | -- | 915 | 616 | 4,158 | 86 | 4,111 | 2,823 | 1,809,106 |
| Belgium......................................... | -- | 274 | 27 | 9 | -- | 1,774,276 | 880,937 | 725,650 |
| Bermuda........................................ | -- | -- | -- | 42 | 9,500 | 1,265 | 1,392 | 1,140 |
| Brazil............................................. | -- | 99 | 3,196 | 25 | , | 952 | 4,172 | 81,471 |
| Canada.. | 248 | 57,049 | 5,387 | 4,854 | -- | 21,888 | 541,865 | 634,285 |
| France.. | 175,173 | 42,481 | 1,795 | 76,703 | -- | 50,605 | 536,307 | 369,409 |
| Germany... | 1,094 | 33,225 | 6,187 | 171,443 | 609 | 552,858 | 320,761 | 704,047 |
| Hong Kong..................................... | -- | 965 | 51,173 | 42 | -- | 12,133 | 4,252 | 20,912 |
| Ireland........................................... | -- | 1,973 | 23 | 19,838 | -- | 479,060 | 90,766 | 100,000 |
| Japan............................................. | 24,197 | 341,090 | 68,917 | 28,063 | 6,483 | 462,821 | 300,208 | 1,463,549 |
| Mexico........................................... | -- | 17,407 | 2,386 | 1,262 | -- | 6,399 | 8,659 | 64,655 |
| Netherlands .................................. | 5,493 | 30,174 | 105 | 342,826 | 2 | 36,115 | 343,919 | 315,687 |
| Singapore....... | 30,414 | 264,354 | 2,452 | 1,720 | -- | 21,153 | 187,838 | 163,129 |
| South Korea.... | -- | 4,082 | 1,186 | 210 | -- | 1,404 | 124,596 | 102,341 |
| Sweden... | -- | 3,403 | 13 | -- | 108 | 13,209 | 1,134 | 2,766 |
| Switzerland.. | -- | 31,517 | 215 | 157,245 | -- | 5,411 | 46,733 | 46,262 |
| Taiwan........................................... | -- | 1 | 1,109 | -- | -- | 2,122 | 1,445 | 641 |
| United Kingdom.............................. | 7,275 | 35,128 | 5,079 | 245,958 | 3 | 71,175 | 564,361 | 861,244 |

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| Selected NAICS industrial sector of domestic corporation and residence of related foreign person ${ }^{1}$ | Transactions between foreign-owned domestic corporations and related foreign persons--continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Amounts paid to related foreign persons--continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Purchases, leases, and licenses of intangible property rights | Consideration for technical, managerial, or like services | Commissions | Interest | Premiums for insurance or reinsurance | Other | Amounts loaned |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Beginning balance | Ending balance |
| Retail trade <br> All geographic areas. | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) |
|  | 153,698 | 40,116 | 94,262 | 1,142,222 | 160,415 | 157,170 | 936,603 | 213,773 |
| Belgium.......................................... | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 114,636 | -- | 301 |
| Brazil... | -- | -- | 1,485 | -- | -- | $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | 5,822 | 50 |
| Canada.. | -- | 259 | -- | 813 | -- | 6 | 1,351 | 171 |
| France.... | 47 | 5,550 | -- | 41,961 | -- | 14,885 | 9,175 | 709 |
| Germany........................................ | -- | 755 | -- | -- | -- | 261 | 3,419 | 892 |
| Hong Kong. | -- | -- | 30,547 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Ireland....... | -- | -- | -- | 10,117 | -- | -- | - | -- |
| Japan.. | -- | 30 | -- | 2,569 | -- | 758 | 9,605 | 10,151 |
| Netherlands | -- | 7,772 | -- | 21,068 | 1,051 | 19,570 | 50 | 125 |
| Switzerland.. | 153,62922 | 612 | 9,406 | 736,347 | -- | -- | 265,851 | 197,422 |
| United Kingdom.............................. |  | 6,875 | -- | 87,194 | -- | -- | 621,395 | 1,449 |
| Transportation and warehousing | 22 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All geographic areas.......................... | 8,510-- | 308,936 | 1,543,577 | 189,330 | 114,046 | 702,650 | 1,608,652 | 1,864,043 |
| Australia |  | 559 | -- | -- | -- | 4,999 | 4 | $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |
| Belgium.. | -- | 1,969 | -- | -- | -- | 282,037 | - | -- |
| Brazil...... | -- | 763 | -- | -- | -- | 1,555 | 5,167 | 114 |
| Canada.. | -- | 113,829 | 2,284 | 2,773 | 5,378 | 39,090 | 221,822 | 347,010 |
| France.. | -- | 4,972 | 3 | -- | -- | 4,876 | -- | -- |
| Germany... | -- | 13,749 | 38,127 | 12,611 | -- | 16,185 | -- | -- |
| Hong Kong. | -- | 51,750 | 454 | -- | -- | 62,442 | -- | -- |
| Ireland.. | -- | 455 | -- | -- | -- | 11,279 | - | -- |
| Japan... | 3,043 | 4,773 | -- | 588 | -- | 12,159 | 5,196 | 4,692 |
| Mexico... | -- | 1,118 | 2,933 | -- | -- | 1,614 | 2,092 | 1,462 |
| Netherlands | -- | 4,206 | -- | 41,445 | -- | 6,043 | 75,149 | 2,587 |
| Singapore...... | 2,482 | -- | 1,496,262 | -- | -- | 14,077 | -- | -- |
| South Korea.. | -- | 3,650 | -- | -- | -- | 12,535 | -- | -- |
| Sweden... |  | 465 | -- | -- | -- | 1,643 | -- | -- |
| Taiwan... | -- | 5,357 | -- | -- | -- | 14,671 | -- | -- |
| United Kingdom.............................. | 2,984 | 35,941 | -- | 90,371 | 534 | 28,141 | 1,298,961 | 678,790 |
| Information | 210,573 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All geographic areas......................... |  | 304,681 | 82,194 | 2,905,986 | 5,377 | 427,688 | 8,198,652 | 11,112,876 |
| Australia.................. | 144 | 8,280 | 44,545 | 172 | -- | 555 | 12,243 | 12,317 |
| Belgium... | 167 | 4,174 | 161 | -- | -- | -- | 115 | 1,022 |
| Bermuda. | -- | -- | -- | 15,721 | 600 | -- | 2,301,978 | 2,430,224 |
| Brazil. | 132 | 68 | -- | -- | -- | -- | 50 | 89 |
| Canada.. | 1,622 | 33,512 | 821 | 492 | -- | 122,966 | 249,472 | 318,569 |
| France. | 3,157 | 10,394 | 761 | 212,068 | 2,195 | 16,690 | 17,152 | 20,130 |
| Germany... | 1,651 | 11,279 | 529 | 499,868 | -- | 1,671 | 1,100,104 | 1,353,498 |
| Hong Kong. | 1 | 8,007 | 657 | -- | -- | 818 | 29,451 | 2,406 |
| Ireland... |  | 33 | -- | -- | -- | 112,627 | 43,843 | 30,184 |
| Japan......... | 141,458 | 5,812 | -- | -- | -- | 1 | 9,898 | 9,851 |
| Mexico..... | 1,748 | 62 | -- | -- | -- | -- | 4,694 | 4,774 |
| Netherlands | 1,556 | 15,172 | 23,398 | 415,296 | 2,540 | 15,120 | 2,478 | 5,454 |
| Singapore....................................... | 75 | 2,927 | 231 | -- | -- | 1,318 | 245 | 245 |
| South Korea... | 1,442 | 109 | 10 | -- | -- | -- | 641 | 920 |
| Sweden.... | 835 | 10,983 | 249 | -- | -- | 2 | -- | 80 |
| Switzerland..................................... | -- | 405 | -- | 653,622 | -- | 58,533 | 10,719 | 7,700 |
| Taiwan.......................................... | -- | -- | 20 | -- | -- | -- | 898 | 191 |
| United Kingdom.............................. | 53,780 | 184,996 | 9,522 | 213,890 | 33 | 94,357 | 4,015,044 | 6,242,152 |

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[Money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Selected NAICS industrial sector of domestic corporation and residence of related foreign person ${ }^{1}$ | Transactions between foreign-owned domestic corporations and related foreign persons--continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Amounts paid to related foreign persons--continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Purchases, leases, and licenses of intangible property rights | Consideration for technical, managerial, or like services | Commissions | Interest | Premiums for insurance <br> or reinsurance | Other | Amounts loaned |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Beginning balance | Ending balance |
|  | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) |
| Finance and insurance | 40,637 | 713,492 | 209,563 | 5,539,005 | 13,393,633 | 3,447,386 | 68,816,404 | 95,753,228 |
| Australia. | -- | 3,587 | 7,608 | 31,320 | 3,690 | 649 | 13,359 | 152,179 |
| Belgium... | -- | 380 | 243 | -- | 20,651 | 43 | 352,797 | 353,033 |
| Bermuda.. | -- | 215 | 4,983 | 11,216 | 2,215,669 | 412,806 | 1,421,537 | 4,198,729 |
| Brazil... | 56 | 359,991 | 12,887 | 304,477 | -- | 2,441 | 2,290 | 2,240 |
| Canada... |  |  |  |  | 198,701 | 77,857 | 18,736,941 | 11,542,024 |
| France.... | -- | 17,484 | 11,254 | 580,713 | 253,015 | 51,232 | 14,982,088 | 13,064,610 |
| Germany..... | -- | 1 | 2,688 | 368,791 | $\begin{array}{r} 3,367,275 \\ 159 \end{array}$ | 129,775 | 616,179 | 547,090181,667 |
| Hong Kong.... | -- | $\begin{array}{r} 4,692 \\ 206 \end{array}$ | 13,306 | 749 |  | 177,516 | 374,298510,989 |  |
| Ireland.... |  |  | 427 | 27,231 | 2,065,570 | 633 |  | 77,004 |
| Japan..... | -- | 5,856 | 7,078 | 31,831 | 359 | 807,308 | 1,850,926 | 3,206,609 |
| Mexico.... |  | 171,877 | 4,220 | 214 | 2,524 | -- | 1,210 | 1,154 |
| Netherlands ........ | -- |  | 1,708 | 1,332,554 | 43,005 | 136,240 | 5,813,065 | 7,601,300 |
| Singapore...... | -- | 1,277 | 4,094 | 53 | 595 | 1,624 | 12,177 | $\begin{aligned} & 15,462 \\ & 11,330 \end{aligned}$ |
| Sweden... | -- | -- |  | 38,944 | 7,881 | -- | 3,530 |  |
| Switzerland...... | 40,581 | 4,540 | $48,570$ | 1,745,597 | 4,861,162 | 147,014 | 1,616,118 | $11,938,286$ |
| Taiwan.. | -- | 119,830 |  | -- | -- | 392 | -- |  |
| United Kingdom................ |  |  | 78,359 | 762,989 | 298,054 | 1,443,917 | 19,420,017 | 40,225,516 |
| Real estate and rental and leasing |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All geographic areas............... | -- | 6,589 | -- | 324,751 | -- | 38,999 | 137,211 | 754,055 |
| Professional, scientific, and technical services |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All geographic areas... | 555,675 | 694,873 | 43,410 | 672,903 | 5,678 | 20,793 | 1,444,139 | 2,107,125 |
| Australia... | -- | 16,342 | 541 | 98 | -- | 372 | 164 | 138 |
| Belgium.......... | -- | 732 | 739 | -- | -- | -- | -- -- |  |
| Brazil.... | -- | $\begin{array}{r}70 \\ \hline 15\end{array}$ | 788 | -- |  |  | 763 | 30 |
| Canada...... | -- | $\begin{aligned} & 15,323 \\ & 38,242 \end{aligned}$ | 967 | --- | -- | 5,451404 | 10,944 | 8,619 |
| France...... |  |  | 4,493 |  | 689 |  | 50,078 | 2,706 |
| Germany....... | $\begin{array}{r} -- \\ 548,681 \end{array}$ | 46,647 | 5,400 | 38,072 | 1 | 6,517 | 478,492 | 550,492 |
| Hong Kong.... | -- | 87 | 2,018 | -- | -- | 28 | 139 | 126 |
| Ireland...... | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 276 | 331 |
| Japan.......... | 180 | 1,063 | 790 | -- | -- | 2 | 1,880 | 21,902 |
| Mexico....... | -- | 2,307 | 874 | 1 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Netherlands ..... | -- | 7,984 | 602 | 157,352 | -- | ${ }^{2}$ ) | 127 | 14,655 |
| Singapore. | -- | 714 | 233 | -- | -- | 213 | -- | -- |
| South Korea.. | -- | 111 | -- | -- | -- | ${ }^{2}$ ) | 23 | -- |
| Sweden. | -- | 337 | -- | -- | -- | $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | -- | -- |
| Switzerland..... | -- | 602 | 386 | -- | -- | 21 | -- | -- |
| Taiwan.. | -- | 73 | -- | -- | -- | ${ }^{2}$ ) | 105 | 94 |
| United Kingdom... | 14 | 113,308 | 13,155 | 466,210 | 2,562 | 4,160 | 895,433 | 1,501,501 |
| Management of companies and enterprises |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All geographic areas........................ | -- | 34,039 | 7,099 | 503,244 | 494 | 435,686 | 2,438,835 | 4,234,512 |
| Australia... | -- | -- | 8 | 150 | -- | -- | -- | 22 |
| Canada.... | -- | 29,990 | 641 | 7,372 | 494 | 4,136 | 58,588 | 164,308 |
| France...... | -- | 2,312 | -- | 31,859 | -- | 6 | 3,116 | 802,475 |
| Ireland...... | -- | 76 | -- | 11,598 | -- | 50 | -- | -- |
| Japan........... | -- | 281 | 283 | 44,691 | -- | 118,236 | 10,744 | 533,526 |
| Mexico..... | -- | -- | 3,062 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Switzerland.... | -- | -- | -- | 41 | -- | -- | 16,014 | 3 |
| United Kingdom.............................. | -- | 986 | -- | 158,084 | -- | -- | 1,621,779 | 1,995,871 |

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| Selected NAICS industrial sector of domestic corporation and residence of related foreign person ${ }^{1}$ | Transactions between foreign-owned domestic corporations and related foreign persons--continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Amounts paid to related foreign persons--continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Purchases, leases, and licenses of intangible property rights | Consideration for technical, managerial, or like services | Commissions | Interest | Premiums for insurance or reinsurance | Other | Amounts loaned |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Beginning balance | Ending balance |
| Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) |
|  | 67,222 | 13,443 | 25,156 | 573,820 | 10,158 | 55,824 | 384,594 | 1,064,709 |
| All geographic areas.......................... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Netherlands .................................. |  | $\begin{array}{r} -- \\ 5,278 \end{array}$ | -- | 76,156 | 5,883 | 28,951 | 41,008 | 114,230 |
| United Kingdom.......... |  |  | -- | 124,391 |  | 4,698 | 86,635 | 98,490 |
| Health care and social assistance | -- | -- |  |  | 9,229 |  |  |  |
| All geographic areas......................... |  |  | -- | 152,787 |  | -- | 1,721,007 | 1,586,762 |
| Arts, entertainment, and recreation <br> All geographic areas. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Accommodation and food services | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |
| All geographic areas......................... | 16,704 | 237,212 | -- | 253,485 | -- | 13,023 | 1,154,603 | 758,837 |
| France.......................................... | 878 | 11,531 | -- | 16,055 | -- | 893 | -- | -- |
| United Kingdom.......... | 8,766 | 176,992 | -- | 142,682 | -- | -- | 1,107,445 | 702,273 |
| Other services |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All geographic areas......................... | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** | ** |

${ }^{* *}$ In order to avoid disclosure of information for specific corporations, these data have been deleted. Data are included in appropriate totals.
${ }^{1}$ Selected country data have been deleted to prevent disclosure of information for individual taxpayers. However, the data are included in the appropriate totals.
${ }^{2}$ Less than $\$ 500$.
NOTES: NAICS is the abbreviation for the North American Industry Classification System. Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.

# Personal Wealth, 2001 

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The distribution and composition of personal wealth in the United States are topics of great interest among researchers and policy planners. Unfortunately, these issues are difficult to research, since there are few sources of data on the wealth holdings of the general population, especially the very rich. Federal estate tax returns (Form 706) provide a unique source from which to study the nation's wealthiest individuals. The estate tax return contains a complete listing of a decedent's assets and debts, as well as a demographic profile of the decedent and information on the costs of administering the estate. A decedent's estate has up to 9 months to file an estate tax return, but use of a 6-month extension is common. It is, therefore, necessary to combine returns filed over a number of calendar years in order to capture data representative of all estate tax decedents dying in a single year.

The wealth of living individuals can be estimated from Federal estate tax return data using the estate multiplier technique. The fundamental assumption underlying this methodology is that estate tax returns filed for decedents who died in a particular year represent a random sample, designated by death, of the living population in that year. Estimates of the wealth holdings of the living population are derived by applying a multiplier, based on appropriate mortality rates, to this sample. (See the Appendix to this article for a more complete discussion of the estate multipliertechnique.)

## Valuation Measures

These estimates apply to individual holdings of $\$ 675,000$ or more in gross estate, the Federal estate tax filing threshold in effect for 2001 U.S. decedents. Gross estate is a Federal estate tax concept of wealth that does not conform to usual definitions of wealth, primarily because it includes components that are not traditionally considered part of a living individual's portfolio and because there are features of the tax code that allow certain real property to be specially valued when used in farming or running a

[^46]business. Therefore, three measures of wealth are used in this article: gross assets (or gross estate), total assets, and net worth.

Gross assets reflects the gross value of all assets owned by a decedent, including the full face value of life insurance, reduced by the value of any policy loans, but excluding any reduction for other indebtedness. This measure defines the individuals included in the top wealth holder group. Total assets is a lower wealth value but is still essentially a gross measure. It differs from gross assets in that the cash, or equity, value of life insurance (i.e., the value of insurance immediately before the policyholder's death) replaces the "at death" value of life insurance included in gross assets, and incorporates other adjustments to compensate for special valuation provisions in the tax code [1]. Net worth is total assets minus debts.

## Top Wealth Holders, 2001

In 2001, there were an estimated 7.4 million adults, age 18 and older, with gross assets of $\$ 675,000$ or more (see Table 1). Combined, they owned almost $\$ 15.2$ trillion in total assets. After accounting for over $\$ 1.3$ trillion in debts and mortgages, this group had a total net worth of $\$ 13.8$ trillion. Although these top wealth holders represented only 3.5 percent of the U.S. adult population, they held an estimated 32.7 percent of the total U.S. net worth in 2001 [2, 3].

There were nearly 4.0 million male top wealth holders in 2001, representing 53.7 percent of the top wealth holder population. These men had a combined net worth of $\$ 8.0$ trillion, for an average net worth of nearly $\$ 2.0$ million (see Table 2). About 73,000 of these men had a net worth of $\$ 10$ million or more. A large majority, 66.4 percent, of male top wealth holders were married, while 16.3 percent were single and 8.7 percent were widowed (see Figure A). About 8.5 percent of wealthy males were divorced or separated.

There were over 3.4 million female top wealth holders, comprising 46.3 percent of the total. The combined net worth of these women was $\$ 5.8$ trillion, while their average net worth was $\$ 1.71$ million (see Table 3). About 50,000 female top wealth holders in 2001 had a net worth of $\$ 10$ million or more. In contrast to their male counterparts, less than half, 49.0 percent, of all female top wealth holders were married, while 26.0 percent were widowed, a much

Figure A

Top Wealth Holders: Marital Status, by Sex, 2001

| Marital status | Males | Percentage | Females | Percentage |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total. | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) |
|  | 3,953,728 | 100.0 | 3,403,522 | 100.0 |
| Married. | 2,627,212 | 66.4 | 1,668,808 | 49.0 |
| Widowed. | 343,942 | 8.7 | 884,677 | 26.0 |
| Single.. | 645,570 | 16.3 | 487,786 | 14.3 |
| Other ${ }^{1}$. | 337,004 | 8.5 | 362,251 | 10.6 |

${ }^{1}$ Includes individuals who were separated or divorced and those for whom marital status was not determinable.

NOTE: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.
higher percentage than for men. About 14.3 percent of wealthy females were single, while 10.6 percent were divorced or separated.

While the average net worth of female wealth holders was more than 15 percent lower than that of males, averages can be very sensitive to outliers. When significant outliers exist, the median is often a better measure of the center of a distribution. The median net worth for male wealth holders was approximately $\$ 978,000$, while the median value for females was nearly the same at almost $\$ 955,000$. In fact, Figure B shows that the distribution of wealth
for male and female wealth holders is very similar for most points, except for those above the $95^{\text {th }}$ percentile, where male net worth values dominate. It is these larger values that account for the much larger difference in the average net worth between the sexes. While not included in Figure B, it is interesting to note that the left tail of the net worth distribution for males dips much lower (larger negative values) for points below the $1^{\text {st }}$ percentile than for females.

## Porffolio Composition

The portfolio composition of top wealth holders in 2001 varied substantially by gender and wealth. As shown in Figure C, men with less than $\$ 1$ million in net worth devoted the largest percentages of their portfolios to personal residences, 20.7 percent, and retirement assets, 18.3 percent [4]. Stock in publicly held corporations, other real estate, and cash holdings also represented significant portions of these individuals' portfolios.

For males with at least $\$ 1$ million but less than $\$ 10$ million in net worth, personal residences comprised a substantially smaller portion of their total portfolio, at 10.4 percent. Publicly traded stock comprised the single largest component, 19.7 percent, while retirement assets were the second largest component, 16.5

## Figure B

Top Wealth Holders, by Sex: Net Worth Distribution, 1st-99th Percentiles, 2001

Net worth (in millions)


Male Top Wealth Holders: Selected Assets and Debts as a Percentage of Total Assets, by Size of Net Worth, 2001

${ }^{1}$ Includes all government bonds, corporate bonds, bonds issued by foreign governments, and diversified mutual funds.
${ }^{2}$ Includes individual retirement accounts, annuities, and self-employed retirement or Keogh plans.
${ }^{3}$ Includes noncorporate businesses, farms, and limited partnerships.
percent. The proportion of these individuals' portfolios comprised of stock in closely held companies [5] and other financial assets (such as government bonds, corporate bonds, and foreign bonds) was markedly higher than the corresponding proportion for men with less than $\$ 1$ million in net worth.

For the wealthiest males, those with net worth of $\$ 10$ million or more, financial assets were the dominant portfolio component. Holdings in the stock of publicly traded corporations, 31.5 percent, and closely traded companies, 15.0 percent, combined for nearly one half of their portfolios. The wealthiest men also devoted a substantially larger proportion of their portfolios to business assets (including noncorporate businesses, farm assets, and limited partnerships), 17.2 percent, and other financial assets, 12.0 percent, than their peers in the lower wealth classes. In contrast, personal residences, 3.0 percent, and retire-
ment assets, 3.7 percent, represented only small components of their portfolios.

For female top wealth holders, the shift in portfolio composition as net worth increased followed a pattern similar to that for their male counterparts (see Figure D). However, there were several significant differences in the makeup of portfolios held by male and female top wealth holders. In each wealth class, women held larger proportions of their assets in personal residences and other real estate and smaller proportions in retirement and business assets than men.

The most notable difference between the asset mix of female and male top wealth holders was the importance of closely held stock in their respective portfolios. Closely held stock comprised only 1.3 percent of the portfolios of women with net worth of less than $\$ 1$ million, compared to nearly 3.9 percent for men in the same wealth class. Likewise, women

## Figure D

Female Top Wealth Holders: Selected Assets and Debts as a Percentage of Total Assets, by Size of Net Worth, 2001

${ }^{1}$ Includes all government bonds, corporate bonds, bonds issued by foreign governments, and diversified mutual funds.
${ }^{2}$ Includes individual retirement accounts, annuities, and self-employed retirement or Keogh plans.
${ }^{3}$ Includes noncorporate businesses, farms, and limited partnerships.
with net worth of $\$ 1$ million but less than $\$ 10$ million held 3.7 percent of their assets in closely held stock, less than half the corresponding proportion for men in this group. This proportion shifted sharply upward, to 14.4 percent, for women with a net worth of $\$ 10$ million or more and nearly equals the 15.0 percent of their wealthiest male counterparts.

Male top wealth holders in all wealth classes had a higher ratio of debts and mortgages to total assets than their female peers. Women, in aggregate, had a debt ratio (debts divided by total assets) of 7.3 percent, while the comparable figure for men was 10.0 percent. Men with a net worth of less than $\$ 1$ million had by far the highest debt ratio, 20.8 percent.

## Age

The average age of male top wealth holders in 2001 was 55.7 years, 3.6 years younger than the average
age of female top wealth holders. Figure E shows that the $\$ 1.7$ million average net worth of males under 50 was markedly lower than that for men in any other age group. For men between 50 and 85 years of age, average net worth remained relatively steady in a range between $\$ 2.1$ million and $\$ 2.3$ million. Males aged 85 and older were wealthier than men in any other age group, with an average net worth of \$2.6 million.

The average net worth of females under 50 was over $\$ 1.4$ million. Although the average for women aged 50 to 65 was significantly higher at $\$ 1.9$ million, as age increased beyond this point, there was only scant variation in average net worth. Women aged 75 to 85 actually had a lower average net worth, $\$ 1.8$ million, than their counterparts between age 50 and 75. Females 85 and older had an average net worth of about $\$ 1.9$ million, nearly identical to the average for those in the 50 -under- 65 age group.

## Figure E

All Top Wealth Holders: Average and Median Net Worth, by Sex and Age, 2001


The median net worth of top wealth holders reveals a very different picture. For each age and sex combination, median net worth was substantially lower than average net worth. For both males and females, median wealth for those in the 50 -under-65 age group increased significantly from the median for those under 50, but age had very little effect on the median net worth of wealthy individuals over 50 . Although the average net worth of males was significantly higher than that of females in each age category, the median wealth of men and women was very similar regardless of age. These observations suggest that a limited number of high wealth males have a significant effect on the data. The effect is most striking for men aged 85 and older. While the median net worth of this group was virtually identical to that for the 75 -under- 85 age group, their average net worth was nearly one-fifth greater. Also interesting is the fact that women under age 50 had a higher median net worth than their male counterparts but a lower average net worth.

While median net worth did not vary greatly across age groups or gender, especially for those over age 50 , the data suggest that both age and gender are important determinants of portfolio composition. As shown in Figure F, for males in all three age groups depicted, stock held in public companies was dominant but varied substantially in the share it contributed to total assets. For males under age 50, publicly traded stock comprised 21.6 percent of total assets. Business assets made up the second-largest share of the total for these relatively young men, 12.1 percent, followed by the value of the personal residence, 11.8 percent. For men in the 50 -under- 65 age bracket, retirement assets made up the second largest share of total assets, 17.3 percent, not surprising for a group approaching traditional retirement age. Publicly traded stock accounted for 17.9 percent of total assets for this group, lower than the corresponding proportion for men under age 50 , while stock in closely held companies comprised 11.8 percent.

## Figure $F$

Male Top Wealth Holders: Selected Assets and Debts as a Percentage of Total Assets, by Age, 2001

${ }^{1}$ Includes all government bonds, corporate bonds, bonds issued by foreign governments, and diversified mutual funds.
${ }^{2}$ Includes individual retirement accounts, annuities, and self-employed retirement or Keogh plans.
${ }^{3}$ Includes noncorporate businesses, farms, and limited partnerships.

For males age 65 and older, publicly traded stock made up 25.9 percent of total assets. Men in this age group devoted the highest proportion of any age group to other financial assets, where tax-exempt bonds issued by State and local governments dominated. Closely held stock and personal residences accounted for the lowest proportion of total assets for this group, which may reflect both lifestyle changes expected for individuals in the post-retirement phase of life. About 68.3 percent of men aged 65 and older owned a personal residence compared to 75.4 percent of men younger than 65. A similar pattern can be seen for closely held stock, as 15.0 percent of men aged 65 and older owned these assets, significantly less than the 23.4 percent ownership rate of men younger than 65 .

For wealthy females, publicly traded stock was also the dominant asset in each age bracket (see

Figure G). Women under 50 held 24.1 percent of their portfolios in such stocks, along with another 6.1 percent in the stock of closely held companies. The personal residence was the second largest asset component for women in this age group, 18.6 percent of total assets, followed by retirement assets. For women in the 50 -under- 65 age group, the personal residence was again the second largest portfolio component, with investment real estate making up a much larger share than in the portfolios held by younger women. The 50 -under- 65 age group also devoted the largest share of their portfolios to business assets and stock in closely held corporations among the groups depicted in Figure G. For women aged 65 and older, liquid assets, including publicly traded stock, cash accounts, and other financial assets, contribute substantially more to their portfolios than to the portfolios of women in the younger age

## Figure G

Female Top Wealth Holders: Selected Assets and Debts as a Percentage of Total Assets, by Age, 2001

Percentage


| ■ Under 50 | $\square 50$ under 65 | -65 and older |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |

1 Includes all government bonds, corporate bonds, bonds issued by foreign governments and diversified mutual funds.
${ }^{2}$ Includes individual retirement accounts, annuities, and self-employed retirement or Keogh plans.
${ }^{3}$ Includes non-corporate businesses, farms, and limited partnerships.
groups. In contrast, the personal residence comprised only 11.0 percent of the portfolios held by women aged 65 or older, while retirement assets accounted for only 8.3 percent for women in this oldest age bracket.

For all top wealth holders, the debt ratio decreased steadily with age (see Figure H), declining from 15.5 percent for wealthy individuals under age 50 to 1.7 percent for their counterparts age 85 and older. In each age category, women had a lower debt ratio than men, although these differences may not be statistically significant.

## State Data

Figure I presents the States with the largest number of resident millionaires [6]. California, the U.S. State with the largest overall population [7], also had the largest number of millionaires with about 572,000. New York had the second-largest number of millionaires, 317,000 , followed by Florida and Illinois with 249,000 and 185,000, respectively.

Another way to look at the concentration of millionaires by State is to focus on the number of millionaires as a percentage of the adult population, shown in Figure J. This approach eliminates distor-

## Figure

All Top Wealth Holders: Debt and Mortgages as a Percentage of Total Assets, by Sex and Age, 2001


## Figure I

States with the Largest Number of Resident Millionaires, $2001{ }^{1}$
[Numbers are in thousands]

| State | Number of millionaires | Total adult population | Millionaires as a percentage of adult population |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) |
| California. | 572 | 25,176 | 2.3 |
| New York. | 317 | 14,452 | 2.2 |
| Florida. | 249 | 12,566 | 2.0 |
| Illinois. | 185 | 9,274 | 2.0 |
| Texas. | 182 | 15,297 | 1.2 |
| New Jersey..... | 178 | 6,398 | 2.8 |
| Pennsylvania.. | 135 | 9,418 | 1.4 |
| Ohio.. | 114 | 8,540 | 1.3 |
| Massachusetts.. | 105 | 4,921 | 2.1 |
| Virginia. | 94 | 5,426 | 1.7 |

[^47]
## Figure J

States with the Highest Concentration of Resident Millionaires, $2001{ }^{1}$

| State | Number of millionaires | Total adult population | Millionaires as a percentage of adult population |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) |
| Connecticut. | 83 | 2,594 | 3.2 |
| New Jersey.. | 178 | 6,398 | 2.8 |
| District of Columbia...... | 11 | 458 | 2.4 |
| California. | 572 | 25,176 | 2.3 |
| New York. | 317 | 14,452 | 2.2 |
| Massachusetts................. | 105 | 4,921 | 2.1 |
| Illinois............................. | 185 | 9,274 | 2.0 |
| Florida.. | 249 | 12,566 | 2.0 |
| Wyoming........................ | 7 | 370 | 1.9 |
| Delaware......................... | 11 | 605 | 1.8 |

[^48]tions caused by the widely varied populations of the States. Using this measure, Connecticut ranked first with the highest number of millionaires per capita. Two of the smallest States in the country by population, Wyoming and Delaware, as well as the District of Columbia, were in the top ten by concentration of millionaires. Six States--California, Florida, Illinois, Massachusetts, New Jersey, and New York--ranked in the top ten in both the number of resident millionaires and millionaires per capita.

## Millionaires, 1998-2001

The number of adult millionaires, defined as those with net worth of $\$ 1$ million or more in real terms, increased 17.8 percent between 1998 and 2001, while the average net worth of millionaires increased 16.1 percent [8]. Figure K shows the percentage growth in the number of millionaires by net worth class between 1998 and 2001. The number of millionaires in each wealth class increased significantly between

1998 and 2001, a period generally marked by strong economic expansion until the onset of a recession in March 2001 [9], which was in turn worsened by the economic impact of the September 11 terrorist attacks. The number of millionaires with net worth between $\$ 1$ million and $\$ 5$ million grew by 15.4 percent between 1998 and 2001, while the number of millionaires in the higher wealth classes increased more rapidly, 41.3 percent for those with net worth between $\$ 5$ million and $\$ 10$ million, and 46.4 percent for those with net worth of $\$ 10$ million or more. By comparison, the total U.S. population grew by 5.9 percent during this period.

Males made up a majority of millionaires in both years ( 54.2 percent and 54.9 percent), although, on average, they accounted for only 48.2 percent of the adult U.S. population during this period. Figure L displays changes in the age composition of male millionaires in 1998 and 2001. The percentage of male millionaires under age 50 increased markedly

## Figure K

Percentage Growth in Number of Millionaires and Total U.S. Population, 1998-2001


[^49]
## Figure $\mathbf{L}$

Percentage of Male Millionaires, by Age, 1998 and 2001

over this period, from 23.2 percent in 1998 to 29.8 percent in 2001. Conversely, the percentage of male millionaires between ages 50 and 75 declined during this period, while the percentage of male millionaires in the oldest age brackets was virtually unchanged. These patterns suggest that most of the new men who joined the millionaire population between 1998 and 2001 were under age 50.

Females accounted for 45.8 percent of the millionaire population in 1998 and 45.1 percent in 2001. Analysis of the age composition of female millionaires in 1998 and 2001 (Figure M) reveals similarities to the age composition of male millionaires. Women in the youngest age brackets, through age 65 , represented larger percentages of the overall female millionaire population in 2001 than in 1998, while the percentage of women between age 65 and 85 decreased. Between 1998 and 2001, the percentage of millionaire women who were aged 85 and older was unchanged.

## Portfolio Composition for Millionaires

Looking at the asset makeup of millionaires' portfolios in 1998 and 2001 reveals significant differences
in the portfolio allocations of men and women. Throughout this period, female millionaires held a higher percentage of their portfolios in real estate than their male counterparts, while the men devoted substantially more to retirement assets (see Figures N and O ).

Beyond these differences, however, the portfolio composition of male and female millionaires showed similar changes between 1998 and 2001. Real estate made up a higher percentage of both men's and women's portfolios in 2001 than in 1998. This is consistent with a 25.9 percent increase in housing prices from the first quarter of 1998 to the fourth quarter of 2001 [10]. Conversely, for both sexes, stock and other financial assets comprised a substantially smaller portion of the portfolio in 2001 than in 1998. From the beginning of 1998 through the end of 2001, the S\&P 500 stock index returned a more modest 18 percent, including a 13 percent decline during 2001 [11].

## Concentration Estimates

The share of U.S. wealth held by the top wealth holders has long been a topic of interest for research-

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Figure M
Percentage of Female Millionaires, by Age, 1998 and 2001


## Figure N

Male Millionaires: Selected Assets as a Percentage of Total Assets, 1998 and 2001


[^50]Figure 0
Female Millionaires: Selected Assets as a Percentage of Total Assets, 1998 and 2001


| $\square 1998$ |
| :--- | :--- |

${ }^{1}$ Includes publicly traded as well as closely held stock.
${ }^{2}$ Includes individual retirement accounts, annuities, and self-employed retirement or Keogh plans.
${ }^{3}$ Includes noncorporate businesses, farms, and limited partnerships.
ers and the general public. One way of looking at year-to-year changes in the distribution of wealth is to examine the share of total U.S. wealth held by a constant percentage of the population. Figure $P$ displays the percentages of total U.S. wealth held by the top 1.0 percent and the top 0.5 percent of the population between 1989 and 2001 [12]. In 2001, 1.0 percent of the U.S. adult population was approximately 2.1 million individuals. These individuals owned approximately 22.3 percent of total U.S. individual wealth, a 1.0 percent decrease since 1998 but virtually identical to the shares of wealth held in 1995 and 1992. A similar pattern was evident in the share of wealth held by the nearly 1.1 million individuals who made up the top 0.5 percent of the U.S. adult population in 2001. They held about 17.9 percent of the Nation's net worth in 2001, down slightly from 18.1 percent in 1998 and just above the shares held in 1995 and 1992. The slight interperiod variations shown in Figure O are well within the sampling error of these estimates. Overall, these results suggest that the share of wealth held by the
very wealthiest Americans has been nearly constant over the 12 -year period [13].

## Summary

There were more than 7.3 million individuals in the United States with gross assets of $\$ 675,000$ or more in 2001. These individuals represented about 3.5 percent of the total U.S. adult population. Top wealth holders had a combined net worth of $\$ 13.8$ trillion, or 32.7 percent of total U.S. net worth. Almost 4.0 million, or 53.7 percent, of these wealthy individuals were male, and 3.4 million were female. Although the median net worth of male and female top wealth holders was similar, men had a significantly higher average net worth, reflecting the impact of a relatively few very wealthy men at the top end of the wealth distribution.

The age, gender, and relative wealth of top wealth holders impacted the composition of their portfolios. Women's portfolios contained a greater proportion of real estate and stock in public corporations than those of men. Conversely, men's portfo-

## Figure $P$

Percentage of Total U.S. Net Worth Held by the Top 1 Percent and 0.5 Percent of the U.S. Population, 1989-2001

## Percentage


lios were made up of proportionately more closely held stock, business assets, and retirement assets. The value of the personal residence made up smaller percentages in the portfolios of older top wealth holders than in portfolios held by younger individuals in the same wealth classes. Men in each wealth and age class had a higher ratio of debts to total assets than their female counterparts.

There was a significant increase in the number of U.S. citizens with net worth of $\$ 1.0$ million or more between 1998 and 2001. While the number of millionaires in each wealth class grew more rapidly than the overall U.S. population during this period, the growth rate in the number of millionaires with net worth of less than $\$ 5$ million was slower than the rate for millionaires with net worth of $\$ 5$ million or more.

In 2001, California remained the State with the largest number of millionaires, while Connecticut was the State with the greatest per capita concentration of millionaires. Estimates of the amount of wealth held by the top 1.0 percent and 0.5 percent of the U.S. population suggest that the percentage of overall U.S. wealth held by these groups has not changed significantly between 1989 and 2001.

## Data Sources and Limitations

Statistics of Income collects data from an annual sample of Federal estate tax returns that are used primarily for policy and budget purposes. The sample follows a 3-year cycle that is designed mainly to accommodate year-of-death estimates, with each study concentrating on decedents who died in the first year, the focus year, of the 3 -year cycle. The annual samples are also adequate for producing filing-year estimates. Year-of-death estimates are desirable, because filing extensions and other filing delays mean that returns filed in any given calendar year may represent decedents who died in many different years. Thus, estate tax return data for a single filing year may reflect different economic and tax law conditions. By concentrating on a single year of death, these limitations can be overcome, making it possible to study the data in the context of a single time period.

Returns are selected using a stratified random sample with three stratifying variables. The stratifying variables are: year of death (focus year versus nonfocus years), total gross estate plus certain adjusted taxable gifts made during a decedent's lifetime,
and age at death. The gross estate plus gifts variable is divided into five categories: $\$ 675,000$ under $\$ 1$ million, $\$ 1$ million under $\$ 2.5$ million, $\$ 2.5$ million under $\$ 5$ million, $\$ 5$ million under $\$ 10$ million, and $\$ 10$ million or more. Age at death is also divided into five categories: under 40,40 under 50,50 under 65, 65 under 75 , and 75 and older. Sample rates vary from 3 percent to 100 percent, with over half the strata selected with certainty, i.e., at the 100 -percent rate.

SOI has combined Federal estate tax returns filed in 2001, 2002, and 2003 to produce the estimates of wealth for 2001 presented here. One of the strengths of estimates derived from SOI samples of estate tax returns is the large sample on which the estimates are based. The 2001 sample includes more than 25,800 returns [14].

While the sample size and richness of available data make the estimation techniques used in this study attractive, there are limitations to be noted. First, and most important, estate tax returns provide a presumably random sample, stratified by age, not of the total population, but of living persons with gross assets at or above the estate tax filing threshold. Sample rates are approximated by appropriate mortality rates; however, determining appropriate mortality rates for use in calculating sample weights is by no means a straightforward exercise. The Appendix to this article discusses the estate multiplier technique and recent innovations in calculating sample weights for SOI's personal wealth estimates.

Second, while estate tax returns are generally prepared by professionals and are, therefore, likely to be more accurate in detail than survey responses, the values reported are used to compute tax liability so that there is a natural tendency for the values to be somewhat conservative. This is especially true for hard-to-value assets, such as businesses and certain types of real estate. It should also be noted that the estate tax data used for these estimates are preaudit figures. A Statistics of Income (SOI) study, based on the results of IRS audits of estate tax returns filed in 1992, estimated that detected undervaluation of assets was about 1.2 percent of total asset holdings [15]. In addition, it is common to claim substantial discounts when valuing ownership interests of less than 50 percent in small companies, partnerships, and other, nonliquid assets. Increasingly, estate planning techniques are used to fracture ownership interests in
a variety of business and financial assets to take advantage of these discounts.

Third, while estate tax returns report assets that are owned outright, total wealth might ideally include wealth to which a person has an income interest but not necessarily actual title. Examples of the latter include defined-benefit pension plans and Social Security benefits.

Finally, the wealth of some individuals near death may differ somewhat from that of the general population in the same age cohort. For some, portfolios may have been altered or simplified to ensure the uninterrupted continuation of an ongoing business or to simplify the task of executing the estate. For others, wealth will have been reduced through expenses related to a final illness. In many cases, effective estate planning may also have reduced the value of the estate reportable for tax purposes.

## Appendix: The Estare Multiplier Technique

The estate multiplier technique assumes that estate tax returns, taken as a whole, represent a random sample of the living wealthy population and thus provide a means of producing reasonable estimates of personal wealth [16]. Estimates of the wealth holdings of the living population are derived by applying a multiplier, based on appropriate mortality rates, to this sample. The multiplier is equivalent to a sampling weight where the probabilities of selection include the probability of being a decedent and also that of being included in the Statistics of Income sample of estate tax returns. Mathematically, this is represented as:

MULT $=1 /(\mathrm{p} \cdot \mathrm{r})$ where
$\mathrm{p}=$ probability of selection to the estate tax sample, and
$r=$ mortality rate appropriate to wealthy individuals.
Some smoothing of the multipliers was employed to constrain both tails of the net worth distribution.

The more difficult computation is determining the probability of being a decedent. Mortality rates for the general population, by age and sex, are available from the National Center for Health Statistics. However, there is much evidence that the wealthy have mortality rates significantly lower than those of the entire population. Research has demonstrated that "individuals who are economically or socially better

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off also live longer, on average, and are healthier" [17]. Factors such as access to better health services, better diet and nutrition, and fewer workrelated risks seem to contribute to this phenomenon. If mortality and wealth are inversely related, then mortality rates unadjusted for wealth level will be too low and, thus, undervalue wealth. Therefore, it is important to determine a mortality rate appropriate to the wealthy decedents in the estate tax return sample.

There have been a considerable number of attempts to quantify differences between the mortality of the general population and that of the very wealthy, looking at factors such as education, income, and occupation. In years past, SOI calculated mortality rates for its Personal Weath estimates by adjusting mortality rates for the entire population using mortality differentials derived using the National Longitudinal Mortality Study (NLMS) sponsored by the National Institutes of Health. However, the most recent publicly available microdata from the NLMS are from 1995. In order to incorporate mortality information that was more contemporary with the SOI data, the 2001 estate multipliers were calculated using mortality rates for holders of large dollar value annuity policies obtained from the Society of Actuaries (SOA). This data source has several advantages beyond being more recently updated. First, annual annuitant mortality rates are available. Second, use of this source is consistent with other recent academic research within and outside the IRS.

For consistency, estimates for 1998 used in this article were recalculated using the annuitant mortality rates. Therefore, they differ somewhat from 1998 estimates previously published by SOI. The most significant difference between the two weighting methodologies is that, relative to employing the annuitant mortality data, using the NLMS data tended to slightly underestimate the proportion of wealthy women in the top wealth holder population.

## Nołes and References

[1] Estimates of the equity value of life insurance included in total assets were approximated, based on the face value reported on Federal estate tax returns and on the decedent's age. A ratio of the equity value to the face value was developed, using data from wealthy respondents to the 1989, 1992, and 1995 Surveys of Consumer Finances. A simple regression was used
to estimate the ratio of the equity value to the face value as a function of age in the SCF and then applied to the Statistics of Income data.

In addition, the Internal Revenue Code (IRC) section 2032 allows executors to value property as of the date 6 months after a decedent's death (or on the date property is distributed, sold, exchanged, or otherwise disposed of, within 6 months of death) in cases where the value of the gross estate decreased. Values presented in this article are as reported for the decedent's date of death.

Finally, under IRC section 2032A, executors are allowed to value certain qualified real property used in a farm or other business based on its business (qualified) use rather than at a higher fair market value under certain circumstances. For this article, fair market values are substituted for the qualified values used to determine estate tax liability.
[2] Population estimates were obtained from the Statistical Abstract of the United States, U.S. Bureau of the Census, Washington, DC, various years, Table entitled "Resident Population by Sex and Age."
[3] Estimate of the total net worth of the United States is taken from household estimates derived from the Board of Governers of the Federal Reserve System's Survey of Consumer Finances (SCF), found in Kennickell, Arthur B. (2001), "A Rolling Tide: Changes in the Distribution of Wealth in the U.S., 1989-2001," Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System working paper, p. 21.
[4] Retirement assets considered part of portfolio wealth in these estimates include contribution type plans such as Individual Retirement Arrangements (IRAs), 401 K , and Keogh accounts, as well as annuities.
[5] A closely held company is a corporation whose stock is not publicly traded, usually a familyowned enterprise.
[6] While the size of the underlying sample of estate tax returns makes estimates of wealth derived using the estate multiplier technique fairly robust,
estimates of wealth by State can be subject to significant year-to-year fluctuations. This is especially true for individuals at the extreme tail of the net worth distribution and for States with relatively small decedent populations.
[7] Statistics on U.S. population, by State, for 2001 were obtained from the U.S. Bureau of the Census, "Population by State," published online at: http://www.census.gov/popest/states.
[8] Estimates for 1998 have been converted to constant 2001 dollars for consistency, using the GDP chain-type price index. See the Federal Reserve Economic Data Web site at: http://research.stlouisfed.org/fred2.
[9] Data on business cycle expansions and contractions were obtained from the National Bureau of Economic Research (NBER). See http:// www.nber.org/cycles/cyclesmain.html.
[10] Change in housing prices was calculated using the Office of Federal Housing Enterprise Oversight (OFHEO) House Price Index. See http://www.ofheo.gov.
[11] Data on returns of the S\&P 500 index were obtained from the Standard \& Poor Web site. See http://www2.standardandpoors.com.
[12] See Footnote 2.
[13] These results are consistent with those derived from the Federal Reserve Board's Survey of Consumer Finances. See Kennickell (2001).
[14] Although the overall sample of estate tax returns is large, the number of decedents who were young (less than 40) or extremely wealthy (gross assets of $\$ 5$ million or more) in any given year varies considerably and is small in comparison to their number in the living population. Because of this, the resulting estimates of wealth for these two categories of living individuals would be subject to significant fluctuations from period to period. To reduce this variance, the sample is "smoothed" by including all returns for young or wealthy decedents filed during the 3-year sample period without regard to their years of death. These segments of the sample are then poststratified and reweighted to represent the true decedent population for the year of interest. This technique reduces the effect of outliers on estimates of personal wealth.
[15] Eller, Martha Britton (2001), "Audit Revaluation of Federal Estate Tax Returns," Internal Revenue Service Statistics of Income Bulletin, Winter 2000-2001, Washington, DC.
[16] See Atkinson, A.B. and Harrison, A.J. (1978), Distribution of Personal Wealth in Britain, for a thorough discussion of the estate multiplier technique.
[17] See Menchik, Paul (1991), "Economic Status as a Determinant of Mortality Among Nonwhite and White Older Males: or, Does Poverty Kill?" Institute for Research on Poverty, Discussion Paper Number 93891.

Table 1.--Personal Wealth, 2001: Top Wealth Holders with Gross Assets of $\$ 675,000$ or More, Type of Property by Size of Net Worth

| Size of net worth | Total assets |  | Debts and mortgages |  | Net worth |  | Personal residence |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) |
| Total.. | 7,357 | 15,181,904 | 5,683 | 1,348,314 | 7,357 | 13,833,590 | 5,486 | 1,790,585 |
| Size of net worth: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Negative net worth ${ }^{1} . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .$. | 32 | 34,901 | 32 | 59,218 | 32 | -24,318 | 20 | 6,897 |
| \$1 under \$600,000. | 1,509 | 980,726 | 1,343 | 299,959 | 1,509 | 680,767 | 1,182 | 282,507 |
| \$600,000 under \$1,000,000.... | 2,307 | 2,080,347 | 1,657 | 178,962 | 2,307 | 1,901,385 | 1,654 | 411,849 |
| \$1,000,000 under \$2,500,000... | 2,569 | 4,127,949 | 1,896 | 290,366 | 2,569 | 3,837,583 | 1,904 | 585,453 |
| \$2,500,000 under \$5,000,000.. | 574 | 2,106,827 | 451 | 145,890 | 574 | 1,960,937 | 438 | 211,564 |
| \$5,000,000 under \$10,000,000. | 243 | 1,771,700 | 196 | 104,753 | 243 | 1,666,947 | 187 | 143,179 |
| \$10,000,000 under \$20,000,000.. | 77 | 1,128,101 | 66 | 74,128 | 77 | 1,053,973 | 62 | 74,680 |
| \$20,000,000 or more.... | 46 | 2,951,352 | 42 | 195,037 | 46 | 2,756,315 | 39 | 74,457 |
| Size of net worth | Other real estate |  | Closely held stock |  | Publicly traded stock |  | State and local government bonds |  |
|  | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount |
|  | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) |
| Total... | 3,453 | 1,483,808 | 1,179 | 1,228,657 | 5,475 | 3,492,512 | 2,073 | 877,867 |
| Size of net worth: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Negative net worth ${ }^{1} .$. | 15 | 4,116 | 8 | 2,209 | 16 | 8,058 | 1 | 155 |
| \$1 under \$600,000... | 621 | 140,049 | 182 | 29,826 | 900 | 68,119 | 99 | 4,623 |
| \$600,000 under \$1,000,000.. | 970 | 221,197 | 217 | 49,671 | 1,700 | 333,887 | 586 | 65,654 |
| \$1,000,000 under \$2,500,000... | 1,267 | 451,974 | 448 | 203,715 | 2,042 | 814,725 | 925 | 191,683 |
| \$2,500,000 under \$5,000,000.. | 339 | 259,276 | 166 | 165,506 | 486 | 487,587 | 257 | 133,125 |
| \$5,000,000 under \$10,000,000.... | 150 | 175,206 | 93 | 173,792 | 216 | 450,143 | 133 | 165,256 |
| \$10,000,000 under \$20,000,000.. | 56 | 96,322 | 39 | 154,327 | 71 | 300,377 | 46 | 99,247 |
| \$20,000,000 or more... | 34 | 135,669 | 27 | 449,612 | 43 | 1,029,616 | 27 | 218,124 |
| Size of net worth | Federal savings bonds |  | Other Federal bonds |  | Corporate and foreign bonds |  | Bond funds |  |
|  | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount |
|  | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) |
| Total............................................. | 867 | 34,918 | 1,068 | 237,996 | 1,155 | 123,750 | 377 | 28,251 |
| Size of net worth: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Negative net worth ${ }^{1}$. | 2 | 1 | -- | -- | 2 | 515 | -- | -- |
| \$1 under \$600,000.... | 189 | 1,425 | 65 | 2,992 | 91 | 2,944 | 32 | 714 |
| \$600,000 under \$1,000,000... | 312 | 11,985 | 349 | 28,393 | 386 | 20,311 | 138 | 6,589 |
| \$1,000,000 under \$2,500,000.. | 287 | 17,810 | 466 | 60,430 | 469 | 40,260 | 153 | 11,924 |
| \$2,500,000 under \$5,000,000.. | 53 | 2,566 | 109 | 28,846 | 120 | 20,599 | 35 | 3,782 |
| \$5,000,000 under \$10,000,000... | 17 | 663 | 49 | 21,077 | 50 | 11,775 | 12 | 2,358 |
| \$10,000,000 under \$20,000,000..... | 5 | 214 | 16 | 18,637 | 21 | 7,609 | 4 | 844 |
| \$20,000,000 or more.. | 2 | 254 | 14 | 77,621 | 15 | 19,737 | 3 | 2,041 |

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Table 1.--Personal Wealth, 2001: Top Wealth Holders with Gross Assets of $\$ 675,000$ or More, Type of Property by Size of Net Worth--Continued

| Size of net worth | Diversified mutual funds ${ }^{2}$ |  | Cash |  | Cash management accounts |  | Mortgages and notes |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount |
|  | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| Total................................................ | 1,616 | 141,541 | 6,936 | 836,805 | 4,656 | 583,257 | 1,455 | 379,574 |
| Size of net worth: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Negative net worth ${ }^{1} . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . ~$ | 3 | 12 | 24 | 1,698 | 10 | 844 | 4 | 783 |
| \$1 under \$600,000... | 236 | 7,597 | 1,426 | 52,750 | 684 | 19,482 | 201 | 18,876 |
| \$600,000 under \$1,000,000... | 544 | 25,201 | 2,172 | 185,816 | 1,457 | 87,089 | 384 | 47,220 |
| \$1,000,000 under \$2,500,000.... | 586 | 38,836 | 2,418 | 278,841 | 1,772 | 170,679 | 558 | 106,889 |
| \$2,500,000 under \$5,000,000... | 144 | 22,725 | 548 | 108,247 | 432 | 86,697 | 169 | 52,727 |
| \$5,000,000 under \$10,000,000........ | 66 | 8,833 | 229 | 67,677 | 194 | 79,643 | 80 | 60,807 |
| \$10,000,000 under \$20,000,000...... | 23 | 5,366 | 74 | 46,625 | 66 | 49,364 | 35 | 31,962 |
| \$20,000,000 or more... | 15 | 32,973 | 45 | 95,150 | 40 | 89,459 | 25 | 60,310 |
| Size of net worth | Cash value life insurance |  | Noncorporate business assets |  | Farm assets |  | Limited partnerships |  |
|  | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount |
|  | (33) | (34) | (35) | (36) | (37) | (38) | (39) | (40) |
| Total................................................ | 4,936 | 257,998 | 1,052 | 646,274 | 726 | 356,921 | 747 | 408,577 |
| Size of net worth: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Negative net worth ${ }^{1} . . . \ldots \ldots . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . ~$ | 30 | 3,086 | 6 | 1,837 | 4 | 1,964 | 1 | 7 |
| \$1 under \$600,000... | 1,354 | 76,095 | 189 | 20,768 | 86 | 25,522 | 56 | 2,428 |
| \$600,000 under \$1,000,000............ | 1,472 | 53,199 | 205 | 33,456 | 211 | 65,491 | 148 | 10,696 |
| \$1,000,000 under \$2,500,000 ......... | 1,547 | 76,310 | 368 | 99,258 | 304 | 128,713 | 300 | 43,421 |
| \$2,500,000 under \$5,000,000 $\ldots \ldots \ldots .$. | 324 | 24,754 | 135 | 84,715 | 69 | 45,387 | 117 | 38,668 |
| \$5,000,000 under \$10,000,000 $\ldots \ldots .$. | 139 | 14,170 | 86 | 84,869 | 33 | 34,624 | 66 | 55,530 |
| \$10,000,000 under \$20,000,000 ...... | 42 | 4,925 | 34 | 87,094 | 10 | 15,628 | 32 | 40,503 |
| \$20,000,000 or more..................... | 27 | 5,459 | 28 | 234,278 | 9 | 39,592 | 26 | 217,325 |
| Size of net worth |  |  | Retirement assets ${ }^{3}$ |  | Art |  | Other assets |  |
|  |  |  | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount |
|  |  |  | (41) | (42) | (43) | (44) | (45) | (46) |
| Total.. |  |  | 5,541 | 1,802,138 | 235 | 60,915 | 6,549 | 409,565 |
| Size of net worth: |  |  | 13 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Negative net worth ${ }^{1}$. |  |  |  | 931 | 1 | 32 | 26 | 1,754 |
| \$1 under \$600,000.... |  |  | 1,204 | 184,939 | 25 | 329 | 1,366 | 38,743 |
| \$600,000 under \$1,000,000.. |  |  | $1,729$ | 358,632 | 35 | 886 | 2,002 | 63,127 |
| \$1,000,000 under \$2,500,000.. |  |  | $1,915$ | 697,096 | 81 | 3,483 | 2,288 | 106,453 |
| \$2,500,000 under \$5,000,000... |  |  | 414 | 273,472 | 39 | 7,176 | 524 | 49,412 |
| \$5,000,000 under \$10,000,000.. |  |  | 178 | 160,929 | 24 | 3,553 | 225 | 57,617 |
| \$10,000,000 under \$20,000,000. |  |  | $55$ | 66,207 | 15 | 4,772 | 74 | 23,400 |
| \$20,000,000 or more.................................................................. |  |  | 33 | 59,934 | 15 | 40,683 | 45 | 69,059 |

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## Personal Wealth, 2001

Table 2.--Personal Wealth, 2001: Male Top Wealth Holders with Gross Assets of $\$ 675,000$ or More, Type of Property by Size of Net Worth


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Table 2.--Personal Wealth, 2001: Male Top Wealth Holders with Gross Assets of $\$ 675,000$ or More, Type of Property by Size of Net Worth--Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples--numbers are in thousands, money amounts are in millions of dollars]


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## Personal Wealth, 2001

Table 3.--Personal Wealth, 2001: Female Top Wealth Holders with Gross Assets of $\mathbf{\$ 6 7 5 , 0 0 0}$ or More, Type of Property by Size of Net Worth
[All figures are estimates based on samples--numbers are in thousands, money amounts are in millions of dollars]

| Size of net worth | Total assets |  | Debts and mortgages |  | Net worth |  | Personal residence |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount |
| Total. | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) |
|  | 3,404 | 6,291,628 | 2,633 | 457,576 | 3,404 | 5,834,052 | 2,592 | 902,607 |
| Size of net worth: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Negative net worth ${ }^{1}$.. | 6 | 2,628 | 6 | 3,100 | 6 | -472 | 3 | 990 |
| \$1 under \$600,000... | 589 | 418,664 | 528 | 121,464 | 589 | 297,201 | 467 | 124,168 |
| \$600,000 under \$1,000,000... | 1,224 | 1,095,997 | 899 | 85,182 | 1,224 | 1,010,815 | 908 | 249,669 |
| \$1,000,000 under \$2,500,000... | 1,206 | 1,884,705 | 903 | 100,554 | 1,206 | 1,784,151 | 916 | 300,477 |
| \$2,500,000 under \$5,000,000... | 240 | 884,789 | 183 | 53,123 | 240 | 831,666 | 186 | 100,617 |
| \$5,000,000 under \$10,000,000. | 88 | 623,239 | 71 | 20,441 | 88 | 602,798 | 69 | 59,333 |
| \$10,000,000 under \$20,000,000.. | 35 | 503,862 | 30 | 30,363 | 35 | 473,498 | 30 | 44,464 |
| \$20,000,000 or more.. | 15 | 877,743 | 14 | 43,349 | 15 | 834,395 | 13 | 22,889 |
| Size of net worth | Other real estate |  | Closely held stock |  | Publicly traded stock |  | State and local governmen bonds |  |
|  | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount |
| Total........................................... | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) |
|  | 1,558 | 635,060 | 357 | 345,078 | 2,653 | 1,546,183 | 1,127 | 426,579 |
| Size of net worth: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Negative net worth ${ }^{1}$.. | 5 | 716 | -- | -- | 2 | 32 | -- | -- |
| \$1 under \$600,000.... | 276 | 65,337 | 43 | 5,951 | 384 | 29,311 | 50 | 2,289 |
| \$600,000 under \$1,000,000..... | 469 | 107,069 | 74 | 14,409 | 940 | 192,577 | 343 | 40,490 |
| \$1,000,000 under \$2,500,000... | 584 | 204,374 | 143 | 58,332 | 996 | 429,079 | 520 | 111,518 |
| \$2,500,000 under \$5,000,000.. | 137 | 115,773 | 52 | 43,712 | 205 | 234,149 | 122 | 74,063 |
| \$5,000,000 under \$10,000,000. | 50 | 59,941 | 22 | 23,402 | 80 | 180,999 | 59 | 77,769 |
| \$10,000,000 under \$20,000,000.. | 25 | 45,513 | 16 | 76,342 | 32 | 141,324 | 23 | 47,218 |
| \$20,000,000 or more... | 12 | 36,338 | 8 | 122,931 | 14 | 338,713 | 10 | 73,231 |
| Size of net worth | Federal savings bonds |  | Other Federal bonds |  | Corporate and foreign bonds |  | Bond funds |  |
|  | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount |
| Total | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) |
|  | 396 | 20,691 | 593 | 102,764 | 624 | 62,088 | 203 | 15,711 |
| Size of net worth: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Negative net worth ${ }^{1}$.. | 1 | 1 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| \$1 under \$600,000... | 54 | 772 | 34 | 2,493 | 44 | 1,381 | 13 | 444 |
| \$600,000 under \$1,000,000.... | 173 | 7,198 | 197 | 16,371 | 247 | 14,399 | 82 | 4,348 |
| \$1,000,000 under \$2,500,000. | 135 | 11,459 | 278 | 35,394 | 242 | 22,591 | 84 | 6,977 |
| \$2,500,000 under \$5,000,000.. | 22 | 825 | 50 | 14,028 | 56 | 12,482 | 17 | 1,768 |
| \$5,000,000 under \$10,000,000 $\ldots$ | 8 | 303 | 21 | 8,524 | 19 | 5,449 | 4 | 481 |
| \$10,000,000 under \$20,000,000.. | 2 | 85 | 8 | 7,180 | 11 | 3,336 | 2 | 525 |
| \$20,000,000 or more... | 1 | 47 | 5 | 18,773 | 5 | 2,449 | 1 | 1,167 |

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## Personal Wealth, 2001

Table 3.--Personal Wealth, 2001: Female Top Wealth Holders with Gross Assets of $\$ 675,000$ or More, Type of Property by Size of Net Worth--Continued


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Table 4.--Personal Wealth 2001: Male Top Wealth Holders with Gross Assets of $\mathbf{\$ 6 7 5 , 0 0 0}$ or More, Type of Property, by Age

| Age | Total assets |  | Debts and mortgages |  | Net worth |  | Personal residence |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) |
| Total... | 3,953 | 8,890,276 | 3,050 | 890,738 | 3,954 | 7,999,538 | 2,893 | 887,979 |
| Age |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Under 50.... | 1,534 | 3,148,044 | 1,351 | 503,431 | 1,534 | 2,644,612 | 1,116 | 372,880 |
| 50 under 65... | 1,183 | 2,760,038 | 921 | 262,419 | 1,183 | 2,497,619 | 933 | 270,514 |
| 65 under 75. | 643 | 1,573,360 | 406 | 86,704 | 643 | 1,486,656 | 460 | 132,473 |
| 75 under 85.. | 438 | 997,017 | 268 | 30,496 | 438 | 966,522 | 300 | 86,412 |
| 85 and older.. | 155 | 411,817 | 103 | 7,688 | 155 | 404,129 | 84 | 25,700 |
| Age | Investment real estate |  | Closely held stock |  | Other stocks |  | State and local bonds |  |
|  | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount |
|  | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) |
| Total........................................... | 1,895 | 848,748 | 822 | 883,579 | 2,822 | 1,946,329 | 947 | 451,288 |
| Age |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Under 50.... | 619 | 259,990 | 356 | 337,051 | 1,040866 | $\begin{aligned} & 680,832 \\ & 493,987 \end{aligned}$ | 208 | $146,040$$105,095$ |
| 50 under 65... | 656 | 307,553 | 281124 | 326,319 |  |  | 248 |  |
| 65 under 75... | $\begin{aligned} & 369 \\ & 193 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 174,543 \\ 83,033 \end{array}$ |  | 135,458 | 866 | $\begin{aligned} & 493,987 \\ & 323,478 \end{aligned}$ | 197 70,267 |  |
| 75 under 85... |  |  | 4912 | $\begin{array}{r} 70,736 \\ 14,015 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | 456 336 | $265,432$ | 204 | $\begin{aligned} & 82,826 \\ & 47,060 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| 85 and older. | 58 | 23,628 |  |  |  | 182,600 | 90 |  |
| Age | Federal savings bonds |  | Other Federal bonds |  | Corporate and foreign bonds |  | Bond funds |  |
|  | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount |
| Total........................................... | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) |
|  | 471 | 14,227 | 475 | 135,232 | 531 | 61,662 | 174 | 12,541 |
| Age |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Under 50..... | 156148 | 1,299 | 121 | 47,445 | 124 | 16,566 |  | 50 | 5,299 |
| 50 under 65... |  | $\begin{aligned} & 3,271 \\ & 3,855 \\ & 4,001 \\ & 1,803 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 123 \\ 93 \\ 100 \\ 38 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32,854 \\ & 17,730 \\ & 26,946 \\ & 10,257 \end{aligned}$ | $143$ | 17,769 | 48 | 2,795 |
| 65 under 75.... | $\begin{array}{r} 148 \\ 81 \\ 64 \\ 22 \\ \hline \end{array}$ |  |  |  | $119$ | 12,282 | 31 | 1,638 |
| 75 under 85.... |  |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 103 \\ 42 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | 10,602 | 32 | 1,854 |
| 85 and older.. |  |  |  |  |  | $4,443$ | 13 \| 954 |  |

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Table 4.--Personal Wealth 2001: Male Top Wealth Holders with Gross Assets of $\mathbf{\$ 6 7 5 , 0 0 0}$ or More, Type of Property, by Age--Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples--numbers are in thousands, money amounts are in millions of dollars]

| Age | Diversified mutual funds ${ }^{1}$ |  | Cash |  | Cash management accounts |  | Mortgages and notes |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount |
|  | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
| Total $\qquad$ <br> Age <br> Under 50 $\qquad$ <br> 50 under 65 . $\qquad$ <br> 65 under 75 $\qquad$ <br> 75 under 85 . $\qquad$ <br> 85 and older. $\qquad$ | 796 | 78,572 | 3,744 | 485,476 | 2,337 | 320,619 | 842 | 215,185 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 263 | 20,882 | 1,442 | 207,603 | 810 | 126,357 | 293 | 76,270 |
|  | 254 | 37,469 | 1,122 | 112,242 | 729 | 90,132 | 249 | 61,180 |
|  | 136 | 9,981 | 611 | 71,585 | 392 | 50,910 | 170 | 47,084 |
|  | 104 | 6,991 | 421 | 64,523 | 302 | 37,990 | 102 | 24,707 |
|  | 39 | 3,249 | 148 | 29,523 | 104 | 15,231 | 28 | 5,944 |
| Age | Cash value life insurance |  | Noncorporate business assets |  | Farm assets |  | Limited partnerships |  |
|  | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount |
|  | (33) | (34) | (35) | (36) | (37) | (38) | (39) | (40) |
| Total <br> Age <br> Under 50. $\qquad$ <br> 50 under 65 . $\qquad$ <br> 65 under 75 $\qquad$ <br> 75 under 85 . $\qquad$ <br> 85 and older. $\qquad$ | 3,072 | 198,673 | 698 | 440,794 | 442 | 238,942 | 418 | 281,092 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $\begin{array}{r} 1,231 \\ 967 \\ 476 \\ 305 \\ 92 \\ \hline \end{array}$ |  | 323 | 187,323 | 117 | 78,402 | 137 | 114,664 |
|  |  |  | 207 | 125,140 | 149 | 73,041 | 126 | 74,810 |
|  |  |  | 105 | 76,004 | 89 | 45,112 | 82 | 64,909 |
|  |  |  | 50 | 42,406 | 66 | 33,309 | 58 | 21,399 |
|  |  |  | 14 |  | 21 | 9,077 | 15 | 5,311 |
| Age |  |  | Retirement assets ${ }^{2}$ |  | Art |  | Other assets |  |
|  |  |  | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount |
|  |  |  | (41) | (42) | (43) | (44) | (45) | (46) |
| Total. |  |  | 3,091 | 1,147,780 | 110 | 21,083 | 3,516 | 220,478 |
| Age |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Under 50. |  |  | 1,182 | 282,475 | 35 | 5,371 | 1,342 | 100,588 |
| 50 under 65.. |  |  | 1,003 | 477,608 | 41 | 6,026 | 1,072 | 62,731 |
| 65 under $75 .$. |  |  | 540 | 272,678 | 18 | 4,844 | 586 | 34,433 |
| 75 under 85.. |  |  | 307 | 102,456 | 11 | 3,389 | 389 | 16,697 |
| 85 and older.. |  |  | 60 | 12,563 | 4 | 1,454 | 127 | 6,030 |

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Table 5.--Personal Wealth 2001: Female Top Wealth Holders with Gross Assets of $\$ 675,000$ or More, Type of Property, by Age
[All figures are estimates based on samples--numbers are in thousands, money amounts are in millions of dollars]

| Age | Total assets |  | Debts and mortgages |  | Net worth |  | Personal residence |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) |
| Total... | 3,404 | 6,291,628 | 2,633 | 457,576 | 3,404 | 5,834,052 | 2,592 | 902,607 |
| Age |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Under 50...... | 1,034 | 1,729,592 | 871 | 251,843 | 1,034 | 1,477,749 | 785 | 321,778 |
| 50 under 65... | 1,028 | 2,086,151 | 818 | 138,603 | 1,028 | 1,947,548 | 866 | 308,483 |
| 65 under 75.. | 609 | 1,138,054 | 422 | 38,573 | 609 | 1,099,480 | 502 | 146,184 |
| 75 under 85.. | 502 | 899,508 | 342 | 21,871 | 502 | 877,638 | 331 | 93,923 |
| 85 and older. | 230 | 438,323 | 180 | 6,686 | 230 | 431,637 | 109 | 32,239 |
| Age | Investment real estate |  | Closely held stock |  | Other stocks |  | State and local bonds |  |
|  | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount |
| Total................................... | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) |
|  | 1,558 | 635,060 | 357 | 345,078 | 2,653 | 1,546,183 | 1,127 | 426,579 |
| Age |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Under 50... | 387 | 144,581 | 120 | 105,878 | 794 | 417,211 | 169 | 62,295 |
| 50 under 65.. | 593 | 263,592 | 140 | 174,361 | 777 | 413,818 | 302 | 115,225 |
| 65 under 75... | 292 | 122,435 | 52 | 34,839 | 499 | 281,582 | 272 | 93,372 |
| 75 under 85.. | 215 | 80,383 | 36 | 21,8128,188 | 398 | $\begin{aligned} & 270,512 \\ & 163,060 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | 264 | 100,347 |
| 85 and older.. | 71 | 24,070 | 10 |  | 184 |  | 120 | 55,340 |
| Age | Federal savings bonds |  | Other Federal bonds |  | Corporate and foreign bonds |  | Bond funds |  |
|  | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount |
| Total... | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) |
|  | 396 | 20,691 | 593 | 102,764 | 624 | 62,088 | 203 | 15,711 |
| Age |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Under 50. | 70 | 1,048 | 113 | 20,439 | 111 | 17,318 | 48 | 3,925 |
| 50 under 65.... | 103 | 1,587 | 151 | 18,693 | 184 | 14,916 | 53 | 4,313 |
| 65 under 75... | 96 | 6,929 | 139 | 27,672 | 129 | 9,392 | 47 | 3,512 |
| 75 under 85... | 9235 | 8,5102,617 | 12367 | $\begin{aligned} & 19,871 \\ & 16,089 \end{aligned}$ | $138$ | $6,512$ | $36$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,141 \\ & 1,819 \end{aligned}$ |
| 85 and older...... |  |  |  |  | 61 |  | 19 |  |

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Table 5.--Personal Wealth 2001: Female Top Wealth Holders with Gross Assets of $\$ 675,000$ or More, Type of Property, by Age--Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples--numbers are in thousands, money amounts are in millions of dollars]

| Age | Diversified mutual funds ${ }^{1}$ |  | Cash |  | Cash management accounts |  | Mortgages and notes |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount |
|  | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | (30) | (31) | (32) |
|  | 820 | 62,969 | 3,193 | 351,329 | 2,320 | 262,638 | 613 | 164,389 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 247 | 20,774 | 924 | 62,278 | 702 | 74,399 | 183 | 74,508 |
|  | 266 | 22,059 | 975 | 87,616 | 683 | 74,873 | 176 | 43,009 |
|  | 138 | 8,442 | 582 | 73,594 | 423 | 51,562 | 126 | 24,368 |
|  | 117 | 7,570 | 490 | 80,063 | 351 | 40,308 | 95 | 16,899 |
|  | 52 | 4,125 | 223 | 47,778 | 160 | 21,496 | 34 | 5,604 |
| Age | Cash value life insurance |  | Noncorporate business assets |  | Farm assets |  | Limited partnerships |  |
|  | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount |
|  | (33) | (34) | (35) | (36) | (37) | (38) | (39) | (40) |
| Total <br> Age <br> Under 50. <br> 50 under 65. $\qquad$ <br> 65 under 75 . <br> 75 under 85 . <br> 85 and older. | 1,864 | 59,325 | 353 | 205,480 | 284 | 117,979 | 329 | 127,485 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 706 | 29,041 | 117 | 60,484 | 38 | 14,292 | 81 | 24,525 |
|  | 616 | 18,779 | 131 | 78,550 | 105 | 39,706 | 104 | 67,566 |
|  | 256 | 5,819 | 51 | 30,465 | 61 | 26,866 | 78 | 16,816 |
|  | 212 | 4,117 | 42 | 27,886 | 50 | 23,625 | 49 | 12,163 |
|  | 74 | 1,569 | 13 | 8,096 | 29 | 13,491 | 17 | 6,415 |
| Age |  |  | Retirement assets ${ }^{2}$ |  | Art |  | Other assets |  |
|  |  |  | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount |
|  |  |  | (41) | (42) | (43) | (44) | (45) | (46) |
| Total.. |  |  | 2,450 | 654,358 | 125 | 39,832 | 3,033 | 189,086 |
| Age |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Under 50. |  |  | 794 | 203,821 | 35 | 3,215 | 918 | 67,783 |
| 50 under 65. |  |  | 842 | 244,670 | 49 | 28,448 | 935 | 65,887 |
| 65 under $75 .$. |  |  | 467 | 141,726 | 21 | 4,267 | 567 | 28,215 |
| 75 under $85 .$. |  |  | 283 | 54,093 | 14 | 2,082 | 433 | 19,252 |
| 85 and older. |  |  | 64 | 10,048 | 7 | 1,819 | 182 | 7,948 |

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Table 6.--2001 Top Wealth Holders with Net Worth of \$1 Million or More, Net Worth and Selected Assets, by State of Residence ${ }^{1}$
[All figures are estimates based on samples--numbers are in thousands, money amounts are in millions of dollars]

|  | Net worth |  | Financial assets ${ }^{2}$ |  | All real estate |  | All other assets |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount | Number | Amount |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) |
| Total......................................... | 3,510 | 11,275,755 | 3,506 | 9,611,914 | 3,085 | 2,207,780 | 3,241 | 1,557,880 |
| State of residence: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Alabama............................... | 35 | 88,579 | 35 | 80,870 | 30 | 16,131 | 34 | 8,480 |
| Alaska.. | 6 | 15,689 | 6 | 13,369 | 5 | 3,103 | 6 | 1,895 |
| Arizona.. | 45 | 152,533 | 45 | 127,553 | 40 | 27,363 | 45 | 22,883 |
| Arkansas. | 22 | 58,856 | 22 | 44,568 | 20 | 14,029 | 21 | 11,340 |
| California.. | 572 | 1,940,734 | 571 | 1,496,938 | 522 | 608,229 | 543 | 266,870 |
| Colorado. | 59 | 267,715 | 59 | 259,455 | 48 | 37,457 | 56 | 29,816 |
| Connecticut. | 83 | 322,668 | 83 | 246,932 | 77 | 71,085 | 78 | 31,940 |
| Delaware.. | 11 | 30,846 | 11 | 23,561 | 11 | 6,690 | 11 | 3,430 |
| District of Columbia................... | 11 | 38,063 | 11 | 29,525 | 10 | 8,773 | 11 | 3,481 |
| Florida.. | 249 | 837,498 | 249 | 729,526 | 227 | 158,231 | 234 | 91,980 |
| Georgia. | 86 | 220,277 | 86 | 184,022 | 80 | 44,333 | 82 | 32,511 |
| Hawaii. | 13 | 29,387 | 13 | 16,124 | 12 | 15,928 | 11 | 1,677 |
| Idaho. | 13 | 34,559 | 13 | 30,517 | 13 | 8,507 | 13 | 3,926 |
| Illinois.. | 185 | 522,196 | 185 | 462,905 | 153 | 88,951 | 165 | 59,866 |
| Indiana.. | 53 | 128,883 | 53 | 117,063 | 45 | 15,261 | 48 | 19,323 |
| lowa.. | 32 | 60,127 | 32 | 52,598 | 27 | 7,507 | 31 | 10,985 |
| Kansas.. | 28 | 62,142 | 28 | 52,953 | 22 | 8,578 | 23 | 8,355 |
| Kentucky.. | 26 | 65,622 | 26 | 60,655 | 23 | 7,069 | 24 | 11,157 |
| Louisiana. | 34 | 89,790 | 34 | 79,174 | 31 | 13,881 | 34 | 14,347 |
| Maine. | 12 | 26,130 | 12 | 27,041 | 10 | 5,112 | 11 | 1,338 |
| Maryland.. | 69 | 186,861 | 69 | 164,539 | 59 | 30,213 | 60 | 21,285 |
| Massachusetts | 105 | 455,761 | 105 | 407,759 | 90 | 81,189 | 97 | 45,635 |
| Michigan.. | 88 | 237,762 | 88 | 225,432 | 73 | 36,456 | 82 | 25,596 |
| Minnesota.. | 60 | 180,335 | 60 | 158,195 | 53 | 34,561 | 58 | 23,750 |
| Mississippi. | 11 | 32,457 | 11 | 28,695 | 10 | 4,366 | 11 | 7,614 |
| Missouri... | 58 | 155,805 | 58 | 154,981 | 50 | 23,150 | 53 | 20,320 |
| Montana.. | 11 | 29,836 | 11 | 24,031 | 9 | 5,044 | 11 | 6,164 |
| Nebraska. | 14 | 66,470 | 14 | 81,015 | 11 | 3,540 | 14 | 13,598 |
| Nevada.. | 26 | 97,954 | 26 | 66,973 | 24 | 24,482 | 24 | 21,915 |
| New Hampshire. | 17 | 42,208 | 17 | 35,654 | 12 | 5,749 | 15 | 3,344 |
| New Jersey.. | 178 | 579,085 | 178 | 487,555 | 165 | 102,427 | 153 | 61,128 |
| New Mexico.. | 18 | 47,827 | 18 | 46,796 | 15 | 8,059 | 18 | 3,841 |
| New York.. | 317 | 1,315,450 | 316 | 1,030,640 | 276 | 244,759 | 268 | 240,804 |
| North Carolina. | 83 | 266,524 | 83 | 210,248 | 79 | 43,583 | 77 | 50,539 |
| North Dakota. | 5 | 8,831 | 5 | 8,147 | 3 | 616 | 5 | 1,125 |
| Ohio.. | 114 | 328,870 | 114 | 298,077 | 91 | 39,468 | 100 | 33,416 |
| Oklahoma.. | 22 | 106,653 | 22 | 97,099 | 19 | 6,041 | 21 | 25,832 |
| Oregon........ | 41 | 111,321 | 41 | 97,612 | 32 | 24,189 | 39 | 16,144 |
| Pennsylvania........................... | 135 | 372,109 | 135 | 337,839 | 109 | 50,678 | 117 | 49,320 |
| Rhode Island... | 13 | 28,121 | 13 | 25,183 | 13 | 6,123 | 11 | 1,879 |
| South Carolina.. | 40 | 110,356 | 40 | 93,843 | 36 | 23,234 | 40 | 13,458 |
| South Dakota. | 10 | 20,185 | 10 | 12,762 | 8 | 4,157 | 10 | 6,610 |
| Tennessee. | 49 | 141,637 | 49 | 118,835 | 46 | 21,848 | 48 | 24,446 |
| Texas... | 182 | 577,967 | 182 | 518,731 | 164 | 77,124 | 177 | 102,036 |
| Utah.... | 14 | 38,342 | 13 | 21,852 | 13 | 5,648 | 14 | 15,654 |
| Vermont. | 3 | 9,355 | 3 | 7,942 | 3 | 2,709 | 3 | 726 |
| Virginia.................................... | 94 | 229,300 | 94 | 196,234 | 85 | 47,544 | 88 | 26,041 |
| Washington.............................. | 73 | 257,268 | 73 | 264,275 | 64 | 50,054 | 73 | 34,002 |
| West Virginia............................. | 10 | 29,580 | 10 | 35,777 | 9 | 2,360 | 10 | 2,420 |
| Wisconsin................................ | 54 | 165,763 | 54 | 169,187 | 48 | 22,819 | 50 | 18,725 |
| Wyoming................................. | 7 | 24,221 | 7 | 25,145 | 5 | 2,789 | 6 | 2,853 |
| Other areas ${ }^{3}$............................ | 9 | 29,251 | 9 | 25,512 | 7 | 6,579 | 8 | 2,058 |

${ }^{1}$ While the size of the underlying sample of estate tax returns makes estimates of wealth derived using the estate multiplier technique fairly robust, estimates of wealth by State can be subject to significant year-to-year fluctuations. This is especially true for individuals at the extreme tail of the net worth distribution and for States with relatively small decedent populations.
${ }^{2}$ Includes all stocks, bonds, mutual funds, cash, cash management accounts, retirement assets, and life insurance.
${ }^{3}$ Includes U.S. territories and possessions.

# Projections of Federal Tax Return Filings: Calendar Years 2005-2012 

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Taxpayers are expected to file a grand total of 229.3 million tax returns with the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) during Calendar Year (CY) 2006. That projected level reflects a modest increase of only 0.1 percent over the estimated CY 2005 filings of 229.0 million. However, the small growth in grand total return filings in 2006 is a net effect that masks some rather dramatic shifts among certain return volumes. In particular, IRS efforts to reduce taxpayer burden will result in a noticeable decrease in filings of Form 941 and Form 2688 returns during 2006. These drops, in turn, will serve to suppress the growth in total filings for 2006.

After 2006, however, grand total return filings are projected to grow at a more typical average annual rate of 1.2 percent and to reach 246.8 million by the year 2012. That more common rate of growth is driven primarily by the projected trends for the major return categories that comprise grand total filings, including individual income tax returns, employment tax returns, and estimated tax payments by individuals.

Furthermore, over the forecast horizon, IRS is projected to continue to make solid gains in the share of total returns filed electronically. This growth of electronic filing furthers IRS's strategic goal to improve taxpayer service. For example, under current trends, total individual electronic returns are estimated to be 51 percent of all individual income tax returns in 2005 and are projected to constitute 55 percent of all returns in 2006, and 70 percent in 2012.

## Trend in Grand Total Returns

Table 1 provides a complete list of the most current yearly filing projections by major form type for CY's 2006 to 2012. In developing these forecasts, in most cases, partial-year data through the first 8 months of 2005 were used to produce estimates for the year. As a point of reference, the actual number of forms filed in 2004 (the most current year for which complete data are available) is included too. In all cases applicable, the number of returns filed is

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broken down by medium of filing--paper or electronic. The "grand total" is comprised of a wide range of tax forms. This includes individual, fiduciary, corporation, employment, partnership, exempt organization, government entity, political organization, estate, gift, excise, estimated tax vouchers, and various other forms as delineated in Table 1 [1, 2].

In 2004, the 3 largest tax return categories accounted for the bulk of the forms handled by the IRS submissions processing operations. Individual income tax returns made up 58.5 percent of the grand total. Employment tax returns made up 13.6 percent, while individual estimated tax payment vouchers accounted for another 12.3 percent. Together, these three form types constituted almost 85 percent of the grand total of return filings in 2004.

Figure A shows the growth rate of selected tax forms year-over-year from 2005 to 2006 and the average annual change over the period from 2006 to 2012. As mentioned earlier, a total of 229.3 million returns are projected to be filed in 2006, which is a 0.1 -percent increase over the estimated 2005 filings of 229.0 million. However, over the period 20062012, the grand total will increase at an average rate of 1.2 percent to reach 246.8 million. Under current trends, paper filings will decline at a 2.5 -percent rate to a total of 124.5 million by 2012. Simultaneously, electronic filings or "e-file" will increase at a rate of 6.1 percent to equal 122.3 million by the same time, thus attaining near parity with paper return volumes as seen in Figure B.

## Changes in Forms 941, 944, 2688, and 7004 and their Impact on Grand Total

Figure A shows an estimated total of 24.4 million Form 941, Employer's Quarterly Federal Tax Return, returns will be filed in 2005. However, the total will drop to 21.9 million in 2006, a reduction of roughly 2.5 million. Additionally, in 2005, an estimated 3.6 million Form 2688, Application for Additional Extension of Time To File U.S. Individual Income Tax Return, returns will be filed, followed by its elimination in 2006 and beyond. Together, these two forms will be responsible for a total reduction of 6.1 million filings in 2006 as part of IRS initiatives to mitigate taxpayer burden. The combined effect contributes to the slow growth of grand total filings in 2006 as observed earlier.

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Figure A
Projected Increase (Decrease) in Selected Tax Return Filings: Calendar Years 2005-2012

| Type of return | Estimated 2005 | $\begin{gathered} \text { Projected } \\ 2006 \end{gathered}$ | Percentage increase over 2005 | $\begin{gathered} \text { Projected } \\ 2012 \end{gathered}$ | Average annual <br> percentage increase 2006-2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) |
| Grand total.. | 228,985,300 | 229,270,000 | 0.1 | 246,826,400 | 1.2 |
| Paper grand total. | 151,150,200 | 144,638,900 | -4.3 | 124,548,700 | -2.5 |
| Electronic grand total.. | 77,835,100 | 84,631,200 | 8.7 | 122,277,600 | 6.1 |
| Individual, total. | 132,766,200 | 134,901,700 | 1.6 | 143,903,300 | 1.1 |
| Forms 1040, 1040A, and 1040EZ | 132,022,400 | 134,134,600 | 1.6 | 142,961,500 | 1.1 |
| Total individual paper returns. | 63,866,500 | 59,928,300 | -6.2 | 41,744,600 | -6.0 |
| Form 1040.. | 45,249,300 | 42,885,900 | -5.2 | 28,718,000 | -6.7 |
| Form 1040A. | 10,187,000 | 8,456,800 | -17.0 | 6,411,000 | -4.6 |
| Form 1040EZ. | 8,430,200 | 8,585,600 | 1.8 | 6,615,700 | -4.3 |
| Total individual electronic returns.. | 68,155,900 | 74,206,300 | 8.9 | 101,216,900 | 5.2 |
| Online filing... | 17,076,100 | 21,003,600 | 23.0 | 26,630,100 | 4.0 |
| Practitioner electronic filing.... | 47,786,200 | 53,202,700 | 11.3 | 74,586,800 | 5.6 |
| TeleFile. | 3,293,600 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Form 1040NR.. | 628,200 | 649,000 | 3.3 | 809,100 | 3.7 |
| Forms 1040PR and 1040SS. | 115,700 | 118,100 | 2.1 | 132,800 | 2.0 |
| Individual estimated tax, Form 1040-ES, total.. | 29,022,900 | 29,548,300 | 1.8 | 30,330,900 | 0.4 |
| Form 1040-ES, paper | 28,959,300 | 29,473,600 | 1.8 | 30,195,500 | 0.4 |
| Form 1040-ES, electronic (credit card) | 63,600 | 74,700 | 17.5 | 135,400 | 9.9 |
| Corporation, total. | 6,147,300 | 6,290,000 | 2.3 | 7,322,200 | 2.5 |
| Paper corporation returns, total. | 5,934,400 | 5,842,900 | -1.5 | 4,592,700 | -4.0 |
| Electronic corporation returns, total. | 212,900 | 447,000 | 110.0 | 2,729,500 | 30.2 |
| Form 1120, total. | 2,055,600 | 2,041,800 | -0.7 | 1,973,600 | -0.6 |
| Form 1120, electronic | 57,900 | 139,200 | 140.4 | 815,800 | 29.5 |
| Form 1120A, total. | 208,600 | 201,000 | -3.6 | 158,200 | -4.0 |
| Form 1120F, total.. | 26,700 | 27,500 | 3.0 | 33,300 | 3.2 |
| Form 1120FSC, total. | 1,000 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Form 1120H, total. | 170,400 | 176,200 | 3.4 | 210,400 | 3.0 |
| Form 1120RIC, total. | 11,900 | 12,300 | 3.4 | 14,000 | 2.2 |
| Form 1120S, total. | 3,663,200 | 3,821,000 | 4.3 | 4,919,900 | 4.2 |
| Form 1120S, electronic | 155,000 | 307,800 | 98.6 | 1,913,700 | 30.5 |
| Forms 1120L/PC/REIT/SF, total.. | 9,700 | 10,200 | 5.2 | 12,900 | 3.9 |
| Employment, total.... | 30,634,400 | 28,108,000 | -8.2 | 29,692,000 | 0.9 |
| Paper employment returns..... | 24,652,200 | 22,261,200 | -9.7 | 21,067,300 | -0.9 |
| Magnetic tape employment returns... | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Electronic employment returns | 5,982,200 | 5,846,800 | -2.3 | 8,624,700 | 6.5 |
| Forms 940, 940EZ, and 940PR, total.. | 5,795,300 | 5,816,300 | 0.4 | 5,964,900 | 0.4 |
| Forms 940, 940EZ, and 940PR, paper | 4,843,400 | 4,802,300 | -0.8 | 4,558,200 | -0.9 |
| Form 940, magnetic tape ... | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Form 940, e-file/online/XML. | 951,900 | 1,014,000 | 6.5 | 1,406,700 | 5.5 |
| Forms 941, 941PR/SS/E, total... | 24,422,400 | 21,887,000 | -10.4 | 22,412,000 | 0.4 |
| Forms 941, 941PR/SS/E, paper . | 19,392,100 | 17,054,200 | -12.1 | 15,226,600 | -1.9 |
| Form 941, magnetic tape .. | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Form 941, e-file/online/XML | 4,393,200 | 4,832,800 | 10.0 | 7,185,500 | 6.6 |
| Form 941 TEL. | 637,100 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Forms 943 and 943 PR.. | 263,200 | 256,700 | -2.5 | 220,900 | -2.5 |
| Form 944, total..... | -- | -- | -- | 976,200 | -- |
| Form 944 e-file. | -- | -- | -- | 32,600 | -- |
| Form 945... | 151,600 | 146,000 | -3.7 | 116,100 | -3.8 |
| Form CT-1 | 1,900 | 1,900 | -- | 1,900 | -- |
| Exempt organization, total................ | 853,500 | 863,100 | 1.1 | 1,023,900 | 2.8 |
| Paper exempt organization, total.. | 848,700 | 851,100 | 0.3 | 891,000 | 0.8 |
| Electronic exempt organization, total. | 4,800 | 12,000 | 150.0 | 132,900 | 40.1 |
| Form 990, total... | 430,000 | 430,000 | -- | 534,000 | 3.6 |
| Form 990, electronic. | 3,400 | 8,600 | 152.9 | 91,700 | 39.4 |
| Form 990EZ, total... | 146,600 | 149,400 | 1.9 | 169,200 | 2.1 |
| Form 990EZ, electronic. | 1,300 | 2,700 | 107.7 | 26,000 | 37.7 |

[^61]Figure A--Continued

Projected Increase (Decrease) in Selected Tax Return Filings: Calendar Years 2005-2012--Continued

| Type of return | $\begin{gathered} \text { Estimated } \\ 2005 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Projected } \\ & 2006 \end{aligned}$ | Percentage increase over 2005 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Projected } \\ & 2012 \end{aligned}$ | Average annual percentage increase 2006-2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) |
| Exempt organization total--continued |  |  |  |  |  |
| Form 990PF. | 88,600 | 92,200 | 4.1 | 111,800 | 3.2 |
| Form 990PF, electronic............................................ | 100 | 800 | 700.0 | 15,200 | 49.1 |
| Form 990T. | 58,700 | 59,600 | 1.5 | 65,200 | 1.5 |
| Form 4720. | 2,000 | 2,100 | 5.0 | 2,600 | 3.6 |
| Form 5227. | 127,700 | 129,800 | 1.6 | 141,100 | 1.4 |
| Form 990C.................................................................... | 3,400 | 3,200 | -5.9 | 2,500 | -4.1 |
| Supplemental documents, total .................................... | 20,334,600 | 20,124,000 | -1.0 | 23,788,900 | 2.8 |
| Form 1040X | 3,218,800 | 3,256,600 | 1.2 | 3,468,900 | 1.1 |
| Form 4868, total | 9,336,800 | 9,622,500 | 3.1 | 11,337,000 | 2.7 |
| Paper | 7,525,200 | 7,549,200 | 0.3 | 7,488,700 | -0.1 |
| Electronic | 1,811,600 | 2,073,400 | 14.5 | 3,848,300 | 10.3 |
| Credit card | 33,300 | 34,900 | 4.8 | 55,600 | 7.8 |
| E-file. | 1,191,200 | 2,038,500 | 71.1 | 3,792,700 | 10.3 |
| TeleFile. | 587,100 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Form 2688 | 3,594,600 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Form 1120X. | 12,800 | 12,400 | -3.1 | 10,600 | -2.6 |
| Form 5558.. | 352,800 | 349,100 | -1.0 | 327,200 | -1.1 |
| Form 7004, total......................................................... | 3,364,000 | 6,422,700 | 90.9 | 8,095,500 | 3.9 |
| Electronic | 47,900 | 292,800 | 511.3 | 2,878,300 | 38.1 |
| Form 8868, total........................................................ | 454,800 | 460,600 | 1.3 | 549,700 | 2.9 |
| Electronic .............................................................. | 1,900 | 5,300 | 178.9 | 74,000 | 43.9 |

NOTES: For definitions of most of the form numbers, see the text discussion and the footnotes to Table 1, at the end of this article. Detail may not add to total due to rounding.

At the same time, a newly changed Form 7004, Application for Automatic Extension of Time To File Corporation Income Tax Return, will see a projected 90.9-percent increase in 2006 over 2005, from 3.4 million to 6.4 million returns filed. This is an increase of 3.1 million returns. There will also be the introduction of new Form 944, Employer's Annual Federal Tax Return, starting in 2007. Thus, the changes taken together have offsetting effects relative to the Form 941 and Form 2688 volumes. In the process, they also contribute to a more robust annual growth rate of 1.2 percent for the grand total over the longer horizon. All of these changes and other developments are discussed in more detail below.

## Form 941 and New Form 944

In an effort to reduce taxpayer burden on small businesses, IRS plans to issue Form 944. This new form is an annualized version of Form 941 and will be available to taxpayers starting in January 2007. Form 944 will be available to business filers with annual employment tax liability of $\$ 1,000$ or less. Instead of
filing quarterly Form 941 returns, eligible taxpayers will be required to file Form 944 once a year. Consequently, as qualified taxpayers switch to filing Form 944, return volumes of Form 941 will drop in the early part of CY 2006. As Table 1 shows, around 925,000 taxpayers are expected to switch to Form 944 in its first year. Filings are expected to grow modestly thereafter and reach 976,200 in 2012. At the same time, the forecasts of Form 941 return volumes exhibit associated downward adjustments for the estimated impact of taxpayers switching to the new Form 944.

## Elimination of Form 2688

IRS plans to implement additional taxpayer burden reduction regulations in Filing Year 2006 that will have the de facto effect of eliminating filings of Form 2688. The new regulations will provide taxpayers required to file an individual income tax return an automatic 6-month extension to file, if they submit a Form 4868, Application for Automatic Extension of Time To File a U.S. Income Tax Return. In previ-

ous years, Form 4868 (i.e., the "first extension") provided only a 4 -month grace period to file, while Form 2688 (i.e., the "second extension") gave an additional 2 -month extension. The effects of these two forms will now be folded into a single 6 -month automatic extension via Form 4868. Accordingly, in Table 1, there are no projections for Form 2688 from CY 2006 onwards.

## Expansion of Form 7004

The scope of Form 7004, Application for Automatic Extension of Time To File Corporation Income Tax, which is currently used primarily to request an extension of time to file a corporation income tax (Form 1120 series) return, has now been expanded. Starting in 2006, Form 7004 will not only be used for filing extensions on corporate returns but also extensions for partnership (Form 1065) and fiduciary (Form 1041) returns. A sizable volume of extensions is currently requested for the filing of Forms 1065 and 1041, but such extensions were not among the
many form types formally projected by IRS staff in the past. As a result, their inclusion in the projected volume of the newly released Form 7004 now leads to a dramatic 90.9 -percent increase in this return series beginning in 2006 .

## Trend in Individual Income Tax Returns

"Individual, Total" returns include paper and electronic versions of the major individual income tax returns. These are Forms 1040 and 1040-A, U.S. Individual Income Tax Return; 1040EZ, Income Tax Return for Single and Joint Filers with No Dependents; 1040NR, U.S. Non-Resident Alien Income Tax Return; 1040 (PR), Planilla para la Declaracion de la Contribucion Federal Sobre El Trabajo Por Cuenta Propia--Puerto Rico; and 1040-SS, U.S. Self-Employment Tax Return. This category excludes Form 1040X, Amended U.S. Individual Income Tax Return, which is included under the "supplemental documents" heading.

By far the largest category of tax return filings, the number of individual income tax returns filed, is projected to reach 134.9 million in 2006. This series is expected to grow at an average annual rate of 1.1 percent until 2012. This projected growth is tied mainly to the expected increase in U.S. employment over the same period. At this rate, the projected number of total individual returns filed will be 143.9 million by 2012.

## Trend in Employment Tax Returns

Paper and electronic versions of several business related tax forms fall under the heading of "Employment, total" returns. These form series include: Forms 940, Employer's Annual Federal Unemployment (FUTA) Tax Return; 941, Employer's Quarterly Federal Tax Return; 943, Employer's Annual Federal Tax Return for Agricultural Employees; 944, Employer's Annual Federal Tax Return, which will be an annualized version of Form 941; 945, Annual Return of Withheld Federal Income Tax; and CT-1, Employer's Annual Railroad Tax Return. A magnetic tape filing option for Forms 940 and 941 ended in early 2004. As a result, a small volume of returns for this medium is reported for Calendar Year 2004, and none for 2005 and beyond.

In 2004 and 2005, employment tax returns make up the second largest share of the grand total. The interplay between the introduction of the annual Form 944, and the scaling back of the quarterly Form 941 (as discussed earlier), results in a projected 8.2percent drop in total employment return filings in 2006. After that, the projected annual rate of growth over the entire forecast horizon is a more typical 0.9 percent. The projected filings of Forms 940 and 941 comprise the bulk of employment tax return volume. Their projected growth over the 2006-2012 period is tied mainly to the associated forecasts for U.S. employment and real gross domestic product.

## Trend in Individual Estimated Tax Rełurns

Form 1040-ES, U.S. Estimated Tax for Individuals, is used by individual taxpayers who need to make advance tax payments. Such filers are typically those who expect their tax withholdings to be less than 90 percent of their Federal tax liabilities for the year due to additional income, such as earnings from selfemployment, interest, dividends, rents, and alimony. Individual taxpayers who make estimated tax payments
often file more than one voucher (Form 1040-ES) during the course of the year, usually one per quarter.

In 2004 and 2005, Form 1040-ES makes up the third largest share of the grand total. The initial Form 1040-ES filing experience in 2005, however, indicated growth over 2004. Based on this likely development, and the underlying long-term trend, the number of Form 1040-ES filings is projected to grow in the future. In 2006, approximately 29.5 million individual estimated tax vouchers are expected to be filed, an increase of 1.8 percent over the 29.0 million vouchers filed in 2005. A total of 30.3 million returns are projected to be filed by 2012, indicating an average annual growth rate of 0.4 percent from 2006 to 2012.

The number of Form 1040-ES returns filed has actually dropped substantially in recent years from a peak of 39.9 million in 1998 to an estimated 29.0 million in 2005. One reason for this is thought to be the various tax law changes enacted in 2001 and subsequent years which significantly reduced tax liabilities. Other factors that have likely contributed to the prior drop include the stock market slump, the recession, and the "sluggish" economic recovery in the early 2000's. However, with the amelioration of these factors in recent years, future growth is expected in Form 1040-ES filings.

## Trends in Electronic Filing (E-file)

## Individual Returns

From Table 1, about 61.4 million individual income tax returns were filed electronically in 2004, and 68.2 million electronic returns are estimated to be filed in 2005 , representing an 11.0 -percent increase. The projection for 2006 is 74.2 million returns, which represent another robust increase of 8.9 percent. This e-file volume is expected to grow at an average rate of 5.2 percent per year, attaining a total of 101.2 million by 2012 .

The projected e-file pattern for individual returns in 2006-2012 is one of stronger growth in the initial forecast years, followed by a somewhat dampened growth in the later years. This growth pattern is customary for an innovative commercial product like e-file. Still, the projected growth in e-file is much steeper than the overall growth in total individual return filings. Hence, under current trends, roughly 70 percent of individual income tax returns are projected to be filed electronically by 2012.

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As reported in Table 1, "Total Individual Electronic Returns" are made up of three e-file categories: 1) online filing, 2) practitioner e-file, and 3) TeleFile. Online filing enables taxpayers to use a personal computer, commercial tax preparation software, and the Internet to file their returns. Online filing includes the "Free File" option, which is accessible from the IRS Web site and involves a publicprivate partnership between the IRS and the Free File Alliance, a consortium of tax preparation software companies. In the case of practitioner electronic filing, taxpayers essentially have returns electronically transmitted to the IRS by a tax preparation professional. The TeleFile program enabled certain taxpayers to use a touch-tone telephone to transmit their Form 1040-EZ returns. However, IRS has announced that the Telefile system will be discontinued after 2005. The general decline in TeleFile usage, the expenses involved, and the growth of other electronic filing alternatives (such as online filing) have all contributed to the discontinuance of this medium of filing. This decision applies to all other IRS TeleFile programs, such as those for Forms 4868 and 941.

Within all three e-file categories, about 17.1 million people utilized online filing in 2005. That number will likely grow to 21.0 million in 2006, a 23percent increase, fueled in part by the cessation of TeleFile. Meanwhile, practitioners are expected to file 53.2 million returns electronically in 2006 , up 11.3 percent over the 47.8 million returns filed in 2005. About 3.3 million people used TeleFile in 2005, the last year of this service, down from 3.8 million in 2004.

Various initiatives further encourage the growth of individual electronic filing. One is the IRS "eservices" program. The e-services program is open to professionals who have e-filed five or more accepted individual or business returns in a season. The program provides a suite of Web-based products that allow tax professionals to conduct business with the IRS electronically, such as disclosure authorization, electronic account resolution, and transcript delivery system. Authorized agents who submit (any of six) information returns subject to backup withholding can also make use of TIN (Taxpayer Identification Number) matching with e-services.

Another initiative is the Federal/State e-file program for taxpayers. The program makes it pos-
sible for taxpayers to meet both Federal and State return filing requirements with one e-file transmission. Nearly 40 states participate in Federal/State efile. In addition, several States have mandated efiling of their State tax returns in certain situations. As a result, IRS has experienced relatively strong growth in electronically-filed Federal returns in States that have mandated e-filing of state returns.

## Business Returns

IRS also continues to enhance its business e-file programs under the aegis of the Modernized e-File (MeF) platform. Most of the common business tax forms are now available for e-file either through MeF or older electronic filing systems. This includes fiduciary (Form 1041), partnership (Form 1065), corporation(Forms 1120, 1120S), employment (Forms 940 and 941), and tax-exempt (Forms 990, $990-\mathrm{EZ}$ and $990-\mathrm{PF}$ ) returns.

New Treasury regulations issued in 2005 mandate electronic filing of Federal returns for some large corporations and tax-exempt organizations whose assets exceed certain dollar thresholds. However, these e-file mandates only apply to those corporations and tax-exempt entities that also file at least 250 other returns with the IRS during a calendar year, such as employment and excise tax returns, and information documents like Forms W-2, 1099-DIV, and Schedules K-1. The e-file mandates require corporations with gross assets of at least $\$ 50$ million to e-file their Forms 1120 or 1120S returns beginning in CY 2006. This e-file requirement is expanded to corporations with at least $\$ 10$ million in gross assets, effective in 2007.

Figure A shows that 57,900 Form 1120 and 155,000 Form 1120 S returns are estimated to be efiled in 2005. Assuming growth patterns typical of innovative technology-based products, the forecast for 2006 is 139,200 for the former and 307,800 for the latter. These represent increases of 140.4 percent for Form 1120 and 98.6 percent for Form 1120S. In subsequent years, e-filed Forms 1120/ 1120 S are both expected to continue to grow rapidly. About 816,000 Form 1120 returns and nearly 1.9 million Form 1120S returns are projected to be filed electronically in 2012. Since corporations covered by the mandates in 2007 total only around 30,000 , they will represent only a small fraction of the overall Form 1120 and 1120 S e-file volumes projected.

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Tax-exempt organizations with $\$ 100$ million or more in total assets will also be required to file their Forms 990 electronically in 2006. This threshold is lowered to $\$ 10$ million in 2007. Also impacted are private foundations and charitable trusts which will be required to file their Forms 990-PF, Return of Private Foundation, electronically, starting in 2007, regardless of their asset sizes. However, the additional mandate criterion that limits its scope to only those organizations filing at least 250 other tax-returns results in a relatively small number of affected taxexempt filers. Only around 1,200 tax exempt organizations are estimated to be covered by the e-file mandate in Filing Year 2006 and approximately 10,000 in 2007.

From Figure A, an estimated 4,800 Forms 990, 990 EZ , and $990-\mathrm{PF}$ returns will be filed electronically in 2005. With the help of the mandates, tax-exempt e-file returns are expected to increase to 12,000 in 2006. In the long term, 132,900 exempt organization tax returns are expected electronically by the year 2012.

## Employment Returns

The changes related to Forms 941 and 944 discussed earlier have a unique short-term impact on the number of e-filed employment tax returns. With the TeleFile program ending after the 2005 filing season, Form 941TeleFile volumes will drop to zero in 2006. While some former 941 Telefile users are expected to move to other e-file options, some are also expected to revert back to paper. In addition, the introduction of the annual Form 944 in 2007 will lead to a slight decrease in the total number of quarterly Form 941 efiled returns in 2006.

In 2005, over 5.9 million employment returns will be filed electronically. However that number is projected to drop 2.3 percent to 5.8 million e-filed employment returns in 2006, in the wake of the developments in the Telefile program and the new Form 944. After that unique transition period, the more persistent underlying growth trend is expected to resume. Based on that trend, the total number of e-filed employment returns (i.e., Forms 940, 941, 943, and 944) is expected to be 8.6 million by 2012 , growing at an average annual rate of 6.5 percent over this period.

## Grand Total

There are several other individual and business e-file return categories covered in these latest projections, e.g., partnership (Form 1065), fiduciary (Form 1041)
and filings for extensions (e.g., Forms 4868 and 7004). Each form has its own unique set of circumstances. However, what is most striking is the overall net effect of e-file. As presented in Figure B, the projected trend in grand total return filings is one of a marked decline in paper filings and a steep increase in e-file returns through 2012. Indeed, our current forecasts call for essentially half of the 246.8 million total returns in 2012 to be filed electronically. Also, future e-file initiatives by IRS and/or private industry may very well accelerate this migration to electronic filing.

## Data Sources

The reported actual volumes of returns filed in CY 2004 by form type and filing medium are based primarily on filings as recorded on the IRS master files. With a few exceptions, these volumes are the same as those reported in the Internal Revenue Service Data Book (Publication 55B) for that processing year. However, master file counts were not available in a few instances. In these cases, tallies of actual filings were provided by program staff in the IRS operating divisions, typically from data capture systems located in the IRS processing campuses. For CY 2005, master file data through August were generally available. The partial-year data were extrapolated to obtain estimates for CY 2005, and typically incorporated into the models used to make the projections.

## Projection Methodology

Each major form type is forecasted separately using either a time series or a linear regression model. Time series models use historical data for a form type to make predictions based on the patterns exhibited by the data. Some of the most common time series models used were several types of trended exponential smoothing and lower order BoxJenkins ARIMA models. These models were applied for such return series as corporation (Forms 1120, 1120A, and 1120S), partnership (Form 1065), and excise (Forms 720, 730, and 2290) tax returns.

In other instances, models based on linear regression analysis were used with independent ("predictor") variables such as gross domestic product and employment. For these models, forecasts of the independent variables were provided by Global Insight, Inc. For example, linear regression models

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incorporating economic and demographic variables were used to project the individual income tax return series and employment Forms 940 and 941.

Legislative and administrative changes approved for future implementation and not captured in statistical models are also factored into tax return forecasts as "off-model adjustments." Such was the case in developing the projections for the new employment Form 944. Analysis of the impact of similar events in the past, as well as input from subject-matter experts is used to develop these off-model adjustments. However such adjustments are made only for enacted tax law changes and confirmed (or reasonably certain) administrative plans and not for initiatives simply under consideration. This is particularly true of electronically-filed returns (e-file). As a result, the e-file forecasts presented in this article are not IRS goals, and should not be interpreted as precluding an alternative e-file future.

## Notes and References

[1] All values in Table 1 are taken from Calendar Year Return Projections for the United States and IRS Campuses: 2005-2012, IRS Document 6186, November 2005, National Headquarters Office of Research, Analysis and Statistics, Internal Revenue Service, U.S. Department of the Treasury.
[2] Throughout the year, the Projections and Forecasting Group (PFG) under IRS National Headquarters Office of Research publishes forecasts of a large number of tax return filings and other IRS workload categories. These projections provide a foundation for IRS workload estimates/resource requirements contained in budget submissions and also help with other major IRS planning and analysis efforts.

## Projections of Federal Tax Return Filings: Calendar Years 2005-2012

Table 1.--Total Number of Returns To Be Filed with the Internal Revenue Service: Calendar Years 2005-2012


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Table 1.--Total Number of Returns To Be Filed with the Internal Revenue Service: Calendar Years 2005-2012--Continued

| Type of return | Actual$2004$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Estimated }^{1} \\ 2005 \end{gathered}$ | Projected |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) |
| Exempt organization, total . ${ }^{8}$. |  | 853,500 | 863,100 | 908,400 | 917,600 | 960,900 | 970,800 | 1,014,000 | 1,023,900 |
| Paper exempt organization, total. | $803,183$ | 848,700 | 851,100 | 875,400 | 864,400 | 889,400 | 882,500 | 902,600 | 891,000 |
| Electronic exempt organization, total. | 656 | 4,800 | 12,000 | 33,000 | 53,200 | 71,500 | 88,400 | 111,400 | 132,900 |
| Form 990, total.............. | 393,286330 | 430,000 | 430,000 | 465,000 | 465,000 | 498,900 | 499,500 | 533,400 | $\begin{array}{r} 534,000 \\ 91,700 \end{array}$ |
| Form 990, electronic. |  | 3,400 | 8,600 | 25,900 | 39,600 |  |  | 78,100 |  |
| Form 990EZ, total.... | 139,684 | 146,600 | 149,400 | 153,400 | 156,300 | 159,500 | 162,700 | 165,900 | 169,200 |
| Form 990EZ, electronic. | 326 | 1,300 | 2,700 | 5,400 | 10,100 | 13,300 | 17,100 | 21,300 | 26,000 |
| Form 990PF. | 85,692 | 88,600 | 92,200800 | 95,5001,700 | 98,7003,600 | 102,0006,900 | 105,300 | 108,600 | $\begin{array}{r} 111,800 \\ 15,200 \end{array}$ |
| Form 990PF, electronic. |  | 100 |  |  |  |  | 9,200 | $64,200$ |  |
| Form 990T. | 57,721 | 58,700 | 59,600 | 60,500 | 61,400 | 62,400 | 63,300 |  | 65,2002,600 |
| Form 4720.. | 1,962 | 2,000 | 2,100 | 2,200 | 2,300 | 2,400 | 2,500 | 2,500 |  |
| Form 5227. | 125,494 | 127,700 | 129,800 | 131,800 | 133,800 | 135,700 | 137,600 | 139,400 | 141,100 |
| Form 990C ${ }^{9}$.. | 3,504 | 3,400 | 3,200 | 3,000 | 2,900 | 2,800 | 2,700 | 2,600 | 2,500 |
| Government entities, total. | 51,482 | 53,600 | 54,600 | 55,700 | 56,700 | 57,700 | 58,700 | 59,800 | 60,800 |
| Form 8038... | $\begin{array}{r} 4,385 \\ 30,388 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4,500 \\ 32,100 \end{array}$ | 4,500 | 4,600 | 4,700 | 4,700 | 4,800 | 4,900 | 5,000 |
| Form 8038G... |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 32,700 \\ & 15,100 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33,400 \\ & 15,400 \end{aligned}$ | 34,100 | $\begin{aligned} & 34,800 \\ & 15,900 \end{aligned}$ | 35,400 | 36,100 | $\begin{aligned} & 36,800 \\ & 16,700 \end{aligned}$ |
| Form 8038GC. | 14,385 | 14,800 |  |  | 15,600 |  | 16,200 | 16,500 |  |
| Form 8038T... | 2,121203 | $\begin{array}{r} 2,000 \\ 200 \end{array}$ | 2,100 | $2,100$ |  | 15,900 2,100 | $2,100$ | 2,100 | 2,100 |
| Form 8328. |  |  | 200 | 200 | $200$ | 200 | 200 | 300 | 300 |
| Political organizations, total.... | 10,371 | $\begin{aligned} & 9,800 \\ & 5,200 \end{aligned}$ | 10,700 |  | 10,300 | 9,200 | 10,000 | 8,800 | 9,700 |
| Form 1120POL, total... | 5,385 |  | $5,100$ | $4,900$ | 4,700 |  |  |  | 4,100600 |
| Electronic 1120POL. |  | -- |  | 100 | 300 | 300 | 400 | $500$ |  |
| Form 8871...... | 1,383 | 1,500 | 1,800 | 1,500 | 1,800 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,500 \\ & 1,500 \end{aligned}$ | 1,800 | 1,500 | 1,800 |
| Electronic 8871. |  | 1,500 | 1,800 | 1,500 | 1,800 |  | 1,800 | 1,500 | 1,800 |
| Form 8872. | $\begin{aligned} & 1,383 \\ & 3,603 \end{aligned}$ | 3,100 | 3,800 | 3,100 | 3,800 | 3,100 | 3,800 | 3,100 | 3,800 |
| Electronic 8872. | 2,164 | 2,000 | 2,500 | 2,100 | 2,600 | 2,200 | 2,700 | 2,300 | 2,800 |
| Excise, total... | 834,756 | 835,300 | 840,000 | 852,900 | 863,200 | 876,100 | 889,700 | 903,800 | 918,100 |
| Form 11-C.. | 9,656 | 9,300 | 9,100 | 9,000 | 8,900 | 8,800 | 8,700 | 8,600 | 8,500 |
| Form 720. | 117,950 | 103,600 | 95,200 | 90,500 | 87,500 | 85,800 | 84,800 | 84,200 | 83,800 |
| Form 730.. | 46,528 | 46,100 | 45,200 | 44,300 | 43,300 | 42,400 | 41,400 | 40,500 | 39,500 |
| Form 2290. | 660,622 | 676,300 | 690,500 | 709,100 | 723,500 | 739,200 | 754,900 | 770,600 | 786,300 |
| Form 5330.... | 23,413 | 22,200 | 21,400 | 20,600 | 19,700 | 18,900 | 18,000 | 17,200 | 16,300 |
| Form 8752...10. | 41,867 | 40,300 | 39,100 | 38,000 | 37,100 | 36,300 | 35,500 | 34,800 | 34,100 |
| Supplemental documents. total ..... | 19,399,572 | 20,334,600 | 20,124,000 | 20,754,200 | 21,356,100 | 21,973,500 | 22,569,800 | 23,200,900 | 23,788,900 |
| Form 1040X, total | 3,256,755 | 3,218,800 | 3,256,600 | 3,294,400 | 3,324,400 | 3,354,300 | 3,384,600 | 3,436,500 | 3,468,900 |
| Form 4868, total | 8,703,947 | 9,336,800 | 9,622,500 | 9,908,300 | 10,194,000 | 10,479,800 | 10,765,500 | 11,051,300 | 11,337,000 |
| Paper | 7,344,995 | 7,525,200 | 7,549,200 | 7,544,700 | 7,537,000 | 7,524,300 | 7,512,100 | 7,502,400 | 7,488,700 |
| Electronic .... | 1,358,952 | 1,811,600 | 2,073,400 | 2,363,500 | 2,657,100 | 2,955,400 | 3,253,400 | 3,548,800 | 3,848,300 |
| Credit card | 27,425 | 33,300 | 34,900 | 38,000 | 41,300 | 44,700 | 48,200 | 51,800 | 55,600 |
| E-file.. | 742,489 | 1,191,200 | 2,038,500 | 2,325,500 | 2,615,800 | 2,910,700 | 3,205,200 | 3,497,000 | 3,792,700 |
| TeleFile. | 589,038 | 587,100 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Form 2688, total . | 3,477,342 | 3,594,600 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Electronic | 168,812 | 334,200 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Form 1120X.. | 13,130 | 12,800 | 12,400 | 12,100 | 11,800 | 11,500 | 11,200 | 10,900 | 10,600 |
| Form 5558... | 353,432 | 352,800 | 349,100 | 345,500 | 341,800 | 338,200 | 334,500 | 330,900 | 327,200 |
| Form 7004, total... | 3,153,169 | 3,364,000 | 6,422,700 | 6,709,200 | 6,993,700 | 7,275,400 | 7,553,900 | 7,827,400 | 8,095,500 |
| Electronic...... | -- | 47,900 | 292,800 | 555,800 | 988,600 | 1,533,300 | 2,097,200 | 2,543,700 | 2,878,300 |
| Form 8868, total... | 441,797 | 454,800 | 460,600 | 484,700 | 490,500 | 514,400 | 520,200 | 544,000 | 549,700 |
| Electronic....... | 339 | 1,900 | 5,300 | 10,200 | 18,900 | 35,400 | 46,100 | 60,100 | 74,000 |

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## SOI Abstracts

The following abstracts are provided to keep readers up to date on the latest analytical, descriptive, or methodological papers written by Statistics of Income (SOI) Division personnel or researchers during the past year. These papers, which either use SOI data or are about SOI data, were presented at the 2005 Joint Statistical Meetings of the American Statistical Association (ASA) and will be published in the IRS Methodology Report series, Special Studies in Federal Tax Statistics. These papers also appear in the 2005 Proceedings of the American Statistical Association. The abstracts below are listed by the title of the session in which the paper was presented and the ASA section(s) that sponsored the session. To obtain copies of the papers, you may write to: Statistical Information Services (SIS), Statistics of Income Division (RAS:S:SS:SD), P.O. Box 2608, Washington, DC 20013-2608; send a fax to SIS on (202) 874-0964; e-mail us at: sis@irs.gov; or call (202) 874-0410. In the Spring 2006, these papers will be available directly from the Tax Stats Web site, http://www.irs.gov/taxstats/article/0,,id=106270,00.html. Click on "2005" under "American Statistical Association Conference."

## Issues in Quantifying Measurement Error

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## Measuring Nonsampling Error in the SOI Individual Tax Return Study

by Jana Scali, Valerie Testa, Maureen Kahr, and Michael Strudler
The abstraction of statistical information from administrative records includes nonsampling errors created when transcribing, cleaning, and processing the data. A measurement error model is used to estimate the nonsampling error generated while transforming administrative information into statistical information. Quality statistics for the SOI Individual Tax Return Study, such as the net difference rate, index of inconsistency, and editor design effect, are calculated using the Quality Review sample.

## Corporation Supercritical Cases: How Do Imputed Returns on the Corporate File Compare to the Actual Returns?

by Lucy Altounian
Statistics of Income (SOI) corporation "supercritical" cases are certain large corporations that SOI samples at the 100 -percent rate. These supercritical cases account for 58 percent of the total assets of the corporation study while comprising only .03 percent of the total corporation returns; thus, their absence from the Corporation Study would affect the final statistics. Any unavailable returns must therefore be added to the file to protect the validity of the SOI Corporation Study. One method of adding these missing data is to collect the information through surveys sent directly to the corporations. Data collected are then used to create alternate records in the file through various imputation routines. These alternate records are later replaced with the actual return when that information is secured. This paper gives a brief overview of critical cases and the survey process, compares the data in the alternate records to those of the actual returns, evaluates the accuracy of the imputation routines, and makes subsequent recommendations for changes to improve data quality where necessary.

## The Impact of the Followup Process on the Tax Year 2002 Foreign Tax Credit Data

by Melissa A. Redmiles and Rob Singmaster
The Foreign Tax Credit Study collects data from Form 1118, which taxpayers file to claim their foreign tax credit. These data include such items as the foreign gross income, foreign taxable income, and foreign taxes paid and deemed paid by type of income and country. In 2002, taxpayers did not provide country detail for more than 20 percent of their total gross foreign source incomes. There also were many discrepancies between the various schedules of Form 1118 and between data items reported on Form 1118 and similar items reported on Form 1120. SOI routinely requests taxpayers to provide these data. This paper analyzes the impact of these requests on the 2002 data. It examines such items as the response rate, the reduction in missing country detail, and the reduction in discrepancies between selected schedules on an aggregate level and per major industry.

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## A Cluster Analysis Approach To Describing Tax Data

by Brian G. Raub and William W. Chen

The Statistics of Income (SOI) Division of the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) produces data using information reported on tax returns. These administrative data are used by the Department of the Treasury, the Joint Committee on Taxation, and various Federal statistical agencies and are disseminated to the public via the World Wide Web and publications such as the SOI Bulletin. The Corporate Foreign Tax Credit (CFTC) study is in many ways typical of SOI studies. Data are collected from tax forms (in this case Form 1118) by SOI field staff and are subjected to error resolution by analysts at National Headquarters. The error-resolved data are used to create statistical tables that are published annually with descriptive text and technical notes. These statistical tables display selected aggregate fields from Form 1118 by industry, type of income, and country to which foreign taxes were paid. The present paper describes a population of Form 1118 filers using cluster analysis, with the goal of identifying alternative ways of organizing and analyzing tax data. A second goal is to identify new insights about this population of filers.

## A Comparison of Income Concepts Across Agencies: IRS, Census, and BLS

by Eric Henry and Charles Day
The Internal Revenue Service, the Bureau of Labor Statistics, and the U.S. Census Bureau all collect data on personal and household income. As their purposes for collecting these data vary, so do the definitions they use. The authors propose to study the differences and similarities in the income definitions used in the IRS Statistics of Income program, the Census Bureau Current Population Survey, and the Bureau of Labor Statistics Consumer Expenditure Survey and present them in a form useful to economists trying to use these different data series.

## The 1999-2003 Statistics of Income Individual Income Tax Return Edited Panel

by Michael Weber and Victoria L. Bryant
In 1987, the Statistics of Income (SOI) Program began a major new project called the 1987-Based Family Panel. It followed taxpayers selected for our 1987 cross-sectional sample for 10 years. This panel is currently used by Treasury's Office of Tax Analysis (OTA) and Congress's Joint Committee on Tax (JCT) to analyze tax policy. After the 1987 panel ended, SOI, OTA, and JCT began designing new replacement tax return panels. The 1999-2003 SOI Individual Tax Return Edited Panel is the first completed panel resulting from that effort. This paper discusses the sample design, return linkage issues, and weighting methodology of this panel and provides a few tabulations and results.

## Trends in 401 ( k ) and IRA Contribution Activity, 1999-2002—Results From a Panel of Matched Tax Returns and Information Documents

by Peter Sailer,Victoria Bryant, and Sarah Holden
By combining individual tax returns (Form 1040) and information returns (such as Forms W-2 and 5498) in one panel database, the Statistics of Income (SOI) Division has made it possible to study trends in contributions by individual taxpayers over time to Individual Retirement Arrangements (IRA's), as well as the participation in other types of retirement plans. Using a simple random panel of over 71,000 individual taxpayers who filed for Tax Years 1999 through 2002, this paper analyzes persistency in taxpayers' contribution activities in traditional IRA's and in $401(\mathrm{k})$ plans. Several possible factors affecting persistency are considered, including age, marital status, gender, and income. All of the analysis in this paper is limited to those taxpayers who filed for all 4 years in the study-1999-2002. In the case of joint returns, primary and secondary taxpayers were considered separately. Weighted, the file represents 143.2 million taxpayers, about 81 percent of the original 177.0 million

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who filed for 1999. Changes in marital status or marriage partners did not affect inclusion in the study. As long as an individual was represented as a taxpayer on a return for all 4 years, he or she could be included in the panel.

## Administrative Records: Input/Output

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## Internal Revenue Service Area-to-Area Migration Data: Strengths, Limitations, and Current Uses

by Emily Gross
Datasets showing area-to-area migration of U.S. citizens are one of the most popular products disseminated by the Statistics of Income Division of the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). These data are created using year-toyear changes in address information from Internal Revenue Service individual income tax returns. Journalists and academic researchers are among the many users of these data to examine population flows and track migration patterns. This paper analyzes the IRS datasets on area-to-area migration, following the development of the data from the IRS administrative records, through the geocoding process applied by the Census Bureau, and back to the IRS for disclosure-proofing, file setup, and marketing of the data. The final dataset is discussed further, highlighting the strengths and limitations and what information they include. Some applications of the data are also discussed. Finally, the paper highlights current trends in migration by answering the questions: Which areas of the U.S. are growing, which are shrinking, and which are showing the most dramatic changes?

## Applying Ourselves to Social and Environmental Issues

Sponsored by the Section on Survey Research Methods and the Social Statistics Section

## Origins of the Estate and Personal Wealth Sample Design

by Paul McMahon
The Statistics of Income Division samples Estate Tax Returns to assist in estimating changes in tax revenues under proposed law revisions and develop estimates of personal wealth. These two goals, first linked to the sample in the early 1980's, resulted in a design that must address concerns such as minimizing the variance on estimates of taxes due while permitting the use of mortality rates to estimate asset holdings of various types. The goals are not complementary, as the revenue portion requires information on filings by fiscal periods, while the wealth part implies the need to focus on deaths during particular years.

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## Selected Historical and Other Data

Table 1.--Individual Income Tax Returns: Selected Income and Tax Items for Specified Tax Years, 1995-2004

| Item | 1995 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004p |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) |
| All returns ${ }^{1}$. | 118,218,327 | 127,075,145 | 129,373,500 | 130,255,237 | 130,076,443 | 130,423,626 | 132,384,919 |
| Form 1040 returns ${ }^{1}$ | 64,774,724 | 74,165,814 | 78,846,102 | 80,500,011 | 80,748,948 | 80,420,043 | 80,278,569 |
| Form 1040A returns ${ }^{1}$. | 24,463,262 | 26,961,302 | 28,826,589 | 28,293,817 | 28,714,328 | 29,631,494 | 30,878,413 |
| Form 1040EZ returns ${ }^{1}$.. | 21,644,177 | 20,752,420 | 21,700,809 | 21,461,409 | 20,613,167 | 20,372,089 | 21,227,937 |
| Form 1040PC returns ${ }^{1}$.. | 7,102,740 | 5,195,609 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Electronically-filed returns ${ }^{1}$.. | 14,724,219 | 35,495,320 | 40,078,595 | 46,861,486 | 52,798,823 | 61,154,815 | 69,455,931 |
| Returns by filing status: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Joint returns.. | 49,036,410 | 49,900,030 | 50,268,249 | 51,034,384 | 51,302,089 | 51,510,779 | 52,209,457 |
| Returns of married persons filing separately.. | 2,627,963 | 2,385,646 | 2,486,719 | 2,441,481 | 2,330,723 | 2,320,275 | 2,382,705 |
| Returns of heads of households... | 15,551,213 | 17,781,482 | 18,208,359 | 18,493,710 | 19,170,266 | 19,506,611 | 19,726,757 |
| Returns of surviving spouses.. | 115,370 | 80,870 | 63,800 | 74,242 | 73,577 | 83,179 | 82,927 |
| Returns of single persons.. | 50,887,371 | 56,927,117 | 58,346,372 | 58,211,420 | 57,199,788 | 57,002,781 | 57,983,074 |
| Returns with Presidential Election Campaign Fund checkoff: ${ }^{2}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 14,935,134 | 14,208,181 | 13,958,259 | 14,240,945 | 13,143,595 | 12,198,321 | 11,676,418 |
| Amount... | 67,860 | 61,090 | 60,685 | 60,801 | 56,567 | 52,361 | 50,555 |
| Number of boxes checked. | 21,443,077 | 18,306,408 | 19,741,877 | 20,266,894 | 18,857,672 | 17,453,770 | 16,851,768 |
| Adjusted gross income (AGI) ${ }^{3}$... | 4,189,353,615 | 5,855,467,909 | 6,365,376,648 | 6,170,603,942 | 6,033,585,532 | 6,207,108,793 | 6,764,907,485 |
| Salaries and wages: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 101,138,551 | 108,183,782 | 110,168,714 | 111,227,450 | 110,938,441 | 110,890,993 | 112,857,828 |
| Amount.. | 3,201,456,569 | 4,132,473,459 | 4,456,167,438 | 4,565,229,218 | 4,559,690,903 | 4,649,900,493 | 4,977,868,690 |
| Taxable interest received: ${ }^{4}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 67,028,830 | 67,218,877 | 68,046,458 | 67,479,816 | 63,584,806 | 59,459,344 | 57,675,120 |
| Amount. | 154,780,536 | 175,675,236 | 199,321,670 | 198,177,814 | 149,024,899 | 127,159,692 | 111,561,113 |
| Tax-exempt interest: ${ }^{5}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 5,006,129 | 4,801,877 | 4,658,345 | 4,557,381 | 4,453,829 | 4,524,955 | 4,386,097 |
| Amount | 48,518,428 | 52,513,007 | 53,951,877 | 55,582,376 | 54,564,465 | 53,750,230 | 49,837,939 |
| Dividends in AGI: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | 26,214,195 | 32,226,492 | 34,140,605 | 32,621,151 | 31,409,759 | 30,475,097 | 30,612,466 |
| Amount. | 94,592,325 | 132,465,522 | 146,987,679 | 119,533,324 | 103,241,332 | 115,141,232 | 135,353,804 |
| Qualified dividends in AGI: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | 22,449,379 | 24,544,754 |
| Amount.............. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | 80,994,736 | 102,348,349 |
| Business or profession net income: ${ }^{14}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 12,217,261 | 13,165,318 | 13,312,586 | 13,611,559 | 13,750,982 | 14,442,334 | 15,011,873 |
| Amount. | 191,809,620 | 233,746,237 | 244,598,112 | 249,507,231 | 256,878,740 | 268,581,833 | 280,499,096 |
| Business or profession net loss: 14 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 3,955,590 | 4,146,807 | 4,287,423 | 4,406,790 | 4,846,323 | 4,973,314 | 5,201,188 |
| Amount.. | 22,466,293 | 25,332,170 | 30,732,759 | 32,734,734 | 36,095,167 | 38,926,548 | 41,915,266 |
| Net capital gain in AGI: ${ }^{6,8}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 14,829,385 | 22,497,646 | 22,645,728 | 12,630,577 | 9,969,731 | 9,081,384 | 10,749,057 |
| Amount... | 180,130,460 | 552,604,872 | 644,284,795 | 348,132,997 | 268,202,336 | 322,973,738 | 440,133,546 |
| Net capital loss in AGI: ${ }^{6,9}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 5,133,540 | 5,202,857 | 6,875,037 | 10,839,824 | 13,279,894 | 12,808,303 | 11,493,985 |
| Amount. | 9,715,254 | 9,846,756 | 13,742,364 | 22,964,034 | 29,833,878 | 28,952,022 | 25,454,976 |
| Sales of property other than capital assets, net gain: ${ }^{10}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 802,688 | 834,575 | 827,490 | 772,632 | 789,392 | 798,662 | 827,819 |
| Amount....... | 5,734,820 | 6,557,503 | 7,445,007 | 7,208,365 | 7,291,728 | 8,138,821 | 9,311,122 |
| Sales of property other than capital assets, net loss: ${ }^{10}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 974,545 | 898,350 | 872,562 | 843,253 | 938,985 | 955,198 | 848,226 |
| Amount.......... | 8,744,858 | 8,269,794 | 8,364,141 | 9,105,361 | 9,678,258 | 8,469,180 | 6,665,222 |
| Pensions and annuities in AGI: ${ }^{11}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 18,414,601 | 21,343,646 | 21,765,211 | 22,262,774 | 22,794,417 | 22,822,842 | 23,344,955 |
| Amount.... | 221,053,045 | 304,310,714 | 325,827,702 | 338,745,409 | 357,840,960 | 372,931,442 | 399,311,044 |
| Unemployment compensation: ${ }^{12}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 7,985,322 | 6,775,723 | 6,478,292 | 8,799,886 | 10,334,639 | 10,065,230 | 9,154,275 |
| Amount. | 19,336,423 | 17,530,779 | 16,913,305 | 26,890,925 | 43,129,155 | 44,007,879 | 32,740,408 |

Table 1.--Individual Income Tax Returns: Selected Income and Tax Items for Specified Tax Years, 1995-2004 --Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Item | 1995 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004p |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) |
| Adjusted gross income (AGI)--continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Social Security benefits in AGI: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 6,598,033 | 9,459,189 | 10,608,572 | 10,779,280 | 10,702,502 | 10,975,002 | 11,825,356 |
| Amount... | 45,715,361 | 75,078,976 | 89,964,021 | 93,559,363 | 93,459,494 | 97,768,201 | 111,778,572 |
| Rent net income: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 4,358,760 | 4,355,533 | 4,200,588 | 4,226,121 | 4,228,529 | 4,086,160 | 4,025,148 |
| Amount. | 35,165,713 | 43,459,764 | 45,099,159 | 47,307,618 | 49,265,943 | 49,236,378 | 49,737,212 |
| Rent net loss: ${ }^{14}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 4,903,387 | 4,616,526 | 4,520,263 | 4,504,545 | 4,500,788 | 4,529,086 | 4,622,122 |
| Amount. | 27,437,709 | 28,341,505 | 30,309,122 | 31,057,269 | 34,253,712 | 37,558,496 | 42,402,272 |
| Royalty net income: ${ }^{15}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | 1,096,821 | 1,117,408 | 1,103,851 | 1,133,409 | 1,118,018 | 1,242,840 | 1,253,398 |
| Amount. | 5,010,334 | 6,482,226 | 7,997,803 | 10,630,523 | 8,013,942 | 10,729,655 | 11,315,896 |
| Royalty net loss: ${ }^{15}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 36,680 | 46,926 | 36,033 | 46,313 | 38,389 | 32,790 | 30,039 |
| Amount.. | 84,550 | 131,699 | 100,895 | 89,482 | 140,775 | 123,569 | 167,299 |
| Partnership and S corporation net income: ${ }^{16}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | 3,566,632 | 4,154,776 | 4,179,537 | 4,356,933 | 4,329,316 | 4,453,988 | 4,391,303 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns ... | 2,055,062 | 2,121,841 | 2,120,784 | 2,139,574 | 2,394,105 | 2,552,592 | 2,268,094 |
| Amount.. | 40,666,189 | 58,685,867 | 72,511,266 | 76,448,871 | 76,697,948 | 78,972,015 | 57,536,319 |
| Estate or trust net income: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 506,584 | 516,024 | 556,534 | 493,247 | 539,946 | 499,416 | 478,444 |
| Amount. | 6,870,734 | 10,975,854 | 12,134,000 | 12,378,332 | 12,459,427 | 13,498,758 | 13,051,086 |
| Estate or trust net loss: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 41,050 | 40,071 | 39,026 | 44,096 | 41,508 | 33,117 | 31,176 |
| Amount. | 816,719 | 1,092,143 | 1,127,838 | 2,158,566 | 1,219,102 | 1,083,966 | 630,041 |
| Farm net income: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 726,065 | 725,782 | 703,083 | 649,173 | 556,331 | 592,019 | 591,038 |
| Amount | 8,192,174 | 9,201,162 | 8,270,319 | 7,656,704 | 6,324,051 | 7,472,503 | 7,830,456 |
| Farm net loss: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 1,493,178 | 1,320,526 | 1,358,701 | 1,357,698 | 1,438,741 | 1,405,097 | 1,414,985 |
| Amount. | 16,041,814 | 15,444,078 | 17,305,037 | 18,661,484 | 20,743,770 | 19,843,995 | 19,894,553 |
| Total statutory adjustments: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns ....... | 18,208,887 | 22,659,973 | 23,197,425 | 23,497,092 | 28,911,078 | 30,382,069 | 32,069,452 |
| Amount ................. | 41,139,577 | 56,698,800 | 58,609,518 | 60,572,768 | 77,161,432 | 87,575,677 | 94,479,216 |
| Educator expenses: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 2,884,403 | 3,240,673 | 3,437,540 |
| Amount .......... | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 712,505 | 805,734 | 865,467 |
| Individual Retirement Arrangements: 18 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 4,300,722 | 3,687,149 | 3,505,032 | 3,448,457 | 3,277,671 | 3,418,494 | 3,379,417 |
| Amount. | 8,338,014 | 7,883,438 | 7,477,074 | 7,406,866 | 9,462,404 | 10,006,814 | 10,239,186 |
| Student loan interest deduction: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | N/A | 4,136,505 | 4,477,986 | 4,405,667 | 6,640,784 | 6,953,370 | 7,604,016 |
| Amount | N/A | 2,254,531 | 2,639,472 | 2,711,733 | 4,469,546 | 4,409,816 | 4,438,098 |
| Tuition and fees deduction: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 3,444,941 | 3,571,154 | 4,738,193 |
| Amount. | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 6,154,145 | 6,683,631 | 10,677,851 |
| Medical savings account deduction: ${ }^{19}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns | N/A | 50,393 | 65,415 | 69,957 | 61,118 | 67,347 | 30,883 |
| Amount. | N/A | 81,977 | 120,330 | 123,296 | 121,282 | 129,214 | 63,086 |
| Keogh and self-employed retirement plans: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns . | 1,032,102 | 1,264,007 | 1,287,706 | 1,290,496 | 1,186,947 | 1,208,801 | 1,171,091 |
| Amount. | 8,734,145 | 11,928,242 | 12,475,396 | 13,114,412 | 16,349,738 | 17,795,957 | 17,982,632 |
| Deduction for self-employment tax: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns ..... | 12,849,084 | 14,029,609 | 14,300,141 | 14,574,036 | 14,664,473 | 15,373,279 | 15,763,127 |
| Amount | 13,341,810 | 16,689,650 | 17,392,967 | 18,134,959 | 18,687,162 | 19,791,285 | 20,148,573 |

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## Selected Historical and Other Data

Table 1.--Individual Income Tax Returns: Selected Income and Tax Items for Specified Tax Years, 1995-2004 --Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Item | 1995 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004p |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) |
| Total statutory adjustments--continued Self-employed health insurance: ${ }^{20}$ <br> Number of returns. $\qquad$ <br> Amount. $\qquad$ | $3,011,145$ $2,601,145$ | $3,491,539$ $6,755,071$ | $3,564,624$ $7,569,198$ | $3,559,792$ $8,177,397$ | $3,571,152$ $10,494,247$ | $3,802,277$ $16,454,211$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3,699,187 \\ 17,270,521 \end{array}$ |
| Exemptions: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of exemptions, total. | 237,164,486 | 248,657,119 | 252,332,427 | 256,186,046 | 258,716,374 | 261,126,373 | 264,727,822 |
| Amount..... | 584,509,487 | 669,241,317 | 690,109,474 | 727,554,990 | 761,440,430 | 781,305,067 | 803,389,845 |
| Number of boxes checked for taxpayer's age 65 or over... ${ }^{21}$ | 19,450,417 | 21,785,802 | 22,475,999 | 22,825,923 | 22,948,745 | 23,178,832 | 24,008,864 |
| Primary taxpayer. | 13,875,464 | 15,760,847 | 16,159,749 | 16,443,262 | 16,444,649 | 16,626,808 | 17,086,909 |
| Spouse... | 5,574,953 | 6,024,955 | 6,316,250 | 6,382,661 | 6,504,096 | 6,552,024 | 6,921,955 |
| Total deductions: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns..... | 117,230,454 | 125,999,671 | 128,204,824 | 128,800,540 | 128,302,742 | 128,592,872 | 130,572,217 |
| Amount...... | 940,958,666 | 1,205,337,338 | 1,293,181,391 | 1,366,435,851 | 1,390,114,852 | 1,457,644,886 | 1,536,262,023 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 83,222,737 | 85,755,366 | 85,670,504 | 84,238,233 | 82,655,191 | 84,643,281 | 84,384,089 |
| Amount. | 413,584,632 | 463,960,491 | 470,820,881 | 466,971,032 | 477,170,045 | 539,921,089 | 548,505,579 |
| Returns with additional standard deductions for age 65 or over or blindness: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 10,809,600 | 11,200,024 | 11,330,554 | 11,116,629 | 10,857,098 | 11,200,647 | 11,118,473 |
| Amount.. | 12,319,288 | 14,264,309 | 14,735,998 | 14,936,559 | 14,897,487 | 15,858,963 | 16,053,978 |
| Itemized deductions: ${ }_{24}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns..... | 34,007,717 | 40,244,305 | 42,534,320 | 44,562,308 | 45,647,551 | 43,949,591 | 46,188,128 |
| Amount. ${ }^{24}$ | 527,374,034 | 741,376,847 | 822,360,510 | 884,528,260 | 898,047,320 | 901,864,834 | 971,702,466 |
| Medical and dental expense: ${ }^{25}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 5,351,066 | 5,884,418 | 6,513,104 | 7,571,522 | 8,547,481 | 8,678,320 | 9,458,334 |
| Amount.. | 26,964,295 | 35,375,998 | 39,251,004 | 47,071,726 | 52,276,395 | 56,007,076 | 61,292,493 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 33,530,277 | 39,564,240 | 41,823,555 | 43,797,188 | 44,793,590 | 43,061,888 | 45,870,333 |
| Amount.. | 188,643,888 | 265,365,133 | 294,711,547 | 307,974,817 | 302,653,989 | 310,896,704 | 357,908,694 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 28,704,828 | 33,705,780 | 35,405,336 | 36,800,610 | 37,637,017 | 36,211,578 | 37,961,584 |
| Amount. | 215,077,974 | 291,552,907 | 322,931,506 | 349,900,751 | 351,495,773 | 340,319,125 | 345,937,522 |
| Home mortgage interest paid:Number of returns............. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 28,350,260 | 33,267,570 | 34,914,116 | 36,331,190 | 37,216,044 | 35,797,375 | 37,570,218 |
| Amount.. | 203,074,312 | 272,148,740 | 299,963,368 | 330,692,376 | 336,570,649 | 325,191,983 | 335,313,914 |
| Charitable contributions: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 30,540,637 | 35,523,471 | 37,524,825 | 39,386,782 | 40,399,695 | 38,626,902 | 40,594,576 |
| Amount.. | 74,991,519 | 125,798,548 | 140,681,631 | 139,241,476 | 140,571,365 | 145,702,137 | 156,200,064 |
| Taxable income: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 94,612,292 | 102,845,571 | 105,259,292 | 104,174,654 | 102,275,969 | 101,392,812 | 102,915,892 |
| Amount | 2,813,826,386 | 4,136,119,714 | 4,544,242,424 | 4,268,506,425 | 4,096,127,651 | 4,200,218,439 | 4,649,039,200 |
| Income tax before credits: ${ }^{28,29} \ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns | 94,497,909 | 102,834,362 | 105,277,966 | 104,195,834 | 102,293,722 | 101,412,777 | 102,922,519 |
| Amount | 596,168,654 | 906,811,755 | 1,018,218,948 | 933,567,474 | 836,842,718 | 790,005,881 | 881,808,770 |
| Tax credits: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. ${ }_{30,31}{ }^{30,31}$ | 15,240,064 | 36,621,595 | 37,736,095 | 49,792,710 | 40,614,049 | 41,091,029 | 41,868,743 |
| Total amount...... | 10,040,198 | 35,892,344 | 37,722,293 | 45,631,198 | 39,862,411 | 41,995,756 | 51,389,855 |
| Child care credit: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 5,964,253 | 6,182,193 | 6,368,101 | 6,184,507 | 6,185,855 | 6,313,297 | 6,400,794 |
| Amount...................... | 2,517,962 | 2,675,147 | 2,793,860 | 2,721,061 | 2,706,539 | 3,206,890 | 3,380,224 |
| Credit for the elderly or disabled: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 251,524 | 181,813 | 155,796 | 139,097 | 133,538 | 123,147 | 107,271 |
| Amount....... | 48,028 | 33,629 | 32,608 | 30,496 | 21,119 | 20,257 | 18,292 |
| Child tax credit: ${ }^{32}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | N/A | 26,016,019 | 26,404,521 | 26,452,875 | 25,939,801 | 25,672,254 | 26,070,095 |
| Amount. | N/A | 19,398,625 | 19,689,359 | 22,427,229 | 21,520,271 | 22,788,025 | 32,426,392 |
| Education credits: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | N/A | 6,436,654 | 6,815,316 | 7,212,554 | 6,475,134 | 7,298,227 | 7,253,234 |
| Amount. | N/A | 4,772,443 | 4,851,178 | 5,156,254 | 4,882,853 | 5,843,029 | 6,076,920 |

Table 1.--Individual Income Tax Returns: Selected Income and Tax Items for Specified Tax Years, 1995-2004 --Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Item | 1995 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004p |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) |
| Tax credits--continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Retirement savings contributions credit: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 5,307,176 | 5,296,688 | 5,361,813 |
| Amount.. | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 1,058,219 | 1,034,394 | 1,026,889 |
| Foreign tax credit: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 1,730,566 | 3,266,544 | 3,935,699 | 3,942,604 | 3,748,974 | 4,145,174 | 4,696,787 |
| Amount... | 2,965,313 | 4,941,010 | 5,990,360 | 6,254,559 |  |  | 5,754,318 |
| General business credit: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | 267,527 | 287,658 | 275,116 | 269,648713,974 | 284,720750,855 | $\begin{aligned} & 262,738 \\ & 612,744 \end{aligned}$ | 230,905 |
| Amount.. | 702,906 | 783,920 | 764,253 |  |  |  | 507,705 |
| Income tax after credits: ${ }^{28}$ |  |  |  | 713,974 |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.... | 89,233,118 |  | 96,815,794 | 94,763,163 | 90,963,775 | 88,921,898 | 89,206,556 |
| Amount. | 586,128,456 | $870,919,411$ | 980,496,655 | 887,936,276 | 796,980,307 | 748,010,125 | 830,418,915 |
| Total income tax: ${ }^{33}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns . | 89,252,989 | 94,546,080 | 96,817,602 | 94,763,530 | 90,963,896 | 88,921,904 | $89,206,556$$830,419,041$ |
| Amount. | 588,419,030 | 877,401,489 | 980,645,201 | 887,973,968 | 796,986,268 | 748,017,488 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 830,419,041 |
| Number of returns........ |  | 414,106 | $1,018,063$$6,477,697$ | $1,304,198$$9,600,840$ | 1,120,047 | 1,910,789 | 2,357,975 | 3,132,706 |
| Amount.... | 6,756,705 |  |  |  | 6,853,901 | 9,469,803 | 12,062,016 |
| Earned income credit: ${ }^{35}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | $\begin{aligned} & 19,334,397 \\ & 25,955,575 \end{aligned}$ | $19,258,715$$31,901,107$ | $19,277,225$$32,296,341$ | $19,593,122$$33,375,971$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21,703,187 \\ & 38,198,572 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22,024,227 \\ & 38,657,067 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22,479,207 \\ & 40,616,952 \end{aligned}$ |
| Amount. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Used to offset income tax before credits: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | $7,850,841$$3,145,736$ | $5,352,300$$1,918,065$ | 5,416,2461,968,680 | $\begin{aligned} & 4,412,721 \\ & 1,470,200 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,168,977 \\ & 1,114,948 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3,606,251 \\ 926,381 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,988,349 \\ 772,269 \end{array}$ |
| Amount... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Used to offset other taxes: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | $\begin{aligned} & 2,909,053 \\ & 1,980,998 \end{aligned}$ | $3,137,122$$2,378,860$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,147,876 \\ & 2,523,703 \end{aligned}$ | 3,506,426 | $\begin{aligned} & 4,106,193 \\ & 3,346,682 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,401,160 \\ & 3,718,355 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,680,510 \\ & 4,045,464 \end{aligned}$ |
| Amount.. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Excess earned income credit (refundable): |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | 15,177,901 | 16,049,812 | $\begin{aligned} & 16,125,542 \\ & 27,803,959 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16,631,224 \\ & 29,042,833 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,780,033 \\ & 33,736,942 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19,162,460 \\ & 34,012,332 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19,674,899 \\ & 35,799,219 \end{aligned}$ |
| Amount. | 20,828,840 | 27,604,182 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tax payments, total: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. ${ }^{36}$. | $\begin{aligned} & 111,098,864 \\ & 670,131,074 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 119,809,259 \\ & 981,100,157 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 122,243,874 \\ 1,084,868,447 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 123,451,339 \\ 1,076,500,696 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 120,083,021 \\ & 953,697,397 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 123,461,513 \\ & 974,543,079 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 125,363,566 \\ 1,007,623,935 \end{array}$ |
| Amount.............. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Income tax withheld: ${ }^{37}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | $\begin{aligned} & 102,436,220 \\ & 495,484,153 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 111,193,931 \\ & 695,526,980 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 113,733,442 \\ & 763,901,388 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 114,798,386 \\ & 773,325,891 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 114,861,744 \\ & 717,492,263 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 114,861,706 \\ & 703,758,484 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116,879,018 \\ & 746,802,522 \end{aligned}$ |
| Amount. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Excess Social Security tax withheld: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | $\begin{aligned} & 1,033,189 \\ & 1,081,454 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,377,613 \\ & 1,712,649 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,640,582 \\ & 2,184,849 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,436,746 \\ & 1,915,349 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,145,352 \\ & 1,564,478 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,121,141 \\ & 1,566,411 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,244,015 \\ & 1,731,843 \end{aligned}$ |
| Amount................ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Estimated tax payments: ${ }^{38}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | $\begin{array}{r} 11,903,592 \\ 122,489,252 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13,169,356 \\ 196,915,946 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13,326,669 \\ 221,621,893 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13,167,855 \\ 220,195,712 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12,434,579 \\ 198,177,595 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11,576,213 \\ 182,906,911 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10,888,906 \\ 176,626,529 \end{array}$ |
| Amount.. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Payments with requests for extension of filing time: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns........................ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,368,994 \\ 24,929,343 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,510,206 \\ 53,984,319 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,610,937 \\ 63,396,711 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,448,214 \\ 42,495,018 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,235,156 \\ 36,321,934 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \text { 1,333,579 } \\ 38,303,188 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 935,855 \\ 27,170,029 \end{array}$ |
| Amount... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tax due at time of filing: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | $\begin{aligned} & 29,734,331 \\ & 71,153,015 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 29,200,902 \\ 119,091,512 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 30,624,423 \\ 134,944,362 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24,581,130 \\ & 91,822,703 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22,818,761 \\ & 82,287,723 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21,072,333 \\ & 73,741,408 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 24,204,175 \\ 112,251,285 \end{array}$ |
| Amount. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tax overpayments, total: ${ }^{40}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns... | $\begin{array}{r} 85,348,771 \\ 119,462,121 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 94,827,237 \\ 182,049,186 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 95,921,082 \\ 196,198,780 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102,310,896 \\ & 236,982,082 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 103,462,884 \\ & 239,784,002 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 105,361,848 \\ & 254,553,541 \end{aligned}$ | $104,189,272$ |
| Amount. |  |  |  |  |  |  | 242,866,347 |
| Overpayment refunds: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 82,744,440 | 91,600,741 | 93,000,030 | 99,011,975 | 100,143,606 | 102,004,984 | 101,415,475 |
| Amount. | 104,537,379 | 155,513,635 | 167,577,365 | 202,274,032 | 205,987,348 | 219,751,889 | 220,893,024 |

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## Selected Historical and Other Data

Table 3.--Number of Individual Income Tax Returns, Income, Exemptions and Deductions, Tax, and Average Tax, by Size of Adjusted Gross Income, Tax Years 2002-2004


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Table 3.--Number of Individual Income Tax Returns, Income, Exemptions and Deductions, Tax, and Average Tax, by Size of Adjusted Gross Income, Tax Years 2002-2004--Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars except as indicated]

| Size of adjusted gross income | Total income tax |  |  | Percentage of returns showing no total income tax |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2002 | 2003 | 2004p | 2002 | 2003 | 2004p |
|  | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) |
| Total . | 796,986,268 | 748,017,488 | 830,419,041 | 30.1 | 31.8 | 32.6 |
| No adjusted gross income ${ }^{1,2}$. | 124,380 | 78,578 | 47,812 | 99.7 | 99.8 | 99.8 |
| \$1 under \$1,000 ${ }^{\text {2 }}$. | 898 | 16,345 | 703 | 95.4 | 95.8 | 95.3 |
| \$1,000 under \$3,000 ${ }^{\text {2 }}$. | 39,664 | 25,999 | 20,924 | 91.2 | 92.6 | 92.6 |
| \$3,000 under \$5,000 ${ }^{\text {2 }}$. | 43,481 | 30,614 | 30,722 | 89.9 | 92.1 | 94.2 |
| \$5,000 under \$7,000 ... | 215,288 | 187,811 | 170,107 | 70.4 | 72.3 | 69.9 |
| \$7,000 under \$9,000 | 352,620 | 334,350 | 311,706 | 68.3 | 70.6 | 72.3 |
| \$9,000 under \$11,000. | 642,801 | 630,750 | 553,973 | 51.0 | 49.8 | 53.6 |
| \$11,000 under \$ 13,000 | 1,090,930 | 971,360 | 917,560 | 47.8 | 49.6 | 51.2 |
| \$13,000 under \$15,000 | 1,470,430 | 1,406,837 | 1,252,324 | 49.9 | 48.7 | 51.6 |
| \$15,000 under \$17,000 | 2,085,024 | 1,785,236 | 1,743,469 | 39.7 | 47.7 | 49.2 |
| \$17,000 under \$ 19,000 | 2,633,409 | 2,245,211 | 2,263,490 | 38.4 | 43.1 | 42.9 |
| \$19,000 under \$22,000 | 4,944,001 | 4,367,181 | 3,988,307 | 58.8 | 39.8 | 41.5 |
| \$22,000 under \$25,000 | 5,648,796 | 5,281,191 | 5,079,188 | 35.4 | 36.3 | 38.1 |
| \$25,000 under \$30,000 | 12,329,287 | 11,036,040 | 10,674,634 | 23.8 | 28.7 | 31.4 |
| \$30,000 under \$40,000 | 32,654,711 | 29,737,819 | 28,304,038 | 10.9 | 15.1 | 18.9 |
| \$40,000 under \$50,000 | 38,114,016 | 34,635,213 | 33,886,311 | 4.9 | 7.5 | 10.4 |
| \$50,000 under \$75,000 | 101,820,331 | 94,256,193 | 92,801,018 | 1.3 | 2.0 | 3.8 |
| \$75,000 under \$100,000. | 93,655,145 | 84,253,116 | 85,685,277 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 1.0 |
| \$100,000 under \$200,000.. | 175,140,747 | 163,342,407 | 176,172,526 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| \$200,000 under \$500,000 .. | 124,764,596 | 120,711,552 | 139,557,079 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| \$500,000 under \$1,000,000.. | 63,370,780 | 60,180,642 | 72,119,837 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| \$1,000,000 under \$1,500,000 | 27,479,397 | 25,551,466 | 30,962,223 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| \$1,500,000 under \$2,000,000.. | 15,890,811 | 15,316,006 | 19,446,875 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| \$2,000,000 under \$5,000,000. | 38,692,291 | 36,905,426 | 49,055,760 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| \$5,000,000 under \$10,000,000.. | 20,044,370 | 19,313,636 | 26,538,674 | 0.2 | 0.1 | (4) |
| \$10,000,000 or more . | 33,738,065 | 35,416,509 | 48,834,502 | 0.2 | 0.2 | (4) |
| Size of adjusted gross income | Returns showing total income tax |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Average tax (whole dollars) |  |  | Tax as a percentage of AGI |  |  |
|  | 2002 | 2003 | 2004p | 2002 | 2003 | 2004p |
| Total $\qquad$ <br> No adjusted gross income | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) |
|  | 8,762 | 8,412 | 9,309 | 14.1 | 13.0 | 13.3 |
|  | 26,274 | 17,377 | 11,911 | (5) | (5) | (5) |
| \$1 under \$1,000 ${ }^{2}$... | 11 | 229 | 9 | 1.2 | 26.7 | 0.9 |
| \$1,000 under \$3,000 ${ }^{2} \ldots$ | 9484 | 72 | 59 | 4.8 | 4.0 | 3.1 |
| \$3,000 under \$5,000 ${ }^{\text {2 }}$. |  | 76 | 104 | 1.9 | 1.7 | 2.4 |
| \$5,000 under \$7,000 | 145 | 134 | 118 | 2.4 | 2.3 | 2.0 |
| \$7,000 under \$9,000. | 224259 | 223 | 223 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 2.7 |
| \$9,000 under \$11,000. |  | 253 | 247 | 2.6 | 2.5 | 2.5 |
| \$11,000 under \$ 13,000 | 441 | 415 | 405 | 3.7 | 3.5 | 3.4 |
| \$13,000 under \$15,000 | 611 | 582 | 564 | 4.4 | 4.1 | 4.0 |
| \$15,000 under \$17,000 | 747 | 733 | 740 | 4.7 | 4.6 | 4.6 |
| \$17,000 under \$19,000 | 948 | 884 | 877 | 5.3 | 4.9 | 4.9 |
| \$19,000 under \$22,000 | 1,214 | 1,149 | 1,105 | 5.9 | 5.6 | 5.4 |
| \$22,000 under \$25,000 | 1,548 | 1,457 | 1,432 | 6.6 | 6.2 | 6.1 |
| \$25,000 under \$30,000 | 1,8862,622 | 1,812 | 1,825 | 6.9 | 6.6 | 6.6 |
| \$30,000 under \$40,000 |  |  | 2,499 | 7.5 | 7.2 | 7.2 |
| \$40,000 under \$50,000 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,622 \\ & 3,800 \end{aligned}$ | 3,582 | 3,578 | 8.5 | 8.0 | 8.0 |
| \$50,000 under \$75,000 | $5,931$ | 5,536 | 5,344 | 9.7 | 9.0 | 8.7 |
| \$75,000 under \$100,000... | $\begin{aligned} & 10,169 \\ & 20,831 \end{aligned}$ | 8,882 | 8,527 | 11.8 | 10.3 | 9.9 |
| \$100,000 under \$200,000...... |  | 18,432 | 18,091 | 15.8 | 14.0 | 13.7 |
| \$200,000 under \$500,000 | $\begin{array}{r} 65,452 \\ 188,463 \end{array}$ | 60,453 | 59,801 | 22.8 | 21.0 | 20.7 |
| \$500,000 under \$1,000,000.. |  | 169,166 | 166,196 | 27.9 | 25.0 | 24.6 |
| \$1,000,000 under \$1,500,000 .. | 352,318 | 313,177 | 303,304 | 29.3 | 25.9 | 25.1 |
| \$1,500,000 under \$2,000,000... | 508,213 | 450,683 | 437,490 | 29.6 | 26.2 | 25.4 |
| \$2,000,000 under \$5,000,000 .. | 876,541 | 765,117 | 753,371 | 29.7 | 26.0 | 25.4 |
| \$5,000,000 under \$10,000,000. | 2,003,435 | 1,730,613 | 1,696,738 | 29.4 | 25.3 | 24.7 |
| \$10,000,000 or more | 6,370,481 | 5,792,690 | 5,129,136 | 26.1 | 22.4 | 23.0 |

See notes at end of this section.

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Table 4.--Comparison of Personal Income in the National Income and Product Accounts (NIPA) with Adjusted Gross Income (AGI), for Specified Tax Years, 1985-2003
[All figures are estimates--money amounts are in billions of dollars]

| Income and adjustment items | 1985 | 1990 | 1995 | 2000 | 2002 | 2003 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
| Personal income (per NIPA) ${ }^{1}$.................................................... | 3,526.7 | 4,878.6 | 6,152.3 | 8,429.7 | 8,881.9 | 9,169.1 |
| Less: Portion of personal income not included in AGI............... | 1,248.2 | 1,669.9 | 2,234.2 | 2,971.3 | 3,243.9 | 3,359.9 |
| Nontaxable transfer payments. | 401.9 | 551.2 | 797.5 | 962.0 | 1,126.5 | 1,180.1 |
| Employer contributions to employee pension and insurance funds. $\qquad$ | 281.5 | 377.8 | 493.6 | 609.9 | 745.1 | 830.0 |
| Imputed income ${ }^{2}$. | 84.9 | 114.1 | 186.7 | 265.8 | 294.8 | 271.8 |
| Investment income of life insurance carriers and pension plans | 204.2 | 304.2 | 369.1 | 497.3 | 432.0 | 421.8 |
| Investment income received by nonprofit institutions or retained by fiduciaries $\qquad$ | 37.5 | 51.6 | 60.0 | 75.6 | 60.0 | 57.8 |
| Net differences in accounting treatment (NIPA vs. IRS) | 83.4 | 110.4 | 83.8 | 159.4 | 146.0 | 127.2 |
| Other excluded or tax-exempt income ................................. | 154.8 | 160.6 | 243.4 | 401.4 | 439.5 | 471.3 |
| Plus: Portion of AGI not included in personal income.. | 353.1 | 589.7 | 841.7 | 1,667.1 | 1,338.9 | 1,439.6 |
| Personal contributions for social insurance | 133.6 | 203.7 | 268.8 | 359.2 | 384.8 | 396.6 |
| Net gain from the sale of assets.. | 69.8 | 115.7 | 167.4 | 645.4 | 236.4 | 294.0 |
| Taxable pensions | 145.0 | 215.9 | 293.2 | 414.2 | 462.7 | 488.9 |
| Small business corporation income. | 6.3 | 36.4 | 79.2 | 128.2 | 138.5 | 148.6 |
| Other types of income....................................................... | -1.7 | 18.1 | 33.2 | 120.0 | 116.5 | 111.5 |
| Equals: BEA-derived adjusted gross income............................. | 2,631.6 | 3,798.4 | 4,759.8 | 7,125.4 | 6,976.8 | 7,248.8 |
| Adjusted gross income, IRS...................................................... | 2,306.0 | 3,405.4 | 4,189.4 | 6,365.4 | 6,033.6 | 6,207.1 |
| Adjusted gross income (AGI) gap 3............................................. | 325.6 | 393.0 | 570.4 | 760.1 | 943.2 | 1,041.7 |
| AGI gap as a percentage of |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| BEA-derived AGI ............ | 12.4 | 10.3 | 12.0 | 10.7 | 13.5 | 14.4 |
| AGI of IRS as a percentage of |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| BEA-derived AGI .............................................................. | 87.6 | 89.7 | 88.0 | 89.3 | 86.5 | 85.6 |

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Table 5.--Personal Income and Total Adjusted Gross Income Based on Individual Income Tax Returns per National Income and Product Accounts (NIPA), Tax Years 1950-2003
[All figures are estimates--money amounts are in billions of dollars]

| Tax year | Personal income (per NIPA) ${ }^{1,2}$ | Total adjusted gross income (AGI) (per NIPA) | Difference |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Amount ${ }^{2,3}$ | Percentage of personal income ${ }^{2,3}$ |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) |
| 1950.. | 229.0 | 202.5 | 26.5 | 11.6 |
| 1951. | 258.0 | 229.3 | 28.7 | 11.1 |
| 1952. | 275.4 | 241.6 | 33.8 | 12.3 |
| 1953. | 291.9 | 256.1 | 35.8 | 12.3 |
| 1954. | 294.5 | 257.3 | 37.2 | 12.6 |
| 1955.. | 316.1 | 278.7 | 37.4 | 11.8 |
| 1956. | 339.6 | 299.4 | 40.2 | 11.8 |
| 1957. | 358.7 | 312.6 | 46.1 | 12.9 |
| 1958. | 369.0 | 315.8 | 53.2 | 14.4 |
| 1959. | 392.8 | 341.8 | 51.0 | 13.0 |
| 1960. | 411.5 | 354.0 | 57.5 | 14.0 |
| 1961.. | 429.0 | 368.0 | 61.0 | 14.2 |
| 1962. | 456.7 | 390.0 | 66.7 | 14.6 |
| 1963. | 479.6 | 411.0 | 68.6 | 14.3 |
| 1964. | 514.6 | 443.9 | 70.7 | 13.7 |
| 1965. | 555.7 | 480.6 | 75.1 | 13.5 |
| 1966. | 603.9 | 521.2 | 82.7 | 13.7 |
| 1967. | 648.3 | 551.3 | 97.0 | 15.0 |
| 1968. | 712.0 | 605.6 | 106.4 | 14.9 |
| 1969... | 778.5 | 659.8 | 118.7 | 15.2 |
| 1970.. | 838.8 | 696.4 | 142.4 | 17.0 |
| 1971.. | 903.5 | 742.8 | 160.7 | 17.8 |
| 1972. | 992.7 | 824.5 | 168.2 | 16.9 |
| 1973. | 1,110.7 | 925.0 | 185.7 | 16.7 |
| 1974. | 1,222.6 | 1,003.5 | 219.1 | 17.9 |
| 1975.. | 1,335.0 | 1,046.8 | 288.2 | 21.6 |
| 1976. | 1,474.8 | 1,168.0 | 306.8 | 20.8 |
| 1977. | 1,633.2 | 1,296.1 | 337.1 | 20.6 |
| 1978. | 1,837.7 | 1,466.4 | 371.3 | 20.2 |
| 1979. | 2,062.2 | 1,654.1 | 408.1 | 19.8 |
| 1980... | 2,307.9 | 1,830.3 | 477.6 | 20.7 |
| 1981.. | 2,591.3 | 2,016.3 | 575.0 | 22.2 |
| 1982. | 2,775.3 | 2,098.6 | 676.7 | 24.4 |
| 1983. | 2,960.7 | 2,225.6 | 735.1 | 24.8 |
| 1984. | 3,289.5 | 2,472.6 | 816.9 | 24.8 |
| 1985.. | 3,526.7 | 2,631.6 | 895.1 | 25.4 |
| 1986. | 3,722.4 | 2,853.2 | 869.2 | 23.4 |
| 1987. | 3,947.4 | 3,121.1 | 826.3 | 20.9 |
| 1988. | 4,253.7 | 3,411.9 | 841.8 | 19.8 |
| 1989. | 4,587.8 | 3,649.7 | 938.1 | 20.4 |
| 1990... | 4,878.6 | 3,798.4 | 1,080.2 | 22.1 |
| 1991. | 5,051.0 | 3,856.8 | 1,194.2 | 23.6 |
| 1992. | 5,362.0 | 4,092.0 | 1,270.0 | 23.7 |
| 1993. | 5,558.5 | 4,245.4 | 1,313.1 | 23.6 |
| 1994.. | 5,842.5 | 4,473.7 | 1,368.8 | 23.4 |
| 1995... | 6,152.3 | 4,759.8 | 1,392.5 | 22.6 |
| 1996.................................................................... | 6,520.6 | 5,144.5 | 1,376.1 | 21.1 |
| 1997.. | 6,915.1 | 5,578.0 | 1,337.1 | 19.3 |
| 1998... | 7,423.0 | 6,120.2 | 1,302.8 | 17.6 |
| 1999... | 7,802.4 | 6,553.5 | 1,248.9 | 16.0 |
| 2000... | 8,429.7 | 7,125.4 | 1,304.3 | 15.5 |
| 2001..................................................................... | 8,724.1 | 7,005.0 | 1,719.1 | 19.7 |
| 2002. | 8,878.9 | 6,976.8 | 1,902.1 | 21.4 |
| 2003..................................................................... | 9,169.1 | 7,248.8 | 1,920.3 | 20.9 |

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Table 6.--Total Adjusted Gross Income Estimated from National Income and Product Accounts (NIPA) and as Reported on Individual Income Tax Returns per Statistics of Income (SOI), Tax Years 1950-2003
[All figures are estimates--money amounts are in billions of dollars]

| Tax year | Adjusted gross income (AGI) |  | Difference |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Total } \\ (\text { per NIPA) } \end{gathered}{ }^{2}$ | Reported on tax returns (per SOI) | Amount ${ }^{3}$ | Percentage of total (per NIPA) ${ }^{3}$ |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) |
| 1950.... | 202.5 | 179.1 | 23.4 | 11.6 |
| 1951... | 229.3 | 202.3 | 27.0 | 11.8 |
| 1952. | 241.6 | 215.3 | 26.3 | 10.9 |
| 1953. | 256.1 | 228.7 | 27.4 | 10.7 |
| 1954. | 257.3 | 229.2 | 28.1 | 10.9 |
| 1955. | 278.7 | 248.5 | 30.2 | 10.8 |
| 1956... | 299.4 | 267.7 | 31.7 | 10.6 |
| 1957.. | 312.6 | 280.3 | 32.3 | 10.3 |
| 1958. | 315.8 | 281.2 | 34.6 | 11.0 |
| 1959. | 341.8 | 305.1 | 36.7 | 10.7 |
| 1960.. | 354.0 | 315.5 | 38.5 | 10.9 |
| 1961.. | 368.0 | 329.9 | 38.1 | 10.4 |
| 1962. | 390.0 | 348.7 | 41.3 | 10.6 |
| 1963. | 411.0 | 368.8 | 42.2 | 10.3 |
| 1964. | 443.9 | 396.7 | 47.2 | 10.6 |
| 1965.. | 480.6 | 429.2 | 51.4 | 10.7 |
| 1966. | 521.2 | 468.5 | 52.7 | 10.1 |
| 1967. | 551.3 | 504.8 | 46.5 | 8.4 |
| 1968.. | 605.6 | 554.4 | 51.2 | 8.5 |
| 1969. | 659.8 | 603.5 | 56.3 | 8.5 |
| 1970.. | 696.4 | 631.7 | 64.7 | 9.3 |
| 1971.. | 742.8 | 673.6 | 69.2 | 9.3 |
| 1972. | 824.5 | 746.0 | 78.5 | 9.5 |
| 1973. | 925.0 | 827.1 | 97.9 | 10.6 |
| 1974... | 1,003.5 | 905.5 | 98.0 | 9.8 |
| 1975. | 1,046.8 | 947.8 | 99.0 | 9.5 |
| 1976... | 1,168.0 | 1,053.9 | 114.1 | 9.8 |
| 1977. | 1,296.1 | 1,158.5 | 137.6 | 10.6 |
| 1978. | 1,466.4 | 1,302.4 | 164.0 | 11.2 |
| 1979.. | 1,654.1 | 1,465.4 | 188.7 | 11.4 |
| 1980.. | 1,830.3 | 1,613.7 | 216.6 | 11.8 |
| 1981.. | 2,016.3 | 1,772.6 | 243.7 | 12.1 |
| 1982. | 2,098.6 | 1,852.1 | 246.5 | 11.7 |
| 1983. | 2,225.6 | 1,942.6 | 283.0 | 12.7 |
| 1984. | 2,472.6 | 2,139.9 | 332.7 | 13.5 |
| 1985.. | 2,631.6 | 2,306.0 | 325.6 | 12.4 |
| 1986. | 2,853.2 | 2,481.7 | 371.5 | 13.0 |
| 1987. | 3,121.1 | 2,773.8 | 347.3 | 11.1 |
| 1988. | 3,411.9 | 3,083.0 | 328.9 | 9.6 |
| 1989. | 3,649.7 | 3,256.4 | 393.3 | 10.8 |
| 1990.. | 3,798.4 | 3,405.4 | 393.0 | 10.3 |
| 1991.. | 3,856.8 | 3,464.5 | 392.3 | 10.2 |
| 1992. | 4,092.0 | 3,629.1 | 462.9 | 11.3 |
| 1993. | 4,245.4 | 3,723.3 | 522.1 | 12.3 |
| 1994. | 4,473.7 | 3,907.5 | 566.2 | 12.7 |
| 1995.. | 4,759.8 | 4,189.4 | 570.4 | 12.0 |
| 1996. | 5,144.5 | 4,536.0 | 608.5 | 11.8 |
| 1997. | 5,578.0 | 4,969.9 | 608.1 | 10.9 |
| 1998.. | 6,120.2 | 5,416.0 | 704.2 | 11.5 |
| 1999. | 6,553.5 | 5,855.5 | 698.0 | 10.7 |
| 2000... | 7,125.4 | 6,365.4 | 760.0 | 10.7 |
| 2001.. | 7,005.0 | 6,170.6 | 834.4 | 11.9 |
| 2002. | 6,976.8 | 6,033.6 | 943.2 | 13.5 |
| 2003. | 7,248.8 | 6,207.1 | 1,041.7 | 14.4 |

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Table 7.--Standard, Itemized, and Total Deductions Reported on Individual Income Tax Returns, Tax Years 1950-2004
[All figures are estimates based on samples--number of returns is in millions; money amounts are in billions of dollars]

| Tax year | Total number of returns | Total deductions |  | Standard deduction |  | Itemized deductions |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Amount ${ }^{1}$ | As a percentage of adjusted gross income (AGI) ${ }^{2}$ | Number <br> of returns ${ }^{3}$ | Amount ${ }^{4}$ | Number <br> of returns ${ }^{3}$ | Amount ${ }^{5}$ |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) |
| 1950... | 53.1 | 21.9 | 12.2 | 42.7 | 12.0 | 10.3 | 9.9 |
| 1951........................................... | 55.4 | 25.2 | 12.5 | 43.9 | 13.3 | 11.6 | 11.9 |
| 1952. | 56.5 | 27.3 | 12.7 | 43.7 | 13.7 | 12.8 | 13.6 |
| 1953......................................... | 57.8 | 29.8 | 13.0 | 43.4 | 14.2 | 14.4 | 15.6 |
| 1954.. | 56.7 | 30.7 | 13.4 | 41.0 | 13.3 | 15.7 | 17.4 |
| 1955........................................... | 58.3 | 33.6 | 13.5 | 40.9 | 13.6 | 16.9 | 20.0 |
| 1956. | 59.2 | 36.4 | 13.6 | 40.3 | 13.8 | 18.5 | 22.6 |
| 1957. | 59.8 | 39.5 | 14.1 | 39.3 | 13.8 | 20.2 | 25.7 |
| 1958.. | 59.1 | 40.7 | 14.5 | 37.9 | 13.2 | 20.8 | 27.5 |
| 1959.. | 60.3 | 45.4 | 14.9 | 37.3 | 13.4 | 22.5 | 32.0 |
| 1960... | 61.0 | 48.4 | 15.3 | 36.5 | 13.1 | 24.1 | 35.3 |
| 1961.. | 61.5 | 51.3 | 15.6 | 35.8 | 12.9 | 25.3 | 38.4 |
| 1962. | 62.7 | 54.8 | 15.7 | 35.8 | 13.1 | 26.5 | 41.7 |
| 1963........................................... | 63.9 | 59.2 | 16.1 | 35.4 | 13.1 | 28.2 | 46.1 |
| 1964. | 65.4 | 67.0 | 16.9 | 38.0 | 20.2 | 26.9 | 46.8 |
| 1965.......................................... | 67.6 | 71.4 | 16.6 | 39.3 | 20.6 | 27.9 | 50.7 |
| 1966. | 70.2 | 76.4 | 16.3 | 41.2 | 21.8 | 28.6 | 54.6 |
| 1967. | 71.7 | 81.7 | 16.2 | 41.5 | 22.1 | 29.8 | 59.6 |
| 1968.. | 73.7 | 91.3 | 16.5 | 41.3 | 22.1 | 32.0 | 69.2 |
| 1969.. | 75.8 | 101.8 | 16.9 | 40.5 | 21.6 | 34.9 | 80.2 |
| 1970.. | 74.3 | 120.5 | 19.1 | 38.4 | 32.4 | 35.4 | 88.2 |
| 1971. | 74.6 | 139.9 | 20.8 | 43.5 | 48.1 | 30.7 | 91.9 |
| 1972. | 77.6 | 166.4 | 22.3 | 50.2 | 69.8 | 27.0 | 96.7 |
| 1973. | 80.7 | 180.6 | 21.8 | 52.2 | 73.6 | 28.0 | 107.0 |
| 1974. | 83.3 | 195.5 | 21.6 | 53.2 | 76.1 | 29.6 | 119.4 |
| 1975.. | 82.2 | 233.2 | 24.6 | 55.5 | 100.9 | 26.1 | 122.3 |
| 1976. | 84.7 | 247.6 | 23.5 | 58.2 | 113.8 | 26.0 | 133.9 |
| $1977 .$. | 86.6 | 276.2 | 23.8 | 58.8 | 137.7 | 22.9 | 138.5 |
| 1978.. | 89.8 | 304.3 | 23.4 | 59.5 | 139.8 | 25.8 | 164.4 |
| 1979.. | 92.7 | 333.0 | 22.7 | 60.7 | 148.8 | 26.5 | 184.2 |
| 1980. | 93.9 | 364.0 | 22.6 | 59.5 | 146.0 | 29.0 | 218.0 |
| 1981. | 95.4 | 401.2 | 22.6 | 58.7 | 144.7 | 31.6 | 256.4 |
| 1982. | 95.3 | 425.2 | 23.0 | 56.9 | 140.2 | 33.4 | 284.5 |
| 1983. | 96.3 | 448.7 | 23.1 | 56.2 | 138.5 | 35.2 | 309.6 |
| 1984. | 99.4 | 499.6 | 23.3 | 56.7 | 139.5 | 38.2 | 358.9 |
| 1985. | 101.7 | 554.7 | 24.1 | 57.0 | 145.0 | 39.8 | 405.0 |
| 1986.......................................... | 103.0 | 611.3 | 24.6 | 56.5 | 151.0 | 40.7 | 447.1 |
| 1987. | 107.0 | 607.2 | 21.9 | 69.1 | 215.2 | 35.6 | 392.0 |
| 1988.. | 109.7 | 686.0 | 22.3 | 76.5 | 289.6 | 31.9 | 395.2 |
| 1989............................................ | 112.1 | 740.4 | 22.7 | 79.3 | 309.4 | 32.0 | 431.0 |
| 1990........................................... | 113.7 | 789.9 | 23.2 | 80.6 | 331.5 | 32.2 | 458.5 |
| 1991............................................ | 114.7 | 818.8 | 23.6 | 81.3 | 351.1 | 32.5 | 467.7 |
| 1992.......................................... | 113.6 | 848.5 | 23.4 | 80.1 | 366.5 | 32.5 | 481.9 |
| 1993........................................... | 114.6 | 872.5 | 23.4 | 80.8 | 382.1 | 32.8 | 490.4 |
| 1994........................................... | 115.9 | 890.8 | 22.8 | 81.9 | 397.1 | 33.0 | 493.7 |
| 1995........................................... | 118.2 | 941.0 | 22.5 | 83.2 | 413.6 | 34.0 | 527.4 |
| 1996. | 120.4 | 998.6 | 22.0 | 84.0 | 426.1 | 35.4 | 572.5 |
| 1997........................................... | 122.4 | 1,062.5 | 21.4 | 84.8 | 441.7 | 36.6 | 620.8 |
| 1998........................................... | 124.8 | 1,135.9 | 21.0 | 85.6 | 459.5 | 38.2 | 676.5 |
| 1999............................................ | 127.1 | 1,205.3 | 20.6 | 85.8 | 464.0 | 40.2 | 741.4 |
| 2000........................................... | 129.4 | 1,293.2 | 20.3 | 85.7 | 470.8 | 42.5 | 822.4 |
| 2001.......................................... | 130.3 | 1,366.4 | 22.1 | 84.2 | 467.0 | 44.6 | 884.5 |
| 2002 .......................................... | 130.1 | 1,390.1 | 23.0 | 82.7 | 477.2 | 45.6 | 898.0 |
| 2003........................................... | 130.4 | 1,457.6 | 23.5 | 84.6 | 539.9 | 43.9 | 901.9 |
| p 2004......................................... | 132.4 | 1,536.3 | 22.7 | 84.4 | 548.5 | 46.2 | 971.7 |

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Table 8.--Personal Income per National Income and Product Accounts (NIPA), and Taxable Income and Individual Income Tax per SOI, Tax Years 1950-2003
[All figures are estimates--money amounts are in billions of dollars]

| Tax year | Personal income (per NIPA $)^{1,2}$ | Taxable income (per SOI) ${ }^{3}$ |  | Total income tax (per SOI) ${ }^{3}$ |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | As a percentage of-- |  |
|  |  | Amount | percentage of personal income | Amount | Personal income | Taxable income |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
| 1950... | 229.0 | 84.3 | 36.8 | 18.4 | 8.0 | 21.8 |
| 1951.. | 258.0 | 99.2 | 38.4 | 24.2 | 9.4 | 24.4 |
| 1952. | 275.4 | 107.2 | 38.9 | 27.8 | 10.1 | 25.9 |
| 1953. | 291.9 | 114.3 | 39.2 | 29.4 | 10.1 | 25.7 |
| 1954. | 294.5 | 115.3 | 39.2 | 26.7 | 9.1 | 23.2 |
| 1955........................................... | 316.1 | 128.0 | 40.5 | 29.6 | 9.4 | 23.1 |
| 1956... | 339.6 | 141.5 | 41.7 | 32.7 | 9.6 | 23.1 |
| 1957. | 358.7 | 149.4 | 41.7 | 34.4 | 9.6 | 23.0 |
| 1958........................................... | 369.0 | 149.3 | 40.5 | 34.3 | 9.3 | 23.0 |
| 1959.. | 392.8 | 166.5 | 42.4 | 38.6 | 9.8 | 23.2 |
| 1960.... | 411.5 | 171.6 | 41.7 | 39.5 | 9.6 | 23.0 |
| 1961.. | 429.0 | 181.8 | 42.4 | 42.2 | 9.8 | 23.2 |
| 1962. | 456.7 | 195.3 | 42.8 | 44.9 | 9.8 | 23.0 |
| 1963. | 479.6 | 209.1 | 43.6 | 48.2 | 10.1 | 23.1 |
| 1964. | 514.6 | 229.9 | 44.7 | 47.2 | 9.2 | 20.5 |
| 1965.. | 555.7 | 255.1 | 45.9 | 49.6 | 8.9 | 19.4 |
| 1966. | 603.9 | 286.3 | 47.4 | 56.1 | 9.3 | 19.6 |
| 1967. | 648.3 | 315.1 | 48.6 | 63.0 | 9.7 | 20.0 |
| 1968. | 712.0 | 352.8 | 49.6 | 76.7 | 10.8 | 21.7 |
| 1969.. | 778.5 | 388.8 | 49.9 | 86.6 | 11.1 | 22.3 |
| 1970... | 838.8 | 401.2 | 47.8 | 83.9 | 10.0 | 20.9 |
| 1971.. | 903.5 | 414.0 | 45.8 | 85.4 | 9.5 | 20.6 |
| 1972. | 992.7 | 447.6 | 45.1 | 93.6 | 9.4 | 20.9 |
| 1973. | 1,110.7 | 511.9 | 46.1 | 108.1 | 9.7 | 21.1 |
| 1974... | 1,222.6 | 573.6 | 46.9 | 123.6 | 10.1 | 21.5 |
| 1975... | 1,335.0 | 595.5 | 44.6 | 124.5 | 9.3 | 20.9 |
| 1976... | 1,474.8 | 674.9 | 45.8 | 141.8 | 9.6 | 21.0 |
| 1977... | 1,633.2 | 733.8 | 44.9 | 159.8 | 9.8 | 21.8 |
| 1978. | 1,837.7 | 846.4 | 46.1 | 188.2 | 10.2 | 22.2 |
| 1979. | 2,062.2 | 926.6 | 44.9 | 214.5 | 10.4 | 23.1 |
| 1980.. | 2,307.9 | 1,045.2 | 45.3 | 250.3 | 10.8 | 23.9 |
| 1981. | 2,591.3 | 1,170.1 | 45.2 | 284.1 | 11.0 | 24.3 |
| 1982. | 2,775.3 | 1,231.9 | 44.4 | 277.6 | 10.0 | 22.5 |
| 1983. | 2,960.7 | 1,300.2 | 43.9 | 274.2 | 9.3 | 21.1 |
| 1984... | 3,289.5 | 1,447.0 | 44.0 | 301.9 | 9.2 | 20.9 |
| 1985. | 3,526.7 | 1,550.5 | 44.0 | 325.7 | 9.2 | 21.0 |
| 1986... | 3,722.4 | 1,665.6 | 44.7 | 367.3 | 9.9 | 22.1 |
| 1987... | 3,947.4 | 1,850.6 | 46.9 | 369.2 | 9.4 | 20.0 |
| 1988.. | 4,253.7 | 2,070.0 | 48.7 | 412.9 | 9.7 | 19.9 |
| 1989.... | 4,587.8 | 2,173.3 | 47.4 | 432.9 | 9.4 | 19.9 |
| 1990.... | 4,878.6 | 2,263.7 | 46.4 | 447.1 | 9.2 | 19.8 |
| 1991.. | 5,051.0 | 2,284.1 | 45.2 | 448.4 | 8.9 | 19.6 |
| 1992. | 5,362.0 | 2,395.7 | 44.7 | 476.2 | 8.9 | 19.9 |
| 1993. | 5,558.5 | 2,453.5 | 44.1 | 502.8 | 9.0 | 20.5 |
| 1994. | 5,842.5 | 2,598.0 | 44.5 | 534.9 | 9.2 | 20.6 |
| 1995............................................ | 6,152.3 | 2,813.8 | 45.7 | 588.4 | 9.6 | 20.9 |
| 1996. | 6,520.6 | 3,089.7 | 47.4 | 658.2 | 10.1 | 21.3 |
| 1997............................................ | 6,915.1 | 3,429.1 | 49.6 | 731.3 | 10.6 | 21.3 |
| 1998. | 7,423.0 | 3,780.8 | 50.9 | 788.5 | 10.6 | 20.9 |
| 1999 | 7,802.4 | 4,136.1 | 53.0 | 877.4 | 11.2 | 21.2 |
| 2000 ..... | 8,429.7 | 4,544.2 | 53.9 | 980.6 | 11.6 | 21.6 |
| 2001 ............................................. | 8,724.1 | 4,268.5 | 48.9 | 888.0 | 10.2 | 20.8 |
| 2002............................................ | 8,881.9 | 4,096.1 | 46.1 | 797.0 | 9.0 | 19.5 |
| 2003............................................ | 9,169.1 | 4,200.2 | 45.8 | 748.0 | 8.2 | 17.8 |

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Table 9.--Number of Individual Income Tax Returns, by Type of Tax Settlement, Tax Years 1950-2004
[All figures are estimates based on samples--number of returns is in millions]

| Tax year | Total number of returns | Number of returns with-- |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Tax due at time of filing | Overpayments ${ }^{1}$ | No overpayments or tax due at time of filing |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) |
| 1950... | 53.1 | 14.3 | 32.0 | 6.8 |
| 1951... | 55.4 | 18.6 | 31.0 | 5.8 |
| 1952. | 56.5 | 19.3 | 32.1 | 5.1 |
| 1953. | 57.8 | 19.0 | 32.7 | 6.2 |
| 1954. | 56.7 | 16.6 | 35.2 | 5.0 |
| 1955. | 58.3 | 18.7 | 35.4 | 4.2 |
| 1956... | 59.2 | 19.4 | 36.1 | 3.7 |
| 1957. | 59.8 | 18.6 | 37.6 | 3.6 |
| 1958. | 59.1 | 18.1 | 37.4 | 3.6 |
| 1959... | 60.3 | 19.1 | 38.4 | 2.8 |
| 1960..... | 61.0 | 18.1 | 39.4 | 3.5 |
| 1961... | 61.5 | 18.6 | 40.0 | 2.9 |
| 1962. | 62.7 | 18.7 | 40.9 | 3.1 |
| 1963. | 63.9 | 19.3 | 41.4 | 3.3 |
| 1964... | 65.4 | 22.5 | 39.3 | 3.5 |
| 1965... | 67.6 | 20.0 | 44.3 | 3.2 |
| 1966... | 70.2 | 17.8 | 49.4 | 3.0 |
| 1967... | 71.7 | 17.5 | 51.2 | 3.0 |
| 1968. | 73.7 | 20.3 | 50.6 | 2.8 |
| 1969... | 75.8 | 17.9 | 54.9 | 3.0 |
| 1970.... | 74.3 | 16.5 | 55.3 | 2.5 |
| 1971.... | 74.6 | 17.0 | 55.3 | 2.4 |
| 1972.. | 77.6 | 11.9 | 63.3 | 2.3 |
| 1973. | 80.7 | 14.2 | 64.2 | 2.2 |
| 1974... | 83.3 | 15.4 | 65.8 | 2.1 |
| 1975.. | 82.2 | 15.8 | 63.8 | 2.6 |
| 1976... | 84.7 | 16.9 | 65.0 | 2.8 |
| 1977... | 86.6 | 17.8 | 66.0 | 2.8 |
| 1978. | 89.8 | 21.6 | 65.5 | 2.7 |
| 1979.... | 92.7 | 18.8 | 71.4 | 2.4 |
| 1980... | 93.9 | 21.8 | 69.9 | 2.3 |
| 1981... | 95.4 | 23.0 | 70.0 | 2.4 |
| 1982. | 95.3 | 20.3 | 72.4 | 2.6 |
| 1983. | 96.3 | 18.5 | 75.0 | 2.9 |
| 1984.. | 99.4 | 21.2 | 75.6 | 2.7 |
| 1985.. | 101.7 | 21.2 | 77.4 | 3.0 |
| $1986 .$. | 103.0 | 21.5 | 78.1 | 3.5 |
| $1987 .$. | 107.0 | 23.8 | 79.8 | 3.4 |
| 1988... | 109.7 | 27.2 | 79.1 | 3.4 |
| 1989... | 112.1 | 28.0 | 80.9 | 3.2 |
| 1990... | 113.7 | 27.0 | 83.5 | 3.2 |
| 1991... | 114.7 | 25.6 | 85.6 | 3.5 |
| 1992. | 113.6 | 29.0 | 81.0 | 3.6 |
| 1993. | 114.6 | 28.6 | 82.4 | 3.6 |
| 1994. | 115.9 | 27.6 | 85.1 | 3.2 |
| 1995... | 118.2 | 29.7 | 85.3 | 3.2 |
| 1996... | 120.4 | 30.6 | 86.5 | 3.3 |
| $1997 .$. | 122.4 | 31.2 | 88.3 | 2.9 |
| 1998... | 124.8 | 28.4 | 93.4 | 3.0 |
| 1999... | 127.1 | 29.2 | 94.8 | 3.1 |
| 2000...................................................................... | 129.4 | 30.6 | 95.9 | 2.9 |
| 2001......................................................................... | 130.3 | 24.6 | 102.3 | 3.4 |
| 2002. | 130.1 | 22.8 | 103.5 | 3.8 |
| 2003........................................................................ | 130.4 | 21.1 | 105.4 | 4.0 |
| p 2004......................................................................... | 132.4 | 24.2 | 104.2 | 4.0 |

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Table 10.--Nonfarm Sole Proprietorship Returns: Selected Income Statement Items for Specified Income Years, 1995-2003
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Item | 1995 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) |
| Number of returns with nonfarm business net income or deficit, total ${ }^{1}$ $\qquad$ | 16,423,872 | 17,408,809 | 17,575,643 | 17,904,731 | 18,338,190 | 18,925,517 | 19,710,079 |
| Number with nonfarm business net income. $\qquad$ | 12,213,472 | 13,080,498 | 13,165,318 | 13,307,842 | 13,603,907 | 13,750,798 | 14,447,889 |
| Number of nonfarm businesses... | 18,391,237 | 19,369,091 | 19,516,047 | 19,863,507 | 20,378,335 | 20,972,642 | 21,875,950 |
| Business receipts, total . | 807,363,638 | 918,268,196 | 969,347,038 | 1,020,957,283 | 1,016,834,678 | 1,029,691,760 | 1,050,202,446 |
| Income from sales and operations | 796,597,098 | 905,137,974 | 955,392,128 | 1,007,948,354 | 1,002,205,953 | 1,015,363,541 | 1,033,934,376 |
| Total deductions ${ }^{2}$.. | 638,126,845 | 716,157,430 | 761,427,577 | 806,386,102 | 799,633,110 | 808,900,651 | 820,206,714 |
| Cost of goods sold. | 306,958,514 | 341,132,831 | 370,079,223 | 387,381,087 | 363,355,614 | 351,785,009 | 338,376,959 |
| Inventory, beginning-of-year | 31,167,684 | 30,801,698 | 31,540,485 | 32,412,471 | 34,176,255 | 34,291,721 | 34,924,642 |
| Inventory, end-of-year. | 33,355,750 | 32,881,518 | 33,835,064 | 34,342,365 | 35,732,488 | 36,279,786 | 36,911,339 |
| Purchases | 219,305,493 | 231,404,960 | 255,539,328 | 268,789,953 | 246,541,135 | 227,085,757 | 218,445,328 |
| Cost of labor | 24,383,409 | 27,447,822 | 28,723,302 | 29,278,688 | 28,022,289 | 30,389,028 | 28,032,070 |
| Materials and supplies | 34,427,096 | 42,161,782 | 41,757,379 | 43,195,524 | 43,798,283 | 45,589,230 | 46,554,634 |
| Advertising. | 8,309,645 | 9,413,989 | 9,453,659 | 10,148,700 | 10,774,079 | 11,237,979 | 12,340,084 |
| Car and truck expenses | 32,784,939 | 39,715,702 | 40,786,963 | 45,711,214 | 47,351,940 | 50,489,359 | 53,466,645 |
| Commissions. | 9,591,619 | 10,722,131 | 11,228,396 | 11,621,490 | 12,130,077 | 14,066,786 | 13,502,446 |
| Depletion. | 457,480 | 380,149 | 387,000 | 684,974 | 693,669 | 461,938 | 639,008 |
| Depreciation | 26,233,844 | 29,135,616 | 30,637,555 | 32,196,159 | 33,425,567 | 36,642,027 | 41,754,963 |
| Pension and profit-sharing plans | 649,043 | 756,924 | 870,362 | 892,873 | 991,892 | 1,085,247 | 1,182,019 |
| Employee benefit programs. | 1,298,834 | 1,560,404 | 1,663,528 | 1,871,875 | 2,040,639 | 2,284,368 | 2,421,673 |
| Insurance. | 12,977,567 | 12,938,411 | 13,219,821 | 13,623,759 | 14,367,018 | 16,004,335 | 17,489,210 |
| Interest paid, total | 10,056,583 | 11,159,401 | 11,224,488 | 12,232,846 | 12,509,547 | 11,439,539 | 10,581,245 |
| Mortgage interest. | 4,076,344 | 4,882,248 | 4,736,127 | 5,250,896 | 5,456,226 | 5,006,864 | 4,762,929 |
| Other interest.. | 5,980,239 | 6,277,153 | 6,488,361 | 6,981,950 | 7,053,321 | 6,432,675 | 5,818,316 |
| Legal and professional services... | 6,340,021 | 6,669,029 | 6,818,392 | 7,312,694 | 7,482,619 | 8,365,930 | 8,284,557 |
| Meals and entertainment expenses before limitation. $\qquad$ | 6,353,157 | 7,526,850 | 7,987,445 | 9,183,825 | 9,314,840 | 10,020,243 | 10,897,636 |
| Meals and entertainment deduction. | 3,208,742 | 3,796,350 | 4,031,523 | 4,664,694 | 4,735,312 | 5,088,083 | 5,524,213 |
| Office expenses. | 8,344,181 | 9,611,633 | 9,921,297 | 10,456,415 | 10,604,805 | 11,331,733 | 11,849,079 |
| Rent paid, total | 27,502,981 | 30,460,020 | 31,417,502 | 33,222,458 | 33,641,132 | 34,854,754 | 35,672,010 |
| On machinery.. | 6,218,381 | 7,545,390 | 8,227,000 | 8,880,267 | 8,522,008 | 8,543,257 | 8,470,304 |
| On other business property.. | 21,284,600 | 22,914,630 | 23,190,502 | 24,342,191 | 25,119,124 | 26,311,497 | 27,201,706 |
| Repairs | 10,171,788 | 11,349,751 | 11,697,341 | 12,280,525 | 12,129,756 | 12,669,141 | 13,221,220 |
| Net salaries and wages (not deducted elsewhere) $\qquad$ | 54,470,725 | 58,864,773 | 61,204,430 | 63,485,540 | 63,826,020 | 66,067,965 | 67,640,849 |
| Supplies.. | 16,902,055 | 19,725,440 | 21,654,319 | 21,793,962 | 23,074,836 | 24,615,763 | 25,507,159 |
| Taxes paid | 13,471,220 | 13,730,731 | 14,000,359 | 13,955,919 | 14,214,082 | 14,901,431 | 15,179,639 |
| Travel. | 6,504,973 | 7,624,311 | 8,089,635 | 8,457,317 | 8,657,266 | 9,110,193 | 9,313,708 |
| Utilities (including telephone). | 17,205,789 | 18,431,400 | 18,466,170 | 19,381,881 | 20,482,680 | 20,674,727 | 21,661,093 |
| Bad debts | 996,588 | 925,866 | 1,111,178 | 983,868 | 1,176,324 | 1,055,722 | n.a. |
| Business use of home. | 3,337,929 | 4,138,364 | 4,785,849 | 5,642,543 | 5,981,403 | 6,474,145 | 7,047,483 |
| Net income (less deficit) ${ }^{2}$..... | 169,262,336 | 202,274,720 | 207,946,977 | 214,715,298 | 217,385,116 | 221,113,286 | 230,308,100 |
| Net income ${ }^{2}$ | 191,728,953 | 226,189,570 | 233,404,991 | 245,230,626 | 250,178,322 | 257,292,855 | 269,089,168 |
| Deficit ${ }^{2}$. | 22,466,617 | 23,914,850 | 25,458,013 | 30,515,328 | 32,793,206 | 36,179,568 | 38,781,068 |

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Table 11.--Partnership Returns: Selected Balance Sheet and Income Statement Items for Specified Income Years, 1995-2003
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Item | 1995 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) |
| Total number of active partnerships ...... | 1,580,900 | 1,855,348 | 1,936,919 | 2,057,500 | 2,132,117 | 2,242,169 | 2,375,375 |
| Number with net income | 955,166 | 1,171,187 | 1,225,916 | 1,261,420 | 1,301,040 | 1,325,008 | 1,356,988 |
| Number with balance sheets ${ }^{1}$ | 1,053,139 | 1,303,970 | 1,392,405 | 1,504,978 | 1,591,450 | 1,682,072 | 1,768,302 |
| Number of partners . | 15,605,686 | 15,663,372 | 15,353,154 | 13,659,967 | 14,231,604 | 14,328,108 | 14,108,458 |
| Number of limited partnerships ${ }^{2}$. | 295,304 | 342,726 | 354,295 | 348,973 | 369,150 | 376,963 | 378,921 |
| Number of partners | 10,223,901 | 9,325,111 | 8,944,693 | 6,468,292 | 7,023,431 | 6,918,515 | 6,262,103 |
| Number of limited liability companies ${ }^{2}$.. | 118,559 | 470,657 | 589,403 | 718,704 | 808,692 | 946,130 | 1,091,502 |
| Number of partners ${ }^{2}$. | 712,781 | 1,879,382 | 2,256,062 | 2,699,227 | 3,231,921 | 3,737,899 | 4,226,099 |
| Total assets ${ }^{3}$.. | 2,718,647,742 | 5,126,548,007 | 5,998,952,883 | 6,694,142,838 | 8,428,217,379 | 8,866,560,101 | 9,675,052,728 |
| Depreciable assets (net) | 766,778,033 | 1,153,222,498 | 1,314,251,428 | 1,487,182,018 | 1,646,477,441 | 1,791,511,841 | 1,845,514,643 |
| Inventories, end of year | 88,050,194 | 175,963,423 | 174,078,288 | 149,875,359 | 208,165,141 | 202,669,386 | 213,605,408 |
| Land. | 221,172,841 | 291,171,287 | 326,371,562 | 358,625,577 | 392,090,094 | 423,177,429 | 454,765,198 |
| Total liabilities ${ }^{3}$.. | 1,886,488,062 | 3,150,848,369 | 3,453,186,389 | 3,695,508,180 | 4,835,135,071 | 4,972,036,919 | 5,303,160,043 |
| Accounts payable. | 90,603,965 | 190,689,535 | 243,769,049 | 229,893,243 | 361,748,491 | 346,350,802 | 275,560,392 |
| Short-term debt ${ }^{4}$ | 123,961,301 | 229,922,243 | 231,808,501 | 252,226,751 | 289,248,638 | 282,684,863 | 273,570,095 |
| Long-term debt ${ }^{5}$. | 544,253,482 | 884,452,445 | 988,667,751 | 1,132,180,865 | 1,286,392,538 | 1,375,077,274 | 1,389,224,345 |
| Nonrecourse loans | 465,744,743 | 523,403,560 | 582,151,975 | 639,417,006 | 699,883,406 | 770,277,980 | 799,599,369 |
| Partners' capital account ${ }^{3}$. | 832,159,680 | 1,975,699,638 | 2,545,766,494 | 2,998,634,658 | 3,593,082,308 | 3,894,523,181 | 4,371,892,684 |
| Total receipts... | 890,431,963 | 1,603,027,268 | 1,907,171,104 | 2,405,356,195 | 2,665,156,204 | 2,772,829,505 | 2,922,723,256 |
| Business receipts. | 760,617,695 | 1,356,655,904 | 1,615,762,245 | 2,061,764,235 | 2,278,200,526 | 2,414,187,093 | 2,545,612,266 |
| Interest received. | 31,240,619 | 51,454,743 | 61,769,762 | 82,322,875 | 84,801,548 | 70,225,315 | 70,702,884 |
| Total deductions.. ${ }^{6}$ | 783,602,767 | 1,416,322,641 | 1,678,732,999 | 2,136,365,436 | 2,388,821,379 | 2,502,162,335 | 2,621,325,038 |
| Cost of goods sold. | 395,322,385 | 737,235,839 | 902,157,018 | 1,225,628,897 | 1,338,114,656 | 1,430,213,629 | 1,522,806,503 |
| Purchases. | 256,546,960 | 461,144,704 | 585,068,938 | 797,038,243 | 887,515,286 | 903,589,600 | 987,652,150 |
| Cost of labor | 20,080,458 | 33,411,962 | 42,089,216 | 46,714,175 | 53,029,403 | 58,736,031 | 63,434,283 |
| Net salaries and wages (not deducted elsewhere). | 80,292,538 | 142,910,961 | 169,905,010 | 201,350,844 | 230,874,139 | 237,882,426 | 244,927,745 |
| Taxes paid | 13,151,513 | 23,813,223 | 26,896,235 | 31,145,304 | 34,626,540 | 36,416,569 | 39,019,475 |
| Interest paid. | 42,775,881 | 73,406,067 | 74,428,567 | 92,751,748 | 97,278,387 | 68,127,690 | 64,619,863 |
| Depreciation ${ }^{7}$ | 62,266,537 | 88,646,144 | 102,786,520 | 116,040,441 | 138,412,382 | 154,542,874 | 157,411,296 |
| Net income (less deficit) . | 106,829,196 | 186,704,627 | 228,438,105 | 268,990,758 | 276,334,824 | 270,667,169 | 301,398,218 |
| Net income | 178,650,951 | 297,875,299 | 348,467,958 | 409,972,787 | 446,069,172 | 439,761,741 | 468,552,382 |
| Deficit | 71,821,755 | 111,170,672 | 120,029,853 | 140,982,029 | 169,734,347 | 169,094,572 | 167,154,164 |

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Table 12.--Number of Business Income Tax Returns, by Size of Business for Specified Income Years, 1995-2003 ${ }^{1}$
[All figures are estimates based on samples--number of businesses is in thousands]


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## Table 12.--Number of Business Income Tax Returns, by Size of Business for Specified Income Years, 1995-20031--Continued

[All figures are estimates based on samples--number of businesses is in thousands]

| Type and size of business | 1995 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) |
| Total ... | 16,423.9 | 17,408.8 | 17,575.6 | 17,904.7 | 18,338.2 | 18,925.5 | 19,710.1 |
| Under \$2,500 ${ }^{3}$ | 4,139.5 | 4,246.4 | 4,295.6 | 4,333.1 | 3,769.4 | 4,546.4 | 4,539.7 |
| \$2,500 under \$5,000 | 1,954.1 | 2,055.6 | 1,972.6 | 1,933.9 | 1,989.3 | 2,043.8 | 2,233.0 |
| \$5,000 under \$10,000.. | 2,254.4 | 2,407.0 | 2,350.2 | 2,395.7 | 2,523.1 | 2,604.6 | 2,816.3 |
| \$10,000 under \$25,000 | 2,969.3 | 3,058.3 | 3,202.2 | 3,334.0 | 3,448.4 | 3,521.6 | 3,719.1 |
| \$25,000 under \$50,000 | 1,982.7 | 2,111.9 | 2,227.0 | 2,246.7 | 2,239.3 | 2,357.8 | 2,449.8 |
| \$50,000 under \$100,000. | 1,392.6 | 1,590.1 | 1,558.5 | 1,644.8 | 1,704.0 | 1,751.8 | 1,805.4 |
| \$100,000 under \$200,000 | 916.3 | 1,019.7 | 1,020.3 | 1,052.9 | 1,109.7 | 1,115.4 | 1,145.7 |
| \$200,000 under \$500,000 | 597.7 | 666.6 | 681.4 | 680.4 | 649.2 | 687.8 | 705.1 |
| \$500,000 under \$1,000,000 | 147.4 | 175.1 | 182.2 | 189.5 | 197.8 | 203.3 | 199.7 |
| \$1,000,000 or more. | 69.9 | 78.1 | 85.7 | 91.7 | 92.9 | 93.0 | 96.3 |

See notes at end of this section.

## Selected Historical and Other Data

Table 13.--Corporation Income Tax Returns: Balance Sheet, Income Statement, and Tax Items for Specified Income Years, 1995-2003
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Item | 1995 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) |
| Number of returns, total ${ }^{1}$ | 4,474,167 | 4,848,888 | 4,935,904 | 5,045,274 | 5,135,591 | 5,266,607 | 5,401,237 |
| Number with net income ${ }^{1}$ | 2,455,492 | 2,760,814 | 2,812,175 | 2,819,153 | 2,822,302 | 2,800,517 | 2,932,115 |
| Consolidated returns...... | 65,617 | 60,812 | 57,144 | 56,603 | 56,507 | 52,743 | 49,900 |
| S corporation returns. | 2,153,119 | 2,588,088 | 2,725,775 | 2,860,478 | 2,986,486 | 3,154,377 | 3,341,606 |
| Total assets 5. | 26,013,689,001 | 37,347,352,986 | 41,464,152,854 | 47,026,871,874 | 49,154,424,202 | 50,413,501,942 | 53,644,784,683 |
| Cash | 962,083,261 | 1,336,424,483 | 1,596,525,490 | 1,819,788,484 | 1,926,059,284 | 1,923,414,875 | 2,119,555,828 |
| Notes and accounts receivable | 5,306,570,583 | 7,061,547,469 | 7,744,960,605 | 8,754,425,366 | 8,755,544,213 | 8,885,603,717 | 8,995,395,904 |
| Less: Allowance for bad debts. | 121,339,912 | 128,129,657 | 139,597,391 | 148,289,201 | 180,317,404 | 184,924,054 | 166,436,901 |
| Inventories. | 1,045,010,082 | 1,139,210,381 | 1,198,184,825 | 1,271,967,443 | 1,208,206,944 | 1,221,112,550 | 1,267,289,489 |
| Investments in U.S. Government obligations... | 1,363,454,504 | 1,365,651,984 | 1,340,484,175 | 1,236,229,842 | 1,392,035,604 | 1,527,139,020 | 1,656,326,948 |
| Tax-exempt securities. | 839,783,392 | 958,653,471 | 957,099,790 | 973,317,816 | 1,057,398,071 | 1,203,096,628 | 1,297,278,783 |
| Other current assets | 1,835,051,182 | 2,738,441,339 | 2,639,764,762 | 3,206,693,449 | 3,663,607,042 | 3,509,562,061 | 3,868,061,886 |
| Loans to shareholders | 92,774,645 | 135,052,180 | 126,016,307 | 157,029,888 | 189,958,748 | 194,543,759 | 212,364,720 |
| Mortgage and real estate loans | 1,713,312,936 | 2,414,901,336 | 2,554,658,266 | 2,821,508,159 | 3,228,970,528 | 3,687,181,263 | 4,072,938,126 |
| Other investments. | 7,429,369,054 | 13,201,119,823 | 15,799,039,436 | 17,873,853,425 | 18,343,524,687 | 18,727,600,926 | 20,535,952,107 |
| Depreciable assets | 5,571,142,501 | 6,541,280,743 | 6,935,503,013 | 7,291,998,758 | 7,613,590,480 | 7,677,626,201 | 7,804,548,186 |
| Less: Accumulated depreciation. | 2,600,545,415 | 3,031,634,536 | 3,227,243,753 | 3,369,214,883 | 3,549,239,594 | 3,699,383,948 | 3,812,960,901 |
| Depletable assets | 153,542,647 | 192,668,634 | 183,593,413 | 191,353,340 | 198,775,908 | 226,336,112 | 237,004,322 |
| Less: Accumulated depletion. | 70,960,211 | 92,307,154 | 85,660,310 | 87,437,339 | 92,093,245 | 110,296,199 | 110,386,244 |
| Land | 242,340,731 | 271,489,857 | 286,497,086 | 302,831,910 | 319,953,637 | 325,689,411 | 341,705,785 |
| Intangible assets (amortizable) | 749,166,777 | 1,376,300,094 | 1,717,251,430 | 2,246,509,413 | 2,474,758,111 | 2,353,465,751 | 2,421,707,223 |
| Less: Accumulated amortization | 165,020,215 | 232,743,976 | 280,555,798 | 364,363,888 | 483,180,189 | 480,835,477 | 478,750,745 |
| Other assets | 1,667,952,459 | 2,099,426,516 | 2,117,631,510 | 2,848,669,891 | 3,086,871,379 | 3,426,569,347 | 3,383,190,167 |
| Total liabilities . ${ }^{5}$ | 26,013,689,001 | 37,347,352,986 | 41,464,152,854 | 47,026,871,874 | 49,154,424,202 | 50,413,501,942 | 53,644,784,683 |
| Accounts payable .. | 1,749,573,601 | 2,501,289,043 | 2,792,333,967 | 3,758,177,869 | 3,927,350,604 | 4,073,664,265 | 4,337,572,143 |
| Mortgages, notes, and bonds payable in less than 1 year | 2,033,602,027 | 3,215,524,383 | 3,658,308,770 | 4,019,704,844 | 4,131,856,961 | 3,814,481,517 | 4,001,969,180 |
| Other current liabilities ..... | 6,782,699,365 | 8,809,999,920 | 9,103,186,192 | 10,307,362,766 | 10,811,930,775 | 11,181,118,658 | 11,808,860,907 |
| Loans from shareholders | 311,675,047 | 361,234,088 | 394,938,632 | 451,461,831 | 549,016,868 | 541,170,351 | 531,953,102 |
| Mortgages, notes, and bonds payable in 1 year or more $\qquad$ | 3,335,426,303 | 4,813,249,719 | 5,448,156,416 | 6,183,999,343 | 6,781,681,427 | 7,184,589,809 | 7,383,799,418 |
| Other liabilities | 3,668,771,655 | 4,537,780,597 | 4,704,367,882 | 4,957,514,852 | 5,337,844,395 | 6,073,368,168 | 6,761,943,361 |
| Net worth. | 8,131,941,003 | 13,108,275,236 | 15,362,860,996 | 17,348,650,369 | 17,614,743,174 | 17,545,109,175 | 18,818,686,574 |
| Capital stock | 2,194,368,322 | 3,244,023,916 | 3,521,992,715 | 3,966,282,789 | 4,253,450,013 | 3,999,980,176 | 3,150,571,907 |
| Additional paid-in capital | 5,445,997,437 | 8,610,169,238 | 10,186,395,658 | 12,264,818,660 | 13,919,963,504 | 15,286,648,711 | 15,258,444,856 |
| Retained earnings, appropriated | 105,683,587 | 185,163,160 | 210,792,152 | 181,838,405 | 140,283,315 | 116,673,731 | 167,723,931 |
| Retained earnings, unappropriated. | 2,085,712,657 | 3,190,409,230 | 3,741,892,919 | 3,445,346,327 | 2,024,731,460 | 1,060,109,067 | 2,141,352,269 |
| Adjustments to shareholders' equity...9 | N/A | -3,006,539 | 17,108,266 | -3,382,272 | -33,277,666 | -66,214,884 | -27,510,760 |
| Less: Cost of treasury stock | 1,699,820,997 | 2,118,483,766 | 2,315,320,710 | 2,506,253,537 | 2,690,407,452 | 2,852,087,624 | 1,871,895,626 |
| Total receipts .... | 14,539,050,114 | 17,323,955,004 | 18,892,385,694 | 20,605,808,071 | 20,272,957,624 | 19,749,426,052 | 20,689,574,291 |
| Business receipts 10.111 | 12,785,797,708 | 15,010,264,802 | 16,313,971,385 | 17,636,551,349 | 17,504,288,630 | 17,297,125,146 | 18,264,393,898 |
| Interest on State and local Government obligations Other interest....... | $46,323,344$ $993,173,428$ | $49,128,679$ $1,227,640,206$ | $51,780,203$ $1,301,772,282$ | $51,940,598$ $1,576,100,843$ | $49,227,853$ $1,499,683,236$ | $48,212,626$ $1,233,298,115$ | $48,996,780$ $1,132,675,179$ |
| Dividends received from domestic corporations....12. | 22,842,877 | 20,010,007 | 20,679,644 | 20,869,880 | 18,964,132 | 17,382,452 | 17,973,872 |
| Dividends received from foreign corporations.. ${ }^{10}$ | 35,418,063 | 49,232,904 | 64,905,407 | 60,203,391 | 49,997,670 | 45,580,553 | 44,921,527 |
| Rents ${ }^{10}$ | 87,120,169 | 106,686,977 | 117,644,823 | 131,301,498 | 134,013,856 | 136,156,000 | 136,321,392 |
| Royalties... ${ }^{10}$ | 57,982,610 | 93,600,002 | 105,741,540 | 122,513,266 | 116,989,820 | 115,860,138 | 133,184,522 |
| Net short-term capital gain reduced by net long-term capital loss. | 40,083,929 | 37,302,058 | 94,913,405 | 85,003,779 | 20,770,292 | 14,655,834 | 22,725,799 |
| Net long-term capital gain reduced by net short-term capital loss. | 60,852,565 | 125,012,968 | 146,520,147 | 173,758,106 | 117,443,499 | 76,266,064 | 85,965,872 |
| Net gain, noncapital assets ${ }^{10,11}$ | 42,987,930 | 69,519,362 | 64,698,446 | 70,035,992 | 61,890,648 | 69,144,256 | 76,272,207 |
| Other receipts............................................ | 366,467,491 | 535,557,040 | 609,758,412 | 677,529,368 | 699,687,988 | 695,744,869 | 726,143,243 |

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## Table 13.--Corporation Income Tax Returns: Balance Sheet, Income Statement, and Tax Items for Specified Income Years, 1995-2003--Continued

[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Item | 1995 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) |
| Total deductions.....10................................. | 13,821,277,581 | 16,489,425,015 | 17,966,972,060 | 19,691,591,726 | 19,682,982,949 | 19,198,882,118 | 19,940,594,557 |
| Cost of goods sold.. | 8,206,073,365 | 9,362,392,237 | 10,284,098,039 | 11,135,287,909 | 11,041,533,030 | 10,607,404,004 | 11,318,644,763 |
| Compensation of officers... | 303,636,318 | 356,850,517 | 373,735,141 | 401,416,310 | 382,813,379 | 381,235,331 | 388,661,740 |
| Repairs... | 118,597,690 | 130,298,655 | 133,209,853 | 139,591,861 | 144,239,688 | 132,998,715 | 134,963,543 |
| Bad debts | 67,769,341 | 86,371,104 | 100,202,508 | 107,679,638 | 142,196,860 | 168,045,866 | 151,140,752 |
| Rent paid on business property.. | 232,104,107 | 308,317,657 | 347,245,365 | 380,083,953 | 398,045,240 | 410,639,197 | 407,139,494 |
| Taxes paid.... | 325,838,495 | 354,578,692 | 371,183,229 | 390,067,116 | 392,458,476 | 396,571,738 | 416,812,815 |
| Interest paid ${ }^{10}$ | 744,764,676 | 966,659,473 | 1,018,972,484 | 1,271,678,744 | 1,203,045,923 | 912,751,562 | 818,016,806 |
| Contributions or gifts.. | 7,425,566 | 8,667,513 | 10,732,153 | 10,657,214 | 11,414,505 | 10,334,666 | 10,823,373 |
| Amortization ${ }^{10}$ | 45,998,611 | 74,336,292 | 86,124,690 | 98,333,079 | 110,454,488 | 115,006,680 | 121,284,821 |
| Depreciation. ${ }^{10}$ | 436,581,144 | 542,490,397 | 583,799,587 | 614,372,700 | 649,988,724 | 710,881,312 | 692,432,495 |
| Depletion ....... | 9,998,046 | 9,685,686 | 9,803,284 | 10,244,959 | 9,803,354 | 9,418,123 | 10,170,908 |
| Advertising | 162,777,591 | 198,214,266 | 216,066,879 | 234,000,558 | 219,834,114 | 218,035,603 | 224,790,471 |
| Pension, profit-sharing, stock bonus, and annuity plans.. | 81,791,802 | 71,689,478 | 76,779,560 | 85,788,656 | 85,523,682 | 132,414,263 | 137,053,065 |
| Employee benefit programs ...... | 165,112,064 | 195,453,372 | 203,531,897 | 231,325,484 | 245,747,438 | 249,904,744 | 277,325,261 |
| Net loss, noncapital assets ........ | 28,033,601 | 21,309,505 | 29,065,260 | 31,314,500 | 40,969,394 | 51,879,801 | 51,799,134 |
| Other deductions | 2,884,775,167 | 3,802,110,171 | 4,122,422,135 | 4,549,749,050 | 4,604,914,658 | 4,691,360,514 | 4,779,535,119 |
| Total receipts less total deductions........... | 717,772,533 | 834,529,989 | 925,413,634 | 914,216,344 | 589,974,675 | 550,543,934 | 748,979,734 |
| Constructive taxable income from related foreign corporations .... | 42,744,182 | 52,822,281 | 55,322,097 | 65,249,771 | 62,876,530 | 61,325,249 | 80,005,681 |
| Net income (less deficit) ............. | 714,193,371 | 838,223,591 | 928,955,528 | 927,525,517 | 603,623,352 | 563,656,558 | 779,988,635 |
| Net income ${ }_{16}$..... | 880,653,345 | 1,091,150,050 | 1,229,295,911 | 1,336,619,605 | 1,112,480,550 | 1,053,126,217 | 1,175,608,990 |
| Deficit | 166,459,975 | 252,926,459 | 300,340,383 | 409,094,088 | 508,857,198 | 489,469,660 | 395,620,355 |
| Income subject to tax: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 912,851 | 894,446 | 868,820 | 828,470 | 780,223 | 696,230 | 660,582 |
| Amount. | 564,733,017 | 663,385,528 | 693,735,694 | 760,404,334 | 635,257,416 | 600,553,517 | 699,336,915 |
| Total income tax... | 198,786,648 | 231,399,671 | 241,987,588 | 266,281,801 | 220,874,245 | 209,691,130 | 243,822,946 |
| Regular tax. | 193,564,219 | 228,021,519 | 238,722,344 | 262,232,738 | 218,675,610 | 207,056,104 | 241,275,165 |
| Recapture of prior-year investment credit. | 11,605 | 3,356 | 8,754 | 9,594 | 20,924 | 9,189 | 10,740 |
| Alternative minimum tax: ${ }^{19}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns.. | 25,834 | 18,360 | 14,901 | 13,135 | 7,101 | 7,066 | 9,564 |
| Amount.. | 4,281,827 | 3,324,799 | 3,051,869 | 3,874,845 | 1,800,595 | 2,532,224 | 2,298,776 |
| Tax credits: ${ }^{20}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total......................... | 42,362,992 | 49,796,436 | 48,959,947 | 62,238,013 | 54,162,256 | 56,078,260 | 66,305,542 |
| Foreign tax credit: Number of returns. | 6,716 | 5,922 | 5,864 | 5,937 | 5,488 | 4,726 | 5,414 |
| Amount. | 30,420,276 | 37,396,469 | 38,389,989 | 48,505,841 | 41,063,165 | 42,021,526 | 50,033,590 |
| U.S. possessions tax credit | 3,056,017 | 2,393,331 | 1,485,261 | 1,438,549 | 1,268,616 | 1,191,217 | 1,081,674 |
| Nonconventional source fuel credit. | 732,031 | 1,029,728 | 886,835 | 1,516,990 | 1,806,406 | 2,189,943 | 2,104,097 |
| Qualified electric vehicle credit. | 120 | 702 | 1,191 | 1,246 | 231 | 6,102 | N/A |
| Qualified zone academy bond credit.. | N/A | N/A | 2,170 | 14,542 | 28,151 | 80,289 | 103,058 |
| Prior-year minimum tax credit | 4,797,001 | 3,432,896 | 3,431,478 | 5,169,159 | 3,254,175 | 2,027,542 | 3,355,062 |
| General business credit | 3,388,423 | 5,601,399 | 4,763,022 | 5,591,686 | 6,741,513 | 8,561,641 | 9,627,908 |
| Empowerment zone employment credit.. | N/A | 19,118 | 21,645 | 23,501 | 23,401 | 59,776 | 92,900 |
| General business current year credit items: ${ }^{22}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Investment credit | N/A | 187,934 | 315,225 | 357,607 | 359,179 | 449,893 | 418,904 |
| Work opportunity credit/jobs credit .. | N/A | 261,936 | 253,886 | 266,341 | 233,563 | 258,428 | 273,875 |
| Alcohol fuel credit | N/A | 15,520 | 15,817 | 11,825 | 9,224 | 8,467 | 8,112 |
| Research activities credit . | N/A | 5,342,779 | 5,410,932 | 7,235,621 | 6,518,136 | 5,818,383 | 5,659,746 |
| Orphan drug credit ........ | N/A | 80,392 | 109,435 | 112,954 | 134,846 | 146,900 | 173,848 |
| Total income tax after credits ${ }^{23}$. | 156,392,780 | 181,545,146 | 193,027,641 | 204,043,788 | 166,711,988 | 153,612,870 | 177,517,404 |

See notes at end of this section.

## Selected Historical and Other Data

Table 14a.--Corporation Income Tax Returns: Selected Balance Sheet, Income Statement, and Tax Items, by Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) Industrial Division, Specified Income Years, 1985-1997
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Industrial division and item |  |  |  |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  |  |  |

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## Selected Historical and Other Data

Table 14a.--Corporation Income Tax Returns: Selected Balance Sheet, Income Statement, and Tax Items, by Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) Industrial Division, Specified Income Years, 1985-1997 --Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Industrial division and item | 1985 | 1990 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) |
| CONSTRUCTION ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns, total ${ }^{2}$.. | 318,276 | 406,874 | 449,882 | 471,230 | 487,783 |
| Number with net income ${ }^{2}$... | 185,613 | 223,434 | 275,375 | 300,890 | 307,733 |
| Total assets ${ }^{3}$. | 215,297,771 | 243,829,026 | 265,812,616 | 284,595,206 | 314,551,349 |
| Net worth ${ }^{3}$.. | 54,687,270 | 63,865,550 | 86,553,081 | 92,427,338 | 99,144,660 |
| Total receipts ${ }^{4}$ | 387,232,953 | 534,654,044 | 637,090,195 | 710,467,223 | 779,014,473 |
| Business receipts ${ }_{4, \overline{6}}^{4}$ | 374,590,273 | 522,586,199 | 627,463,416 | 699,596,890 | 768,122,399 |
| Interest received. | 3,851,628 | 3,621,561 | 2,068,327 | 2,089,412 | 2,079,884 |
| Total deductions ${ }^{4}$.. | 382,823,113 | 527,800,795 | 622,621,984 | 692,581,515 | 758,429,123 |
| Cost of goods sold..... | 295,803,244 | 407,448,745 | 483,881,784 | 537,067,796 | 589,184,488 |
| Interest paid ......... | 6,407,652 | 7,368,430 | 5,280,750 | 5,473,796 | 5,949,039 |
| Net income (less deficit) ${ }^{4}$. | 4,370,924 | 6,824,608 | 14,458,024 | 17,878,460 | 20,522,439 |
| Net income ${ }^{4}$............ | 11,053,145 | 15,859,977 | 20,986,981 | 25,036,702 | 27,816,466 |
| Deficit ${ }^{4}$ | 6,682,220 | 9,035,370 | 6,528,956 | 7,158,242 | 7,294,027 |
| Total income tax ${ }^{7}$... | 2,312,856 | 2,092,196 | 2,462,222 | 2,958,069 | 2,953,440 |
| Regular and alternative $\operatorname{tax}$. ${ }^{8}$. | 2,243,786 | 1,983,902 | 2,358,661 | 2,847,146 | 2,846,960 |
| Total income tax after credits... | 1,662,563 | 1,906,537 | 2,281,929 | 2,667,923 | 2,817,961 |
| MANUFACTURING ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns, total ${ }^{2}$... | 276,545 | 301,669 | 319,699 | 325,689 | 325,045 |
| Number with net income ${ }^{2}$. | 159,778 | 167,509 | 185,590 | 191,254 | 195,038 |
| Total assets ${ }^{3}$.. | 2,644,393,424 | 3,921,323,756 | 4,941,072,530 | 5,425,184,573 | 5,966,306,398 |
| Net worth ${ }^{3}$.... | 1,099,645,876 | 1,392,233,318 | 1,739,529,985 | 1,966,848,773 | 2,110,695,629 |
| Total receipts ..... | 2,831,062,496 | 3,688,693,895 | 4,585,549,761 | 4,902,669,122 | 5,177,663,770 |
| Business receipts ${ }_{4,6}^{4}$ | 2,656,345,750 | 3,434,141,360 | 4,290,704,760 | 4,567,209,064 | 4,794,291,330 |
| Interest received..... | 47,753,626 | 81,135,811 | 86,746,437 | 102,537,639 | 116,819,943 |
| Total deductions .......... | 2,733,105,346 | 3,545,121,842 | 4,354,564,077 | 4,652,960,523 | 4,910,704,056 |
| Cost of goods sold..... | 1,797,852,805 | 2,377,226,499 | 2,932,256,224 | 3,125,013,437 | 3,241,577,938 |
| Interest paid .... | 90,452,072 | 151,214,835 | 145,509,470 | 156,862,195 | 175,064,011 |
| Net income (less deficit) ... | 113,758,645 | 171,373,726 | 260,909,947 | 286,059,822 | 305,958,154 |
| Net income ${ }^{4}$. | 142,541,119 | 212,936,099 | 297,458,397 | 325,291,340 | 352,453,829 |
| Deficit ${ }^{4}$.. | 28,782,474 | 41,562,373 | 36,548,450 | 39,231,518 | 46,495,675 |
| Total income tax ${ }^{7}$.. | 56,687,476 | 64,385,522 | 83,817,532 | 95,502,448 | 101,849,787 |
| Regular and alternative tax ${ }^{8}$. | 55,553,921 | 60,664,655 | 81,476,502 | 93,646,267 | 100,318,010 |
| Total income tax after credits.. | 25,382,459 | 38,971,197 | 54,302,936 | 58,883,875 | 64,307,381 |
| TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES 1 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns, total ${ }^{2}$.. | 138,337 | 160,353 | 194,456 | 205,777 | 209,412 |
| Number with net income ${ }^{2}$. | 69,938 | 81,418 | 107,285 | 111,811 | 110,657 |
| Total assets ${ }^{3}$. | 1,246,426,899 | 1,522,045,738 | 1,903,213,778 | 2,069,453,023 | 2,219,019,293 |
| Net worth ${ }^{3} . . . . . .$. | 490,481,127 | 508,667,821 | 633,131,635 | 714,120,889 | 762,083,589 |
| Total receipts ......... | 772,358,188 | 936,277,062 | 1,156,709,979 | 1,257,010,639 | 1,330,726,431 |
| Business receipts ... | 733,943,970 | 874,111,070 | 1,086,623,231 | 1,183,959,691 | 1,247,593,251 |
| Interest received..... | 12,310,594 | 18,194,729 | 22,314,329 | 23,432,987 | 26,135,120 |
| Total deductions ${ }^{4}$... | 747,836,158 | 900,960,832 | 1,084,676,405 | 1,182,369,290 | 1,260,911,843 |
| Cost of goods sold..... ${ }^{4}$ | 381,028,354 | 405,924,209 | 405,708,040 | 453,455,420 | 482,982,473 |
| Interest paid .............. | 44,880,858 | 59,190,735 | 61,601,762 | 64,006,991 | 69,385,093 |
| Net income (less deficit) ${ }^{4}$ | 25,087,629 | 35,413,596 | 72,911,176 | 75,400,172 | 70,984,769 |
| Net income ${ }^{4}$.. | 37,880,144 | 51,490,850 | 87,557,007 | 93,129,707 | 95,097,536 |
| Deficiti ${ }^{4}$. | 12,792,516 | 16,077,254 | 14,645,831 | 17,729,536 | 24,112,767 |
| Total income tax ${ }^{7}$.. | 15,214,129 | 17,114,547 | 27,186,351 | 28,376,759 | 28,506,843 |
| Regular and alternative tax ${ }^{8}$. | 14,881,470 | 15,228,031 | 26,305,839 | 27,775,587 | 27,790,676 |
| Total income tax after credits. | 8,432,924 | 15,882,038 | 24,836,272 | 25,963,903 | 25,582,369 |

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## Selected Historical and Other Data

Table 14a.--Corporation Income Tax Returns: Selected Balance Sheet, Income Statement, and Tax Items, by Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) Industrial Division, Specified Income Years, 1985-1997 --Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Industrial division and item | 1985 | 1990 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) |
| WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE 1 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns, total ${ }^{2}$. | 917,301 | 1,023,057 | 1,132,409 | 1,142,491 | 1,149,132 |
| Number with net income ${ }^{2}$.. | 510,825 | 527,128 | 626,022 | 652,504 | 656,288 |
| Total assets ${ }^{3}$. | 1,009,965,739 | 1,447,296,828 | 1,919,717,823 | 2,016,232,163 | 1,947,931,949 |
| Net worth ${ }^{3}$. | 286,260,274 | 354,827,439 | 533,870,160 | 568,677,377 | 613,532,103 |
| Total receipts ... | 2,473,865,453 | 3,308,988,336 | 4,310,346,947 | 4,490,073,608 | 4,703,816,853 |
| Business receipts $\stackrel{4}{4}^{-1}$ | 2,408,174,933 | 3,216,861,660 | 4,206,376,331 | 4,383,103,174 | 4,588,802,594 |
| Interest received..... ${ }^{4,6}$ | 21,633,480 | 29,851,239 | 30,425,682 | 31,317,702 | 31,259,696 |
| Total deductions ... | 2,440,403,373 | 3,279,066,687 | 4,247,560,773 | 4,418,321,110 | 4,624,196,186 |
| Cost of goods sold.. ${ }^{4}$ | 1,869,766,621 | 2,482,483,270 | 3,255,845,728 | 3,378,472,096 | 3,523,438,346 |
| Interest paid | 38,217,998 | 63,914,431 | 59,945,319 | 61,708,013 | 65,839,595 |
| Net income (less deficit) ${ }_{4}^{4}$ | 33,126,702 | 30,094,078 | 63,566,712 | 73,353,268 | 81,584,637 |
| Net income ........ | 51,434,500 | 65,383,876 | 97,018,112 | 107,999,874 | 117,042,233 |
| Deficit ${ }^{4}$ | 18,307,798 | 35,289,798 | 33,451,401 | 34,646,606 | 35,457,596 |
| Total income tax ${ }^{7}$....... | 16,392,896 | 13,839,310 | 20,301,551 | 22,694,239 | 23,871,953 |
| Regular and alternative tax ... | 16,130,885 | 13,324,360 | 20,030,374 | 22,435,178 | 23,550,018 |
| Total income tax after credits. | 13,396,555 | 12,615,991 | 18,475,921 | 20,732,232 | 21,959,617 |
| FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns, total ${ }^{2}$.... | 518,432 | 609,138 | 683,211 | 723,754 | 744,545 |
| Number with net income ${ }^{2}$.. | 285,273 | 269,667 | 317,410 | 341,136 | 344,625 |
| Total assets ${ }^{3}$. | 7,029,452,681 | 10,193,295,357 | 15,677,286,629 | 17,360,053,164 | 20,905,619,903 |
| Net worth ${ }^{3}$.... | 1,161,968,009 | 2,142,041,011 | 4,668,579,685 | 5,605,211,611 | 7,155,654,580 |
| Total receipts ... ${ }^{4}$ | 1,182,034,309 | 1,954,709,651 | 2,278,103,923 | 2,406,855,250 | 2,711,269,836 |
| Business receipts $\underset{4.6}{5}$ | 501,993,840 | 900,908,453 | 1,094,870,564 | 1,176,179,679 | 1,282,307,615 |
| Interest received.... | 541,268,193 | 830,451,126 | 879,763,014 | 901,666,932 | 987,114,539 |
| Total deductions ........ | 1,104,572,202 | 1,809,867,575 | 1,985,795,615 | 2,076,613,597 | 2,304,339,835 |
| Cost of goods sold.... ${ }^{4}$ | 237,577,803 | 526,244,728 | 614,755,680 | 632,948,266 | 661,222,720 |
| Interest paid ............ | 363,009,417 | 506,921,011 | 433,479,978 | 439,762,655 | 501,112,985 |
| Net income (less deficit) ${ }^{4}$... | 60,670,526 | 109,901,881 | 256,810,767 | 299,149,193 | 373,482,032 |
| Net income ${ }^{4}$.. | 90,546,934 | 158,458,842 | 295,423,415 | 337,822,090 | 413,000,341 |
| Deficit ${ }^{4}$...... | 29,876,408 | 48,556,962 | 38,612,648 | 38,672,897 | 39,518,308 |
| Total income tax $\quad .7$ | 13,598,201 | 22,556,387 | 51,874,358 | 58,301,659 | 63,604,700 |
| Regular and alternative tax ${ }^{8}$ | 13,369,981 | 20,709,720 | 50,691,121 | 57,556,938 | 62,650,267 |
| Total income tax after credits. | 10,193,877 | 20,511,294 | 45,988,431 | 50,181,634 | 54,777,098 |
| SERVICES ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns, total ${ }^{2}$.. | 939,390 | 1,029,447 | 1,504,230 | 1,557,401 | 1,592,854 |
| Number with net income ${ }^{2}$. | 529,337 | 546,268 | 843,922 | 881,427 | 921,533 |
| Total assets ${ }^{3}$. | 330,982,941 | 572,842,266 | 950,737,457 | 1,092,310,137 | 1,259,381,543 |
| Net worth ${ }^{3}$.. | 89,852,365 | 143,154,346 | 307,630,801 | 363,120,124 | 413,665,895 |
| Total receipts ... ${ }^{4}$ | 534,587,609 | 779,329,609 | 1,335,694,559 | 1,496,215,552 | 1,638,587,903 |
| Business receipts ${ }_{4,6}^{4}$ | 497,980,990 | 726,041,364 | 1,263,790,767 | 1,408,716,487 | 1,536,597,024 |
| Interest received..... | 6,561,301 | 9,526,124 | 14,541,126 | 17,157,456 | 19,166,408 |
| Total deductions ... | 528,685,613 | 769,035,909 | 1,297,475,364 | 1,453,204,496 | 1,589,010,688 |
| Cost of goods sold... ${ }^{4}$ | 176,070,808 | 290,965,307 | 385,562,425 | 437,521,006 | 476,468,909 |
| Interest paid | 15,027,259 | 27,188,190 | 29,967,579 | 33,871,749 | 39,371,150 |
| Net income (less deficit) ${ }^{4}$. | 5,883,782 | 10,616,792 | 38,407,562 | 43,952,204 | 50,470,448 |
| Net income ${ }^{4}$. | 21,124,460 | 34,850,560 | 67,389,184 | 79,102,121 | 91,879,768 |
| Deficit ${ }^{4}$ | 15,240,678 | 24,233,768 | 28,981,622 | 35,149,916 | 41,409,320 |
| Total income tax ... | 4,742,347 | 5,368,531 | 10,358,678 | 12,588,705 | 14,804,587 |
| Regular and alternative tax ${ }^{8}$. | 4,621,875 | 5,041,377 | 10,155,538 | 12,397,017 | 14,568,298 |
| Total income tax after credits. | 3,343,830 | 4,597,561 | 8,720,911 | 10,179,417 | 12,110,639 |

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## Selected Historical and Other Data

## Table 14b.--Corporation Income Tax Returns: Selected Balance Sheet, Income Statement, and Tax Items, by North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Industrial Sector, Income Years 1998-2003

[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Industrial sector and item | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
| ALL INDUSTRIAL SECTORS ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns, total ${ }^{2}$. | 4,848,888 | 4,935,904 | 5,045,274 | 5,135,591 | 5,266,607 | 5,401,237 |
| Number with net income ${ }^{2}$. | 2,760,814 | 2,812,175 | 2,819,153 | 2,822,302 | 2,800,517 | 2,932,115 |
| Total assets ${ }^{3}$. | 37,347,352,986 | 41,464,152,854 | 47,026,871,874 | 49,154,424,202 | 50,413,501,942 | 53,644,784,683 |
| Net worth ${ }^{3}$.. | 13,108,275,236 | 15,362,860,996 | 17,348,650,369 | 17,614,743,174 | 17,545,109,175 | 18,818,686,574 |
| Total receipts ${ }^{4}$............. | 17,323,955,004 | 18,892,385,694 | 20,605,808,071 | 20,272,957,624 | 19,749,426,052 | 20,689,574,291 |
| Business receipts ${ }_{4,6}^{4,5}$ | 15,010,264,802 | 16,313,971,385 | 17,636,551,349 | 17,504,288,630 | 17,297,125,146 | 18,264,393,898 |
| Interest received.... ${ }^{4,6}$ | 1,276,768,885 | 1,353,552,485 | 1,628,041,441 | 1,499,683,236 | 1,233,298,115 | 1,132,675,179 |
| Total deductions ${ }^{4} . . . . . .$. | 16,489,425,015 | 17,966,972,060 | 19,691,591,726 | 19,682,982,949 | 19,198,882,118 | 19,940,594,557 |
| Cost of goods sold... ${ }^{4}$ | 9,362,392,237 | 10,284,098,039 | 11,135,287,909 | 11,041,533,030 | 10,607,404,004 | 11,318,644,763 |
| Interest paid | 966,659,473 | 1,018,972,484 | 1,271,678,744 | 1,203,045,923 | 912,751,562 | 818,016,806 |
| Net income (less deficit)... | 838,223,591 | 928,955,528 | 927,525,517 | 603,623,352 | 563,656,558 | 779,988,635 |
| Net income $\qquad$ | 1,091,150,050 | 1,229,295,911 | 1,336,619,605 | 1,112,480,551 | 1,053,126,217 | 1,175,608,990 |
| Deficit.... | 252,926,459 | 300,340,383 | 409,094,088 | 508,857,198 | 489,469,660 | 395,620,355 |
| Total income tax..... | 231,399,671 | 241,987,588 | 266,281,801 | 220,874,245 | 209,691,130 | 243,822,946 |
| Regular tax | 228,021,519 | 238,722,344 | 262,232,738 | 218,675,610 | 207,056,104 | 241,275,165 |
| Total income tax after credits... | 181,545,146 | 193,027,641 | 204,043,788 | 166,711,988 | 153,612,870 | 177,517,404 |
| AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, HUNTING, AND FISHING ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns, total ${ }^{2}$. | 135,107 | 141,678 | 140,851 | 140,806 | 140,223 | 143,019 |
| Number with net income ${ }^{2}$. | 71,439 | 73,861 | 79,678 | 74,106 | 65,499 | 77,281 |
| Total assets ${ }^{3}$. | 96,299,993 | 102,896,414 | 105,715,035 | 104,902,187 | 105,500,630 | 111,325,927 |
| Net worth ${ }^{3} \ldots$. | 36,418,247 | 37,991,103 | 38,692,638 | 36,636,289 | 35,767,420 | 37,169,357 |
| Total receipts . ${ }^{4}$.......... | 110,588,698 | 115,897,645 | 117,135,698 | 115,434,441 | 119,151,243 | 125,741,451 |
| Business receipts $\stackrel{4}{\ldots}$ | 100,398,430 | 104,645,084 | 106,085,760 | 102,909,416 | 107,931,393 | 113,828,382 |
| Interest received..... ${ }^{4}$ | 627,434 | 677,020 | 622,013 | 541,280 | 374,767 | 368,971 |
| Total deductions ... | 110,125,234 | 114,521,646 | 115,914,854 | 114,621,084 | 119,774,426 | 124,462,063 |
| Cost of goods sold...4 | 56,835,616 | 58,439,010 | 59,844,373 | 54,841,323 | 60,121,105 | 62,045,324 |
| Interest paid | 3,117,877 | 3,460,472 | 3,580,884 | 3,280,134 | 2,923,041 | 2,733,424 |
| Net income (less deficit) ... | 529,117 | 1,388,996 | 1,220,273 | 1,064,909 | -587,571 | 1,332,547 |
| Net income $\qquad$ | 5,485,926 | 5,938,589 | 6,135,371 | 5,981,691 | 4,852,284 | 6,339,974 |
| Deficit ... | 4,956,809 | 4,549,592 | 4,915,098 | 4,916,782 | 5,439,855 | 5,007,428 |
| Total income tax ... | 620,915 | 602,018 | 563,797 | 619,708 | 403,902 | 644,189 |
| Regular tax .... | 610,268 | 592,430 | 553,484 | 615,617 | 399,926 | 635,750 |
| Total income tax after credits... | 547,808 | 544,293 | 553,231 | 514,046 | 386,944 | 592,886 |
| MINING ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns, total ${ }^{2}$. | 31,467 | 30,849 | 32,578 | 31,776 | 30,287 | 30,252 |
| Number with net income ${ }^{2}$. | 16,045 | 15,291 | 18,430 | 18,942 | 15,095 | 17,152 |
| Total assets ${ }^{3}$. | 344,842,939 | 358,374,736 | 410,747,979 | 448,910,140 | 449,429,859 | 421,276,319 |
| Net worth ${ }^{3} \ldots . . . . .$. | 170,579,986 | 178,084,613 | 198,479,943 | 231,706,800 | 233,250,469 | 196,639,943 |
| Total receipts ... | 131,071,579 | 124,847,341 | 158,618,629 | 169,539,555 | 157,298,844 | 194,190,254 |
| Business receipts ... | 116,905,970 | 109,685,715 | 140,917,053 | 151,151,906 | 142,247,484 | 178,319,223 |
| Interest received...6.6. | 3,873,591 | 4,710,874 | 4,926,125 | 4,088,184 | 3,225,286 | 3,174,095 |
| Total deductions ...... | 130,388,596 | 125,494,571 | 149,060,709 | 160,816,530 | 156,911,742 | 184,237,912 |
| Cost of goods sold... ${ }^{4}$ | 66,380,586 | 63,289,692 | 75,033,998 | 80,548,021 | 78,092,277 | 98,177,788 |
| Interest paid | 7,911,568 | 9,008,339 | 10,125,194 | 9,923,985 | 9,016,218 | 9,240,463 |
| Net income (less deficit) ... | 1,091,102 | -134,901 | 10,355,698 | 9,406,304 | 1,344,239 | 10,683,846 |
| Net income ${ }^{4}$ | 8,826,382 | 8,519,139 | 15,616,089 | 16,240,479 | 9,851,990 | 17,265,488 |
| Deficit ........... | 7,735,280 | 8,654,040 | 5,260,391 | 6,834,176 | 8,507,752 | 6,581,642 |
| Total income tax $\quad$. | 2,116,331 | 1,770,981 | 3,231,554 | 3,026,385 | 2,087,504 | 3,547,275 |
| Regular tax ............ | 1,987,944 | 1,615,297 | 3,091,343 | 2,900,460 | 1,993,356 | 3,453,291 |
| Total income tax after credits... | 1,382,782 | 1,064,375 | 2,050,087 | 2,064,114 | 1,010,103 | 2,030,356 |

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## Selected Historical and Other Data

Table 14b.--Corporation Income Tax Returns: Selected Balance Sheet, Income Statement, and Tax Items, by North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Industrial Sector, Income Years 1998-2003--Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Industrial sector and item | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
| UTILITIES ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns, total ${ }^{2}$. | 8,067 | 7,044 | 7,968 | 7,802 | 7,863 | 8,504 |
| Number with net income ${ }^{2}$.. | 4,556 | 4,620 | 4,276 | 3,855 | 3,934 | 4,425 |
| Total assets ${ }^{3}$. | 1,034,143,980 | 1,171,606,471 | 1,556,911,256 | 1,515,428,318 | 1,458,642,427 | 1,454,677,579 |
| Net worth ${ }^{3}$. | 345,181,633 | 374,868,607 | 382,030,374 | 381,352,597 | 381,185,739 | 364,426,969 |
| Total receipts .... | 475,839,324 | 516,184,353 | 756,808,494 | 1,051,655,475 | 578,342,692 | 560,857,066 |
| Business receipts ${ }^{4}$ | 450,830,225 | 478,836,511 | 707,815,083 | 1,004,358,112 | 537,883,736 | 521,884,927 |
| Interest received.... ${ }^{4,6}$ | 7,797,767 | 9,222,895 | 12,932,306 | 13,035,317 | 12,550,519 | 10,492,402 |
| Total deductions ${ }^{4}$ | 445,297,488 | 477,659,203 | 728,553,279 | 1,036,080,852 | 580,005,825 | 566,004,187 |
| Cost of goods sold.... | 276,406,488 | 301,858,130 | 517,574,723 | 795,765,082 | 340,182,014 | 324,140,437 |
| Interest paid ... | 28,451,377 | 30,445,753 | 39,224,772 | 42,280,631 | 41,316,770 | 38,760,041 |
| Net income (less deficit) ... | 31,509,342 | 39,017,164 | 29,169,974 | 16,804,566 | -1,046,609 | -4,728,496 |
| Net income ${ }^{4}$........ | 37,950,376 | 42,332,613 | 35,279,980 | 28,734,461 | 22,596,105 | 14,461,224 |
| Deficit ${ }^{4}$.. | 6,441,034 | 3,315,449 | 6,110,006 | 11,929,895 | 23,642,715 | 19,189,721 |
| Total income tax ${ }^{7}$.. | 12,854,663 | 14,087,853 | 10,617,977 | 9,151,930 | 6,504,039 | 4,565,498 |
| Regular tax ..... | 12,763,441 | 13,916,825 | 10,420,441 | 9,071,527 | 6,382,751 | 4,483,781 |
| Total income tax after credits | 11,257,262 | 12,912,267 | 9,383,513 | 7,718,038 | 5,296,222 | 3,502,071 |
| CONSTRUCTION ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns, total ${ }^{2}$ | 551,935 | 580,302 | 597,902 | 624,478 | 648,535 | 676,120 |
| Number with net income ${ }^{2}$. | 350,586 | 374,809 | 373,746 | 376,822 | 382,349 | 401,721 |
| Total assets ${ }^{3}$. | 415,679,597 | 463,072,728 | 504,719,698 | 525,704,293 | 540,502,611 | 566,392,613 |
| Net worth ${ }^{3}$. | 124,212,135 | 139,215,432 | 149,948,101 | 150,498,208 | 163,014,462 | 154,875,559 |
| Total receipts ............. | 875,357,103 | 990,661,562 | 1,051,896,139 | 1,102,724,183 | 1,098,818,871 | 1,147,627,639 |
| Business receipts ... | 859,139,558 | 973,521,174 | 1,034,087,166 | 1,084,579,920 | 1,080,555,117 | 1,128,834,453 |
| Interest received..... ${ }^{4}$ | 2,858,133 | 3,050,095 | 3,466,222 | 3,062,738 | 2,474,298 | 2,565,635 |
| Total deductions ........... | 846,846,638 | 957,850,706 | 1,019,743,542 | 1,070,080,498 | 1,070,369,680 | 1,118,068,122 |
| Cost of goods sold..... | 646,521,716 | 734,146,024 | 776,692,461 | 809,614,689 | 799,324,059 | 832,053,060 |
| Interest paid | 8,234,453 | 8,717,303 | 10,202,001 | 10,270,932 | 9,289,390 | 9,720,872 |
| Net income (less deficit) . | 28,385,998 | 32,654,317 | 32,067,010 | 32,537,032 | 28,357,934 | 29,368,117 |
| Net income ${ }^{4}$..... | 37,355,248 | 42,285,794 | 43,775,887 | 46,179,690 | 45,359,266 | 48,125,249 |
| Deficit ${ }^{4}$............ | 8,969,250 | 9,631,477 | 11,708,877 | 13,642,657 | 17,001,332 | 18,757,132 |
| Total income tax ...' | 3,848,773 | 4,375,585 | 4,460,645 | 4,543,459 | 4,221,133 | 4,598,022 |
| Regular tax ........ | 3,720,221 | 4,280,010 | 4,373,768 | 4,497,744 | 4,178,296 | 4,560,661 |
| Total income tax after credits. | 3,671,586 | 4,142,447 | 4,308,656 | 4,435,401 | 4,104,446 | 4,471,956 |
| MANUFACTURING ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns, total ${ }^{2}$. | 309,912 | 297,714 | 288,506 | 278,995 | 280,185 | 281,239 |
| Number with net income ${ }^{2}$. | 187,502 | 184,923 | 168,580 | 147,291 | 149,710 | 145,867 |
| Total assets ${ }^{3}$. | 6,407,878,676 | 6,812,198,288 | 7,830,525,859 | 8,100,072,543 | 8,202,169,904 | 8,827,565,222 |
| Net worth ${ }^{3}$.. | 2,176,868,544 | 2,347,201,417 | 2,919,128,199 | 2,949,917,887 | 2,975,211,477 | 3,259,807,483 |
| Total receipts ... | 4,967,763,340 | 5,207,025,164 | 5,741,290,322 | 5,315,598,814 | 5,257,106,442 | 5,642,551,645 |
| Business receipts . ${ }^{4}$ | 4,591,071,027 | 4,801,823,220 | 5,259,173,394 | 4,862,174,424 | 4,822,650,951 | 5,194,506,715 |
| Interest received.....6 | 110,421,209 | 113,423,902 | 136,081,123 | 130,752,374 | 119,947,354 | 117,887,111 |
| Total deductions ... ${ }^{4}$ | 4,758,096,862 | 4,996,507,899 | 5,514,263,661 | 5,228,295,401 | 5,178,748,932 | 5,509,877,426 |
| Cost of goods sold.... ${ }^{4}$ | 3,128,946,941 | 3,278,506,854 | 3,646,003,664 | 3,402,032,548 | 3,353,642,529 | 3,691,657,743 |
| Interest paid .................. | 172,772,207 | 184,827,327 | 216,950,701 | 210,704,804 | 184,028,822 | 175,745,011 |
| Net income (less deficit) ... | 246,022,462 | 247,281,612 | 271,917,037 | 129,096,121 | 119,275,059 | 186,085,821 |
| Net income $\qquad$ | 300,629,903 | 311,008,480 | 355,433,559 | 269,346,456 | 245,134,412 | 284,701,913 |
| Deficit ................... | 54,607,441 | 63,726,868 | 83,516,521 | 140,250,335 | 125,859,352 | 98,616,092 |
| Total income tax ..... | 85,160,606 | 87,650,593 | 102,107,461 | 76,141,754 | 68,531,196 | 82,534,697 |
| Regular tax ................... | 84,044,758 | 86,663,477 | 100,717,097 | 75,778,613 | 67,606,219 | 82,027,984 |
| Total income tax after credits. | 51,821,656 | 56,836,653 | 62,146,298 | 43,292,557 | 34,400,275 | 42,840,125 |

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## Selected Historical and Other Data

Table 14b.--Corporation Income Tax Returns: Selected Balance Sheet, Income Statement, and Tax Items, by North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Industrial Sector, Income Years 1998-2003--Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

|  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Industrial sector and item |  |  |  |  |

## Selected Historical and Other Data

Table 14b.--Corporation Income Tax Returns: Selected Balance Sheet, Income Statement, and Tax Items, by North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Industrial Sector, Income Years 1998-2003--Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Industrial sector and item | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
| FINANCE AND INSURANCE ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns, total ${ }^{2}$. | 218,193 | 217,780 | 221,394 | 220,895 | 224,352 | 234,746 |
| Number with net income ${ }^{2}$. | 139,109 | 134,024 | 140,245 | 140,018 | 141,771 | 153,780 |
| Total assets ${ }^{3}$. | 17,305,086,833 | 19,824,587,927 | 20,812,549,796 | 21,088,851,299 | 21,937,110,016 | 24,336,630,885 |
| Net worth ${ }^{3}$. | 7,518,173,882 | 8,940,180,581 | 9,508,950,313 | 9,559,259,468 | 9,422,754,290 | 10,639,646,968 |
| Total receipts ${ }^{4}$. | 2,357,691,805 | 3,008,131,381 | 2,915,539,562 | 2,621,771,654 | 2,605,571,614 | 2,575,206,914 |
| Business receipts .. | 1,285,017,559 | 1,740,167,487 | 1,525,629,096 | 1,430,898,834 | 1,573,271,535 | 1,571,588,951 |
| Interest received...... | 720,794,899 | 811,320,049 | 936,422,920 | 806,514,689 | 660,002,353 | 593,235,118 |
| Total deductions ... ${ }^{4}$ | 2,037,238,331 | 2,610,951,725 | 2,499,971,633 | 2,321,050,152 | 2,324,723,707 | 2,240,823,839 |
| Cost of goods sold... | 744,162,763 | 1,162,852,049 | 875,995,480 | 828,320,672 | 835,466,854 | 818,675,183 |
| Interest paid | 344,911,753 | 392,893,417 | 474,253,886 | 421,275,484 | 291,740,227 | 249,072,837 |
| Net income (less deficit) | 285,178,258 | 360,667,738 | 379,017,708 | 268,142,171 | 247,012,845 | 303,014,325 |
| Net income ${ }^{4}$..... | 317,490,397 | 393,580,700 | 422,936,185 | 328,604,216 | 304,543,767 | 341,858,827 |
| Deficit .... | 32,312,139 | 32,912,962 | 43,918,477 | 60,462,045 | 57,530,922 | 38,844,502 |
| Total income tax ... | 40,155,581 | 40,300,522 | 43,609,913 | 39,068,012 | 41,867,335 | 52,991,696 |
| Regular tax ....... | 39,623,438 | 39,435,856 | 42,763,433 | 37,998,253 | 40,872,057 | 51,620,051 |
| Total income tax after credits. | 35,809,588 | 33,861,687 | 36,939,212 | 34,189,718 | 36,100,698 | 44,306,591 |
| REAL ESTATE AND RENTAL AND LEASING ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns, total ${ }^{2}$...... | 521,917 | 521,447 | 532,426 | 539,965 | 570,639 | 577,400 |
| Number with net income ${ }^{2}$ | 212,436 | 207,998 | 212,683 | 203,699 | 207,925 | 219,872 |
| Total assets ${ }^{3}$.. | 496,174,007 | 555,038,279 | 562,512,765 | 553,968,402 | 538,584,064 | 559,092,671 |
| Net worth ${ }^{3}$. | 138,405,897 | 148,473,459 | 155,887,764 | 151,968,943 | 147,198,160 | 161,103,312 |
| Total receipts ... | 205,765,416 | 215,874,696 | 235,179,818 | 239,598,864 | 230,647,035 | 233,291,211 |
| Business receipts ${ }_{\text {, }}^{4.5}$ | 175,701,248 | 185,450,183 | 204,519,672 | 207,454,856 | 205,206,751 | 207,243,701 |
| Interest received...... | 6,601,541 | 6,782,681 | 5,525,181 | 4,864,674 | 4,046,822 | 4,213,588 |
| Total deductions .... | 196,769,688 | 209,273,861 | 228,930,442 | 234,230,846 | 227,363,978 | 227,270,188 |
| Cost of goods sold..... ${ }^{4}$ | 44,622,040 | 44,747,394 | 50,813,666 | 48,227,121 | 50,124,303 | 47,394,165 |
| Interest paid ................. | 15,839,859 | 16,981,007 | 18,199,502 | 19,896,544 | 14,123,528 | 13,675,965 |
| Net income (less deficit) ... | 8,872,883 | 6,486,094 | 6,137,855 | 5,360,069 | 3,253,378 | 6,062,925 |
| Net income ${ }_{4}$. | 19,183,985 | 17,966,220 | 19,286,447 | 18,754,185 | 18,134,864 | 21,144,158 |
| Deficit ......... | 10,311,103 | 11,480,126 | 13,148,592 | 13,394,117 | 14,881,486 | 15,081,233 |
| Total income tax | 2,789,218 | 2,530,093 | 2,454,250 | 2,361,366 | 2,012,011 | 2,370,340 |
| Regular tax ................... | 2,615,409 | 2,377,866 | 2,376,474 | 2,321,058 | 1,974,547 | 2,314,379 |
| Total income tax after credits. | 2,664,038 | 2,395,153 | 2,347,572 | 2,218,940 | 1,958,106 | 2,308,035 |
| PROFESSIONAL, SCIENTIFIC, AND TECHNICAL SERVICES ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns, total ${ }^{2}$... | 623,784 | 657,153 | 689,412 | 709,837 | 736,005 | 760,087 |
| Number with net income ${ }^{2}$. | 384,536 | 409,951 | 409,706 | 416,900 | 429,535 | 444,869 |
| Total assets ${ }^{3}$. | 299,636,432 | 373,290,013 | 499,987,766 | 483,351,824 | 484,691,832 | 507,815,971 |
| Net worth ${ }^{3} . .$. | 110,823,199 | 139,391,301 | 213,025,814 | 189,543,565 | 171,783,018 | 181,546,066 |
| Total receipts .... | 563,742,939 | 604,083,026 | 658,747,358 | 665,085,183 | 683,879,755 | 720,418,313 |
| Business receipts ... | 540,924,209 | 576,276,292 | 623,368,137 | 631,691,343 | 651,992,903 | 691,608,915 |
| Interest received...6 | 3,875,671 | 4,427,474 | 7,621,540 | 6,196,145 | 4,668,720 | 3,889,678 |
| Total deductions ${ }^{4}$ | 545,623,562 | 591,035,814 | 666,570,144 | 671,016,867 | 681,976,681 | 711,836,442 |
| Cost of goods sold.... ${ }^{4}$ | 185,899,820 | 183,976,411 | 202,015,796 | 189,914,383 | 199,415,154 | 202,329,198 |
| Interest paid ................ | 6,192,565 | 7,612,211 | 10,317,850 | 9,404,961 | 9,040,336 | 8,682,585 |
| Net income (less deficit) ..................... | 18,166,687 | 13,263,768 | -7,551,100 | -5,614,567 | 2,463,356 | 9,277,744 |
|  | 36,794,790 | 39,516,735 | 42,508,155 | 41,323,639 | 42,831,929 | 44,316,435 |
| Deficit ..................... | 18,628,103 | 26,252,968 | 50,059,255 | 46,938,207 | 40,368,574 | 35,038,691 |
| Total income tax | 4,892,809 | 4,784,997 | 4,910,603 | 3,943,006 | 3,769,108 | 3,671,651 |
| Regular tax .................... | 4,848,521 | 4,735,208 | 4,879,740 | 3,931,563 | 3,736,566 | 3,682,859 |
| Total income tax after credits. | 4,277,480 | 4,088,564 | 4,394,637 | 3,277,227 | 3,191,317 | 3,066,840 |

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## Selected Historical and Other Data

Table 14b.--Corporation Income Tax Returns: Selected Balance Sheet, Income Statement, and Tax Items, by North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Industrial Sector, Income Years 1998-2003--Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]


## Selected Historical and Other Data

Table 14b.--Corporation Income Tax Returns: Selected Balance Sheet, Income Statement, and Tax Items, by North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Industrial Sector, Income Years 1998-2003--Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Industrial sector and item |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |

See notes at end of this section.

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Table 14b.--Corporation Income Tax Returns: Selected Balance Sheet, Income Statement, and Tax Items, by North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Industrial Sector, Income Years 1998-2003--Continued
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Industrial sector and item | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
| OTHER SERVICES ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns, total ${ }^{2}$. | 300,313 | 305,725 | 316,138 | 325,602 | 321,134 | 329,336 |
| Number with net income ${ }^{2}$. | 180,851 | 183,395 | 182,268 | 187,784 | 173,951 | 176,351 |
| Total assets ${ }^{3}$. | 87,416,961 | 90,106,610 | 93,844,830 | 98,164,009 | 92,666,071 | 95,847,187 |
| Net worth ${ }^{3}$. | 30,679,258 | 30,783,792 | 30,704,809 | 33,548,788 | 27,827,023 | 29,946,557 |
| Total receipts | 148,369,892 | 151,673,526 | 170,060,184 | 174,835,529 | 164,353,067 | 170,732,940 |
| Business receipts ${ }_{4,6}^{4}$ | 143,395,451 | 146,498,454 | 164,175,721 | 168,989,458 | 159,401,281 | 164,976,728 |
| Interest received ${ }^{4,6}$ | 928,360 | 907,132 | 1,561,266 | 840,414 | 522,003 | 515,071 |
| Total deductions . ${ }^{4}$ | 143,776,511 | 147,324,436 | 165,502,185 | 170,800,214 | 161,284,099 | 166,821,367 |
| Cost of goods sold. | 60,956,443 | 61,680,640 | 68,810,776 | 70,937,697 | 63,754,139 | 66,924,017 |
| Interest paid ... | 2,731,937 | 2,844,964 | 3,748,882 | 3,035,734 | 2,472,820 | 2,538,029 |
| Net income (less deficit) . ${ }^{4}$ | 4,591,932 | 4,317,819 | 4,547,256 | 4,039,477 | 3,094,837 | 4,062,491 |
| Net income ${ }^{4}$. | 7,237,035 | 7,191,706 | 7,811,408 | 7,750,193 | 6,976,867 | 7,962,590 |
| Deficit ${ }^{4} . . . . . .$. | 2,645,103 | 2,873,886 | 3,264,152 | 3,710,716 | 3,882,031 | 3,900,100 |
| Total income tax | 824,431 | 665,085 | 697,705 | 616,629 | 515,266 | 677,787 |
| Regular tax ........ | 817,298 | 658,064 | 694,957 | 614,779 | 513,131 | 679,269 |
| Total income tax after credits.. | 785,562 | 637,689 | 674,380 | 580,567 | 480,323 | 520,041 |

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Table 15.--Corporation Profits Before Tax per National Income and Product Accounts (NIPA) and per SOI, and Income Subject to Tax per SOI, Income Years 1960-2003
[All figures are estimates--money amounts are in billions of dollars]

| Income year | Profits before tax (per NIPA) ${ }^{1,2}$ | Net income (less deficit) $(\text { per SOI })^{3}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Income } \\ \text { subject } \\ \text { to tax (per SOI) }{ }^{3,4} \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) |
| 1960... | 51.6 | 43.5 | 47.2 |
| 1961. | 51.6 | 45.9 | 47.9 |
| 1962. | 57.0 | 49.6 | 51.7 |
| 1963. | 62.1 | 54.3 | 54.3 |
| 1964. | 69.1 | 61.6 | 60.4 |
| 1965. | 80.2 | 73.9 | 70.8 |
| 1966. | 86.7 | 80.5 | 77.1 |
| 1967. | 83.5 | 78.2 | 74.8 |
| 1968. | 92.4 | 86.0 | 81.4 |
| 1969. | 91.4 | 80.2 | 81.2 |
| 1970... | 81.0 | 65.9 | 72.4 |
| 1971. | 92.9 | 79.7 | 83.2 |
| 1972. | 107.8 | 96.8 | 95.1 |
| 1973. | 134.8 | 120.4 | 115.5 |
| 1974. | 147.8 | 148.2 | 144.0 |
| 1975. | 145.5 | 142.6 | 146.6 |
| 1976.. | 179.7 | 185.4 | 183.5 |
| 1977. | 210.4 | 219.2 | 212.5 |
| 1978. | 246.1 | 246.9 | 239.6 |
| 1979....................................................................... | 271.9 | 284.6 | 279.4 |
| 1980... | 253.5 | 239.0 | 246.6 |
| 1981. | 243.7 | 213.6 | 241.5 |
| 1982. | 198.5 | 154.3 | 205.2 |
| 1983. | 233.9 | 188.3 | 218.7 |
| 1984. | 268.6 | 232.9 | 257.1 |
| 1985. | 257.4 | 240.1 | 266.1 |
| 1986. | 246.0 | 269.5 | 276.2 |
| 1987. | 317.6 | 328.2 | 311.8 |
| 1988. | 386.1 | 413.0 | 383.2 |
| 1989. | 383.7 | 389.0 | 371.1 |
| 1990... | 409.5 | 370.6 | 366.4 |
| 1991.. | 423.0 | 344.9 | 350.0 |
| 1992. | 461.1 | 402.0 | 377.9 |
| 1993. | 517.1 | 498.2 | 436.8 |
| 1994. | 577.1 | 577.3 | 494.0 |
| 1995. | 674.3 | 714.2 | 564.7 |
| 1996. | 733.0 | 806.5 | 639.8 |
| 1997. | 798.2 | 915.4 | 683.8 |
| 1998. | 718.3 | 838.2 | 663.4 |
| 1999... | 775.9 | 929.0 | 693.7 |
| 2000. | 773.4 | 927.5 | 760.4 |
| 2001... | 707.9 | 603.6 | 635.3 |
| 2002............................................................................. | 768.4 | 563.7 | 600.6 |
| 2003. | 937.2 | $780.0{ }^{\text {r }}$ | $699.3{ }^{\text {r }}$ |

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Table 16.--Nonprofit Charitable Organization and Domestic Private Foundation Information Returns, and Tax-Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Returns: Selected Financial Data, 1995-2002
[All figures are estimates based on samples--money amounts are in millions of dollars]

| Type of return, item | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) |
| NONPROFIT CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION <br> INFORMATION RETURNS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns. | 180,931 | 192,059 | 198,957 | 207,272 | 211,615 | 230,159 | 240,569 | 251,676 |
| Total assets, book value ${ }^{2}$. | 1,143,079 | 1,293,439 | 1,438,977 | 1,351,541 | 1,453,675 | 1,562,536 | 1,631,719 | 1,733,852 |
| Total liabilities ${ }^{2}$. | 512,383 | 564,566 | 624,978 | 459,188 | 481,444 | 539,367 | 611,390 | 693,576 |
| Total fund balance or net worth ${ }^{2}$. | 630,696 | 728,873 | 813,998 | 892,353 | 972,232 | 1,023,169 | 1,020,329 | 1,040,275 |
| Total revenue. | 663,371 | 704,346 | 754,616 | 752,044 | 800,676 | 866,208 | 896,974 | 955,267 |
| Program service revenue ${ }^{3}$. | 443,052 | 467,559 | 486,407 | 502,832 | 518,111 | 579,081 | 630,817 | 691,791 |
| Contributions, gifts, and grants. | 127,743 | 137,666 | 146,171 | 161,751 | 174,992 | 199,076 | 212,427 | 214,484 |
| Membership dues and assessments. | 6,148 | 6,347 | 6,823 | 6,952 | 6,331 | 6,660 | 7,239 | 7,879 |
| Other | 86,428 | 92,774 | 115,215 | 80,508 | 101,242 | 81,392 | 46,491 | 4,113 |
| Total expenses. | 604,645 | 637,917 | 677,143 | 684,566 | 714,487 | 796,434 | 862,721 | 934,672 |
| Excess of revenue over expenses (net). | 58,725 | 66,429 | 77,473 | 67,478 | 86,189 | 69,775 | 34,253 | 20,595 |
| DOMESTIC PRIVATE FOUNDATION INFORMATION RETURNS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns, total. | 47,917 | 50,774 | 55,113 | 56,658 | 62,694 | 66,738 | 70,787 | 73,255 |
| Nonoperating foundations. | 43,966 | 46,066 | 50,541 | 52,460 | 58,840 | 61,501 | 63,650 | 67,101 |
| Operating foundations.. | 3,951 | 4,708 | 4,572 | 4,198 | 3,854 | 5,238 | 7,137 | 6,154 |
| Total assets, book value ${ }^{\text {2 }}$. | 195,570 | 232,565 | 280,920 | 325,672 | 384,565 | 409,524 | 413,577 | 383,516 |
| Total assets, fair market value ${ }^{2}$. | 242,917 | 288,588 | 342,689 | 397,084 | 466,863 | 471,646 | 455,423 | 413,007 |
| Investments in securities ${ }^{2}$. | 190,739 | 225,087 | 272,412 | 317,900 | 363,442 | 361,418 | 329,353 | 294,385 |
| Total revenue. | 30,814 | 48,247 | 55,460 | 59,735 | 83,286 | 72,780 | 45,264 | 27,775 |
| Total expenses. | 17,189 | 19,852 | 22,414 | 25,902 | 33,876 | 37,434 | 36,661 | 34,392 |
| Contributions, gifts, and grants paid.. ${ }^{4}$ | 12,256 | 14,519 | 16,421 | 19,394 | 22,763 | 27,564 | 27,383 | 26,303 |
| Excess of revenue over expenses (net). | 13,626 | 28,395 | 33,046 | 33,833 | 49,410 | 35,346 | 8,602 | -6618 |
| Net investment income. ${ }^{5}$ | 20,355 | 26,189 | 34,801 | 39,313 | 57,142 | 48,830 | 25,719 | 17,648 |
| TAX-EXEMPT ORGANIZATION UNRELATED BUSINESS INCOME TAX RETURNS ${ }^{6}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Number of returns, total... | 36,394 | 40,621 | 39,302 | 46,208 | 42,151 | 38,567 | 35,540 | 35,103 |
| With unrelated business taxable income.. | 18,157 | 19,511 | 20,827 | 24,332 | 20,718 | 19,336 | 15,277 | 14,495 |
| Without unrelated business taxable income. | 18,237 | 21,109 | 18,475 | 21,876 | 21,433 | 19,231 | 20,264 | 20,608 |
| Gross unrelated business income... | 6,280 | 7,295 | 7,809 | 7,585 | 7,722 | 8,413 | 7,900 | 7,776 |
| Total deductions... ${ }^{7,8.9}$ | 5,787 | 6,619 | 6,903 | 6,484 | 6,835 | 7,703 | 7,883 | 7,922 |
| Unrelated business taxable income (less deficit). ${ }^{8}$ | 493 | 676 | 906 | 1,100 | 887 | 710 | 18 | -146 |
| Unrelated business taxable income | 893 | 1,170 | 1,375 | 1,670 | 1,485 | 1,427 | 792 | 647 |
| Deficit. ${ }^{8}$ | 400 | 494 | 469 | 569 | 598 | 717 | 774 | 793 |
| Unrelated business income tax.. | 277 | 372 | 418 | 506 | 423 | 406 | 226 | 194 |
| Total tax..10 | 277 | 373 | 423 | 464 | 422 | 403 | 222 | 193 |

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## Selected Historical and Other Data

Table 17.--Taxable Estate Tax Returns as a Percentage of Adult Deaths, Selected Years of Death, 1934-2002
[Money amounts are in thousands of dollars ${ }^{1}$ ]

| Selected year of death ${ }^{2}$ | Total adult deaths ${ }^{3}$ | Taxable estate tax returns ${ }^{4,5}$ |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Number | Percentage of adult deaths | Total gross estate at date of death | Estate tax after credits |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) |
| 1934. | 983,970 | 8,655 | 0.88 | 2,197,941 | 153,763 |
| 1935. | 1,172,245 | 9,137 | 0.78 | 2,084,269 | 195,301 |
| 1936. | 1,257,290 | 12,010 | 0.96 | 2,561,906 | 305,784 |
| 1937. | 1,237,585 | 13,220 | 1.07 | 2,844,112 | 314,620 |
| 1938. | 1,181,275 | 12,720 | 1.08 | 2,564,072 | 276,707 |
| 1939. | 1,205,072 | 12,907 | 1.07 | 2,441,960 | 250,360 |
| 1940.. | 1,237,186 | 13,336 | 1.08 | 2,578,314 | 291,758 |
| 1941.. | 1,216,855 | 13,493 | 1.11 | 2,550,473 | 308,342 |
| 1942. | 1,211,391 | 12,726 | 1.05 | 2,452,340 | 362,164 |
| 1943. | 1,277,009 | 12,154 | 0.95 | 2,720,000 | 404,638 |
| 1944.. | 1,238,917 | 13,869 | 1.12 | 3,245,624 | 531,052 |
| 1946... | 1,239,713 | 18,232 | 1.47 | 3,993,298 | 621,966 |
| 1947. | 1,278,856 | 19,742 | 1.54 | 4,445,326 | 714,707 |
| 1948. | 1,283,601 | 17,469 | 1.36 | 4,271,852 | 567,421 |
| 1949. | 1,285,684 | 17,411 | 1.35 | 4,126,358 | 483,520 |
| 1950.. | 1,304,343 | 18,941 | 1.45 | 4,655,892 | 577,401 |
| 1953.. | 1,237,741 | 24,997 | 2.02 | 6,287,867 | 778,504 |
| 1954. | 1,332,412 | 25,143 | 1.89 | 6,387,246 | 778,342 |
| 1956. | 1,289,193 | 32,131 | 2.49 | 8,903,611 | 1,176,710 |
| 1958..... | 1,358,375 | 38,515 | 2.84 | 9,995,884 | 1,185,620 |
| 1960.. | 1,426,148 | 45,439 | 3.19 | 12,733,459 | 1,618,548 |
| 1962. | 1,483,846 | 55,207 | 3.72 | 14,713,504 | 1,840,972 |
| 1965.. | 1,578,813 | 67,404 | 4.27 | 18,820,065 | 2,414,310 |
| 1969... | 1,796,055 | 93,424 | 5.20 | 23,459,524 | 2,999,965 |
| 1972. | 1,854,146 | 120,761 | 6.51 | 33,293,565 | 4,153,250 |
| 1976.. | 1,819,107 | 139,115 | 7.65 | 40,578,379 | 4,979,112 |
| 1982. | 1,897,820 | 34,426 | 1.81 | 31,903,845 | 4,937,216 |
| 1983. | 1,945,913 | 34,899 | 1.79 | 33,434,470 | 5,073,787 |
| 1984. | 1,968,128 | 30,436 | 1.55 | 34,201,557 | 5,012,750 |
| 1985. | 2,015,070 | 22,326 | 1.11 | 35,168,822 | 6,044,292 |
| 1986.. | 2,033,978 | 21,923 | 1.08 | 37,799,304 | 6,276,800 |
| 1987. | 2,053,084 | 18,157 | 0.88 | 40,907,217 | 6,392,989 |
| 1988.. | 2,096,704 | 20,864 | 1.00 | 43,413,056 | 7,432,376 |
| 1989.... | 2,079,035 | 23,096 | 1.11 | 51,062,975 | 8,953,181 |
| 1990... | 2,079,034 | 24,647 | 1.19 | 53,698,028 | 9,217,499 |
| 1991.. | 2,101,746 | 26,680 | 1.27 | 55,363,655 | 9,617,366 |
| 1992. | 2,111,617 | 27,235 | 1.29 | 59,707,135 | 10,474,949 |
| 1993. | 2,204,366 | 32,062 | 1.45 | 72,047,377 | 12,559,769 |
| 1994. | 2,216,736 | 32,565 | 1.47 | 69,492,783 | 12,312,421 |
| 1995.. | 2,252,471 | 36,651 | 1.63 | 78,756,293 | 14,259,048 |
| 1996..... | 2,314,254 | 41,714 | 1.80 | 95,003,317 | 16,336,256 |
| 1997.... | 2,258,366 | 47,800 | 2.12 | 104,860,580 | 19,957,705 |
| 1998..... | 2,282,055 | 49,913 | 2.19 | 117,965,303 | 22,676,230 |
| 1999... | 2,336,840 | 53,819 | 2.30 | 135,076,422 | 24,809,821 |
| 2000.... | 2,349,361 | 51,159 | 2.18 | 126,095,812 | 24,032,595 |
| 2001.. | 2,363,100 | 49,911 | 2.11 | 132,301,775 | 23,393,255 |
| 2002. | 2,389,533 | 28,074 | 1.17 | 105,339,413 | 18,841,122 |

[^84]Table 18.--Treasury Department Gross Tax Collections: Amount Collected by Quarter and Fiscal Year, 1987-2005
[Money amounts are in millions of dollars]

| Quarter and fiscal year | Amount collected by type of return |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total ${ }^{1}$ | Individual income taxes ${ }^{2}$ | Corporation income taxes ${ }^{3}$ | Excise taxes |  | Employment taxes ${ }^{5}$ | Estate and gift taxes |
|  |  |  |  | Internal <br> Revenue <br> Service ${ }^{1,4}$ | Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau ${ }^{4}$ |  |  |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) |
| FISCAL YEAR 1987, TOTAL ${ }^{4}$.................. | 886,290 | 465,452 | 102,859 | 33,311 | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | 277,000 | 7,668 |
| October 1986 - December 1986 | 180,580 | 92,346 | 22,466 | 8,281 | N/A | 55,615 | 1,872 |
| January 1987 - March 1987.. | 209,032 | 105,483 | 22,649 | 7,925 | N/A | 71,156 | 1,819 |
| April 1987 - June 1987. | 285,477 | 164,008 | 29,748 | 8,493 | N/A | 81,139 | 2,089 |
| July 1987 - September 1987... | 211,201 | 103,615 | 27,996 | 8,612 | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | 69,090 | 1,888 |
| FISCAL YEAR 1988, TOTAL. | 945,614 | 473,667 | 109,683 | 25,934 | 10,507 | 318,039 | 7,784 |
| October 1987 - December 1987. | 200,006 | 97,479 | 24,828 | 6,475 | 2,911 | 66,500 | 1,813 |
| January 1988 - March 1988. | 222,784 | 111,215 | 22,006 | 5,304 | 2,337 | 80,161 | 1,761 |
| April 1988 - June 1988... | 298,938 | 160,018 | 35,991 | 6,550 | 2,763 | 91,426 | 2,190 |
| July 1988 - September 1988. | 223,886 | 104,955 | 26,858 | 7,605 | 2,496 | 79,952 | 2,020 |
| FISCAL YEAR 1989, TOTAL.... | 1,024,718 | 515,732 | 117,015 | 25,977 | 11,397 | 345,626 | 8,973 |
| October 1988 - December 1988. | 216,503 | 104,522 | 29,551 | 6,657 | 2,985 | 70,632 | 2,156 |
| January 1989 - March 1989... | 238,279 | 114,475 | 20,760 | 6,098 | 2,395 | 92,587 | 1,964 |
| April 1989 - June 1989... | 334,878 | 180,947 | 40,825 | 6,899 | 3,401 | 100,077 | 2,729 |
| July 1989 - September 1989. | 235,059 | 115,788 | 25,879 | 6,324 | 2,615 | 82,329 | 2,124 |
| FISCAL YEAR 1990, TOTAL. | 1,066,600 | 540,228 | 110,017 | 27,139 | 10,235 | 367,219 | 11,762 |
| October 1989 - December 1989. | 222,867 | 110,077 | 26,390 | 6,184 | 2,790 | 74,982 | 2,444 |
| January 1990 - March 1990. | 251,924 | 127,277 | 21,433 | 5,868 | 2,187 | 92,868 | 2,291 |
| April 1990 - June 1990.. | 343,976 | 181,180 | 37,398 | 8,143 | 2,690 | 110,281 | 4,284 |
| July 1990 - September 1990. | 247,833 | 121,694 | 24,796 | 6,944 | 2,568 | 89,088 | 2,743 |
| FISCAL YEAR 1991, TOTAL | 1,099,746 | 546,877 | 113,599 | 30,452 | 12,895 | 384,451 | 11,473 |
| October 1990 - December 1990. | 242,792 | 118,047 | 29,248 | 6,363 | 2,753 | 83,646 | 2,735 |
| January 1991 - March 1991.. | 257,078 | 119,891 | 22,974 | 7,107 | 2,919 | 101,569 | 2,618 |
| April 1991 - June 1991.. | 338,591 | 181,949 | 35,953 | 7,545 | 3,545 | 106,426 | 3,173 |
| July 1991 - September 1991 | 261,284 | 126,990 | 25,423 | 9,436 | 3,678 | 92,810 | 2,947 |
| FISCAL YEAR 1992, TOTAL. | 1,134,195 | 557,723 | 117,951 | 33,566 | 13,395 | 400,081 | 11,479 |
| October 1991 - December 1991. | 249,845 | 117,980 | 28,571 | 8,238 | 3,572 | 88,749 | 2,735 |
| January 1992 - March 1992. | 266,984 | 136,220 | 19,751 | 8,159 | 2,823 | 97,425 | 2,606 |
| April 1992 - June 1992. | 348,986 | 173,437 | 41,930 | 8,311 | 3,539 | 118,503 | 3,266 |
| July 1992 - September 1992. | 268,380 | 130,086 | 27,699 | 8,858 | 3,461 | 95,404 | 2,872 |
| FISCAL YEAR 1993, TOTAL. | 1,190,673 | 585,774 | 131,548 | 34,962 | 13,987 | 411,511 | 12,891 |
| October 1992 - December 1992. | 262,404 | 124,812 | 30,324 | 8,388 | 3,581 | 92,284 | 3,015 |
| January 1993 - March 1993.. | 285,925 | 154,596 | 21,124 | 8,317 | 3,074 | 96,042 | 2,772 |
| April 1993 - June 1993.. | 354,070 | 168,977 | 47,920 | 8,739 | 3,776 | 120,767 | 3,891 |
| July 1993 - September 1993. | 288,274 | 137,389 | 32,180 | 9,518 | 3,556 | 102,418 | 3,213 |
| FISCAL YEAR 1994, TOTAL....... | 1,290,246 | 619,819 | 154,205 | 43,005 | 13,779 | 443,831 | 15,607 |
| October 1993 - December 1993. | 282,891 | 132,790 | 36,088 | 9,907 | 3,525 | 97,012 | 3,569 |
| January 1994 - March 1994...... | 309,746 | 160,382 | 24,883 | 9,932 | 3,009 | 108,037 | 3,503 |
| April 1994 - June 1994... | 386,403 | 182,996 | 55,652 | 10,629 | 3,592 | 128,665 | 4,869 |
| July 1994 - September 1994... | 311,205 | 143,651 | 37,582 | 12,536 | 3,653 | 110,117 | 3,666 |
| FISCAL YEAR 1995, TOTAL................... | 1,390,048 | 675,779 | 174,422 | 44,981 | 14,317 | 465,405 | 15,144 |
| October 1994 - December 1994. | 301,238 | 138,454 | 40,811 | 11,029 | 3,791 | 103,537 | 3,616 |
| January 1995 - March 1995.. | 329,624 | 169,977 | 26,137 | 10,791 | 2,982 | 116,503 | 3,234 |
| April 1995 - June 1995...... | 432,556 | 214,105 | 65,995 | 11,116 | 3,603 | 133,357 | 4,380 |
| July 1995 - September 1995.. | 326,630 | 153,243 | 41,479 | 12,045 | 3,941 | 112,008 | 3,914 |
| FISCAL YEAR 1996, TOTAL................... | 1,500,351 | 745,313 | 189,055 | 42,222 | 13,805 | 492,365 | 17,592 |
| October 1995 - December 1995.. | 320,038 | 148,203 | 46,823 | 11,409 | 3,411 | 106,200 | 3,992 |
| January 1996 - March 1996.. | 349,683 | 184,419 | 27,971 | 9,939 | 2,959 | 120,783 | 3,612 |
| April 1996 - June 1996... | 474,823 | 242,754 | 68,509 | 9,835 | 3,532 | 144,825 | 5,368 |
| July 1996 - September 1996................. | 355,808 | 169,937 | 45,752 | 11,039 | 3,903 | 120,557 | 4,620 |

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Table 18.--Treasury Department Gross Tax Collections: Amount Collected by Quarter and Fiscal Year, 1987-2005--Continued
[Money amounts are in millions of dollars]

| Quarter and fiscal year | Amount collected by type of return |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total ${ }^{1}$ | Individual income taxes ${ }^{2}$ | Corporation income taxes ${ }^{3}$ | Excise taxes |  | Employment taxes ${ }^{5}$ | Estate and gift taxes |
|  |  |  |  | Internal <br> Revenue <br> Service ${ }^{1,4}$ | Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau ${ }^{4}$ |  |  |
| FISCAL YEAR 1997, TOTAL. | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) |
|  | 1,637,157 | 825,021 | 204,492 | 44,806 | 13,883 | 528,597 | 20,356 |
| October 1996 - December 1996. | 345,447 | 157,767 | 49,612 | 10,052 | 3,261 | 120,284 | 4,471 |
| January 1997 - March 1997. | 379,827 | 197,477 | 31,359 | 10,762 | 3,052 | 132,838 | 4,339 |
| April 1997 - June 1997. | 526,490 | 285,884 | 75,093 | 11,600 | 3,524 | 144,048 | 6,341 |
| July 1997 - September 1997.... | 385,392 | 183,893 | 48,428 | 12,393 | 4,046 | 131,426 | 5,206 |
| FISCAL YEAR 1998, TOTAL................... | 1,782,997 | 928,066 | 213,270 | 45,643 | 13,588 | 557,799 | 24,631 |
| October 1997 - December 1997. | 381,995 | 180,507 | 56,228 | 12,424 | 3,181 | 124,315 | 5,340 |
| January 1998 - March 1998. | 412,808 | 216,994 | 33,640 | 11,424 | 2,968 | 142,512 | 5,270 |
| April 1998 - June 1998.. | 578,540 | $\begin{aligned} & 319,050 \\ & 211,515 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 75,714 \\ & 47,688 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12,575 \\ 9,220 \end{array}$ | 3,581 | 159,632 | 7,988 |
| July 1998 - September 1998. | 409,655 |  |  |  | 3,858 | 131,341 | 6,033 |
| FISCAL YEAR 1999, TOTAL. | 1,917,643 | 1,002,186 | $216,325$ | 58,586 | $13,490$ | 598,670 | 28,386 |
| October 1998 - December 1998. | 410,884 | 192,843 | 56,474 | 18,017 | 13,490 3,216 | 133,695 | 6,639 |
| January 1999 - March 1999. | 444,224 | 239,680 | 33,958 | 12,179 | 2,915 | 166,086 | 6,084 |
| April 1999 - June 1999. | $\begin{aligned} & 616,626 \\ & 445,908 \end{aligned}$ | 351,720 | 72,90452,989 | $\begin{aligned} & 13,366 \\ & 15,023 \end{aligned}$ | 3,457 |  | 9,093 |
| July 1999 - September 1999... |  | 217,943 |  |  | 3,903 | 149,480 | 6,570 |
| FISCAL YEAR 2000, TOTAL...... | 2,112,755 | 1,137,078 | 235,655 | 54,811 | 15,838 | 639,652 | 29,722 |
| October 1999 - December 1999. | 442,745 | 222,369 | 57,122 | 12,611 | 3,5233,540 | 139,310 | 7,810 |
| January 2000 - March 2000..... | 490,661 | 265,193 | 39,584 | 13,107 |  | 162,816 | 6,421 |
| April 2000 - June 2000... | $\begin{aligned} & 690,101 \\ & 489,248 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 403,071 \\ & 246,445 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 79,583 \\ 59,366 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,608 \\ & 15,484 \end{aligned}$ | 3,540 | $\begin{aligned} & 180,645 \\ & 156,881 \end{aligned}$ | 8,977 |
| July 2000 - September 2000.. |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 4,217 \\ & 4,558 \end{aligned}$ |  | 6,514 |
| FISCAL YEAR 2001, TOTAL. | 2,144,654 | 1,178,210 | 186,732 | 52,419 | 15,822 | 682,223 | 29,248 |
| October 2000 - December 2000 | 466,710 | 228,483 | $64,597$ | 12,574 | 3,782 | $150,175$ | 7,099 |
| January 2001 - March 2001..... | 523,566 | 285,417 | $\begin{aligned} & 38,239 \\ & 64,709 \end{aligned}$ | $13,436$ | 3,472 | $176,339$ | 6,663 |
| April 2001 - June 2001.. | 709,403444,976 | $\begin{aligned} & 425,471 \\ & 238,839 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 12,369 \\ & 14,040 \end{aligned}$ | 4,1374,531 | $\begin{aligned} & 193,561 \\ & 162,148 \end{aligned}$ | 9,156 |
| July 2001 - September 2001. |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 64,709 \\ & 19,187 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  | 6,331 |
| FISCAL YEAR 2002, TOTAL. | 2,033,661 | 1,037,734 | 211,438 | 52,137 | 17,034 | 688,077 | 27,242 |
| October 2001 - December 2001 | $\begin{aligned} & 477,215 \\ & 494,506 \\ & 599,650 \\ & 462,289 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 235,729 \\ & 250,689 \\ & 324,735 \\ & 226,580 \end{aligned}$ | 71,783 | 8,070 | 3,756 | 151,079 | 6,798 |
| January 2002 - March 2002. |  |  | 38,760 | 15,632 | 3,957 | 178,982 | 6,486 |
| April 2002 - June 2002. |  |  | 55,496 | 13,486 | 4,480 | 194,045 | 7,408 |
| July 2002 - September 2002. |  |  | 45,399 | 14,949 | 4,841 | 163,971 | 6,549 |
| FISCAL YEAR 2003, TOTAL. | 1,969,648 | 987,209 | 194,146 | 52,771 | 16,719 | 695,976 | 22,827 |
| October 2002 - December 2002. | 444,259 | 209,947 | 51,821 | 12,461 | 3,791 | 160,448 | 5,792 |
| January 2003 - March 2003. | 480,840 | 252,412 | 31,309 | 12,017 | 3,808 | 175,609 | 5,684 |
| April 2003 - June 2003.. | 596,078 | 310,723 | 67,381 | 12,821 | 4,336 | 194,902 | 5,916 |
| July 2003 - September 2003.. | 448,471 | 214,128 | 43,636 | 15,473 | 4,783 | 165,016 | 5,435 |
| FISCAL YEAR 2004, TOTAL...... | 2,035,472 | 990,249 | 230,619 | 54,807 | 16,970 | 717,247 | 25,579 |
| October 2003 - December 2003. | 453,625 | 211,414 | 59,746 | 12,613 | 3,957 | 159,894 | 6,000 |
| January 2004 - March 2004......... | 489,927 | 253,054 | 33,289 | 13,018 | 3,745 | 180,871 | 5,950 |
| April 2004 - June 2004.... | 612,808 | 308,822 | 81,800 | 13,554 | 4,481 | 197,486 | 6,665 |
| July 2004 - September 2004... | 479,112 | 216,958 | 55,784 | 15,623 | 4,786 | 178,996 | 6,965 |
| FISCAL YEAR 2005, TOTAL....... | 2,286,837 | 1,107,501 | 307,095 | 57,252 | 17,942 | 771,442 | 25,606 |
| October 2004 - December 2004. | 492,020 | 224,307 | 74,547 | 12,692 | 4,107 | 170,425 | 5,942 |
| January 2005 - March 2005.... | 531,435 | 271,686 | 43,355 | 13,593 | 3,706 | 192,825 | 6,270 |
| April 2005 - June 2005... | 713,819 | 367,673 | 103,079 | 14,282 | 4,404 | 217,592 | 6,789 |
| July 2005 - September 2005.. | 549,564 | 243,835 | 86,114 | 16,685 | 5,725 | 190,600 | 6,604 |

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Table 19.--Internal Revenue Tax Refunds: Amount Refunded by Quarter and Fiscal Year, 1987-2005

| Quarter and fiscal year | Amount refunded by type of return |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total ${ }^{1}$ | Individual income taxes ${ }^{2}$ | Corporation income taxes ${ }^{3}$ | Excise taxes ${ }^{1 / 4}$ | Employment taxes ${ }^{5}$ | Estate and gift taxes |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
| FISCAL YEAR 1987, TOTAL $\qquad$ <br> October 1986 - December 1986 $\qquad$ <br> January 1987 - March 1987 $\qquad$ <br> April 1987 - June 1987 $\qquad$ <br> July 1987 - September 1987 $\qquad$ | $\begin{array}{r} 96,969 \\ 8,668 \\ 28,422 \\ 50,063 \\ 9,816 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 73,583 \\ 3,406 \\ 22,198 \\ 42,858 \\ 5,121 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 19,891 \\ 4,789 \\ 5,296 \\ 5,948 \\ 3,858 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,381 \\ 111 \\ 479 \\ 332 \\ 459 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,900 \\ 312 \\ 393 \\ 869 \\ 326 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 214 \\ 50 \\ 56 \\ 57 \\ 52 \end{array}$ |
| FISCAL YEAR 1988, TOTAL $\qquad$ <br> October 1987 - December 1987. $\qquad$ <br> January 1988 - March 1988. $\qquad$ <br> April 1988 - June 1988. $\qquad$ <br> July 1988 - September 1988. $\qquad$ | $\begin{array}{r} 94,480 \\ 7,701 \\ 27,798 \\ 49,202 \\ 9,776 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 74,399 \\ 3,437 \\ 21,744 \\ 43,769 \\ 5,449 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \mathbf{1 6 , 4 7 7} \\ 3,727 \\ 5,248 \\ 3,848 \\ 3,654 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \mathbf{1 , 1 1 4} \\ 207 \\ 198 \\ 421 \\ 288 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,263 \\ 275 \\ 553 \\ 1,114 \\ 321 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 227 \\ 55 \\ 55 \\ 50 \\ 67 \end{array}$ |
| FISCAL YEAR 1989, TOTAL $\qquad$ <br> October 1988 - December 1988. <br> January 1989 - March 1989. $\qquad$ <br> April 1989 - June 1989 $\qquad$ <br> July 1989 - September 1989 $\qquad$ | $\begin{array}{r} 93,613 \\ 8,380 \\ 32,041 \\ 43,538 \\ 9,654 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 73,597 \\ 3,362 \\ 26,759 \\ 38,895 \\ 4,581 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14,921 \\ 4,461 \\ 4,462 \\ 3,849 \\ 2,149 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,054 \\ 118 \\ 182 \\ 350 \\ 1,404 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,771 \\ 359 \\ 570 \\ 381 \\ 1,461 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 269 \\ 80 \\ 67 \\ 63 \\ 59 \end{array}$ |
| FISCAL YEAR 1990, TOTAL $\qquad$ <br> October 1989 - December 1989. $\qquad$ <br> January 1990 - March 1990 $\qquad$ <br> April 1990 - June 1990. <br> July 1990 - September 1990 | $\begin{array}{r} 99,656 \\ 8,487 \\ 37,121 \\ 43,308 \\ 10,740 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 76,065 \\ 3,094 \\ 31,367 \\ 36,952 \\ 4,652 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 18,324 \\ 4,605 \\ 4,922 \\ 4,209 \\ 4,588 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,261 \\ 300 \\ 342 \\ 549 \\ 1,070 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,677 \\ 409 \\ 423 \\ 1,492 \\ 353 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 329 \\ 79 \\ 67 \\ 106 \\ 77 \end{array}$ |
| FISCAL YEAR 1991, TOTAL $\qquad$ <br> October 1990 - December 1990. <br> January 1991 - March 1991 $\qquad$ <br> April 1991 - June 1991 $\qquad$ <br> July 1991 - September 1991 | $\begin{array}{r} 104,380 \\ 8,284 \\ 38,020 \\ 47,962 \\ 10,114 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 82,877 \\ 3,367 \\ 32,811 \\ 41,638 \\ 5,061 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 17,440 \\ 4,148 \\ 4,286 \\ 4,748 \\ 4,258 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,188 \\ 344 \\ 293 \\ 226 \\ 325 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,471 \\ 323 \\ 538 \\ 1,249 \\ 361 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 404 \\ 102 \\ 92 \\ 101 \\ 109 \end{array}$ |
| FISCAL YEAR 1992, TOTAL $\qquad$ <br> October 1991 - December 1991 $\qquad$ <br> January 1992 - March 1992 $\qquad$ <br> April 1992 - June 1992 <br> July 1992 - September 1992 | $\begin{array}{r} 113,108 \\ 10,072 \\ 44,657 \\ 47,817 \\ 10,562 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 88,624 \\ 3,607 \\ 38,183 \\ 42,231 \\ 4,603 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 19,688 \\ 5,639 \\ 5,750 \\ 4,596 \\ 3,703 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,997 \\ 379 \\ 201 \\ 476 \\ 941 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,398 \\ 346 \\ 430 \\ 399 \\ 1,223 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 401 \\ 101 \\ 93 \\ 115 \\ 92 \end{array}$ |
| FISCAL YEAR 1993, TOTAL $\qquad$ <br> October 1992 - December 1992. <br> January 1993 - March 1993 <br> April 1993 - June 1993 $\qquad$ <br> July 1993 - September 1993 | $\begin{array}{r} 93,580 \\ 7,891 \\ 37,213 \\ 39,325 \\ 9,151 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 74,234 \\ 3,081 \\ 31,503 \\ 35,353 \\ 4,297 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 16,035 \\ 4,190 \\ 4,971 \\ 3,195 \\ 3,679 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 958 \\ & 208 \\ & 239 \\ & 290 \\ & 221 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,969 \\ 324 \\ 396 \\ 397 \\ 852 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 384 \\ 88 \\ 104 \\ 90 \\ 102 \end{array}$ |
| FISCAL YEAR 1994, TOTAL $\qquad$ <br> October 1993 - December 1993. <br> January 1994 - March 1994 $\qquad$ <br> April 1994 - June 1994 <br> July 1994 - September 1994 | $\begin{array}{r} 96,980 \\ 7,329 \\ 34,614 \\ 43,804 \\ 11,233 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 75,935 \\ 2,322 \\ 27,859 \\ 40,876 \\ 4,878 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 16,251 \\ 4,176 \\ 5,800 \\ 2,109 \\ 4,165 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,877 \\ 394 \\ 403 \\ 333 \\ 747 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,477 \\ 324 \\ 445 \\ 393 \\ 1,315 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 441 \\ 113 \\ 107 \\ 93 \\ 128 \end{array}$ |
| FISCAL YEAR 1995, TOTAL $\qquad$ <br> October 1994 - December 1994. <br> January 1995 - March 1995. $\qquad$ <br> April 1995 - June 1995. $\qquad$ <br> July 1995 - September 1995. $\qquad$ | $\begin{array}{r} 108,035 \\ 9,086 \\ 35,791 \\ 53,388 \\ 9,770 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 84,056 \\ 3,440 \\ 27,642 \\ 47,433 \\ 5,541 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 19,350 \\ 4,909 \\ 6,370 \\ 4,904 \\ 3,167 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,223 \\ 319 \\ 926 \\ 500 \\ 478 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,972 \\ 304 \\ 753 \\ 443 \\ 472 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 434 \\ & 114 \\ & 101 \\ & 108 \\ & 111 \end{aligned}$ |
| FISCAL YEAR 1996, TOTAL $\qquad$ <br> October 1995 - December 1995. <br> January 1996 - March 1996. $\qquad$ <br> April 1996 - June 1996 $\qquad$ <br> July 1996 - September 1996 | $\begin{array}{r} 132,710 \\ 11,149 \\ 48,625 \\ 61,612 \\ 11,324 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 107,361 \\ 4,133 \\ 41,633 \\ 56,319 \\ 5,276 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 19,201 \\ 5,391 \\ 6,103 \\ 4,363 \\ 3,344 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,075 \\ 361 \\ 239 \\ 355 \\ 1,120 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3,584 \\ 1,152 \\ 538 \\ 454 \\ 1,440 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 489 \\ & 112 \\ & 112 \\ & 121 \\ & 144 \end{aligned}$ |

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Table 19.--Internal Revenue Tax Refunds: Amount Refunded by Quarter and Fiscal Year, 1987-2005--Continued


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Table 20.--Individual Income Tax Refund Offsets for Repayment of Specific Outstanding Taxpayer Obligations or Debts, by Selected Type of Program or U.S. Government Agency to Which Amount was Owed, Calendar Years of Offset, 1987-2004 ${ }^{1}$
[Money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Selected program or agency | Number of offsets ${ }^{2}$ | Refund offset amount ${ }^{3}$ | Number of offsets ${ }^{2}$ | Refund offset amount ${ }^{3}$ | Number of offsets ${ }^{2}$ | Refund offset amount ${ }^{3}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total. | 1987 |  | 1988 |  | 1989 |  |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
|  | 1,150,365 | 566,175 | 1,194,901 | 637,504 | 1,259,297 | 708,545 |
| Department of Health and Human Services... | 664,534 | 342,523 | 737,731 | 407,815 | 779,554 | 449,627 |
| Child support (TANF) ${ }^{5}$. | 556,312 | 269,212 | 604,645 | 320,298 | 627,403 | 350,598 |
| Child support (non-TANF)... | 108,160 | 73,216 | 132,875 | 87,201 | 151,680 | 98,407 |
| Program support center.... ${ }^{7}$ | 62 | 95 | 211 | 316 | 471 | 622 |
| Social Security Administration.. ${ }^{4}$ | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Department of Veterans Affairs. | 129,466 | 54,302 | 52,602 | 23,268 | 56,085 | 27,209 |
| Department of Education.. | 278,490 | 137,425 | 315,742 | 167,990 | 334,740 | 191,940 |
| Small Business Administration... | 5,834 | 4,031 | 3,949 | 2,530 | 3,816 | 2,648 |
| Department of Housing and Urban Development..... | 9,501 | 6,604 | 10,653 | 7,948 | 11,441 | 8,602 |
| Department of Agriculture.. | 6,505 | 3,446 | 4,838 | 2,669 | 66,269 | 24,189 |
| Food and Consumer Service. | N/A | N/A17,561 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Department of Defense... ${ }^{8}$ | 54,950 |  | $9,853$ |  | 61,804 | 21,622 |
| All other. | 1,085 | $282$ |  | $\xlongequal{6,951}$ | 7,392 | 4,330 |
| Total....................................................................... | 1990 |  | 1991 |  | 1992 |  |
|  | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) |
|  | $\begin{array}{r} \mathbf{1 , 4 0 2 , 1 1 1} \\ 831,966 \\ 651,893 \\ 179,611 \end{array}$ | 804,906 | 1,565,432 | 946,210 | 1,921,944 | 1,262,622 |
| Department of Health and Human Services...................... |  | 483,474 | 869,941672,801 | 523,953 | 1,070,999 | 683,656 |
| Child support (TANF) ${ }^{5}$........ |  | 365,613 |  | 392,802 | 737,254 | 464,462 |
| Child support (non-TANF)......................................... |  | 117,249 | $\begin{aligned} & 672,801 \\ & 196,381 \end{aligned}$ | 130,348 | 254,435 | 178,198 |
| Program support center... ${ }^{7}$ | 462 | 612 |  | 803 | 618 | 646 |
| Social Security Administration. ${ }^{4}$ | N/A | N/A | 759 N/A | N/A17,684 | 78,692 | 40,350 |
| Department of Veterans Affairs. | $\begin{array}{r} 50,004 \\ 432,139 \end{array}$ | 23,265 | $38,987$ |  | 29,103 | 13,122 |
| Department of Education.. |  | 257,392 | 575,578 | 363,968 | 720,3262,218 | 516,213 |
| Small Business Administration. | 3,403 | 2,307 | 2,374 | 1,640 |  | 1,609 |
| Department of Housing and Urban Development. | $\begin{array}{r} 10,850 \\ 7,548 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8,076 \\ & 6,056 \end{aligned}$ | $11,250$ | 8,380 | 13,520 | 10,815 |
| Department of Agriculture....... |  |  |  | 7,551 | 20,262 | $\begin{array}{r} 12,034 \\ 3,061 \\ 19,198 \\ 5,975 \\ \hline \hline \end{array}$ |
| Food and Consumer Service. | N/A | $\begin{array}{r} \text { N/A } \\ 19,777 \end{array}$ | $8,559$ | $\begin{array}{r} \text { N/A } \\ 18,116 \\ 4,918 \\ \hline \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9,740 \\ 54,509 \\ 11,007 \\ \hline \hline \end{array}$ |  |
| Department of Defense... | $\begin{array}{r} 57,952 \\ 8,249 \\ \hline \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{r} \text { N/A } \\ 49,085 \\ 9,628 \\ \hline \hline \end{array}$ |  |  |  |
| All other.. |  | $4,559$ |  |  |  |  |
| Total............................................................................ | 1993 |  | 1994 |  | 1995 |  |
|  | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) |
|  | 1,758,162 | 1,160,397 | 2,009,877 | 1,379,675 | 2,188,257 | $1,505,736$828,631 |
| Department of Health and Human Services... | $947,133$ | 619,648 | 1,017,452 | 701,529 | 1,165,444 |  |
| Child support (TANF) ${ }^{5}$...... | $701,598$ | 448,560 | 749,269 | 507,047 | 848,166 | 591,854 |
| Child support (non-TANF) ${ }^{6}$ | $244,780$ | 170,404 | 267,546 | 193,939 | 316,707 | 236,198 |
| Program support center?.. | 755 | 684 | 637 | 543 | 571 | 579 |
| Social Security Administration. ${ }^{4}$ | 28,791 | 13,931 | 19,722 | 10,297 | 16,092 | 8,696 |
| Department of Veterans Affairs. | 33,844 | 10,914 | 35,368 | 9,973 | 45,761 | 11,830 |
| Department of Education.... | 651,056 | 472,928 | 781,829 | 582,662 | 778,446 | 571,280 |
| Small Business Administration.. | 1,853 | 1,355 | 2,228 | 1,834 | 2,567 | 2,359 |
| Department of Housing and Urban Development. | 11,399 | 8,963 | 10,454 | 9,090 | 10,676 | 9,745 |
| Department of Agriculture.............................. | 28,969 | 13,075 | 73,452 | 33,382 | 73,644 | 30,295 |
| Food and Consumer Service. | 21,828 | 7,213 | 66,726 | 27,618 | 66,449 | 24,166 |
| Department of Defense.................... | 46,125 | 14,829 | 59,459 | 25,345 | 85,023 | 35,970 |
| All other.............. | 8,992 | 4,754 | 9,913 | 5,563 | 10,594 | 6,930 |

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Table 20.--Individual Income Tax Refund Offsets for Repayment of Specific Outstanding Taxpayer Obligations or Debts, by Selected Type of Program or U.S. Government Agency to Which Amount was Owed, Calendar Years of Offset, 1987-20041--Continued


[^90]Table 21.--Federal Excise Taxes Reported to or Collected by the Internal Revenue Service, Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau, and Customs Service, by Type of Excise Tax, Fiscal Years 1998-2005
[Money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Type of excise tax by agency to which tax was reported or paid | Fiscal year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Total | by quarter ending-- |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { December } \\ 2003 \end{gathered}$ | March $2004$ |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) |
| Total excise tax collections... | 59,231,000 | 72,076,000 | 70,648,000 | 68,241,000 | 69,171,000 | 69,490,000 | 71,777,000 | 16,570,000 | 16,763,000 |
| Excise tax collections or liabilities reported by the Internal Revenue Service ${ }^{\text {' }}$ <br> Total excise tax collections. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 45,642,716 | $58,585,763$ | $54,810,038$ | \| 52,418,848 | 52,136,835 | $52,771,160$ | 54,807,225 | 12,612,579 | 13,017,627 |
| Tax liabilities by type of excise tax, total. <br> Retail excise taxes: <br> Luxury taxes: <br> Passenger vehicles (expired, January 1, 2003).. <br> Boats (repealed, January 1, 1993). $\qquad$ <br> Aircraft (repealed, January 1, 1993). $\qquad$ <br> Jewelry (repealed, January 1, 1993). $\qquad$ <br> Furs (repealed, January 1, 1993). $\qquad$ <br> Dyed diesel fuel used in trains: <br> Total, excluding floor stocks. $\qquad$ | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 428,471 | 401,535 | 407,222 | 341,981 | 252,834 | 65,162 | 3,032 | 594 | 746 |
|  | 2833 | -- | -- | 19 | -- | -- | -- |  | -- |
|  |  |  | -- |  | -- |  | -- | -- |  |
|  | 3 | -- |  | -- |  | -- | -- | -- | -- |
|  | -- | 12 | -- | 1 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 206,617 | 170,463 | 170,960 | 167,161 | 147,408 | 162,654 | 127,169 | 39,762 | 25,096 |
| Floor stocks | -- | 7 | -- | $2,380$ | 1 1731 | $\begin{array}{r} - \\ 1,266 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 1,139 \end{array}$ | 1 | -- |
| Dyed diesel fuel for certain intercity or local buses.. Special motor fuels: | 2,589 | 2,458 | 2,317 |  | 1,731 |  |  | 166 | 293 |
| Total, excluding floor stocks... | 18,745 | 23,757 | 19,535 | 18,404 | 17,570 | 14,226 | 12,990 | 4,128 | 4,092 |
| Floor stocks.. | -- | -17 | -1 | -- | -- | -- | - | -- | -- |
| Compressed natural gas |  | 865 | 1,145 | 1,026 | 895 | 1,735 | 1,406 | 351 | 316 |
| Alcohol fuels ${ }^{2}$. | $\begin{array}{r} 258 \\ 117,313 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} -377 \\ 121,903 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 807 \\ 118,666 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,462 \\ 114,110 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 408 \\ 111,311 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} -9,986 \\ 111,058 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7,367 \\ 110,364 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 351 \\ 29,674 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,986 \\ 22,200 \end{array}$ |
| Fuels used commercially on inland waterways... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Truck, trailer, and semitrailer chassis and bodies, and tractors | 2,119,063 | 2,956,880 | 2,775,788 | 1,573,968 | 1,574,947 | 1,608,208 | 2,235,178 | 490,223 | 497,982 |
| Manufacturer's excise taxes: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Gas guzzlers ${ }^{2}$.................... | 47,687 | 68,327 | 70,788 | 78,157 | 79,705 | 126,685 | 140,834 | 42,879 | 32,666 |
| Highway-type tires ${ }^{2}$. | 388,59460,741 | 416,658 | 420,299 | 354,769 | 372,800 | 403,89257,953 | 433,116 | 103,967 | 98,299 |
| Aviation gasoline ${ }^{3}$.... |  | 57,832 | 58,472 | 49,687 | 62,574 |  | 44,611 | 9,296 | 9,916 |
| Gasoline except for use in gasohol: Total, excluding floor stocks. | 20,644,998 | 21,236,659 |  | 20,619,195 | 20,942,138 | 20,169,608 | 18,232,507 | 4,539,083 | 4,246,443 |
| Floor stocks... | 1 | -65 | 2 | -21 | 2 | -- | -- | -1 | 1 |
| Diesel fuel, except for trains and intercity buses: |  |  |  |  |  | $8,581,467$ |  |  |  |
| Total, excluding floor stocks ${ }^{2}$..... | 7,497,816 | 7,895,919 | 8,229,762 | 8,208,994 | 8,214,559 |  | 9,016,694 | 2,201,765 | 2,162,101 |
| Floor stocks... | -66 | 121 | -133 | -- | - | - | - | -- | -- |
| Gasoline for use in gasohol by alcohol content: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total, excluding floor stocks: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5.7 percent under 7.7 percent. | 741 | 42 | 65 | 9 | 77 | 2,320 | 15,436 | 2,943 | 3,308 |
| 7.7 percent under 10 percent ...... | 3,792 | 13,228 | 4,266 | 4,839 | 4,835 | 946 | 503 | 328 | 271 |
| 10 percent or more | 241,946 | 231,114 | 265,273 | 243,702 | 302,407 | 358,002 | 306,441 | 83,101 | 75,659 |
| Floor stocks .................. | -- | -- | -- | 1 | -1 | - | - | -- | -- |
| Gasohol by alcohol content: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total, excluding floor stocks: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5.7 percent under 7.7 percent ....... | 68,917 | 81,873 | 25,934 | 297,763 | 406,578 | 1,296,991 | 2,363,320 | 543,395 | 605,483 |
| 7.7 percent under 10 percent ..... | 123,441 | 180,025 | 59,104 | 146,196 | 176,148 | 91,017 | 97,098 | 52,551 | 43,140 |
| 10 percent or more | 1,511,363 | 1,537,235 | 2,039,428 | 1,918,995 | 1,932,347 | 2,313,542 | 2,899,287 | 714,646 | 747,967 |
| Floor stocks .................. | -- | -- | -- | -4 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Aviation-grade kerosene (except gasoline) noncommercial use: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total, excluding floor stocks.... | 195,772 | 173,117 | 159,314 | 187,318 | 287,664 | 286,559 | 322,440 | 65,557 | 99,473 |
| Floor stocks ............................................. | -472 | 58 | 1 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | - |
| Aviation-grade kerosene (except gasoline) for commercial use (other than foreign trade). | 609,750 | 649,900 | 667,647 | 620,044 | 509,944 | 453,361 | 503,696 | 121,302 | 124,051 |
| Floor stocks ............................................. |  |  | -- | -- | -- | -- | - | -- | -- |
| Kerosene (effective Julv 1. 1998). | N/A | 77.726 | 79,591 | 90,331 | 62.857 | 72.128 | 62.085 | 22.565 | 34.299 |

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Table 21.--Federal Excise Taxes Reported to or Collected by the Internal Revenue Service, Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau, and Customs Service, by Type of Excise Tax, Fiscal Years 1998-2005--Continued
[Money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Type of excise tax by agency to which tax was reported or paid | Fiscal year |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2004 |  | 2005 |  |  |  |
|  | by quarter ending-- |  | Tax rates in effect on <br> October 1, 2004 | by quarter ending-- |  |  |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { June } \\ & 2004 \end{aligned}$ | September $2004$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { December } \\ 2004 \end{gathered}$ | March $2005$ | June $2005$ |
|  | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) |
| Excise tax collections or liabilities reported by the Internal Revenue Service' <br> Total excise tax collections. $\qquad$ | 18,035,000 | 20,409,000 | various | 16,799,000 | 17,299,000 | 18,686,000 |
|  | 13,554,146 | 15,622,873 | various | 12,691,788 | 13,592,926 | 14,282,139 |
| Tax liabilities by type of excise tax, total.................... | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Retail excise taxes: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Luxury taxes: |  |  | 3 percent of price in excess of-- |  |  |  |
| Passenger vehicles (expired, January 1, 2003)... | 1,159 | 533 | \$40,000, expired 1/1/03 | -224 | 387 | 604 |
| Boats (repealed, January 1, 1993).... | - | - | N/A | -- | - | -- |
| Aircraft (repealed, January 1, 1993)................ | - | - | N/A | -- | - | 1 |
| Jewelry (repealed, January 1, 1993).............. | -- | - | N/A | -- | -- | -- |
| Furs (repealed, January 1, 1993).... | -- | - | N/A | -- | -- | -- |
| Dyed diesel fuel used in trains: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total, excluding floor stocks...... | 31,002 | 31,309 | $\$ 0.044$ per gallon; reduced to $\$ .034$ on 1/1/05; reduced to $\$ .024$ on 7/1/05 | 30,094 | 25,766 | 23,948 |
| Floor stocks .............................................. | -- | -- | N/A | - | -- | -- |
| Dyed diesel fuel for certain intercity or local buses.. | 358 | 322 | \$0.074 per gallon; repealed 1/1/05 | 245 | -183 | -640 |
| Special motor fuels: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total, excluding floor stocks.... | 1,783 | 2,987 | \$0.136 per gallon | 3,626 | 2,988 | 2,865 |
| Floor stocks.... | -- | -- | N/A | - | -- | -- |
| Compressed natural gas............................ | 389 | 350 | \$0.4854 per 1000 cubic feet | 414 | 324 | 299 |
| Alcohol fuels ${ }^{2}$. | 500 | 514 | various | 636 | 568 | 634 |
| Fuels used commercially on inland waterways.... | 31,921 | 26,569 | \$0.244 per gallon; reduced to \$.234 on 1/1/05; | 29,091 | 25,220 | 26,670 |
| Truck, trailer, and semitrailer chassis and bodies, and tractors $\qquad$ | 614,379 | 632,594 | reduced to $\$ .224$ on 7/1/05 12 percent of price | 712,353 | 668,710 | 830,121 |
| Manufacturer's excise taxes: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Gas quzzlers ${ }^{2}$........ | 32,236 | 33,053 | various | 53,185 | 39,233 | 37,868 |
| Highway-type tires ${ }^{2}$.. | 110,328 | 120,522 | various | 113,951 | 109,075 | 124,438 |
| Aviation gasoline ${ }^{3}$.. | 12,786 | 12,613 | \$0.194 per gallon | 9,657 | 10,283 | 5,812 |
| Gasoline except for use in gasohol: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total, excluding floor stocks......... | 4,694,503 | 4,752,478 | \$0.184 per gallon | 4,427,573 | 6,122,300 | 6,547,038 |
| Floor stocks.......... | -- | -- | N/A | - | -- | 8 |
| Diesel fuel, except for trains and intercity buses: | 2,315,153 | 2,337,675 |  | 2,302,426 | 2,231,481 | 2,402,691 |
| Floor stocks | 2,315,153 | 2,337,675 | N/A | 2,302,426 | 2,231,481 | 2,402,69 |
| Gasoline for use in gasohol by alcohol content: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total, excluding floor stocks: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5.7 percent under 7.7 percent. | 4,958 | 4,227 | \$0.16369 per gallon; repealed 1/1/05 | 3,737 | -- | -135 |
| 7.7 percent under 10 percent ....... | 11 | -107 | \$0.15596 per gallon; repealed 1/1/05 | 210 | -- | -70 |
| 10 percent or more | 72,789 | 74,892 | \$0.14666 per gallon; repealed 1/1/05 | 73,258 | -22 | -42 |
| Floor stocks... | -- | -- | N/A | - | -- | -- |
| Gasohol by alcohol content: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total, excluding floor stocks: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5.7 percent under 7.7 percent .............. | 603,316 | 611,126 | \$0.15436 per gallon; repealed 1/1/05 | 608,411 | 351 | 103 |
| 7.7 percent under 10 percent ................ | 180 | 1,277 | \$0.14396 per gallon; repealed 1/1/05 | 37,983 | -2,468 | -22 |
| 10 percent or more ................................. | 711,412 | 725,262 | \$0.132 per gallon; repealed 1/1/05 | 813,845 | 12,389 | 13,454 |
| Floor stocks ................................. | - | - | N/A | -- | -- | -- |
| Aviation-grade kerosene (except gasoline) noncommercial use: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total, excluding floor stocks............................. | 78,971 | 78,439 | \$0.219 per gallon | 77,411 | 305,850 | 320,297 |
| Floor stocks .............................................. | - |  | \$0.219 per gallon | -- | - | -- |
| Aviation-grade kerosene (except gasoline) for commercial use (other than foreign trade)...... | 128,396 | 129,947 | \$0.044 per gallon | 115,485 | -46,633 | -82,234 |
| Floor stocks ............................................. | -- |  | \$0.044 per gallon | -- | - | -- |
| Kerosene (effective July 1, 1998). | 4.116 | 1,105 | \$0.244 per gallon | 20,538 | 25,383 | 3,671 |

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## Table 21.--Federal Excise Taxes Reported to or Collected by the Internal Revenue Service, Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau, and Customs Service, by Type of Excise Tax, Fiscal Years 1998-2005--Continued

[Money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Type of excise tax by agency to which tax was reported or paid | Fiscal year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Total | by quarter ending-- |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { December } \\ 2003 \end{gathered}$ | March <br> 2004 |
| Manufacturer's excise taxes--continued: | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Coal: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mined underground: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| At 4.4 percent of sales price. | 183,445 | 190,133 | 197,478 | 183,531 | 155,966 | 134,588 | 125,536 | 33,226 | 29,179 |
| At $\$ 1.10$ per ton | 220,426 | 162,442 | 115,291 | 135,189 | 149,366 | 147,646 | 194,585 | 44,292 | 49,975 |
| Surface mined: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| At 4.4 percent of sales price. | 69,855 | 78,397 | 79,842 | 90,122 | 103,502 | 109,537 | 120,012 | 28,602 | 29,058 |
| At $\$ 0.55$ per ton. | 146,476 | 138,019 | 132,526 | 140,004 | 139,634 | 125,760 | 127,877 | 32,583 | 28,897 |
| Certain vaccines ${ }^{2}$ | 153,108 | 169,046 | 163,528 | 152,349 | 161,764 | 179,009 | 171,471 | 40,554 | 43,896 |
| Sport fishing equipment. | 94,571 | 97,548 | 100,539 | 100,642 | 97,901 | 97,986 | 10,339 | 19,777 | 31,782 |
| Fishing tackle boxes.... | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Electric outboard motors, sonar devices... | 2,042 | 1,922 | 2,022 | 2,477 | 2,725 | 2,585 | 3,240 | 728 | 965 |
| Bows and arrows.. | 20,278 | 19,792 | 20,502 | 19,094 | 20,297 | 20,947 | 22,058 | 3,309 | 5,535 |
| Arrow shafts | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | - | - |
| Taxes on facilities and services: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Telephone and teletypewriter services.. | 4,747,227 | 5,248,965 | 5,645,239 | 5,737,027 | 5,803,631 | 5,809,503 | 5,792,246 | 1,442,640 | 1,414,587 |
| Transportation of persons by air.. | 6,168,727 | 6,588,088 | 6,963,617 | 6,670,357 | 6,157,264 | 6,185,415 | 6,675,981 | 1,606,388 | 1,555,141 |
| Use of international air travel facilities.. | 1,119,156 | 1,272,725 | 1,323,558 | 1,450,458 | 1,406,192 | 1,452,015 | 1,609,445 | 318,338 | 393,095 |
| Transportation of property by air.. | 373,049 | 371,487 | 520,576 | 400,286 | 372,119 | 455,209 | 483,691 | 160,352 | 106,904 |
| Taxes on policies issued by foreign insurers....... | 122,664 | 117,584 | 131,672 | 152,221 | 195,634 | 292,897 | 350,790 | 79,271 | 85,329 |
| Taxes related to wagering: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Certain wagers ${ }^{2}$............... | 10,146 | 13,805 | 10,726 | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ |
| Occupational taxes ${ }^{2}$ | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ |
| Certain other excise taxes: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Passenger transportation by water. | 18,269 | 25,554 | 24,922 | 27,919 | 31,069 | 33,252 | 34,721 | 8,137 | 8,820 |
| Use tax on heavy vehicles ${ }^{1,2}$.. | 804,947 | 849,226 | 893,457 | 867,345 | 899,367 | 911,445 | 9,340,473 | 86,663 | 205,962 |
| Environmental taxes: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Domestic petroleum (Superfund) (expired effective January 1, 1996). $\qquad$ | -2,741 | -3,637 | 4 | 14 | -4 | 1 | -21 | -19 | -2 |
| Imported petroleum (Superfund) (expired effective January 1, 1996). | -18 | 1,071 | 2,660 | 337 | 641 | -4 | -11 | -12 | -1 |
| Domestic petroleum (Oil Spill Liability Trust Fund) (expired effective January 1, 1995) $\qquad$ | 3 | -128 | -3 | 6 | -- | -- | -4 | -4 | -- |
| Imported petroleum (Oil Spill Liability Trust Fund) (expired effective January 1, 1995). | -13 | 13 | 253 | -- | -- | -- | -3 | -3 | - |
| Certain chemicals (Superfund) (expired effective January 1, 1996) ${ }^{2}$. $\qquad$ | 3,331 | 12,687 | 2,395 | -2,258 | -2,842 | -687 | -52 | -49 | -2 |
| Certain imported substances (Superfund) (expired effective January 1, 1996) ${ }^{2}$ $\qquad$ | -334 | -322 | 349 | -492 | -7 | -- | -1 | -1 | -- |
| Ozone-depleting chemicals: ${ }^{2}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total, excluding floor stocks.......................... | 109,150 | 120,400 | 42,552 | 12,076 | 3,995 | 7,519 | 1,457 | 254 | 419 |
| Floor stocks................. | 11,594 | 6,306 | 2,273 | 1,313 | 1,182 | 905 | 934 | 191 | 311 |
| Imported taxable products containing or manufactured using ozone-depleting chemicals ${ }^{2}$. | 27,072 | -6,166 | 17,580 | 11,978 | -945 | 6,869 | 4,352 | 23,680 | -19,412 |
| Taxes on Private Foundations: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net investment income. ${ }^{5}$ | 364,629 | 502,675 | 503,453 | 720,047 | 490,425 | 262,662 | 240,508 | 100,481 | 20,653 |
| Additional excise taxes.... | 1,209 | 1,951 | 2,445 | 3,072 | 4,520 | 5,059 | 4,498 | 1,542 | 427 |
| Taxes on Black Lung Benefit Trusts ${ }^{2}$................. | -25 | 2 | 2 | -1 | -- | -- | -- | - | - |
| Taxes on qualified pension and other plans: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Failure to meet minimum funding standards........... | 6,467 | 5,307 | 388 | 652 | 1,851 | 54 | 3 | - | - |
| Nondeductible contributions.......... | 3,842 | 3,770 | 38 | 12,145 | -25 | 6 | -- | -- | - |

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Table 21.--Federal Excise Taxes Reported to or Collected by the Internal Revenue Service, Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau, and Customs Service, by Type of Excise Tax, Fiscal Years 1998-2005--Continued
[Money amounts are in thousands of dollars]


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Table 21.--Federal Excise Taxes Reported to or Collected by the Internal Revenue Service, Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau, and Customs Service, by Type of Excise Tax, Fiscal Years 1998-2005--Continued
[Money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Type of excise tax by agency to which tax was reported or paid | Fiscal year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Total | by quarter ending-- |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { December } \\ 2003 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | March $2004$ |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) |
| Taxes on qualified pension and other plans --continued: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Excess contributions to Individual Retirement Accounts and others. | 7,407 | 8,279 | 10,228 | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ |
| Prohibited transactions.. | 9,484 | 576 | 432 | 1,091 | 207 | 1,476 | 5 | 5 | ) |
| Certain excess contributions.. | 8,168 | 6,281 | 1,696 | 542 | 34 | 17 | -18 | -18 | - |
| Reversion of qualified plan assets to employer......... | 46,791 | 22,258 | 46,392 | 2,127 | 175 | 80 | -- | - | - |
| Penalties ${ }^{2}$. | 7,847 | 3,662 | 1,857 | 3,958 | 1,887 | 2,446 | -- | - | - |
| Taxes on undistributed income of qualified investment entities: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Real Estate Investment Trusts........... | 2,183 | 324 | 62 | 249 | 73 | 152 | -- | - | -- |
| Regulated Investment Companies... | 8,666 | 5,412 | 42 | 6,068 | 1,872 | 3,892 | -- | - | - |
| Windfall profits tax on domestic crude oil (repealed August 23, 1988) ${ }^{1}$. $\qquad$ | -117 | 79 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | - | -- |
| Miscellaneous IRS taxes ${ }^{2}$........................ | -532,553 | 47,385 | 40,226 | 131,718 | 106,214 | 35,543 | 104 | 104 | - |
| Unclassified ${ }^{9}$................ | -2,983,100 | 6,204,178 | 1,191,890 | 335,652 | 369,406 | 318,582 | 869,695 | -487,078 | 186,321 |
| Excise tax collections or liabilities reported by the Customs Service and the Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total excise tax collections............ | 13,588,284 | 13,490,237 | 15,837,962 | 15,822,152 | 17,034,165 | 16,718,840 | 16,969,775 | 3,957,421 | 3,745,373 |
| Tax liabilities by type of excise tax ${ }^{10}$. | 13,531,855 | 13,478,757 | 15,636,428 | 15,771,195 | 16,989,022 | 16,678,051 | 16,942,588 | 3,954,142 | 3,739,604 |
| Distilled spirits: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Domestic. | 2,857,430 | 2,974,674 | 3,043,375 | 3,004,527 | 3,138,705 | 3,132,577 | 3,220,871 | 839,117 | 671,371 |
| Imported. | 682,280 | 758,726 | 816,922 | 892,230 | 901,173 | 982,016 | 1,074,631 | 304,961 | 238,219 |
| Wine: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Domestic. | 480,265 | 504,042 | 517,812 | 498,537 | 513,559 | 534,927 | 547,505 | 154,080 | 122,977 |
| Imported. | 153,877 | 154,876 | 174,327 | 168,675 | 193,737 | 215,803 | 220,386 | 62,051 | 46,892 |
| Beer: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Domestic. | 3,147,823 | 3,168,158 | 3,216,402 | 3,171,384 | 3,236,231 | 3,189,580 | 3,218,708 | 672,199 | 716,930 |
| Imported..................................................... | 272,645 | 321,317 | 350,924 | 383,793 | 414,895 | 415,280 | 441,713 | 102,958 | 95,765 |
| Tobacco products: ${ }^{11}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Domestic ... | 5,608,259 | 5,189,723 | 7,019,884 | 7,120,255 | 7,879,499 | 7,435,391 | 7,439,717 | 1,647,004 | 1,682,899 |
| Cigarettes ${ }^{11}$ | 5,583,318 | 5,148,512 | 6,684,361 ${ }^{\text {r }}$ | 7,012,901 ${ }^{\text {r }}$ | 7,644,311 ${ }^{\text {r }}$ | 7,293,366 | 7,251,406 ${ }^{\prime}$ | 1,777,206 ${ }^{\prime}$ | 1,706,724 ${ }^{\text {r }}$ |
| Cigars . ${ }^{11}$ | 62,791 | 67,779 | 94,044 | 114,615 ${ }^{\text {r }}$ | 139,535 | 155,747 ${ }^{\text {r }}$ | 171,461 ${ }^{\text {' }}$ | 39,724 | 41,036 |
| Papers/tubes .. ${ }^{11}$ | 802 | 1,201 | 1,318 | 929 | 954 | 1,018 | 1,374 | 325 | 352 |
| Chewing tobacco and snuff... ${ }^{11}$ | 29,876 | 29,853 | 40,565 | 43,747 | 49,565 | 52,218 | 53,385 | 12,700 | 13,367 |
| Pipe/roll-your-own tobacco..11. | 3,698 | 3,917 | 12,511 | 13,919 | 15,416 | 17,978 | 17,802 ${ }^{\text {r }}$ | 3,993 | $4,366{ }^{\text {r }}$ |
| Floor stocks.. | 2 | -- | 261,917 | 528 | 115,835 | 1,628 | -- | - | -- |
| Imported | 64,649 | 114,524 | 196,141 | 252,229 | 404,308 | 475,278 | 470,017 | 115,596 | 110,147 |
| Firearms and ammunition.... | 158,383 | 187,977 | 197,840 | 175,959 | 205,025 | 193,420 | 214,987 | 54,095 | 51,694 |
| Special occupations........................................... | 106,244 | 104,740 | 102,801 | 103,606 | 101,890 | 103,779 | 94,053 | 2,081 | 2,710 |
| Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau and Customs Service collections less reported amounts. $\qquad$ | 56,429 | 11,480 | 201,534 | 50,957 | 45,143 | 40,789 | 27,187 | 3,279 | 5,769 |
| Total collections less reported amounts................... | 56.429 | 11.480 | 201,534 | 50,957 | 45.143 | 40.789 | 27.187 | 3.279 | 5.769 |

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Table 21.--Federal Excise Taxes Reported to or Collected by the Internal Revenue Service, Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau, and Customs Service, by Type of Excise Tax, Fiscal Years 1998-2005--Continued
[Money amounts are in thousands of dollars]

| Type of excise tax by agency to which tax was reported or paid | Fiscal year |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2004 |  | 2005 |  |  |  |
|  | by quarter ending-- |  | Tax rates in effect on October 1, 2004 | by quarter ending-- |  |  |
|  | June $2004$ | September $2004$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { December } \\ 2004 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { March } \\ & 2005 \end{aligned}$ | June $2005$ |
|  | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (14) |
| --continued: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Excess contributions to Individual Retirement Accounts and others $\qquad$ | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | 6 percent | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | ( ${ }^{4}$ |
| Prohibited transactions................................ | -- | -- | 5 percent | -- | -- | -- |
| Certain excess contributions... | -- | -- | 10 percent | -- | -- | -- |
| Reversion of qualified plan assets to employer........ | -- | -- | 20 percent | -- | -- | -- |
| Penalties ${ }^{2}$.................................................... | -- | -- | various | -- | -- | -- |
| Taxes on undistributed income of qualified investment entities: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Real Estate Investment Trusts................... | -- | -- | 4 percent | -- | -- | -- |
| Regulated Investment Companies......................... | -- | -- | 4 percent | -- | -- | -- |
| Windfall profits tax on domestic crude oil (repealed August 23, 1988) ${ }^{1}$. $\qquad$ | -- | -- |  | -- | -- | -- |
| Miscellaneous IRS taxes ${ }^{2}$................................... | -- | -- | various | -- | -- | -- |
| Unclassified 9. | -286,514 | 1,456,966 | various | -917,866 | -175,922 | -628,559 |
| Excise tax collections or liabilities reported by the Customs Service and the Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total excise tax collections.................................... | 4,480,854 | 4,786,127 | various | 4,107,212 | 3,706,074 | 4,403,861 |
| Tax liabilities by type of excise tax ${ }^{10}$.......................... | 4,474,406 | 4,774,436 | various | 4,161,013 | 3,621,489 | 4,379,180 |
| Distilled spirits: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Domestic... | 862,892 | 847,490 | \$13.50 per proof gallon | 891,728 | 656,020 | 867,291 |
| Imported. | 242,703 | 288,748 | \$13.50 per proof gallon | 336,477 | 255,294 | 274,496 |
| Wine: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Domestic. | 128,592 | 141,857 | \$1.07 to \$13.50 per gallon | 162,350 | 124,684 | 132,337 |
| Imported. | 53,159 | 58,283 | \$1.07 to \$3.40 per proof gallon | 66,767 | 50,928 | 59,913 |
| Beer: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Domestic. | 869,662 | 959,917 | \$7 or \$18 per barrel | 677,752 | 697,551 | 846,242 |
| Imported......................................................... | 107,736 | 135,253 | \$18 per barrel | 99,842 | 95,129 | 126,768 |
| Tobacco products: ${ }^{11}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Domestic... | 1,977,821 | 2,131,994 | various | 1,740,955 | 1,591,992 | 1,911,509 |
| Cigarettes ... | 1,908,593 r | 1,858,884 r | \$19.50 to \$40.95 per thousand | 1,830,046 | 1,593,104 ${ }^{r}$ | 1,900,114 |
| Cigars ${ }^{11}$ | 45,539 | 45,161 | \$1.828 to \$48.75 per thousand | 43,451 | $44,901{ }^{r}$ | 50,636 |
| Papers/tubes...1 | 332 | 365 | \$0.0122 to \$0.0244 per 50 | 273 | 264 | 349 |
| Chewing tobacco and snuff.11 | 13,497 | 13,821 | \$0.195 to \$0.585 per pound | 13,272 | 12,669 | 14,049 |
| Pipe/roll-your-own tobacco... ${ }^{11}$ | 4,610 ${ }^{\text {r }}$ | 4,833 ${ }^{\text {r }}$ | \$1.0969 per pound | 4,477 r | 4,810 ${ }^{\text {r }}$ | 5,075 |
| Floor stocks.. | -- | -- | N/A | -- | 10 | -- |
| Imported ................. | 119,876 | 124,399 | various | 127,949 | 95,389 | 104,699 |
| Firearms and ammunition................................... | 50,725 | 58,473 | 10 or 11 percent of sales price | 55,337 | 53,351 | 51,479 |
| Special occupations........................................... | 61,240 | 28,022 | \$250 to \$1,000 per dealer or manufacturer | 1,856 | 1,151 | 4,446 |
| Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau and Customs Service collections less reported amounts. $\qquad$ | 6,448 | 11,691 | N/A | -53,801 | 84,585 | 24,681 |
| Total collections less reported amounts.................... | 6,448 | 11,691 | N/A | -53,801 | 84,585 | 24,681 |

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Table 22.--Selected Returns and Forms Filed or To Be Filed by Type During Specified Calendar Years, 1985-2006

| Type of return or form | Number filed in calendar year-- |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1985 | 1990 | 1995 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
| Individual income ${ }^{1 . .}$ | 99,704,200 | 112,596,000 | 116,466,900 | 123,049,600 | 125,389,700 | 127,657,400 |
| Forms 1040, 1040A, 1040EZ, and 1040PC. | 99,528,900 | 112,305,000 | 116,059,700 | 122,546,900 | 124,887,100 | 127,097,200 |
| Paper returns.. | 99,528,900 | 108,100,900 | 104,252,800 | 97,966,600 | 95,557,600 | 91,695,100 |
| Electronically-filed returns. | N/A | 4,204,200 | 11,806,900 | 24,580,300 | 29,329,500 | 35,402,200 |
| Business returns | 14,136,800 | 16,170,200 | 18,058,600 | 19,031,300 | 19,176,200 | 19,350,400 |
| Schedule C or C-EZ. | 11,767,300 | 14,149,000 | 16,157,000 | 17,183,700 | 17,377,100 | 17,570,500 |
| Schedule F | 2,369,400 | 2,021,300 | 1,901,600 | 1,847,600 | 1,799,200 | 1,779,900 |
| Nonbusiness returns. | 85,392,100 | 96,134,800 | 98,001,100 | 103,515,700 | 105,710,900 | 107,746,800 |
| Forms 1040C, 1040NR, 1040PR, and 1040SS.. | 175,300 | 291,000 | 407,200 | 502,700 | 502,500 | 560,200 |
| Corporation income ${ }^{2}$. | 3,437,300 | 4,319,500 | 4,817,900 | 5,241,200 | 5,398,300 | 5,469,600 |
| Form 1120 | 2,432,300 | 2,334,600 | 2,197,000 | 2,207,600 | 2,202,400 | 2,161,700 |
| Form 1120A | 199,700 | 332,000 | 319,100 | 272,500 | 260,800 | 245,500 |
| Form 1120S. | 736,900 | 1,536,100 | 2,161,000 | 2,599,800 | 2,767,000 | 2,887,100 |
| Other | 68,400 | 116,800 | 140,800 | 161,300 | 168,100 | 175,300 |
| Partnership, Forms 1065 and 1065B ${ }^{3}$.................... | 1,755,300 | 1,750,900 | 1,580,300 | 1,861,000 | 1,974,700 | 2,066,800 |
| Estate and trust income, Forms 1041 and 1041S ....... | 2,125,000 | 2,680,900 | 3,190,900 | 3,397,600 | 3,403,300 | 3,528,900 |
| Estate tax, Forms 706, 706NA, 706GS(D), and 706GS(T)... $\qquad$ | 80,800 | 60,800 | 81,400 | 110,100 | 116,400 | 123,600 |
| Gift tax, Form 709................. | 97,700 | 147,700 | 216,200 | 261,200 | 291,900 | 308,600 |
| Tax-exempt organizations.. ${ }^{6}$ | 454,100 | 487,400 | 572,600 | 618,300 | 692,600 | 699,100 |
| Forms 990 and 990EZ. | 365,500 | 359,700 | 406,400 | 412,000 | 458,100 | 461,700 |
| Form 990-PF. | 32,000 | 44,700 | 51,300 | 61,800 | 64,900 | 70,000 |
| Form 990-T. | 26,200 | 39,100 | 49,800 | 50,200 | 62,800 | 52,600 |
| Forms 990C, 4720, and 5227. | 30,400 | 43,900 | 65,100 | 94,300 | 106,800 | 114,900 |
| Employment ... ${ }^{7}$ | 27,409,300 | 28,911,300 | 28,654,900 | 29,106,400 | 28,973,600 | 28,841,200 |
| Forms 940, 940EZ, 940PR. | 4,813,000 | 5,367,400 | 5,482,600 | 5,483,300 | 5,479,100 | 5,463,100 |
| Forms 941, 941PR/SS/M. | 20,304,200 | 21,632,100 | 22,219,100 | 23,098,500 | 22,985,100 | 22,890,300 |
| Forms 943, 943PR. | 399,100 | 385,400 | 354,700 | 330,900 | 316,200 | 305,500 |
| Other.. | 1,893,000 | 1,526,400 | 598,500 | 193,700 | 193,200 | 182,300 |
| Excise.... ${ }^{8}$ | 1,160,500 | 852,000 | 788,600 | 821,900 | 822,300 | 852,500 |
| Form 2290. | 709,200 | 440,700 | 490,300 | 562,500 | 577,800 | 610,800 |
| Form 720.. | 416,200 | 339,100 | 225,300 | 194,000 | 183,800 | 174,700 |
| Other...... | 35,100 | 72,200 | 73,000 | 65,400 | 60,700 | 67,100 |

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Table 22.--Selected Returns and Forms Filed or To Be Filed by Type During Specified Calendar Years, 1985-2006--Continued

| Type of return or form | Number filed in calendar year-- |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 (projected) | 2006 (projected) |
|  | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) |
| Individual income ${ }^{1}$... | 130,094,300 | 130,977,500 | 130,836,700 | 131,297,500 | 132,766,200 | 134,901,700 |
| Forms 1040, 1040A, 1040EZ, and 1040PC. | 129,444,900 | 130,341,200 | 130,134,300 | 130,576,900 | 132,022,400 | 134,134,600 |
| Paper returns. | 89,238,100 | 83,505,100 | 77,265,300 | 69,148,600 | 63,866,500 | 59,928,300 |
| Electronically-filed returns. | 40,206,800 | 46,836,100 | 52,869,000 | 61,428,300 | 68,155,900 | 74,206,300 |
| Business returns | 19,664,500 | 20,072,000 | 20,658,500 | 21,475,200 | 21,853,600 | 22,231,900 |
| Schedule C or C-EZ. | 17,904,900 | 18,336,500 | 18,944,500 | 19,770,600 | 20,171,300 | 20,572,100 |
| Schedule F | 1,759,600 | 1,735,500 | 1,713,900 | 1,704,700 | 1,682,300 | 1,659,800 |
| Nonbusiness returns. | 109,780,500 | 110,269,100 | 109,475,800 | 109,101,600 | 110,168,800 | 111,902,700 |
| Forms 1040C, 1040NR, 1040PR, and 1040SS. | 649,300 | 636,400 | 702,400 | 720,700 | 743,900 | 767,100 |
| Corporation income ${ }^{2}$.............. | 5,561,300 | 5,738,800 | 5,919,600 | 6,018,300 | 6,152,400 | 6,295,100 |
| Form 1120 | 2,128,700 | 2,131,900 | 2,119,000 | 2,066,800 | 2,055,600 | 2,041,800 |
| Form 1120A | 235,800 | 229,700 | 225,300 | 214,700 | 208,600 | 201,000 |
| Form 1120S. | 3,022,600 | 3,191,100 | 3,369,100 | 3,523,900 | 3,663,200 | 3,821,000 |
| Other | 174,200 | 186,200 | 206,200 | 212,800 | 224,900 | 231,300 |
| Partnership, Forms 1065 and 1065B ${ }^{3}$....................... | 2,165,000 | 2,271,800 | 2,405,400 | 2,546,400 | 2,686,200 | 2,822,100 |
| Estate and trust income, Forms 1041 and 1041S ${ }^{\text {......... }}$ | 3,918,900 | 3,658,000 | 3,705,000 | 3,722,400 | 3,757,700 | 3,800,600 |
| Estate tax, Forms 706, 706NA, 706GS(D), and 706GS(T). ${ }^{5}$ | 122,400 | 114,000 | 87,100 | 74,200 | 48,000 | 44,900 |
| Gift tax, Form 709......................... | 303,800 | 282,600 | 284,900 | 262,200 | 259,400 | 256,800 |
| Tax-exempt organizations........... | 724,200 | 744,400 | 818,200 | 807,300 | 856,900 | 866,300 |
| Forms 990 and 990EZ. | 481,000 | 495,000 | 548,000 | 533,000 | 576,600 | 579,400 |
| Form 990-PF. | 73,300 | 76,900 | 86,000 | 85,700 | 88,600 | 92,200 |
| Form 990-T. | 48,200 | 46,400 | 55,200 | 57,700 | 58,700 | 59,600 |
| Forms 990C, 4720, and 5227. | 121,700 | 126,200 | 129,000 | 131,000 | 133,100 | 135,100 |
| Employment ${ }^{7}$....................... | 28,935,800 | 29,514,200 | 30,091,200 | 30,463,600 | 30,634,400 | 28,108,000 |
| Forms 940, 940EZ, 940PR. | 5,545,400 | 5,546,300 | 5,705,600 | 5,757,200 | 5,795,300 | 5,816,300 |
| Forms 941, 941PR/SS/M.. | 22,919,800 | 23,510,100 | 23,942,300 | 24,278,400 | 24,422,400 | 21,887,000 |
| Forms 943, 943PR. | 291,000 | 283,300 | 276,600 | 269,400 | 263,200 | 256,700 |
| Other. | 179,600 | 174,600 | 166,700 | 158,600 | 153,500 | 147,900 |
| Excise... ${ }^{\text {8 }}$ | 815,100 | 836,400 | 844,500 | 834,800 | 835,300 | 840,000 |
| Form 2290. | 588,700 | 615,200 | 642,400 | 660,600 | 676,300 | 690,500 |
| Form 720. | 164,900 | 161,100 | 142,100 | 118,000 | 103,600 | 95,200 |
| Other. | 61,500 | 60,000 | 59,900 | 56,200 | 55,400 | 54,300 |

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Table 23.--Taxpayers Receiving Assistance, Paid and Unpaid, Specified Tax Years 1998-2003
[Some estimates based on samples--all data are in thousands]

| Type of assistance | Tax year |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
| Returns with paid preparer signature: ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All returns | 66,551 | 69,250 | 69,115 | 72,477 | 72,519 | 78,753 |
| Form 1040EZ | 701 | 761 | 958 | 2,096 | 1,953 | 1,764 |
| Form 1040A | 4,239 | 3,746 | 4,180 | 3,854 | 3,460 | 3,589 |
| Form 1040, total | 61,611 | 64,743 | 63,977 | 66,526 | 67,106 | 73,400 |
| Form 1040 Business, total | 14,130 | 14,198 | 13,855 | 14,194 | 14,461 | 15,974 |
| Nonfarm | 12,347 | 12,462 | 12,154 | 12,517 | 12,805 | 14,245 |
| Farm | 1,783 | 1,735 | 1,701 | 1,677 | 1,656 | 1,729 |
| Form 1040 Nonbusiness, total. | 47,482 | 50,546 | 50,121 | 52,332 | 52,644 | 57,426 |
| With itemized deductions | 18,140 | 19,239 | 19,678 | 20,889 | 21,252 | 21,671 |
| Without itemized deductions. | 29,342 | 31,307 | 30,444 | 31,443 | 31,392 | 35,755 |
| Electronically-filed ${ }^{2}$...................................................... | 18,482 | 22,894 | 26,223 | 30,501 | 33,810 | 42,042 |
| Assistance provided by IRS: ${ }^{3}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Telephone inquiries (including recorded telephone information) $\qquad$ | 110,879 | 93,212 | 110,524 | 85,593 | 88,510 | 77,579 |
| Office walk-ins, information.............................................. | 9,981 | 9,663 | 9,362 | 9,211 | 8,589 | 7,320 |
| Written inquiries.............. | 75 | 61 | 48 | 35 | 27 | 12 |
| Number of taxpayers assisted by selected special programs: Outreach taxpayers assisted. | 523 | 1,416 | 577 | 11,029 ${ }^{4}$ | 36,957 ${ }^{4}$ | 72,031 ${ }^{4}$ |
| Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) and Tax Counseling for the Elderly (TCE). | 3,479 | 3,790 | 3,587 | 3,611 | 1,607 ${ }^{5}$ | 1,935 ${ }^{5}$ |

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N/A - Not applicable.
n.a. - Not available.
p - Preliminary.
r - Revised or corrected.

*     - Estimate should be used with caution because of the small number of sample returns on which it is based. See "Appendix--SOI Sampling Methodology and Data Limitations."
** - Not shown to avoid disclosure of information about specific taxpayers. However, the data are combined with data in an adjacent size class, as appropriate, and included in the appropriate totals.
Detail may not add to totals because of rounding. All amounts are in current dollars. Percentages shown in some of the tables are based on dollar amounts rounded to the units indicated in the specific table headings. Therefore, they may not be as precise as percentages based on the fuller dollar amounts found in tables contained in the source publications or articles which underlie the historical tables presented in this section of the Bulletin.
In the data sources listed at the end of the footnotes, which cite a Statistics of Income publication or unpublished table, the following should be noted: Most of the data are subject to sampling error; tax law and tax form changes affect the year-to-year comparability of the data; and specific Statistics of Income reports cited include more complete discussions of sampling error and of other changes affecting comparability of the data.

See, also, the appendix to the Bulletin for a general description of "SOI Sampling Methodology and Data Limitations."

## Footnotes

## Table 1

[1] Year-to-year comparability of the "all returns" total is affected by changes in dollar income filing thresholds, while year-to-year comparability of the number of returns by type of tax form used is affected by changes in the specific filing requirements, including adjustments for inflation, for
each form. In general, the filing of "short forms" (mostly Forms 1040A and 1040EZ, and Form 1040-T for 1995 only) has been encouraged by IRS to simplify both taxpayer filing requirements and IRS processing. Filing requirements for each of the short forms have, therefore, been gradually liberalized to facilitate their use. Increases in the number of short forms by type of form have mostly been at the expense of "long form" 1040 usage (although increases in the number of each of the short forms have often been at the expense of one short form over another). While the number of 1040 (paper) returns has, therefore, increased over the time period shown, the rate of increase has been reduced by the use of the short forms, and, later, by electronic filing options (see below), including, for 1991-1999, use of Form 1040PC. For additional information about the return filing requirements, see the annual reports, Statistics of Income--Individual Income Tax Returns.

Forms 1040, 1040A, and 1040EZ include "standard" electronically-filed ("ELF" or "e-file") returns, and Form 1040EZ returns filed electronically by telephone ("TeleFile"), starting with 1991. Form 1040PC (computer-generated "paper") returns were not reclassified for Statistics of Income for 1994-1999.

Included in the "all returns" total for 1995, but not shown separately, are returns filed on Form 1040-T, a "short form" lending itself to IRS optical scanning, which was used for this 1 year only, on an experimental basis.
[2] Starting with 1993, taxpayers could elect to assign $\$ 3$ of the income tax reported on their returns ( $\$ 6$ on a joint return, if both spouses contributed) to help pay for the cost of Presidential election campaigns. To do so, a taxpayer had to check a box on the tax return. Before 1993, this tax offset was limited to $\$ 1$ (or $\$ 2$ ) per return. The relationship between (a) the number of returns and boxes checked and (b) the dollar amounts shown is only approximate because the frequencies and the amounts were obtained from different sources, the frequencies from Statistics of Income tax return data and the dollar amounts from IRS monthly tax collections, aggregated by calendar year. It should be noted that the

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frequencies and amounts are related to the tax year for which statistics are shown, even though the designation by the taxpayer occurred in the following year, when the income tax return was filed and processed.
[3] Less deficit.
[4] Taxable interest includes "dividends" on deposits and withdrawable shares in mutual savings banks, savings and loan associations, and credit unions, but excludes interest from Regulated Investment Companies on money market mutual funds, which is included in "dividends" in "adjusted gross income" (AGI).
[5] Not included in AGI. Represents interest on State and local government obligations, including tax-exempt interest dividends from Regulated Investment Companies.
[6] Dividends in AGI exclude capital gains and liquidating dividends, reflected in the statistics for net capital gain or loss in AGI, but include interest from Regulated Investment Companies on money market mutual funds. Qualified dividends are the ordinary dividends received in tax years beginning after 2002 that met certain conditions. These included: the dividend must have been paid by a U.S. corporation or a "qualified" foreign corporation; the stock ownership must have met certain holding period requirements; the dividends were not from certain institutions, such as mutual savings banks, cooperative banks, credit unions, taxexempt organizations, or farmer cooperatives; and the dividends were not for any share of stock which was a part of an employee stock ownership plan (ESOP).
[7] Losses are after "passive loss" limitation.
[8] Includes capital gains from the sale of assets held for personal use or investment, and also net gains from the sale of certain business property treated as net capital gains and from "involuntary conversions" of property, such as by casualty or theft. Also includes capital gains received from partnerships and S corporations. (See also footnote 15.)
Data represent total capital gains. Total includes capital gain distributions from Regulated Invest-
ment Companies. For other changes affecting capital gains, see Statistics of Income--Individual Income Tax Returns, various years. See also footnote 6 .
[9] Includes capital losses (after limitation) from the sale of assets held for personal use or investment, including losses in excess of net gains from the sale of certain business property treated as net capital losses and "involuntary conversions" of property, such as by casualty or theft. Also includes capital losses received from partnerships and S corporations. See also footnotes 6,15 , and 16 .
[10] Net gain or loss, not includable in capital gain or loss, from the sale of business property (excluding inventories and certain other assets) and "involuntary conversions" of property, such as by casualty or theft. See also footnote 15 .
[11] Excludes Individual Retirement Arrangement (IRA) distributions.
[12] Represents total unemployment compensation.
[13] Starting with 1994, up to 85 percent of Social Security benefits were taxable; previously, the maximum was 50 percent.
[14] Excludes sole proprietorship (including farm) rental income or loss; these are included in business or profession net income or loss. Rental losses are before "passive loss" limitation and, therefore, exceed the amount included in AGI.
[15] Excludes certain royalties included in the computations of capital gain or loss and of ordinary gain or loss in sales of noncapital assets.
[16] Excludes capital gains and losses.
[17] Includes adjustments not shown separately in this table. Total excludes certain business-related expenses, deduction for two-earner married couples, and certain alimony payments, but includes the self-employment health insurance deductions (liberalized effective 1998).
[18] Deductible Individual Retirement Arrangement (IRA) contributions were limited, then liberalized somewhat, starting with 1997 and 1998. Contributions to education and Roth IRA's, new

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starting with 1998, were nondeductible and are, therefore, not included in the statistics.
[19] The limitation on the deduction was raised, starting with 1999.
[20] Deduction expired during 1994, but was later reinstated retroactively for that year. The deduction was liberalized, starting with 1995, and again starting with 1998.
[21] Exemption amounts were indexed for inflation. Amounts were also limited for taxpayers with high incomes, starting with 1991. Statistics include exemptions for age and blindness, repealed effective 1987 and replaced by larger standard deduction amounts (see footnote 22). A check box on the return was used for taxpayers age 65 or over, in general, for use in establishing claims for the additional standard deductions, but many taxpayers not claiming the additional deductions also used the checkbox.

The amount shown for exemptions excludes amounts in excess of AGI, which were reported but could not be used by the taxpayer. The number of exemptions and amounts also excludes the number and amounts reported on returns with no AGI, which did not figure into the computation of tax as a result.
[22] In general, represents the sum of standard and itemized deductions from AGI to compute "taxable income" (the tax base for the regular income tax), but also includes deductions in excess of AGI that could not be used in the computation. Deductions erroneously reported on returns with no AGI were excluded from the deduction statistics.

Includes revised itemized deductions (see also footnotes 24-25), "basic" standard deduction, and "additional" standard deductions for age 65 or over or for blindness (for changes in the standard deduction and its relation to the zero bracket amount, see Statistics of Income-Individual Income Tax Returns, for appropriate years). Starting with 1991, total itemized deductions are after statutory limitation (see footnote 24).
[23] Standard deductions were indexed for inflation. Statistics for taxpayers with the additional
standard deduction for age 65 or over exclude those who checked the box on tax returns indicating age 65 or over, but then itemized their deductions instead of claiming standard deductions (see footnote 21). For the percentages of AGI used for the standard deduction and the limitation on the deduction, see Statistics of Income--Individual Income Tax Returns.
[24] Includes itemized deductions not shown separately in this table, including revised deductions, for "miscellaneous expenses" after limitation and for employee moving expenses. For the most part, moving expenses are excluded after 1993. In general, total itemized deductions were limited for certain high-income taxpayers, starting with 1991. This limitation was indexed for inflation, thereafter.
[25] Deductible medical and dental expenses were limited, based on a revised percentage of AGI. The definition of expenses was expanded, effective 1997, to include payments for certain long-term care insurance premiums and for the unreimbursed cost of certain long-term care of a chronically ill individual.
[26] State sales taxes were no longer deductible.
[27] Deductions for mortgage real estate loan interest were limited, and, starting with 1991, personal interest was no longer deductible.
[28] Includes "alternative minimum tax" (AMT), starting with 2000. For previous years, AMT was excluded and was reflected only in "total income tax" (see footnote 33).
[29] Different tax rate structures for the regular income tax applied to Tax Years 1993-2001, 2002 and 2003. Indexing of tax rate boundaries for inflation existed. The preferential maximum tax rate on net long-term capital gains under "alternative tax" was revised over the years. Alternative tax was abolished, but a maximum capital gain tax rate less than the maximum regular tax rate continued to apply under certain conditions, starting with 1991; the maximum rate was further reduced, effective 1997. For additional information on changes affecting tax computations, see Table A of the appendix to the historical section of this report and Statistics of Income--Individual Income Tax Returns.

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[30] Includes that portion of the "earned income credit" used to offset income tax before credits. Earned income credit is shown below in Table 1.
[31] Includes credits such as the low-income housing credit, child adoption credit (introduced, effective 1997), and "empowerment zone employment" (EZE) credit (introduced, effective 1994), not shown separately.
[32] Allowable credit per child was increased, starting with 1999.
[33] The statistics for all years shown are comparable. However, prior to Tax Year 2000, total income tax is the sum of two components, income tax after credits and "minimum tax" or "alternative minimum tax (AMT)"; see footnotes 28 and 34. Starting with Tax Year 2000, total income tax is, in general, the same as income tax after credits, which was redefined to include AMT. (The small difference between the two amounts for 2000 is due mainly to the inclusion in the statistics for Tax Year 2000 of prior-year returns filed in Calendar Year 2001 that were used as proxies for Tax Year 2000 returns filed after 2001; the AMT on these returns was included in total income tax, but not in income tax before or after credits, consistent with the reporting sequence on the tax return forms for these years. The same is true for Tax Year 2002 for prior returns filed in Calendar Year 2003 for Tax Year 2000 and earlier. To a far lesser extent, the difference between total income tax and income tax after credits represents the tax on accumulation distributions of trusts, which was included in total income tax only.)

Total income tax reflects the amount reported on the tax return and is, therefore, before any examination or enforcement activities by the Internal Revenue Service. It represents the income tax liability that was payable to the U. S. Department of the Treasury.
[34] The "alternative minimum tax" (AMT) on "tax preferences," completely replaced the former "minimum tax." Under AMT, generally highincome taxpayers to which the tax applied were required to pay the larger of the regular income tax or the AMT. Computation of the AMT was
revised (to change the starting point for computing "alternative minimum taxable income" from "adjusted gross income" to "taxable income," to change or eliminate many of the AMT adjustments to and exclusions from tax, and to increase a single tax rate); again for 1991 (to further increase the single tax rate); then, starting with 1993 (to substitute two higher, graduated rates for the one single rate). An additional change was the elimination of the capital gain exclusion as a tax preference subject to the AMT. As of 2004, examples of preferences or adjustments subject to recapture through the AMT were accelerated depreciation, incentive stock options, certain itemized deductions, personal exemptions, certain tax-exempt interest, and income loss from tax-shelter farm or "passive" investment activities.

AMT is shown separately in the statistics for all years. However, starting with 2000, AMT is also included in "income tax before credits," as well as in "income tax after credits" and "total income tax." Previously, AMT was only included in "total income tax."
[35] In Table 1, the amounts "used to offset income tax before credits" and "used to offset other taxes" (that are income-related) are reflected in the statistics for "total tax credits"; however, "excess earned income credit (refundable)" is reflected in the statistics for tax "overpayments." The refundable portion of the credit is the amount (in excess of the taxes) that could not be credited, including any "advance earned income credit payments" on those returns that had such an excess. ("Advance earned income credit payments" were made to employees electing to receive such payments currently through their paychecks. Such "payments" are included in the statistics only if the employees also met the tax return filing requirements; advance payments received by those not required to file are, therefore, excluded.)
[36] Represents payments reflecting the sum of "total income tax" (see footnote 33), tax recapture of certain prior-year tax credits, tax applicable to Individual Retirement Arrangements (IRA's), and

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Social Security taxes on "self-employment income" and on certain employee tip income, as well as on other income-related taxes applicable to the years shown (see Statistics of Income-Individual Income Tax Returns). The total also includes the following not shown separately below in Table 1: "advance earned income credit payments" and credits for (a) capital gain tax paid by a Regulated Investment Company, but considered paid by shareholders, and (b) part of the purchase price of a diesel-powered highway vehicle.
[37] Represents tax withheld on (a) salaries and wages; (b) certain tip income; (c) pensions and annuities; (d) certain gambling winnings; and (e) distributions from profit-sharing plans, retirement plans, and Individual Retirement Arrangements (IRA's). Also included are taxes withheld as a result of "backup withholding" on certain interest, dividends, and royalty payments, which otherwise were not subject to withholding.
[38] Represents the sum of (a) "estimated tax," generally paid quarterly throughout the tax year by self-employed and certain other taxpayers with insufficient or no tax withheld, and (b) prior-year tax overpayments taxpayers elected to credit to their current-year's "estimated tax" in lieu of requesting a refund.
[39] Represents the sum of payments made with a request for an "automatic" 4-month extension of time in which to file an income tax return, and payments with a request for an additional 2-month extension. Notwithstanding the timing of these requests, full payment of a tax estimate for the year had to be made with the original application; if adjustments to the amount thus paid were later necessitated, the difference was either refundable or payable subject to an interest charge (which is not reflected in the tax statistics).
[40] Includes refunds (shown separately), plus credits to the following year's "estimated tax" and the refundable portion of the "earned income credit" (see footnote 35). The taxes reflected in tax overpayments are the same as those listed in footnote 37.

SOURCE: Except for dollar amounts associated with the Presidential election campaign checkoff, data are from Statistics of Income--Individual Income Tax Returns, appropriate years. Depending on the year, dollar amounts associated with the Presidential election campaign checkoff were accumulated by calendar year either from U.S. Treasury Department, Internal Revenue Service, "Table S-1 Collections, Comparative Summary, Document 7038," Report NO-Treas-103, monthly, or from unpublished monthly data from Chief Financial Officer, Office of Finance, Revenue Accounting Division, Office of Revenue Systems. See also "General notations and statements," preceding the footnotes section.

## Table 2--Not Presented.

## Table 3

[1] In addition to low-income taxpayers, this size class (and others) includes taxpayers with "tax preferences," not reflected in "adjusted gross income" or "taxable income," which are subject to the "alternative minimum tax" (included in "total income tax"), defined in Table 1, footnote 34.
[2] A study for 1993 showed that about half of all returns with "adjusted gross income" under \$5,000 were filed by dependents of other taxpayers.
[3] "Adjusted gross income" (AGI) minus "personal exemptions and total deductions" will not equal "taxable income" because the total of deductions and exemptions could exceed AGI and, therefore, includes amounts that could not be used in computing "taxable income."
[4] Less than 0.05 .
[5] Not computed.
SOURCE: Statistics of Income--Individual Income Tax Returns, appropriate years. See also "General notations and statements," preceding the footnotes section.

## Table 4

[1] Reflects changes made to data as part of the 2003 Comprehensive Revision of the National Income and Product Accounts (NIPAs). For details of this revision, see the Bureau of Eco-

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nomic Analysis website at: http://www.bea.gov/ bea/dn/2003benchmark/CR2003content.htm.
[2] Consists of imputed rental income of owneroccupied non-farm dwellings (less actual rental income and subsidies); services to individuals furnished without payment by certain financial intermediaries; premium supplements to individuals for property and casualty insurance; farm products consumed on farms; food furnished to employees, including military and domestic service; clothing issued to military personnel; employee's lodging; and imputed income of individuals participating in the construction of their own housing.
[3] Consists of income earned by low-income individuals who are not required to file income tax returns, of unreported income that is included in the NIPA measure, and of errors and omissions which comprise items in the portion of personal income not included in AGI and the portion of AGI not included in personal income. Also includes the net effect of errors in the IRS adjusted gross income and NIPA personal income measures. Such errors can arise from the sample used by the IRS to estimate AGI and from the source data used by BEA to estimate personal income (per NIPA).
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, National Income and Product Accounts (NIPA's), Table 7.19: Comparison of Personal Income in the National Income and Product Accounts with Adjusted Gross Income as Published by the Internal Revenue Service. This table appears periodically in the Survey of Current Business and can also be accessed on-line at: http://www.bea.gov/bea/ dn/nipaweb/index.asp.

## Tables 5 and 6

[1] See Table 4 for the differences between "personal income" and "adjusted gross income" (AGI).
[2] Reflects changes made to data as part of the 2003 Comprehensive Revision of the National Income and Product Accounts (NIPAs). For details of this revision, see the Bureau of Economic Analysis website at http://www.bea.gov/bea/dn/ 2003benchmark/CR2003content.htm.
[3] Data for years 1987 and after are not comparable to pre-1987 data because of major changes in the definition of "adjusted gross income" (AGI).

SOURCE: Data on "personal income" and "adjusted gross income" (AGI) (per NIPA's) are from U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, National Income and Product Accounts (NIPA's), Table 7.19: Comparison of Personal Income in the National Income and Product Accounts with Adjusted Gross Income as Published by the Internal Revenue Service. This table appears periodically in the Survey of Current Business and can also be accessed on-line at: http://www.bea.gov/bea/dn/nipaweb/ index.asp. Data on "adjusted gross income" (AGI) (per SOI) in Table 6 are from Statistics of Income-Individual Income Tax Returns, appropriate years.

## Table 7

[1] Sum of standard and itemized deductions, plus charitable contributions deduction reported on standard deduction returns for Tax Years 19821986. Amount of total deductions for 1950-1957 was estimated by Joseph A. Pechman, The Brookings Institution, using his estimate of the standard deduction for these years (see footnote 4) plus the total for itemized deductions published in Statistics of Income--Part 1 for 1950-1953 and Statistics of Income--Individual Income Tax Returns for 1954-1957. Starting with 1958, total deductions were obtained directly from Statistics of Income--Individual Income Tax Returns. Deductions exclude amounts shown as "statutory adjustments" in Table 1. For Tax Years 19871988, total deductions also include the "zero bracket amount" reported on a small number of returns (see footnote 4). It includes total deductions as reported by taxpayers, even if the total exceeded "adjusted gross income" (AGI) and, therefore, could not be used.
[2] See Tables 5 and 6, footnote 3 .
[3] Series revised, starting with the Spring 1997 Bulletin, to exclude from the standard deduction statistics the relatively small number of returns with no adjusted gross income and no deductions. Previously, these returns were classified as if they

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showed a standard deduction. For the 1977-1986 statistics, the standard deduction is the "zero bracket amount" (reported on returns with only a "zero bracket amount"). Such an amount was also included for a small number of returns for 1987-1988 (see footnote 4). For years in which the "zero bracket amount" was in effect, frequencies shown for standard deduction returns were derived by subtracting the number reporting an income tax liability, but no itemized deductions, from the total of all returns. For 1950-1952, returns with itemized deductions include the small number of returns with no deductions and, for 1950-1954, the small number with no income, regardless of whether or not deductions were itemized. For later years, returns in these two categories were excluded from all the deduction statistics in this table.
[4] Amount of standard deduction for 1950-1957 was estimated by Joseph A. Pechman, The Brookings Institution, on the basis of the distribution of the number of returns by income class and marital status in Statistics of Income--Part 1 for 1950-1953 and Statistics of Income--Individual Income Tax Returns for 1954-1957, and, starting with 1958, was obtained directly from Statistics of Income--Individual Income Tax Returns. It represents the "zero bracket amount" for 1977-1986. Starting with 1987, it represents the sum of "basic" and "additional" standard deductions (for age 65 or over and for blindness); also includes the "zero bracket amount" reported on the small number of prior-year returns filed in 1988-1989 that were included in the 1987-1988 statistics as proxies for returns due but not received.
[5] For 1977-1986, total itemized deductions are before subtraction of the "zero bracket amount." Starting with 1991, total itemized deductions are after statutory limitation (see Table 1, footnote 24).

SOURCE: Except as indicated in footnotes 1 and 4, Statistics of Income--Individual Income Tax Returns and unpublished tables, appropriate years. Data referred to in footnote 4 which are attributed to Joseph
A. Pechman are from Pechman, Federal Tax Policy, fifth edition, The Brookings Institution, 1987. See also "General notations and statements," preceding the footnotes section.

## Table 8

[1] See Table 4 for differences between "personal income" and "adjusted gross income."
[2] Reflects changes made to data as part of the 2003 Comprehensive Revision of the National Income and Product Accounts (NIPAs). For details of this revision, see the Bureau of Economic Analysis website at http://www.bea.gov/bea/dn/ 2003benchmark/CR2003content.htm.
[3] Note that the "taxable income" tax base excludes the base for computing both the "minimum tax" and "alternative minimum tax" components of "total income tax." Therefore, the percentages shown in column 6 , starting with 1970 , are only approximate. See also Table 1, footnote 34. Also, because conceptually "taxable income" did not exist prior to 1954, the taxable income shown for 1950-1953 and the percentages based on it in columns 3 and 6 are estimated, in part, by adjusting available statistics for statutory "net income" for these years.
SOURCE: Data on "Personal income" are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis' National Income and Product Accounts, Table 2.1: Personal Income and Its Disposition. This table appears in the Survey of Current Business and can also be accessed online at: http://www.bea.gov/bea/dn/nipaweb/index.asp. Data on "Taxable income (per SOI)" and "Total income tax (per SOI)" are from Statistics of Income--Individual Income Tax Returns, various years.

## Table 9

[1] Starting with 1975, includes the refundable portion of the "earned income credit."
SOURCE: Statistics of Income--Individual Income Tax Returns and unpublished tables, appropriate years. See also "General notations and statements," preceding the footnotes section.

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## Table 10

[1] Represents the number of returns, even if there was more than one business per return.
[2] "Total deductions" include amounts not shown separately in this table, as well as amounts not itemized separately on Schedule C-EZ (short form) used by certain of the smaller businesses. Most deductions for which statistics are shown are slightly understated to the extent that only total deductions had to be reported on Schedule C-EZ. Total deductions exclude disallowed "passive losses"; but net income (less deficit), net income, and deficit reflect these losses. In addition, net income (less deficit), net income, and deficit are after adjustment for the passive loss carryover from prior years. Therefore, "business receipts" minus "total deductions" do not equal "net income (less deficit)."

NOTE: There are slight differences between: (a) the number of individual income tax returns "with business or profession net income or loss" and the associated amounts, based on the summarized totals on the face of the tax return (Table 1), and (b) the related number of individual income tax returns "with nonfarm business net income or deficit" and the associated amounts, based on data from Schedules C filed in support of the total on the face of the return (Table 10). These differences result from the somewhat larger tax return samples underlying the sole proprietorship statistics for more recent years, and also from the taxpayer reporting variations and inconsistencies, e.g., in the occasional misreporting of farm versus nonfarm business activity on the face of the return compared to what was indicated in supporting schedules, and in the equating of certain partnership income or employee business expenses with the presence of sole proprietorship activity.
SOURCE: Statistics of Income--Sole Proprietorship Returns, appropriate years, and Statistics of Income Bulletin, Summer issues (for most years). See also "General notations and statements," preceding the footnotes section.

## Table 11

[1] Certain small partnerships were not required to file balance sheets.
[2] Number of limited partnerships, limited liability companies, and the associated number of partners are understated because some businesses failed to answer the question about type of partnership on their tax returns as originally filed.
[3] Total assets, total liabilities, and partners' capital account represent end-of-year amounts. Moreover, they are understated somewhat because not all partnerships included a complete balance sheet and because of the reporting requirement mentioned in footnote 1 , above.
[4] Short-term debt is the abbreviated title for mortgages, notes, and bonds payable in less than 1 year.
[5] Long-term debt is the abbreviated title for mortgages, notes, and bonds payable in 1 year or more.
[6] "Total receipts" and "total deductions" include amounts not shown separately. Only the net incomes or deficits from farming, rents, and royalties were tabulated; the positive amounts were included under "total receipts" and the negative amounts under "total deductions." The related expenses were not tabulated. Total receipts were computed for the statistics as the sum of "total income from a trade or business"; and the following income distributed directly to partners: "ordinary" gain from sales of property other than "capital assets"; "ordinary" income from estates, trusts, and other partnerships; portfolio income, comprising interest, dividends, royalties, and other portfolio income (excluding net capital gains, see below); and rental real estate income (positive amounts only); and income from other rental activities (positive amounts only).

Total deductions were computed as the sum of "cost of goods sold," or "cost of sales and operations," "total deductions from a trade or business," and the following, which were allocated directly to partners: "ordinary" loss from sales of property other than "capital assets"; "ordinary" loss from estates, trusts, and other partnerships; rental real estate losses; other rental losses; and portfolio losses (excluding net capital losses).

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Portfolio income or loss from sales of "capital assets" was intentionally omitted from receipt and deduction statistics to improve comparability with earlier years. Therefore, the statistics in Table 11 will not agree with statistics in articles on partnerships that appear in prior issues of the Bulletin. See also footnote 8, below.
[7] Represents the more complete amounts reported in depreciation computation schedules, rather than the amounts reported as the depreciation deduction.
SOURCE: Statistics of Income--Partnership Returns, appropriate years, and Statistics of Income Bulletin, Summer or Fall issues (for most years). See also "General notations and statements," preceding the footnotes section.

## Table 12

[1] Excludes business income tax returns filed by tax-exempt organizations. See Table 16.
[2] Size classes for corporations are based on "business receipts," i.e., gross amounts from sales and operations, for industries (a) except those in the "finance, insurance, and real estate" industrial division, using the former Standard Industrial Classification or SIC system for years preceding 1998, (b) then, starting with 1998, except those in the "finance and insurance" industrial sector and those in the "management of companies (holding companies)" sector (which includes bank holding companies, as well as other holding companies), using the North American Industrial Classification System or NAICS. For the groupings comprising these two exceptions, "total receipts," which are the sum of business receipts and investment income, were used instead of "business receipts" as the basis for the size classification. Because of the differing treatment of holding companies (other than bank holding companies) and of real estate and rental and leasing, the statistics, starting with 1998, are not completely comparable with those for earlier years.
[3] Includes returns with no "business receipts" (or no "total receipts" in the case of certain corporations as described in footnote 2).
[4] Beginning Tax Year 2001, size of assets of under $\$ 500,000$ and $\$ 500,000$ under $\$ 1,000,000$ replaced size of assets of under $\$ 100,000$ and $\$ 100,000$ under $\$ 1,000,000$, of earlier years. Also, size of assets of $\$ 250,000,000$ under $\$ 500,000,000 ; \$ 500,000,000$ under $\$ 2,500,000,000$; and $\$ 2,500,000,000$ or more are shown beginning with Tax Year 2001.
[5] Includes corporations and partnerships with "zero assets and liabilities." For corporations, returns with zero assets represent final returns of liquidating or dissolving corporations which had disposed of all assets; final returns of merging corporations whose assets were included in the returns of the acquiring corporations; part-year returns of corporations changing accounting periods (except for certain newly-incorporated businesses); and returns of foreign corporations with income "effectively connected" with a U.S. business (except foreign insurance companies providing separate balance sheets for U.S. branches). For partnerships, returns with zero assets include businesses not required to file balance sheets, as well as businesses that failed to provide balance sheets on their returns as originally filed. See also Table 11, footnote 1.
[6] Size classes for partnerships are affected by changes in the definition of receipts. (See Table 11, footnote 6.) Only partnership net rental income is reflected in the size distribution.
[7] Sole proprietors are not required to provide balance sheet information.
NOTE: Statistics for corporations are for accounting periods ended July of one year through June of the next. Thus, for example, corporation data for 2003 are for accounting periods ended July 2003 through June 2004. Statistics for nonfarm sole proprietorships and partnerships are, in general, for the calendar year.
SOURCE: Statistics of Income--Corporation Income Tax Returns; Statistics of Income--Partnership Returns, Sole Proprietorship Returns, and Business Income Tax Returns, depending on the year; and Statistics of Income Bulletin, Summer or Fall issues (for most years). See also "General notations and statements," preceding the footnotes section.

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## Table 13

[1] Excludes inactive corporation returns. Excludes taxable farmers' cooperatives; Real Estate Mortgage Investment Conduits (REMIC's); Foreign Sales Corporations (FSC's) and InterestCharge Domestic International Sales Corporations (IC-DISC's).

Starting with 1997, corporations that otherwise qualified as S corporations, but that had subsidiaries, could qualify, provided the subsidiaries also qualified as S corporations. These subsidiaries, which previously filed separate returns, are included in the income tax returns of the parent $S$ corporations.
Because of the definition of S corporation net income, totals for receipts and deductions are slightly understated to the extent that they were not directly related to the "income from a trade or business" reported by these companies. Comparability of data for "returns with net income" is also affected by a change in the Statistics of Income definition of Regulated Investment Company net income for certain years. For additional information about these changes and the estimated effect they have on the net income statistics, see footnote 16 , below.
[2] Consolidated returns were filed on an elective basis for groups of affiliated corporations (with exceptions), in general, if 80 percent or more of the stock of the affiliates was owned within the group, and a common parent corporation owned at least 80 percent of the stock of at least one of the affiliates. Consolidated returns exclude S corporations (defined in footnote 4), although, starting with 1997, S corporation returns could include subsidiaries that were also S corporations. Returns filed by parent $S$ corporations which include qualifying subsidiaries are included in the S corporation frequencies shown below in Table 13. Consolidated returns also exclude all real estate investment trusts (REIT's).
[3] Included in "number of returns, total" and "number with net income."
[4] In general, certain small qualifying corporations that elected to be taxed at the shareholder level.

These corporations could have no more than 75 shareholders (mostly individuals), starting with Income Year 1997; no more than 35 for Income Years 1983-1996. Starting with 1997, S corporation returns could include subsidiaries if the subsidiaries also qualified as $S$ corporations, with income and financial data for both parent and subsidiaries combined on the return of the parent corporation.
[5] Balance sheet data are end-of-year amounts.
[6] Inventories include amounts reported by real estate subdividers and developers.
[7] Tax-exempt securities include not only investments in State and local government obligations, but also stock in investment companies that distributed dividends during the current year representing tax-exempt interest on such obligations.
[8] After 1990, accounts payable of banking and savings and loan institutions could include deposits and withdrawable shares previously reported in "other current liabilities."
[9] Starting with 1998, amounts for "adjustments to shareholders' equity" are reported separately on the tax return. Previously, these amounts were part of "Retained Earnings Unappropriated."
[10] In general, Statistics of Income data for receipts, deductions, and net income (or deficit) of S corporations are limited to those attributable to a trade or business. Therefore, most investment income or loss, such as from taxable interest, dividends, rents, royalties, and gain (loss) from sales of investment property; the deductions related to this income; and deductions for charitable contributions, intangible drilling and development costs, oil and gas depletion, foreign taxes paid, and the limited expensing of the cost of depreciable assets (Code section 179) are not reflected in net income (because they were allocated directly to shareholders instead). See also footnote 4.

The statistics for the cost of goods sold exclude estimates of the cost of operations from expense data reported elsewhere on the tax return

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(often in "other deductions") by corporations reporting "business receipts" without a corresponding cost of goods sold. These corporations were assumed to have a cost of operations that was not reported as such. Most of the companies involved were classified either in the transportation and public utility or services industries.

For all years, identifiable amounts of depreciation, depletion, amortization, taxes paid, advertising, bad debts, compensation of officers, employee plan contributions, interest paid, and rent paid found in taxpayer schedules in support of the total cost of goods sold were transferred to their respective deduction headings for the statistics. This enabled more complete statistics for these expenditures to be produced.
[11] "Business receipts" include the gross proceeds (netting during statistical processing against the cost of these sales) reported by stock and commodity brokers and exchanges, and by real estate subdividers, developers, and operative builders, even when they bought and sold securities, commodities, and real estate on their own account.
[12] "Other interest" includes any dividends reported in combination with interest on the Form 1120S tax return by S corporations, i.e., certain corporations that elect to be taxed through shareholders (see footnote 4).
[13] Identifiable amounts reported on Form 1120-A are included in the statistics for the appropriate deduction. "Other deductions" include certain amounts previously treated as part of the combined "cost of goods sold" for Statistics of Income. See also footnote 10.
[14] In general, "total receipts less total deductions" include tax-exempt interest on State and local government obligations, but exclude income from related foreign corporations only "constructively" received. As such, "total receipts less total deductions" represent all income, taxable and nontaxable, "actually" received by the corporation, as reported on the corporation income tax return, and exclude all income only "constructively" or "deemed" received. In contrast, "net income (less deficit)" represents all taxable
income, actually or constructively received. Therefore, in the statistics, "total receipts less total deductions" minus "nontaxable interest on State and local government obligations" plus "constructive taxable income from related foreign corporations" equal "net income (less deficit)." For the exception, due to Regulated Investment Companies, see footnote 16 .
[15] Represents "income" that was only "constructively" or "deemed" received from foreign corporations and that was taxed to the U. S. corporation. (In general, such income was otherwise subject to U. S. income tax only when actually repatriated as dividends.) For the statistics, it is the sum of "includable income of Controlled Foreign Corporations" and the "foreign dividend gross-up," reported separately on the tax return. The "includable income" was comprised of specific types of undistributed income earned by a Controlled Foreign Corporation that were taxed under certain conditions to the U. S. shareholder corporations unless an actual "minimum distribution" was made. The foreign dividend gross-up represents a share of the foreign taxes paid on the profits of certain foreign subsidiaries out of which they paid dividends to their U. S. parent corporations and for which the parent corporation then claimed a foreign tax credit.
[16] "Net income (less deficit)," "net income," and "deficit" exclude: (a) net long-term capital gain reduced by net short-term capital loss reported by Regulated Investment Companies (see footnote 14), and (b) amounts other than from a trade or business, i.e., portfolio and rental income, reported by S corporations (see footnote 4). With respect to Regulated Investment Companies, the amounts excluded from final statistics were: $\$ 57.2$ billion for 1995; $\$ 192.6$ billion for 1998; $\$ 252.3$ billion for 1999; $\$ 296.6$ billion for 2000; $\$ 41.1$ billion for 2001, $\$ 12.9$ billion for 2002; and $\$ 20.2$ billion for 2003. Estimates of the S corporation net income (less deficit) excluded from the final statistics in Tables 13-14 is as follows: $\$ 22.2$ billion for 1995; $\$ 56.9$ billion for 1998; $\$ 56.4$ billion for

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1999; $\$ 59.4$ billion for 2000; $\$ 45.1$ billion for 2001; $\$ 32.9$ billion for 2002; and $\$ 42.1$ billion for 2003. For additional information about S corporation net income, see the various articles on S corporations in the Bulletin, starting with 1995.
[17] For most years, "income subject to tax" (the corporate tax base) exceeds "net income (less deficit)" in the statistics, chiefly because of the deficits reported on returns without net income. Moreover, it is the sum of the several tax bases applicable over time to different classes of corporations, not all of which were directly related to net income. Income subject to tax thus includes the "taxable income" base used by most companies (and defined for the statistics as net income minus certain statutory special nonbusiness deductions, such as for intercorporate dividends received and "net operating losses" carried forward from prior years). Profits of S corporations were mostly taxed through shareholders (who had to be individuals, estates, or trusts).
[18] Includes Personal Holding Company tax; tax on "branch profits" of foreign corporations with U.S. operations; and certain lesser taxes, including special taxes applicable to Real Estate Investment Trusts (REIT's) and foreign corporations with U.S.-source income. Total income tax includes an environmental excise tax reported on the corporation income tax return and collected as part of the corporation income tax. This tax was repealed, effective during 1996.
"Total income tax" more closely represents worldwide income tax liability because it is before subtraction of the foreign tax credit, the largest of the tax credits. To the extent that foreign tax credits adequately reflect the total foreign income tax burden, total income tax includes these taxes. See also footnotes 20, and 23.
[19] Under AMT, corporations are required to compute their regular tax liability and their "tentative minimum tax" liability. The difference between the "tentative minimum tax" and the regular tax is the legally defined alternative minimum tax. The

AMT was designed to ensure that, at least, a minimum amount of income tax was paid in spite of the legitimate use of exclusions, deductions, and credits. For tax years beginning after 1997, new corporations and certain small corporations were not subject to the AMT.
[20] Tax credits are applied against "regular tax" only. See also footnote 21.
[21] In publications prior to Fall, 2003, data in this table for foreign tax credit for 1995 and 1998, and for U.S. possessions credit for 1995, were revised, based on results of special studies. Subsequently, the data have been restored to their original values to be consistent with published corporate data and to be comparable with data for 1999-2003.
[22] The general business credit includes the following components and their years of implementation, almost all of which were subject to a combined overall limitation, therefore the amounts shown in the table for these credits are tentative: the alcohol fuel credit, the investment credit, the work opportunity credit, (formerly the "jobs credit"), the welfare to work credit, the orphan drug credit (1996), increased research expenditures credit, low-income housing credit, "disabled access" credit (1990), enhanced oil recovery credit (1991), renewable electricity production credit (1992), Indian employment credit (1993), employer social security and Medicare taxes paid on certain employee tips credit (1993), contributions to selected community development corporations credit (1993), the trans-Alaska pipeline liability fund credit, and general credits from an electing large partnership (Schedule K-1 (Form 1065-B)), small employer pension plan startup costs credit (2002), employer-provided child care facilities and services credit (2002), and new markets credit (2002).

The empowerment zone and renewal community employment credit (1994), and New York Liberty Zone business employee credit (not shown separately, 2001), while components of the general business credit, have separate tax liability limits and are not subject to the combined limitation.

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For other changes in the definition of components of the general business credit, see Statistics of Income-Corporation Income Tax Returns, for the years concerned.
[23] "Total income tax after credits" is before any examination or enforcement activities by the Internal Revenue Service. It is the amount payable to the U.S. Government as reported on the income tax return. Because it is after subtraction of foreign tax credit, this total does not include income taxes paid to foreign governments. In publications prior to Fall, 2003, amounts shown for 1995 and 1998 had been revised because of revisions to the foreign tax credit (for each of these years) and to the U.S. possessions credit (for 1995) based on special studies. Subsquently, the data have been restored to their original values to be consistent with published corporate data and to be comparable with data for 1999-2003.

NOTE: Statistics are for corporate accounting periods ended July of one year through June of the next. Thus, for example, data for 2003 are for accounting periods ended July 2003 through June 2004.

SOURCE: Statistics of Income--Corporation Income Tax Returns. Additional data on the foreign tax credit and U.S. Possessions Credit from special indepth studies are included in various issues of the Statistics of Income Bulletin. See also "General notations and statements," preceding the footnotes section.

## Tables 14a and 14b

[1] Industrial classification is based on the product or service accounting for the largest percentage of "total receipts." (Total receipts are the sum of business or gross receipts, plus capital gains and income from investments, including rentals.) Starting with 1998, this classification is based on the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS), which replaced the Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) system. The SIC, in its various versions, was used to classify statistics for the years before 1998. Both systems were intended for Government-wide use in classifying business statistics. (For information about NAICS and its usage in Canadian, Mexican, and U.S. Government statistics, see the Statistics
of Income Bulletin, Summer 1997, Volume 17, Number 1, pp. 3-5.) Because there are substantial differences between NAICS and its predecessor SIC system, data by "industrial sector" for years beginning with 1998 (Table 14b) are shown apart from data for earlier years by "industrial division" (Table 14a). As an example of differences between the two systems, using NAICS, Statistics of Income classifies banks that were bank holding companies in the new "management of companies (holding companies)" sector, instead of in the "finance and insurance" sector. Using the SIC, bank holding companies had previously been classified in the "finance, insurance, and real estate" industrial division. For additional information about breaks in comparability caused by the changeover to NAICS, see Statistics of Income--1998, Corporation Income Tax Returns.

If information for the business activity and product was not discernible from the corporation income tax return, the return was classified as with nature of business "not allocable." Data for nature of business "not allocable" are included in the totals for "all industrial divisions" (Table 14a) and "all industrial sectors" (Table 14b), but are not shown separately. Therefore, in addition to rounding differences, the statistics by industrial division or sector will not add to their respective grand totals.
[2] See Table 13, footnote 1.
[3] Balance sheet data are end-of-year amounts. Net worth is the sum of "capital stock," "additional paid-in capital," "retained earnings, appropriated," "retained earnings, unappropriated," and "adjustments to shareholders' equity" minus "cost of treasury stock." (Prior to 1997, data for "retained earnings, unappropriated" included "adjustments to shareholders' equity," not reported separately on the tax return.) Each of these amounts is presented separately in Table 13.
[4] See Table 13, footnotes 10 and 14.
[5] See Table 13, footnote 11.
[6] Interest received is the sum of "interest on State and local government obligations" (i.e., taxexempt interest) and "other interest" (which includes interest paid by banking and savings institutions). Data for both of these amounts are

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presented separately in Table 13. See also Table 13 , footnote 12 .
[7] In addition to regular tax, includes certain other taxes either shown separately in Table 13 or mentioned in Table 13, footnote 18.
[8] Beginning with tax year 1987, "Alternative tax" was repealed.

NOTE: Statistics are for corporate accounting periods ended July of one year through June of the next. Thus, for example, data for 2003 are for accounting periods ended July 2003 through June 2004.

SOURCE: Statistics of Income--Corporation Income Tax Returns. Additional data on the foreign tax credit and U.S. Possessions Credit from special indepth studies are included in various issues of the Statistics of Income Bulletin. See also "General notations and statements," preceding the footnotes section.

## Table 15

[1] In general, includes profits of U.S. corporations filing income tax returns as recorded in Statistics of Income, but with exceptions and adjustments (see below). Also includes profits of nonprofit institutions that primarily serve business and income of Federal Reserve Banks and Federallysponsored credit agencies. However, profits of S corporations, only partially included in Statistics of Income data for recent years, are excluded from profits in the National Income and Product Accounts (NIPA) and are treated, instead, as "personal income" (see Table 4). For other corporations excluded in NIPA profits, see footnote 2, below, and footnote 1, Table 13.

Compared to Statistics of Income net income, profits for NIPA purposes are defined to include tax-exempt interest on State and local government obligations, but to exclude capital gains and losses, intercorporate dividends received, depletion, and bad debt losses. Consistent with Statistics of Income, NIPA profits reflect the inventory and depreciation accounting practices used for tax purposes. NIPA profits include income earned abroad by U.S. corporations, but exclude profits earned in the United States by foreign corporations.
[2] Reflects changes made to data as part of the 2003 Comprehensive Revision of the National Income and Product Accounts (NIPAs). For details of this revision, see the Bureau of Economic Analysis Web site at http://www.bea.gov/bea/dn/ 2003benchmark/CR2003content.htm.
[3] For Statistics of Income, "net income (less deficit)" and "income subject to tax" exclude taxable cooperatives, starting with the 1985 data; Real Estate Mortgage Investment Conduits (REMIC's), starting with 1987; and Personal Service Corporations for 1988-1993. Net income (less deficit), starting with 1985, excludes Foreign Sales Corporations (FSC's) and Interest-Charge Domestic International Sales Corporations (ICDISC's). See also Table 13, footnote 1. For changes in the definition of Regulated Investment Company and S corporation net income, see Table 13, footnote 18. For the coverage of corporations and the definition of corporate profits used for the National Income and Product Accounts, see footnote 1, above.
[4] For the definition of "income subject to tax," see Table 13, footnote 17. See also footnote 3, above.

SOURCE: Data on corporate "Profits before tax (per NIPA)" are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis' National Income and Product Accounts, Table 1.12: National Income by Type of Income. This table appears in the Survey of Current Business and can also be accessed online at: http://www.bea.gov/bea/dn/ nipaweb/index.asp. Data on "Net income (less deficit) (per SOI)" and "Income subject to tax (per SOI)" are from Statistics of Income--Corporation Income Tax Returns, various years.

## Table 16

[1] Includes data reported by organizations described in Internal Revenue Code section 501(c)(3), excluding private foundations and most religious organizations. Organizations with receipts under $\$ 25,000$ were not required to file.
[2] Balance sheet data are end-of-year amounts.
[3] Represents fees collected by organizations in support of their tax-exempt purposes, and income

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such as from tuition and fees at educational institutions; hospital patient charges; and admission and activity fees collected by museums and other nonprofit organizations or institutions.
[4] The amount of contributions, gifts, and grants shown reflects the amount actually disbursed, on a cash basis, for charitable purposes.
[5] Represents income not considered related to a foundation's charitable purpose, e.g., interest, dividends, and capital gains. Foundations could be subject to an excise tax on such income.
[6] Includes returns filed by or for entities described in Internal Revenue Code sections 401(a) (qualified pension, profit-sharing, or stock bonus plans), 408(e) (Individual Retirement Accounts, or IRA's), 408A (Roth IRA's), and 501(c)(2) through (27) (charitable and most other types of tax-exempt organizations).
[7] The primary reason for the drop in gross unrelated business income (UBI) and total deductions between Tax Years 1997 and 1998 is the exclusion from the 1998 statistics of one association, which reported relatively large amounts of gross UBI and deductions for 1997 and prior years. The tax-exempt status of this association was terminated, effective 1998. For additional information, see Riley, Margaret, "Unrelated Business Income Tax Returns, 1998," Statistics of Income Bulletin, Spring 2002, Volume 21, Number 4.
[8] Aggregate amounts of total deductions, unrelated business taxable income (less deficit), and deficit previously published in various issues of the SOI Bulletin have been adjusted in Table 16 for Years prior to 1999. The revisions were required to take into account certain adjustments made to reported amounts of the "net operating loss deduction." During processing of the SOI sample of Tax Year 1999 returns, it was discovered that many Form 990-T filers were deducting the entire amount of any previous years' net operating loss carryover from net income (even when net income was zero or negative), rather than deducting only the part of the carryover amount needed to offset any positive net income amount. Entering the entire amount of the net operating loss carryover, as opposed to entering only the
appropriate deduction amount, did not affect a filer's unrelated business income tax liability, but it did inflate the amount of deficit reported.
[9] Excludes cost of sales and services, which was subtracted from gross receipts from sales and services in computing gross profit from sales and services. Gross profit from sales and services is a component of "gross unrelated business income" (on which the filing requirement is based).
[10] Total tax was unrelated business income tax less the foreign tax credit, general business credit, credit for prior-year minimum tax, and other allowable credits, plus the "proxy tax" on certain lobbying expenditures, the "alternative minimum tax," and the environmental tax (applicable only to tax years prior to 1996). Beginning with Tax Year 2001, total tax can include interest due, computed under the look-back method for certain depreciated property and completed longterm contracts, and "other" taxes, as described by the return filer.
SOURCE: Statistics of Income Bulletin, various issues. See also "General notations and statements," preceding the footnotes section.

## Table 17

[1] Starting with 1965, number of returns, total gross estate at date of death, and estate tax after credits are estimates based on samples. Beginning with 1982, numbers in columns 2-5 have been revised to reflect returns filed more than 3 calendar years after a decedent's death.
[2] Prior to 1982, year of death figures were approximated, using data from returns filed in a single calendar year. While many of the returns filed in a given calendar year represent returns of decedents who died in the immediately preceding year, others represent returns of decedents who died in earlier years. Starting with 1982, the statistics are by year of death, using the year of death reported on the estate tax returns filed during periods of at least 3 successive years.
[3] Total adult deaths represent those of individuals age 20 and over, plus deaths for which age was unavailable.

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[4] Prior to 1964 , a return was taxable if it showed an estate tax before credits. Starting with 1964, the classification was based on estate tax after credits.
[5] Year-to-year comparability of the data is affected by changes in the gross estate filing threshold which is based on year of death: $1934(\$ 50,000)$; 1935 (\$50,000 changing to $\$ 40,000$ ); 1936-1941 ( $\$ 40,000$ ); 1942 ( $\$ 40,000$ changing to $\$ 60,000$ ); 1943-1976 (\$60,000); 1977 (\$120,000); 1978 (\$134,000); 1979 (\$147,000); 1980 (\$161,000); 1981 (\$175,000); 1982 (\$225,000); 1983 (\$275,000); 1984 (\$325,000); 1985 (\$400,000); 1986 (\$500,000); 1987-1997 (\$600,000); 1998 (\$625,000); 1999 (\$650,000); 2000-2001 (\$675,000); 2002-2003 (\$1,000,000); 2004-2005 (\$1,500,000); 2006-2008 (\$2,000,000); 2009 ( $\$ 3,500,000$ ); and 2010 (no estate tax).

NOTE: The title of this table has been changed from "Estate Tax Returns as a Percentage of Adult Deaths," in previous published versions, to "Taxable Estate Tax Returns as a Percentage of Adult Deaths." However, the data contained in the table have not changed.

SOURCE: Data are shown only for years for which Statistics of Income data are available. For years after 1953, Statistics of Income--Estate Tax Returns; Estate and Gift Tax Returns; or Fiduciary, Estate, and Gift Tax Returns, depending on the year, and Statistics of Income Bulletin, various issues; also unpublished tabulations for certain years. For years prior to 1954, Statistics of Income--Part I. Adult deaths are from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Health Statistics, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Vital Statistics of the United States, Report Number 11, Supplement 2, Table 2, annual and National Vital Statistics Report, Volume 50, Number 15, September 2002, Table 3, Volume 52, Number 3, September 2003, Table 3, and Volume 53, Number 5, October 2004. See also "General notations and statements," preceding the footnotes section.

## Table 18

[1] Includes not only taxes collected by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) but, starting in Fiscal Year 1988 and the second quarter of Fiscal Year 1991,
excise taxes collected by the Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau (TTB) (formerly the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms [ATF]) and the Customs Service, respectively. These excise taxes were formerly administered by IRS. See footnote 4, below, for an explanation of the revisions to the excise tax data, starting with the Summer 1997 issue of the Bulletin.
[2] Includes income taxes of estates and trusts which are taxed at the individual income tax rates, but excludes various taxes paid by certain other taxexempt organizations. These latter organizations are also taxed at individual income tax rates, but, for classification purposes, are included in the corporation income tax collection statistics because the majority of these organizations are subject to the corporation income tax.

Individual income tax collections include that portion of the individual income tax transferred to the Presidential Election Campaign Fund based on elections made by taxpayers on their income tax returns. Presidential election campaign designations and associated amounts are shown in Table 1 for recent calendar-year tax years; designation amounts in recent fiscal years, without regard to tax year, are as follows:

| Fiscal year | Millions of dollars |
| :---: | :---: |
| 2005 | $\$ 53.3$ |
| 2004 | 55.9 |
| 2003 | 55.2 |
| 2002 | 67.0 |
| 2001 | 58.1 |
| 2000 | 60.7 |
| 1999 | 61.0 |
| 1998 | 63.3 |
| 1997 | 66.9 |
| 1996 | 66.3 |
| 1995 | 68.5 |
| 1994 | 69.7 |
| 1993 | 27.7 |
| 1992 | 29.6 |
| 1991 | 32.3 |
| 1990 | 32.5 |
| 1989 | 32.3 |
| 1988 | 33.2 |
| 1987 | 33.2 |

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Collections of income tax of estates and trusts in fiscal years, without regard to tax year, are as follows:

| Fiscal year | Billions of dollars |
| :---: | :---: |
| 2005 | $\$ 13.9$ |
| 2004 | 10.7 |
| 2003 | 8.4 |
| 2002 | 10.8 |
| 2001 | 17.5 |
| 2000 | 16.7 |
| 1999 | 14.3 |
| 1998 | 14.2 |
| 1997 | 11.2 |
| 1996 | 8.0 |
| 1995 | 5.3 |
| 1994 | 6.2 |
| 1993 | 6.0 |
| 1992 | 6.1 |
| 1991 | 4.8 |
| 1990 | 5.9 |
| 1989 | 6.0 |
| 1988 | 6.5 |
| 1987 | 8.4 |

[3] Includes various taxes applicable to tax-exempt organizations, including the tax on "unrelated business income." Such taxes also include the taxes paid by certain tax-exempt trusts at individual income tax rates; however, these taxes were combined with the corporation income tax collections when tabulated. Total taxes collected in recent fiscal years, without regard to tax year, from organizations otherwise tax-exempt are as follows:
$\left.\begin{array}{ccr}\text { Fiscal year } & \text { Total } & \begin{array}{c}\text { Unrelated } \\ \text { business }\end{array} \\ \text { income tax }\end{array}\right\}$

| 1996 | 699.9 | 501.9 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1995 | 484.9 | 294.3 |
| 1994 | 571.5 | 372.4 |
| 1993 | 342.7 | 173.6 |
| 1992 | 379.5 | 181.6 |
| 1991 | 288.2 | 155.6 |
| 1990 | 304.0 | 127.9 |
| 1989 | 271.4 | 115.6 |
| 1988 | 284.0 | 137.5 |
| 1987 | 244.3 | 119.9 |

[4] Data shown for the Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau (TTB) (formerly the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms [ATF]) also include data for the Customs Service. To preserve the historical time series interrupted by transferring collection of the manufacturers' excise taxes paid on alcohol and tobacco and of the manufacturers' excise taxes on recreational products for the taxes paid on firearms from IRS to TTB, starting in July 1987 and January 1991, respectively, the combined excise taxes for these two Treasury agencies are shown in Table 18 alongside the IRS excise tax collections, for fiscal years beginning with 1988. They have also been added to the total tax collections reported by IRS to show a grand total of all Treasury Department tax collections (with the exception of a cargo excise tax collected by the Customs Service).

Although responsibility for the administration of alcohol and tobacco excise taxes was transferred to the Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau (TTB) and the Customs Service, effective July 1, 1987, i.e., with the beginning of the fourth quarter of Fiscal Year 1987, the taxes collected were treated as Internal Revenue Service tax collections (column 4) through September 30, 1987, i.e., through the end of the fourth quarter of Fiscal Year 1987, rather than as TTB/Customs collections (column 5), as a transitional measure.
[5] Employment taxes include:
(a) Old-Age, Survivors, Disability, and Hospital Insurance (OASDHI) taxes, i.e., Social Security taxes, levied on salaries and wages (under the Federal Insurance Contributions

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Act, FICA). Amounts collected in recent fiscal years are as follows:

Fiscal year

| 2005 | $\$ 716.9$ |
| :--- | ---: |
| 2004 | 664.9 |
| 2003 | 647.9 |
| 2002 | 639.7 |
| 2001 | 634.2 |
| 2000 | 593.3 |
| 1999 | 555.3 |
| 1998 | 513.9 |
| 1997 | 484.0 |
| 1996 | 455.2 |
| 1995 | 394.4 |
| 1994 | 409.6 |
| 1993 | 381.1 |
| 1992 | 365.2 |
| 1991 | 349.3 |
| 1990 | 336.3 |
| 1989 | 317.8 |
| 1988 | 289.9 |
| 1987 | 252.6 |

(b) Social Security taxes levied on "self-employment income" (under the Self-Employment Insurance Contributions Act, SECA). Amounts collected in recent fiscal years are as follows:

Fiscal year
2005
2004
2003
2002
2001
2000
1999
1998
1997
1996
1995
1994
1993
1992
1991
1990
1989

Billions of dollars
$\$ 43.1$
41.2
37.1
37.1
36.3
34.6
32.2
32.6
34.0
26.9
60.9
24.4
20.6
24.4
25.5
21.3
19.0

| 1988 | 17.7 |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1987 | 14.0 |

(c) unemployment insurance taxes (under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act, FUTA).
Amounts collected in recent fiscal years are as follows:

| Fiscal year | Billions of dollars |
| :---: | :---: |
| 2005 | $\$ 6.9$ |
| 2004 | 6.7 |
| 2003 | 6.6 |
| 2002 | 6.7 |
| 2001 | 7.1 |
| 2000 | 7.0 |
| 1999 | 6.7 |
| 1998 | 6.5 |
| 1997 | 6.2 |
| 1996 | 6.0 |
| 1995 | 5.8 |
| 1994 | 5.6 |
| 1993 | 5.6 |
| 1992 | 5.8 |
| 1991 | 5.5 |
| 1990 | 5.5 |
| 1989 | 4.7 |
| 1988 | 6.2 |
| 1987 | 6.2 |

(d) Railroad Retirement (carriers) tax. Amounts collected in recent fiscal years are as follows:

Fiscal year
Billions of dollars

| 2005 | $\$ 4.5$ |
| :--- | ---: |
| 2004 | 4.4 |
| 2003 | 4.4 |
| 2002 | 4.6 |
| 2001 | 4.7 |
| 2000 | 4.8 |
| 1999 | 4.5 |
| 1998 | 4.8 |
| 1997 | 4.4 |
| 1996 | 4.3 |
| 1995 | 4.3 |
| 1994 | 4.2 |
| 1993 | 4.3 |
| 1992 | 4.4 |
| 1991 | 4.2 |
| 1990 | 4.2 |

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| 1989 | 4.1 |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1988 | 4.3 |
| 1987 | 4.2 |

NOTES: In general, collections represent the gross amounts before refunds and include (a) amounts paid with the tax return, (b) amounts paid prior to filing the return, as applicable (income tax withheld by employers and "estimated tax" payments), and (c) amounts paid subsequent to filing the return (chiefly the result of initial IRS administrative return processing or later examination and enforcement activities). Collections also include interest and penalties, but do not reflect any revisions to the IRS data for specific fiscal years made after the close of the fiscal year. Instead, revisions are reflected in the data for the later fiscal year in which the revision was made. However, revisions to the Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau (TTB) (formerly the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms [ATF]) and Customs Services excise tax collections are treated differently. See the "Notes" to Table 21.

Collection statistics reported by the Internal Revenue Service are not altogether comparable to those published by the Financial Management Service, also in the Treasury Department, because of timing differences resulting from the definitions each agency uses. The Internal Revenue Service counts the monies as they are received (to reflect the status of its tax collection operation); the Financial Management Service counts these amounts as received, but only after discrepancies (such as between what the employer reports as tax withheld and the amount actually withheld) are resolved. Also, the Financial Management Service classifies the tax collected according to the Federal Budget account to which the tax receipts are assigned.

For purposes of Table 18 (and to facilitate comparisons with Table 21), the grand totals of all excise taxes were obtained by accumulating data from the Treasury Monthly Statement. See also the citation under "Source," below. Totals for excise taxes collected by IRS were then subtracted from these grand totals to derive the combined totals shown as having been collected by the TTB and the Customs Service. This subtraction is not precise because of definitional differences between the two agencies.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of the Treasury, Internal Revenue Service, Internal Revenue Service Data Book and Chief Financial Officer, Office of Finance, Revenue Accounting Division, Office of Revenue Systems; and Financial Management Service, Monthly Statement on Receipts and Outlays of the United States Government, monthly.

## Table 19

[1] Even though the Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau (TTB) (formerly the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms [ATF]) and the Customs Service have had responsibility for collecting and refunding excise taxes on alcohol and tobacco since July 1987 and of excise taxes on firearms since January 1991, the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) continues to be responsible for the recording of refunds of these taxes. Consequently, IRS statistics for excise tax refunds include refunds made by TTB and the Customs Service in years subsequent to the dates on which organizational responsibility was transferred. In contrast, TTB and Customs Service excise tax collections are recorded by these two Treasury agencies and are, therefore, shown separately in Table 18 under the heading, Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau. See also footnote 4.
[2] Includes special statutory refunds, e.g., in 2001, and refunds of taxes paid on the "unrelated business income" of certain tax-exempt trusts. Also, to preserve the year-to-year comparability of the historical series, individual income tax refund data have been revised, as necessary, starting with 1996, to include net refunds due to the "earned income credit" in addition to overpayment and other refunds. This credit is already reflected in the refund statistics for previous years. Therefore, refund data may not always agree with those presented in the annual Internal Revenue Service Data Book, for certain years starting with 1996, although, conceptually, they agree with refund data published in the Treasury Department's Monthly Statement of Receipts and Outlays of the United States Government. See

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also the citation under "Source," below.
Individual income tax refunds are net of offsets under laws that require the Department of the Treasury to act as collecting agent for delinquent payments owed various U.S. Government agencies under specific programs. See Table 20 (which, however, is by calendar year rather than by fiscal year).
[3] Includes refunds of taxes on the "unrelated business income" of tax-exempt organizations, except for certain trusts.
[4] See footnote 1. Also, as further explained in the "Notes" to Table 21, taxpayers can offset certain refundable excise tax payments against the tax of subsequent time periods and claim certain other refunds as a credit against income tax; however, these amounts are not reflected in the excise tax refund statistics.
[5] The kinds of employment taxes subject to refund are listed in Table 18, footnote 5.

NOTE: Refund data include interest paid on the refunds by IRS or the Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau (TTB) (formerly the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms [ATF]) as shown below. See also the "Notes" to Table 18.

Fiscal year Total Individuals Corporations (Billions of dollars)

| 2005 | $\$ 6.1$ | $\$ .5$ | $\$ 5.5$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2004 | 5.1 | .4 | 4.6 |
| 2003 | 3.3 | .5 | 2.6 |
| 2002 | 4.2 | .6 | 3.4 |
| 2001 | 2.7 | .5 | 2.0 |
| 2000 | 2.6 | .6 | 2.0 |
| 1999 | 2.7 | .4 | 2.2 |
| 1998 | 2.6 | .3 | 2.1 |
| 1997 | 2.4 | .4 | 1.8 |
| 1996 | 2.2 | .3 | 1.6 |
| 1995 | 2.7 | .4 | 1.7 |
| 1994 | 3.1 | .3 | 2.3 |
| 1993 | 2.1 | .4 | 1.6 |
| 1992 | 3.2 | .4 | 2.1 |
| 1991 | 2.8 | .5 | 2.0 |
| 1990 | 2.4 | .5 | 1.4 |
| 1989 | 1.8 | .5 | n.a. |
| 1988 | 1.7 | .4 | n.a. |

1987
2.0
. 4
n.a.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of the Treasury, Internal Revenue Service, Internal Revenue Service Data Book and Chief Financial Officer, Office of Finance, Revenue Accounting Division, Office of Revenue Systems.

## Table 20

[1] Represents repayments to specific Federal agencies (or State treasuries) for debts, such as student loans, mortgage and loan foreclosures, dishonored checks, and overpayments of benefits. There was no refund offset program prior to Fiscal Year 1982. Data are shown by year in which the offset was made, regardless of tax year.

Starting January 1999, the IRS tax refund offset program was merged into the Treasurywide offset program. This combined U.S. Government debt collection program is administered by the Financial Management Service (FMS), Department of the Treasury. (The sharp increase in tax refund offsets, starting with 1999--to $\$ 2.6$ billion in 1999--was attributed by FMS to (1) system enhancements which include offset matching on the Social Security numbers of both husbands and wives as reported on joint individual income tax returns, (2) increased debt referrals for child support and Federal non-tax debt, (3) system flexibility allowing creditor agencies to add and update debt records on a continuous basis, and (4) increases in the average number and amount of tax refund payments due in part to new tax credits. For additional information, see U.S. Department of the Treasury, Financial Management Service, Annual Report to the Congress: U.S. Government Debt Collection Activities of Federal Agencies, Fiscal Year 1999.)
[2] After 1990, number of offsets includes adjustments for injured spouse claims filed with the original tax return. See also footnote 1.
[3] For all years, data exclude fees charged by the Internal Revenue Service or the Financial Management Service. For years preceding 1999, data by program or Federal agency represent the net amounts offset against refunds, after injured spouse claims and other types of reversals. Starting with 1999, the totals by program or Federal agency are the gross amounts before

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injured spouse claims and other types of reversals, with the reversals shown separately as summarized totals. However, the grand totals for 1999 are comparable to those shown for earlier years.
[4] From 1992 through 1994, the Social Security Administration (SSA) participated in the refund offset program as part of the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), but, starting in 1995, SSA became an independent agency. Nevertheless, SSA refund offsets are shown separately for all these years, and are not included in the HHS totals for 1992-1994.
[5] Represents repayments to State treasuries for funds disbursed to families receiving State assistance and for funds distributed under the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) program, before 1997 known as the Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) program.
[6] Represents repayments to State treasuries for distribution to custodial parents (non-TANF). See also footnote 5, above.
[7] Before 1996, known as the Public Health Service.
[8] Includes affiliated exchange services.
SOURCE: U.S. Department of the Treasury. For years starting with 1999, Financial Management Service. For previous years, Internal Revenue Service.

## Table 21

[1] Tax "liability" statistics also include "collections" of the use tax on heavy highway vehicles and of the "crude oil windfall profit tax." See also the "Notes" below.
[2] Represents aggregates for two or more specific taxes for which amounts have either been combined or are not available separately.
[3] This tax is in addition to the regular tax on gasoline.
[4] Data for this and certain other taxes are combined and included in the totals for excise taxes "unclassified," shown below in Table 21. Data for the specific taxes were not separately tabulated.
[5] Based on information obtained from Forms 990PF as recorded by the Tax Exempt/Government

Entities Returns Inventory and Control System (RICS). Excludes data from nonexempt charitable trusts and foreign private foundations that file Form 990-PF.
[6] Based on information obtained from Forms 4720 as recorded by the Tax Exempt/Government Entities Returns Inventory and Control System (RICS). Includes data for initial taxes on selfdealing, required distributions, excess business holdings, jeopardizing investments, and taxable expenditures as reported on Forms 4720 filed by organizations, other than nonexempt charitable trusts, that were also required to file Form 990-PF.
[7] The flight segment charged for nonrural airports changed effective January 1, 2005. The domestic flight segment increased from $\$ 3.10$ to $\$ 3.20$ per person. The 7.5 -percent rate is still in effect. There is no flight segment tax on rural airports.
[8] The taxes on the use of international air facilities changed, effective January 1, 2005. The rate increased from $\$ 13.70$ to $\$ 14.10$ per person. For domestic flight segments beginning or ending in Alaska or Hawaii, the rate increased from $\$ 6.90$ to $\$ 7.00$.
[9] Includes excise taxes collected through the Federal Tax Deposit (FTD) system, which the Internal Revenue Service had not yet classified by type of excise tax. Classification is based on returns filed in the quarter following tax payment. Negative amounts for "unclassified" taxes result from subsequent classification of the previously unclassified taxes. See also the "Notes," below.
[10] Tax "liability" statistics shown for the Customs Service/Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau (TTB) (formerly the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms [ATF]) include tax "collections" on imported items for which the Customs Service is responsible. See also the "Notes," below.
[11] Taxes shown for the different types of domestic tobacco products are before post-filing tax adjustments. Therefore, the statistics by type of tax for domestic tobacco products will not add to the total tax on domestic tobacco products, which is after these adjustments. For additional information, see the "Notes," below, under "Statistics on Excise Taxes Administered by the

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Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau (TTB) and the Customs Service."

NOTES: Grand totals for taxes shown for the Internal Revenue Service (IRS), the Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau (TTB) (formerly the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms [ATF]), and the Customs Service represent tax "collections." (Fees for the Harbor Maintenance tax treated as excise taxes under the Internal Revenue Code are also collected by the Customs Service, but are excluded from Table 21 for consistency with the excise tax definitions and totals published in the Federal Budget.)

For the grand totals, collections rounded to millions of dollars are all that are available. In general, amounts shown are the gross amounts, i.e., before refunds. However, as explained below, refunds are sometimes claimed as a credit against the tax reported on the excise tax return of a subsequent quarter so that, to this extent, the data are after refunds.
"Floor stocks taxes" are shown separately in Table 21 because they are nonrecurring. They are generally imposed on holders of inventories on the date a new excise tax is imposed or a tax rate increased.
Total collections represent tax payments made during the indicated fiscal year (or quarter), either through:
(a) the semimonthly tax deposits required of most taxpayers with significant excise tax liabilities using Federal Tax Deposit (FTD) coupons, in the case of taxes collected by IRS, or Electronic Funds Transfers (EFT's), in the case of taxes collected by TTB/ Customs, or (b) payments attached to quarterly excise tax returns.

Statistics for both the total for taxes administered by the IRS and the taxes by type of tax represent tax "collections" (see below). Also, statistics on the types of tax take into account the normal lag that exists between the time most taxes are collected (through FTD's, the means by which most excise taxes are collected), and the recording of tax liabilities by type of tax as reported on excise tax returns and "certified" by IRS, as described below. For additional information, see the notes to Table 20, Statistics of Income Bulletin, Fall 1998, Volume 18, Number 2, and also, "Federal Excise Taxes, Fiscal Years 1994 and 1995," Fall 1996, Volume 16, Number 2.
a. Statistics on excise taxes administered by the Internal Revenue Service:

Corrections to the IRS data are reflected in the quarter(s) and year in which the corrections were made, rather than in the data for the quarter(s) and year in which the original tax liability arose (unlike the TTB /Customs data). The certified tax is net of refund credits reported on excise tax returns, not only for this reason, but for conformity with the Internal Revenue Code. As examples, tax can be offset for commodities exported that were previously taxed (exports are usually nontaxable), or for the sale of previouslytaxed gasoline to a State or local government (or, in the case of TTB taxes, for alcohol used for a nonbeverage purpose). Other taxpayers apply directly for refunds and, for some of the taxes, are allowed to claim refunds by means of a credit against income tax. Because such refundable amounts were not reported on the excise tax return, they are not reflected in the Table 21 totals. (Other corrections to the IRS data for certain specific taxes are assumed to be due to misclassification and have been adjusted for as additions (or subtractions) to "Unclassified IRS taxes.")
b. Statistics on excise taxes administered by the Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau (TTB) (formerly the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms [ATF]) and the Customs Service:

Excise taxes on alcoholic beverages and tobacco products are collected by both Customs Service (on imports) and TTB (on domestic production). Taxes on firearms and certain occupational taxes are also collected by TTB. So, TTB statistics represent tax "collections" on domestic alcohol and tobacco productions, as well as tax "collections" on firearms and certain occupations. By contrast, the tax statistics for the detailed types of taxes on domestic tobacco products are tax "liabilities".

The grand totals for TTB and Customs Service tax "collections," as presented in Table 21, are residual amounts. They were derived by subtracting total IRS tax collections, which are available before most refunds, from the grand

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total of all excise tax gross collections reported in the Monthly Treasury Statement, rounded to millions of dollars, as shown at the beginning of Table 21. This subtraction is not precise because of definitional differences between IRS and TTB or Customs Service.

In Table 21, TTB data have been rearranged so that tax liabilities are matched with tax collections in that same quarter. Previously, tax liabilities arising in a given quarter were not directly related to reported tax collections during that same quarter. Also, as previously noted, TTB amounts are often revised slightly as late returns are processed or post-filing adjustments are made to the tax. As a result, tax reported for prior periods is updated on a continuing basis, although the updated prior-year collections data are actually retabulated only for the one, most recent, prior year. Retabulated post-filing tax revisions for these earlier years are included for the first time in Table 21 of the Spring 2002 issue of the Bulletin and affect previously published data for fiscal years, beginning with 1996.
However, as stated in footnote 11, above, postfiling revisions to the data for the immediately preceding fiscal year are not available for the detailed types of taxes on domestic tobacco products. Therefore, because revisions are available and are reflected in the total presented as the sum of these taxes, adding up the (unrevised) detail by type of tax will not yield the (revised) total.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of the Treasury, Financial Management Service, Monthly Treasury Statement of Receipts and Outlays of the United States Government; Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau, Statistical Release: Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms Tax Collections, quarterly (this release also includes data for the Customs Service), and previously unpublished special tabulations; Internal Revenue Service, Internal Revenue Service Data Book, and its predecessor, Annual Report, Commissioner and Chief Counsel, Internal Revenue Service; also Chief Financial Officer, Office of Finance, Revenue Accounting Division, Office of Revenue Systems, Internal Revenue Report
of Excise Taxes. Also see Francis, Brian D., "Federal Excise Taxes, Including the Slow Death of Expired Taxes," Statistics of Income Bulletin, Summer 1999, Volume 19, Number 1. Also see Henry, Eric, "Excise Taxes and the Airport and Airway Trust Fund, 19702002" Statistics of Income Bulletin, Winter 2004, Volume 23, Number 3. For additional information about the process used to match quarterly excise tax "collections" with excise tax "liabilities" as reported on quarterly excise tax returns, see the "Notes" to Table 20 in the Fall 1998 (Volume 18, Number 2) issue of the Statistics of Income Bulletin.

## Table 22

[1] Form 1040 is the "long form," and Form 1040A, is one of the two "short forms." Starting with Calendar Year 1991, use of Form 1040A was expanded to reflect provisions designed to facilitate usage by elderly taxpayers. Prior to 1994, Form 1040EZ, the other "short form" (introduced in 1983), was for single taxpayers with no dependents; starting in 1994, certain married taxpayers with no dependents could also use this form. The types of income that could be reported on Form 1040EZ were also expanded, starting in 1996, to include unemployment compensation. Form 1040PC, introduced in 1992 and discontinued after 2000, was the equivalent of a "paper" Form 1040, 1040A, or 1040EZ return for which an IRS-approved computer software-generated compressed format was used. Schedule C is for reporting nonfarm sole proprietorship business profits, and Schedule F is for reporting farm sole proprietorship business profits.
Starting with Calendar Year 1986, the reported data for total Forms 1040, 1040A, 1040EZ, and 1040PC returns, as well as the totals for nonbusiness and business Form 1040 returns with Schedules C or F attached, are comprised of "paper" returns, plus "standard" electronicallyfiled ("e-file") returns. Standard e-file returns are filed by authorized third parties, such as paid preparers and, starting in 1994, approved "online" tax filing companies, as well. For 1992 through

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2005, the electronically-filed totals also include returns filed by touch-tone telephone ("TeleFile"). IRS discontinued Telefile after 2005.

The last category under individual income tax returns is comprised of Form 1040C (departing alien) for filing years preceding 1992; 1040NR (nonresident alien); 1040PR (self-employment tax, Puerto Rico); and 1040SS (self-employment tax, U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam, American Samoa, and the Northern Mariana Islands). Amended returns filed on Form 1040X are excluded.
[2] Form 1120 is the basic corporation income tax return. Form 1120A is the "short form" (introduced in Calendar Year 1985; filers formerly used Form 1120). Form 1120S is for S corporations (certain qualifying corporations electing to be taxed through shareholders). "Other" includes Forms 1120-F (most foreign companies with U.S. income); Forms 1120-L (domestic and foreign life insurance companies), which are combined with Form 1120 statistics for years before 1995; Forms 1120POL (certain political associations); Forms 1120-H (homeowners' associations); Forms 1120-FSC (Foreign Sales Corporations, or FSC's), starting in 1986; Forms 1120-REIT (Real Estate Investment Trusts) and 1120-RIC (Regulated Investment Companies), starting in 1988 (filers formerly used Form 1120); and Forms 1120-PC (Property and Casualty Insurance Companies), starting in 1987 (filers formerly used Forms 1120 or 1120 M , described below). "Other" also includes Form 1120DF (for nuclear decommissioning trust funds and related persons), starting in 1988; these funds were then included on Form 1120SF (for certain settlement funds), starting in 1994; and, for years before 1988, Form 1120M (now discontinued) for most mutual nonlife insurance companies that now file Form 1120 or 1120-PC (and are included in the statistics for Form 1120 in the years preceding 1988). After 1985, "other" excludes Form 1120-DISC for Domestic International Sales Corporations, which were discontinued and mostly replaced by FSC's (see above); and Form 1120 ICDISC for Interest-Charge Domestic International Sales Corporations (which was used by certain other DISC's after 1985). Amended returns filed on Form 1120X are excluded.
[3] Includes Form 1065B for certain large partnerships, starting in 1999.
[4] Form 1041 is the regular income tax return filed for estates and trusts. For 1988-1990, includes former Form 1041S (short form).
[5] Form 706 is the regular estate tax return; Form 706 NA is for U.S. estates of nonresident aliens; Forms $706 \mathrm{GS}(\mathrm{D})$ and $706 \mathrm{GS}(\mathrm{T})$ are for estate tax returns for which the generation-skipping transfer tax applies.
[6] Form 990 is for tax-exempt organizations, except private foundations (Form 990-PF). Form 990EZ is the short form. Form 990-T is the income tax return filed for businesses conducted by taxexempt organizations. Form 990-C is for farmers' co-operatives. Form 4720 is for computing the special excise taxes applicable to certain private foundations, and Form 5227 is for split-interest trusts treated as private foundations.
[7] Form 940 is the annual unemployment (FUTA) tax return filed by employers; Form 940PR is used by employers in Puerto Rico; and Form 940 EZ is a shorter version of Form 940. Form 940 EZ is only included in the Form 940 totals for 1990 and subsequent years. Form 941 is the employer's quarterly return for income tax withheld; Form 941PR is used by employers in Puerto Rico; and Form 941SS, by employers in the U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam, American Samoa, and the Northern Mariana Islands. Form 941M (monthly tax withholdings) is included with Form 941 in 1980. Form 943 is filed to report income tax withheld by employers for agricultural employees. Form 943PR is used by employers in Puerto Rico. "Other" includes Form 945 (annual tax withholding from non-payroll distributions), included in 1995 and subsequent years; Form 942 (quarterly return for household employees) and Form 942PR (quarterly return for household employees filed by Puerto Rico employers), both discontinued after 1995; Form CT-1 (annual Railroad Retirement and unemployment tax return).
[8] Form 720 is the IRS quarterly excise tax return. Form 2290 is the IRS return used to report heavy highway vehicle use tax. "Other" includes Form 730 (tax on wagering); Form 11C (occupational

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tax and registration return for wagering). (After 1985, excise tax returns exclude those now filed with the Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau (TTB), (formerly the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives [ATF]), and the Customs Service.)

SOURCE: U.S. Department of the Treasury, Internal Revenue Service, Office of Research, Analysis, and Statistics, Office of Research, Projections and Forecasting Group.

## Table 23

[1] Number of returns with a paid preparer signature is based on the sample used for Statistics of Income--Individual Income Tax Returns.
[2] Data on electronically-filed returns are included in the counts of Form 1040 returns, shown above in Table 23, for all years. Data are based on the full SOI samples of returns filed throughout the entire year.
[3] Data on IRS taxpayer assistance programs are actually for the fiscal year. Assistance rendered in a given fiscal year may be associated with returns due on April 15 of that fiscal year and is, therefore, for the tax year ending with the previ-
ous December. Thus, data in Table 23 on taxpayer assistance, for example, shown as for Tax Year 2003, are actually for Fiscal Year 2004.
[4] The number of outreach taxpayers assisted has increased significantly. This was a result of both expanded partner activity and a revision in this classification. For 2001-2003, "Outreach taxpayers assisted" included estimates of both direct (IRS) and indirect (partner) contacts through seminars, training classes, mail-out campaigns, etc.
[5] Only return preparation activity was captured and reported for VITA and TCE sites. In prior years, the number of taxpayers assisted through VITA and TCE included the number of questions answered and returns prepared.

NOTE: Data on IRS assistance represent taxpayer contacts, unless indicated. Some taxpayers are contacted more than once. The number of taxpayers assisted (versus those contacted) is not known.

SOURCE: Data on paid preparers were obtained from SOI and from Assistant Deputy Commissioner, Modernization/Chief Information Officer. Data on IRS assistance were obtained from the Internal Revenue Service Data Book.

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Table A.--U.S. Individual Income Tax: Personal Exemptions and Lowest and Highest Bracket Tax Rates, and Tax Base for Regular Tax, Tax Years 1913-2004

| Tax year | Personal exemptions ${ }^{1}$ |  |  | Tax rates for regular tax-- |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Lowest bracket |  | Highest bracket |  |
|  | Single persons | Married couples | Dependents | Tax <br> rate ${ }^{2}$ <br> (percent) | Taxable income under-- ${ }^{3}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Tax } \\ \text { rate }^{2} \\ \text { (percent) } \end{gathered}$ | Taxable income over-- ${ }^{3}$ |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) |
| 1913. | 3,000 | 4,000 | N/A | 1.0 | 20,000 | 7.0 | 500,000 |
| 1914. | 3,000 | 4,000 | N/A | 1.0 | 20,000 | 7.0 | 500,000 |
| 1915.. | 3,000 | 4,000 | N/A | 1.0 | 20,000 | 7.0 | 500,000 |
| 1916. | 3,000 | 4,000 | N/A | 2.0 | 20,000 | 15.0 | 2,000,000 |
| 1917.. | 1,000 | 2,000 | 200 | 2.0 | 2,000 | 67.0 | 2,000,000 |
| 1918. | 1,000 | 2,000 | 200 | 6.0 | 4,000 | 77.0 | 1,000,000 |
| 1919. | 1,000 | 2,000 | 200 | 4.0 | 4,000 | 73.0 | 1,000,000 |
| 1920. | 1,000 | 2,000 | 200 | 4.0 | 4,000 | 73.0 | 1,000,000 |
| 1921. | 1,000 | 2,500 ${ }^{4}$ | 400 | 4.0 | 4,000 | 73.0 | 1,000,000 |
| 1922. | 1,000 | 2,500 ${ }^{4}$ | 400 | 4.0 | 4,000 | 58.0 | 200,000 |
| 1923. | 1,000 | 2,500 ${ }^{4}$ | 400 | $3.0{ }^{5}$ | 4,000 | $43.5{ }^{5}$ | 200,000 |
| 1924. | 1,000 | 2,500 | 400 | $1.5{ }^{6}$ | 4,000 | 46.0 | 500,000 |
| 1925. | 1,500 | 3,500 | 400 | $1.125^{7}$ | 4,000 | 25.0 | 100,000 |
| 1926. | 1,500 | 3,500 | 400 | $1.125^{7}$ | 4,000 | 25.0 | 100,000 |
| 1927. | 1,500 | 3,500 | 400 | $1.125^{7}$ | 4,000 | 25.0 | 100,000 |
| 1928. | 1,500 | 3,500 | 400 | $1.125^{8}$ | 4,000 | 25.0 | 100,000 |
| 1929. | 1,500 | 3,500 | 400 | $0.375{ }^{\text {8 }}$ | 4,000 | 24.0 | 100,000 |
| 1930. | 1,500 | 3,500 | 400 | $1.125^{8}$ | 4,000 | 25.0 | 100,000 |
| 1931.. | 1,500 | 3,500 | 400 | $1.125{ }^{8}$ | 4,000 | 25.0 | 100,000 |
| 1932. | 1,000 | 2,500 | 400 | 4.0 | 4,000 | 63.0 | 1,000,000 |
| 1933. | 1,000 | 2,500 | 400 | 4.0 | 4,000 | 63.0 | 1,000,000 |
| 1934. | 1,000 | 2,500 | 400 | $4.0{ }^{9}$ | 4,000 | 63.0 | 1,000,000 |
| 1935. | 1,000 | 2,500 | 400 | $4.0{ }^{9}$ | 4,000 | 63.0 | 1,000,000 |
| 1936. | 1,000 | 2,500 | 400 | $4.0{ }^{9}$ | 4,000 | 79.0 | 5,000,000 |
| 1937. | 1,000 | 2,500 | 400 | $4.0{ }^{9}$ | 4,000 | 79.0 | 5,000,000 |
| 1938. | 1,000 | 2,500 | 400 | $4.0{ }^{9}$ | 4,000 | 79.0 | 5,000,000 |
| 1939. | 1,000 | 2,500 | 400 | $4.0{ }^{9}$ | 4,000 | 79.0 | 5,000,000 |
| 1940. | 800 | 2,000 | 400 | $4.4{ }^{9,10}$ | 4,000 | $81.1^{10}$ | 5,000,000 |
| 1941. | 750 | 1,500 | 400 | $10.0{ }^{9}$ | 2,000 | 81.0 | 5,000,000 |
| 1942. | 500 | 1,200 | 350 | $19.0{ }^{9}$ | 2,000 | 88.0 | 200,000 |
| 1943. | 500 | 1,200 | 350 | $19.0{ }^{9}$ | 2,000 | 88.0 | 200,000 |
| 1944. | $500{ }^{11}$ | 1,000 ${ }^{11}$ | $500{ }^{11}$ | 23.0 | 2,000 | $94.0{ }^{12}$ | 200,000 |
| 1945. | $500{ }^{11}$ | 1,000 ${ }^{11}$ | $500{ }^{11}$ | 23.0 | 2,000 | $94.0{ }^{12}$ | 200,000 |
| 1946. | 500 | 1,000 | 500 | $19.0{ }^{13}$ | 2,000 | $86.45{ }^{13}$ | 200,000 |
| 1947... | 500 | 1,000 | 500 | $19.0{ }^{13}$ | 2,000 | $86.45{ }^{13}$ | 200,000 |
| 1948. | $600{ }^{14}$ | 1,200 ${ }^{14}$ | 600 | $16.6{ }^{15}$ | 4,000 | $82.13{ }^{15}$ | 400,000 |
| 1949. | $600{ }^{14}$ | 1,200 ${ }^{14}$ | 600 | $16.6{ }^{15}$ | 4,000 | $82.13{ }^{15}$ | 400,000 |
| 1950. | $600{ }^{14}$ | 1,20014 | 600 | $17.4{ }^{16}$ | 4,000 | $84.36{ }^{16}$ | 400,000 |
| 1951. | $600{ }^{14}$ | 1,200 ${ }^{14}$ | 600 | 20.4 | 4,000 | $91.0{ }^{17}$ | 400,000 |
| 1952. | $600^{14}$ | 1,200 ${ }^{14}$ | 600 | 22.2 | 4,000 | $92.0{ }^{18}$ | 400,000 |
| 1953. | $600{ }^{14}$ | 1,200 ${ }^{14}$ | 600 | 22.2 | 4,000 | $92.0{ }^{18}$ | 400,000 |
| 1954... | $600{ }^{14}$ | 1,200 ${ }^{14}$ | 600 | 20.0 | 4,000 | $91.0{ }^{19}$ | 400,000 |
| 1955..... | $600^{14}$ | 1,200 ${ }^{14}$ | 600 | 20.0 | 4,000 | $91.0{ }^{19}$ | 400,000 |

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Table A.--U.S. Individual Income Tax: Personal Exemptions and Lowest and Highest Bracket Tax Rates, and Tax Base for Regular Tax, Tax Years 1913-2005--Continued
[Amounts are in dollars.]

| Tax year | Personal exemptions ${ }^{1}$ |  |  | Tax rates for regular tax-- |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Lowest bracket |  | Highest bracket |  |
|  | Single persons | Married couples | Dependents | Tax rate $^{2}$ (percent) | Taxable income under-- ${ }^{3}$ | Tax rate $^{2}$ (percent) | Taxable income over-- ${ }^{3}$ |
|  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) |
| 1956. | $600{ }^{14}$ | 1,200 ${ }^{14}$ | 600 | 20.0 | 4,000 | $91.0^{19}$ | 400,000 |
| 1957.. | $600{ }^{14}$ | 1,200 ${ }^{14}$ | 600 | 20.0 | 4,000 | $91.0^{19}$ | 400,000 |
| 1958. | $600{ }^{14}$ | 1,200 ${ }^{14}$ | 600 | 20.0 | 4,000 | $91.0{ }^{19}$ | 400,000 |
| 1959. | $600{ }^{14}$ | 1,200 ${ }^{14}$ | 600 | 20.0 | 4,000 | $91.0^{19}$ | 400,000 |
| 1960.. | $600{ }^{14}$ | 1,200 ${ }^{14}$ | 600 | 20.0 | 4,000 | $91.0^{19}$ | 400,000 |
| 1961. | $600{ }^{14}$ | 1,200 ${ }^{14}$ | 600 | 20.0 | 4,000 | $91.0^{19}$ | 400,000 |
| 1962. | $600{ }^{14}$ | 1,200 ${ }^{14}$ | 600 | 20.0 | 4,000 | $91.0^{19}$ | 400,000 |
| 1963. | $600{ }^{14}$ | 1,200 ${ }^{14}$ | 600 | 20.0 | 4,000 | $91.0{ }^{19}$ | 400,000 |
| 1964. | $600{ }^{14}$ | 1,200 ${ }^{14}$ | 600 | 16.0 | 1,000 | 77.0 | 400,000 |
| 1965... | $600{ }^{14}$ | 1,200 ${ }^{14}$ | 600 | 14.0 | 1,000 | 70.0 | 200,000 |
| 1966. | $600{ }^{14}$ | 1,200 ${ }^{14}$ | 600 | 14.0 | 1,000 | 70.0 | 200,000 |
| 1967. | $600{ }^{14}$ | 1,200 ${ }^{14}$ | 600 | 14.0 | 1,000 | 70.0 | 200,000 |
| 1968. | $600{ }^{14}$ | 1,200 ${ }^{14}$ | 600 | 14.0 | 1,000 | $75.25{ }^{20}$ | 200,000 |
| 1969. | $600{ }^{14}$ | 1,200 ${ }^{14}$ | 600 | 14.0 | 1,000 | $77.0{ }^{21}$ | 200,000 |
| 1970.. | $625{ }^{14}$ | 1,250 ${ }^{14}$ | 625 | 14.0 | 1,000 | $71.75{ }^{22}$ | 200,000 |
| 1971.. | $675{ }^{14}$ | 1,350 ${ }^{14}$ | 675 | 14.0 | 1,000 | $70.0^{23}$ | 200,000 |
| 1972. | $750{ }^{14}$ | 1,500 ${ }^{14}$ | 750 | 14.0 | 1,000 | $70.0{ }^{24}$ | 200,000 |
| 1973. | $750{ }^{14}$ | 1,500 ${ }^{14}$ | 750 | 14.0 | 1,000 | $70.0{ }^{24}$ | 200,000 |
| 1974. | $750{ }^{14}$ | 1,500 ${ }^{14}$ | 750 | $14.0{ }^{25}$ | 1,000 | $70.0^{24,25}$ | 200,000 |
| 1975. | $750{ }^{14,26}$ | 1,500 ${ }^{14,26}$ | $750{ }^{26}$ | 14.0 | 1,000 | $70.0^{24}$ | 200,000 |
| 1976. | $750{ }^{14,27}$ | 1,500 ${ }^{14,27}$ | $750{ }^{27}$ | 14.0 | 1,000 | $70.0^{24}$ | 200,000 |
| 1977. | $750{ }^{14,27}$ | 1,500 ${ }^{14,27}$ | $750{ }^{27}$ | $14.0{ }^{28}$ | 3,200 ${ }^{28}$ | $70.0^{24}$ | 203,200 |
| 1978. | $750{ }^{14,27}$ | 1,500 ${ }^{14,27}$ | $750{ }^{27}$ | $14.0{ }^{28}$ | 3,200 ${ }^{28}$ | $70.0^{24}$ | 203,200 |
| 1979. | 1,000 ${ }^{14}$ | 2,000 ${ }^{14}$ | 1,000 | $14.0{ }^{28}$ | 3,400 ${ }^{28}$ | $70.0^{24}$ | 215,400 |
| 1980.. | 1,000 ${ }^{14}$ | 2,000 ${ }^{14}$ | 1,000 | $14.0{ }^{28}$ | 3,400 ${ }^{28}$ | $70.0^{24}$ | 215,400 |
| 1981. | $1,000^{14}$ | 2,000 ${ }^{14}$ | 1,000 | $13.825^{28,29}$ | $3,400{ }^{28}$ | $69.125^{24,29}$ | 215,400 |
| 1982. | 1,000 ${ }^{14}$ | 2,000 ${ }^{14}$ | 1,000 | $12.0{ }^{28}$ | $3,400{ }^{28}$ | 50.0 | 85,600 |
| 1983. | $1,000^{14}$ | 2,000 ${ }^{14}$ | 1,000 | $11.0^{28}$ | $3,400{ }^{28}$ | 50.0 | 109,400 |
| 1984. | 1,000 ${ }^{14}$ | 2,000 ${ }^{14}$ | 1,000 | $11.0^{28}$ | $3,400{ }^{28}$ | 50.0 | 162,400 |
| 1985. | $1,040^{14,30}$ | 2,080 ${ }^{14,30}$ | 1,040 ${ }^{30}$ | $11.0^{28}$ | 3,540 ${ }^{28,31}$ | 50.0 | 169,020 ${ }^{31}$ |
| 1986.. | $1,080{ }^{14,30}$ | $2,160{ }^{14,30}$ | $1,080^{30}$ | $11.0{ }^{28}$ | $3,670^{28,31}$ | 50.0 | $175,250^{31}$ |
| 1987. | $1,900^{30}$ | $3,800^{30}$ | 1,900 ${ }^{30}$ | 11.0 | 3,000 ${ }^{31}$ | 38.5 | 90,000 ${ }^{31}$ |
| 1988.. | $1,950^{30,32,33}$ | $3,900{ }^{30,32,33}$ | $1,950^{30,32,33}$ | $15.0{ }^{34,35}$ | 29,750 ${ }^{31,35}$ | $28.0{ }^{34,35}$ | 29,750 ${ }^{31,35}$ |
| 1989. | 2,000 ${ }^{30,32,33}$ | 4,000 $30,32,33$ | $2,000^{30,32,33}$ | $15.0{ }^{34,35}$ | 30,950 ${ }^{31,35}$ | $28.0{ }^{34,35}$ | 30,950 ${ }^{31,35}$ |
| 1990. | 2,050 ${ }^{30,32,33}$ | 4,100 ${ }^{30,32,33}$ | 2,050 ${ }^{30,32,33}$ | $15.0{ }^{34,35}$ | $32,450{ }^{31,35}$ | $28.0{ }^{34,35}$ | $32,450{ }^{31,35}$ |
| 1991 | $2,150^{30,32}$ | $4,300^{30,32}$ | 2,150 ${ }^{30,32}$ | 15.0 | $34,000^{31}$ | 31.0 | $82,150^{31}$ |
| 1992. | 2,300 ${ }^{30,32}$ | 4,600 ${ }^{30,32}$ | 2,300 ${ }^{30,32}$ | 15.0 | 35,800 ${ }^{31}$ | 31.0 | $86,500^{31}$ |
| 1993. | $2,350^{30,32}$ | $4,700^{30,32}$ | 2,350 ${ }^{30}, 32$ | 15.0 | 36,900 ${ }^{31}$ | 39.6 | 250,000 ${ }^{31}$ |
| 1994. | 2,450 ${ }^{30,32}$ | 4,900 ${ }^{30,32}$ | 2,450 ${ }^{30,32}$ | 15.0 | 38,000 ${ }^{31}$ | 39.6 | 250,000 ${ }^{31}$ |
| 1995. | 2,500 ${ }^{30,32}$ | $5,000^{30,32}$ | 2,500 30, 32 | 15.0 | 39,000 ${ }^{31}$ | 39.6 | 256,500 ${ }^{31}$ |
| 1996.. | $2,550^{30,32}$ | $5,100^{30,32}$ | 2,550 ${ }^{30,32}$ | 15.0 | 40,100 ${ }^{31}$ | 39.6 | 263,750 ${ }^{31}$ |
| 1997. | 2,650 ${ }^{30,32}$ | $5,300^{30,32}$ | 2,650 ${ }^{30,32}$ | 15.0 | 41,200 ${ }^{31}$ | 39.6 | 271,050 ${ }^{31}$ |
| 1998. | 2,700 ${ }^{30,32}$ | $5,400^{30,32}$ | 2,700 ${ }^{30,32}$ | 15.0 | $42,350^{31}$ | 39.6 | 278,450 ${ }^{31}$ |
| 1999. | 2,750 ${ }^{30,32}$ | 5,500 ${ }^{30,32}$ | 2,750 ${ }^{30,32}$ | 15.0 | 43,050 ${ }^{31}$ | 39.6 | 283,150 ${ }^{31}$ |
| 2000.. | 2,800 ${ }^{30,32}$ | 5,600 ${ }^{30,32}$ | 2,800 ${ }^{30,32}$ | $15.0{ }^{36}$ | $43,850{ }^{31}$ | $39.6{ }^{36}$ | 288,350 ${ }^{31}$ |
| 2001. | $2,900^{30,32}$ | 5,800 ${ }^{30,32}$ | $2,900^{30,32}$ | $10.0{ }^{37}$ | $6,000^{31,38}$ | $39.1{ }^{37}$ | 297,350 ${ }^{31,38}$ |
| 2002. | $3,000{ }^{30,32}$ | 6,000 ${ }^{30,32}$ | 3,000 ${ }^{30,32}$ | 10.0 | $12,000^{31}$ | 38.6 | 307,050 ${ }^{31}$ |
| 2003.. | 3,050 ${ }^{\text {30, }} 32$ | $6,100^{30,32}$ | 3,050 ${ }^{30,32}$ | 10.0 | $14,000^{31}$ | 35.0 | 311,95031 |
| 2004... | 3,100 ${ }^{30,32}$ | 6,200 ${ }^{30,32}$ | $3,100^{30,32}$ | 10.0 | $14,300^{31}$ | 35.0 | 319,10031 |
| 2005... | 3,200 ${ }^{30,32}$ | $6,400{ }^{30,32}$ | $3,200^{30,32}$ | 10.0 | $14,600^{31}$ | 35.0 | 326,45031 |

See notes at end of this section.

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Table B.--U.S. Corporation Income Tax: Tax Brackets and Rates, 1909-2003 ${ }^{1}$

| Year ${ }^{2}$ | Taxable income brackets ${ }^{3}$ | Rates (percent) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1909-1913 (February 28)..... | First \$5,000 | -- |
|  | Over \$5,000 | 1.00 |
| 1913 (March 1)-1915... | All taxable income | 1.00 |
| 1916............ | All taxable income | 2.00 |
| 1917 . | All taxable income | 6.00 |
| 1918... | First \$2,000 | -- |
|  | Over \$2,000 | 12.00 |
| 1919-1921.... | First \$2,000 | -- |
|  | Over \$2,000 | 10.00 |
| 1922-1924.... | First \$2,000 | -- |
|  | Over \$2,000 | 12.50 |
| 1925. | First \$2,000 | -- |
|  | Over \$2,000 | 13.00 |
| 1926-1927. | First \$2,000 | -- |
|  | Over \$2,000 | 13.50 |
| 1928........... | First \$3,000 | -- |
|  | Over \$3,000 | 12.00 |
| 1929... | First \$3,000 | -- |
|  | Over \$3,000 | 11.00 |
| 1930-1931.... | First \$3,000 | -- |
|  | Over \$3,000 | 12.00 |
| 1932-1935 ... | All taxable income | 13.75 |
| 1936-1937 ..... | First \$2,000 | 8.00 |
|  | Over \$2,000, not over \$15,000 | 11.00 |
|  | Over \$15,000, not over \$40,000 | 13.00 |
|  | Over \$40,000 | 15.00 |
| 1938-1939.... | Taxable income \$25,000 or less: |  |
|  | First \$5,000 | 12.50 |
|  | Next \$15,000 | 14.00 |
|  | Next \$5,000 | 16.00 |
|  | Taxable income over \$25,000 | 19.00 |
| 1940 5.7 | Taxable income \$31,964.30 or less: |  |
|  | First \$5,000 | $14.85{ }^{8}$ |
|  | Next \$15,000 | $16.50{ }^{8}$ |
|  | Next \$5,000 | $18.70{ }^{8}$ |
|  | Next \$6,964.30 | $38.30{ }^{8}$ |
|  | Taxable income over \$31,964.30, not over \$38,565.84: |  |
|  | First $\$ 5,000$ | $15.40^{8}$ |
|  | Next \$15,000 | $16.90{ }^{8}$ |
|  | Next \$5,000 | $18.90{ }^{8}$ |
|  | Next \$13,565.84 | $36.90{ }^{8}$ |
|  | Taxable income over \$38,565.84 | $24.00{ }^{8}$ |
| 1941. ${ }^{5.7}$ | Taxable income \$38,461.54 or less: |  |
|  | First \$5,000 | $21.00{ }^{9}$ |
|  | Next \$15,000 | $23.00{ }^{9}$ |
|  | Next \$5,000 | $25.00{ }^{9}$ |
|  | Next \$13,461.54 | $44.00^{9}$ |
|  | Taxable income over \$38,461.54 | $31.00{ }^{9}$ |

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Table B.--U.S. Corporation Income Tax: Tax Brackets and Rates, 1909-2003 ${ }^{1}$--Continued

| Year ${ }^{2}$ | Taxable income brackets ${ }^{3}$ | Rates (percent) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1942-1945...... | Taxable income \$50,000 or less: |  |
|  | First \$5,000 | $25.00^{9}$ |
|  | Next \$15,000 | $27.00^{9,10}$ |
|  | Next \$5,000 | $29.00^{9,10}$ |
|  | Next \$25,000 | $53.00^{9,10}$ |
|  | Taxable income over \$50,000 | $40.00^{9,10}$ |
| 1946-1949... | Taxable income \$50,000 or less: |  |
|  | First \$5,000 | $21.00^{9}$ |
|  | Next \$15,000 | $23.00^{9}$ |
|  | Next \$5,000 | $25.00^{9}$ |
|  | Next \$25,000 | $53.00^{9,10}$ |
|  | Taxable income over \$50,000 | $38.00^{9,10}$ |
| 1950 ... ${ }^{11}$ | First \$25,000 | 23.00 |
|  | Over \$25,000 | $42.00^{10}$ |
| 1951..... | First \$25,000 | $28.75{ }^{12}$ |
|  | Over \$25,000 | $50.75{ }^{12}$ |
| 1952-1963..... | First \$25,000 | $30.00^{13}$ |
|  | Over \$25,000 | $52.00^{13}$ |
| 1964. | First \$25,000 | 22.00 |
|  | Over \$25,000 | $50.00^{13}$ |
| 1965-1967.. | First \$25,000 | 22.00 |
|  | Over \$25,000 | $48.00{ }^{13}$ |
| 1968-1969 ... ${ }^{14}$ | First \$25,000 | $24.20^{15}$ |
|  | Over \$25,000 | $52.80{ }^{13,15}$ |
| 1970.... | First \$25,000 | $22.55^{16}$ |
|  | Over \$25,000 | $49.20^{16,17}$ |
| 1971-1974... ${ }^{14}$ | First \$25,000 | 22.00 |
|  | Over \$25,000 | $48.00^{18}$ |
| 1975-1978..... | First \$25,000 | 20.00 |
|  | \$25,000-\$50,000 | 22.00 |
|  | Over \$50,000 | $48.00^{19}$ |
| 1979-1981..... | First \$25,000 | 17.00 |
|  | \$25,000-\$50,000 | 20.00 |
|  | \$50,000-\$75,000 | $30.00{ }^{20}$ |
|  | \$75,000-\$100,000 | $40.00^{20}$ |
|  | Over \$100,000 | $46.00^{20}$ |
| 1982.... ${ }^{14}$ | First \$25,000 | 16.00 |
|  | \$25,000-\$50,000 | 19.00 |
|  | \$50,000-\$75,000 | $30.00^{20}$ |
|  | \$75,000-\$100,000 | $40.00^{20}$ |
|  | Over \$100,000 | $46.00^{20}$ |
| 1983 . 14.21 | First \$25,000 | 15.00 |
|  | \$25,000-\$50,000 | 18.00 |
|  | \$50,000-\$75,000 | $30.00^{20}$ |
|  | \$75,000-\$100,000 | $40.00^{20}$ |
|  | Over \$100,000 | $46.00^{20}$ |
| 1984-1986.... ${ }^{14}$ | First \$25,000 | 15.00 |
|  | \$25,000-\$50,000 | 18.00 |
|  | \$50,000-\$75,000 | $30.00^{20}$ |
|  | \$75,000-\$100,000 | $40.00^{20}$ |
|  | \$100,000-\$1,000,000 | $46.00^{20}$ |
|  | \$1,000,000-\$1,405,000 | $51.00^{20}$ |
|  | Over \$1,405,000 | $46.00^{20}$ |

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Table B.--U.S. Corporation Income Tax: Tax Brackets and Rates, 1909-2003 ¹--Continued

| Year ${ }^{2}$ | Taxable income brackets ${ }^{3}$ | Rates (percent) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $1987{ }^{22,23}$ | First \$25,000 | 15.00 |
|  | \$25,000-\$50,000 | 16.50 |
|  | \$50,000-\$75,000 | 27.50 |
|  | \$75,000-\$100,000 | $37.00^{24}$ |
|  | \$100,000-\$335,000 | $42.50^{24}$ |
|  | \$335,000-\$1,000,000 | $40.00^{24}$ |
|  | \$1,000,000-\$1,405,000 | $42.50^{24}$ |
|  | Over \$1,405,000 | $40.00^{24}$ |
| 1988-1992. | First \$50,000 | 15.00 |
|  | \$50,000-\$75,000 | 25.00 |
|  | \$75,000-\$100,000 | 34.00 |
|  | \$100,000-\$335,000 | 39.00 |
|  | Over \$335,000 | 34.00 |
| 1993-2003. | First \$50,000 | 15.00 |
|  | \$50,000-\$75,000 | 25.00 |
|  | \$75,000-\$100,000 | 34.00 |
|  | \$100,000-\$335,000 | 39.00 |
|  | \$335,000-\$10,000,000 | 34.00 |
|  | \$10,000,000-\$15,000,000 | 35.00 |
|  | \$15,000,000-\$18,333,333 | 38.00 |
|  | Over \$18,333,333 | 35.00 |

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## Footnotes

## Table A

## N/A—Not applicable.

[1] Personal exemption amounts were deducted at different points in the tax computation, depending on the tax year. For some of the earlier years, they were deducted only from the statutory "net income" subject to the basic "normal tax," for other years, only from the "net income" subject to the "surtax," and, for still other years, from the "net income" subject to both normal tax and surtax. (Footnote 2, below, includes a description of "normal tax" and "surtax.") For more recent years, personal exemptions have been deducted in computing "taxable income," the current tax base for "regular" tax purposes.
[2] Tax rates shown in this table are for the "regular" income tax, i.e., for "normal tax" and "surtax," applicable to U.S. citizens and residents. Therefore, the rates exclude provisions unique to nonresident aliens. Tax rates exclude the effect of tax credits (which reduce the tax liability), except as noted, and several specific add-on or other taxes applicable to all or some tax years. Excluded are the "war excess profits tax" (1917), "victory tax" (1942-1943), Social Security "self-employment tax" (starting with 1951), tax under the "income averaging" provisions (1964-1986) and under the farm income averaging provisions (starting with 1998), and the "recapture taxes" resulting from having to recompute and pay back certain tax credits in later years (starting with 1963), the "maximum tax" on "earned income" or on "personal service income"(1971-1981), the "minimum tax" on "tax preferences" (19701983), and the "alternative minimum tax" on "tax preferences" (starting with 1979). Also excluded are such other taxes as the tax on recipients of accumulation distributions of trusts (starting with 1954) and the "special averaging tax" or "multiple recipient special averaging tax" on recipients of lump-sum distributions from qualified retirement plans (starting with 1974).

In addition, Table 1 excludes the taxes associated with the preferential treatment of capital gains, starting with 1922 (although certain gains received preferential treatment as early as 1918). At various times, these treatments have taken the form of special tax rates; special definitions; different asset holding periods; ceilings on taxes; and exclusions from income. Included among these special treatments were "alternative tax" (1938-1986) and its variations for the earlier years, although all of these taxes were in some way tied to the tax structure for regular tax.

Until 1948, a single set of tax rates applied to all taxpayers, regardless of marital or filing status, and married couples filing joint returns were taxed on the combined income of each spouse. However, a second, lower set of rates was introduced, starting with 1948, for married couples filing jointly. (To simplify the Table 1 presentation for these more recent years, only the lowest and highest tax rates for married persons filing jointly are shown.) Under this change, the combined tax of husband and wife became twice the combined tax that would have applied if their combined "taxable income" ("net income" for years before 1954) were cut in half. Thus, taxpayers using the joint return filing status "split" their incomes for tax purposes, in effect doubling the width of their taxable income (or net income) size "brackets." The lowest and highest tax rate brackets shown in columns 4 and 6 in Table 1 are, therefore, the brackets for married couples filing jointly that result from taking into account this doubling of the bracket widths.

Starting with 1952, a third set of rates was introduced (not shown) for "heads of household," i.e., for unmarried individuals who paid over half the cost of maintaining a home for a qualifying person (e.g., a child or parent), or for certain married individuals who had lived apart from their spouses for the last 6 months of the tax year. This filing status was liberalized, starting with 1970, and provides approximately half the advantage of the income-splitting described above.

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Starting with 1954, the full benefits of income splitting allowed married couples filing jointly (i.e., the same tax rates and taxable income brackets) were extended to a new, fourth filing status, "surviving spouse" (i.e., individuals widowed for 1 to 2 years following the death of a spouse, provided they had a dependent child and had not remarried). The remaining filing status was for "single persons," who used the rates formerly applicable to taxpayers in general. However, these latter rates were moderated, starting with 1969 , by limiting the tax so that it would not exceed 20 percent more than the tax on married couples filing jointly. One result of the 1969 law change was that certain married couples filing jointly had to pay more tax than they would have paid if each spouse had filed separately. To help mitigate this effect, a special deduction in computing adjusted gross income was allowed for 1982-1986 for twoearner couples filing jointly. This deduction was initially 5 percent of the lesser of $\$ 30,000$ or the "earned income" of the spouse with the lesser earnings. The percentage was increased to 10 percent, starting with 1983. The deduction provision was repealed, starting with 1987 , when new, lower rates and a reduced number of tax brackets began.
For tax years preceding 1954, the lowest tax rate, as shown in Table 1, was either the rate for the basic "normal tax" (if there was just one rate for normal tax) or the lowest of the several rates for "normal tax" (if there was more than one rate for normal tax). The highest tax rate was the sum of the uppermost of the graduated rates (if any) for normal tax, plus the uppermost of the additional, graduated "surtax" rates, provided that both rates were applied to the same income. For example, for 1932, there were two graduated rates for normal tax, 4 percent (on the first \$4,000 of income) and 8 percent (on all income over $\$ 4,000$ ), and graduated rates for "surtax" that ranged from 1 percent to 55 percent. In Table 1, the lowest rate for 1932 is, therefore, shown as 4 percent (the lower of the two normal tax rates) and the highest rate as 63 percent (the sum of the 8percent higher, graduated rate for normal tax on
income over $\$ 4,000$, plus 55 percent, the highest of the graduated, surtax rates, on income over $\$ 1$ million.). As another example, for 1941, there was just one rate for normal tax, 4 percent, but it applied to all income. The lowest of the surtax rates, 6 percent, was applied to all income under $\$ 2,000$, so that income under $\$ 2,000$ was taxed at both the 4-percent normal tax rate and the 6 -percent surtax rate. Therefore, the lowest rate shown in Table 1 for 1941 is 10 percent, the sum of these two tax rates. The highest rate is the sum of the 4-percent normal tax on total statutory "net income," plus the highest graduated surtax rate, 77 percent on income over $\$ 5$ million, so that income over $\$ 5$ million was taxed at 81.0 percent, the sum of the two rates. For tax years starting with 1954, normal tax and surtax rates were, in effect, combined into a single rate structure.
[3] The definition of the income base (and, thus, the tax "bracket" boundaries) to which the tax rates were applied differs over the years, depending on how the following were determined and figured: statutory adjustments to or exclusions from income; personal exemptions; itemized deductions (which, for certain expenditures, were sometimes described as income "credits"); standard deductions; the various thresholds and ceilings; and statutory "taxable income" (and its predecessor "net income"). Therefore, the lowest and highest taxable income amounts, as shown in Table 1, are not comparable for all years, and the amounts described as for statutory taxable income for tax years preceding 1954 are actually for statutory net income. (Statutory net income was income after subtracting deductions but, for most years, was before subtracting personal exemptions. Statutory taxable income was after subtracting both deductions and personal exemptions. Taxable income is the tax base for recent years. Net income required certain adjustments to arrive at the tax base, depending on whether the income was subject to normal tax, surtax, or both). See also footnote 2 , above.
[4] For 1921-1923, the personal exemption amount for married couples (column 2) increased to

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$\$ 2,000$ if statutory "net income" exceeded \$5,000.
[5] For 1923, the tax rates shown (columns 4 and 6) are after a 25 -percent statutory credit or refund.
[6] For 1924, the lowest tax rate (column 4) is after reduction by an "earned income credit," equal to 25 percent of the "normal tax" on the first $\$ 5,000$ of total statutory "net income" and the normal tax on the first $\$ 10,000$ of "earned net income," but limited to 25 percent of the normal tax on total net income.
[7] For 1925-1927, the lowest tax rate (column 4) is after reduction by an "earned income credit" equal to 25 percent of the total tax on the first $\$ 5,000$ of total statutory "net income" and the total tax on the first $\$ 20,000$ of "earned net income," but limited to 25 percent of the total tax on earned net income (not to exceed 25 percent of the sum of "normal tax" on total net income plus the "surtax" on earned net income.)
[8] For 1928-1931, the lowest tax rate (column 4) is after reduction by an "earned income credit" equal to 25 percent of the total tax on the first $\$ 5,000$ of total statutory "net income" and the total tax on the first $\$ 30,000$ of "earned net income," but subject to the same limitations described in footnote 7, above. For 1929 only there was a special reduction in normal tax rates as provided for in a joint resolution of congress.
[9] For 1934-1943, the tax rate (column 4) excludes the effect of an "earned income credit," allowed as a deduction equal to 10 percent of the first $\$ 14,000$ of "earned net income" (before credit) and the first $\$ 3,000$ of total statutory "net income" (before credit), but limited to 10 percent of earned net income (not to exceed 10 percent of total net income).
[10] For 1940, tax rates (columns 4 and 6) include "defense tax," computed as 10 percent of the total "regular" tax, but limited to 10 percent of statutory "net income" in excess of the total regular tax.
[11] For 1944-1945, the personal exemption amounts (columns 1-3) were for "surtax" purposes only.

The exemption for basic "normal tax" purposes was $\$ 500$ per tax return, augmented by the "earned income" of the spouse, up to $\$ 500$, on jointreturns.
[12] For 1944-1945, the highest tax rate (column 6) was subject to a maximum effective rate limitation equal to 90 percent of statutory "net income."
[13] For 1946-1947, tax rates (columns 4 and 6) are the effective rates after a statutory 5 -percent reduction of combined "tentative normal tax and surtax." The highest rate (column 6) was subject to a maximum effective rate limitation equal to 85.5 percent of statutory "net income."
[14] For 1948-1986, in addition to the personal exemptions (columns 1-2), there were additional personal exemptions for blind taxpayer(s) and for taxpayers(s) age 65 or over.
[15] For 1948-1949, tax rates (columns 4 and 6) are the effective rates after statutory reductions ranging from 17.0 percent of the first $\$ 400$ of combined "tentative normal tax and surtax" to 9.75 percent of combined tentative normal tax and surtax over $\$ 100,000$. The highest tax rate (column 6) was subject to a maximum effective rate limitation equal to 77.0 percent of statutory "net income."
[16] For 1950, tax rates (columns 4 and 6) are the effective rates after statutory reductions ranging from 13.0 percent of the first $\$ 400$ of combined "tentative normal tax and surtax" to 7.3 percent of combined tentative normal tax and surtax over $\$ 100,000$. The highest tax rate (column 6) was subject to a maximum effective rate limitation equal to 87.0 percent of statutory "net income."
[17] For 1951, the highest tax rate (column 6) was subject to a maximum effective rate limitation equal to 87.2 percent of statutory "net income."
[18] For 1952-1953, the highest tax rate (column 6) was subject to a maximum effective rate limitation equal to 88.0 percent of statutory "net income."
[19] For 1954-1963, the highest tax rate (column 6) was subject to a maximum effective rate

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limitation equal to 87.0 percent of statutory "taxable income."
[20] For 1968, the highest tax rate (column 6) includes a Vietnam War surcharge equal to 7.5 percent of tax (as defined for this purpose). However, this surcharge did not apply to "regular" tax generated at the lowest rate.
[21] For 1969, the highest tax rate (column 6) includes a Vietnam War surcharge equal to 10 percent of tax (as defined for this purpose). However, this surcharge did not apply to "regular" tax generated at the lowest rate.
[22] For 1970, the highest tax rate (column 6) includes a Vietnam War surcharge equal to 2.5 percent of tax (as defined for this purpose). However, this surcharge did not apply to "regular" tax generated at the lowest rate.
[23] For 1971, "earned net income" was subject to a "maximum tax" of 60 percent (not shown in column 6).
[24] For 1972-1981, "earned net income" (broadened to become "personal service net income" after 1976) was subject to a "maximum tax" of 50 percent (not shown in column 6).
[25] For 1974, tax rates (columns 4 and 6) do not take into account a statutory rebate of 10 percent of total income tax after credits. In general, the minimum rebate was $\$ 100$ and the maximum, $\$ 200$, but could not exceed the tax liability.
[26] For 1975, a \$30-per-capita tax credit was allowed in addition to the personal exemptions shown in columns 1-3.
[27] For 1976-1978, a tax credit was allowed, in addition to the personal exemptions shown in columns 1-3, that was equal to the larger of $\$ 35$ per capita or 2 percent of the first $\$ 9,000$ of statutory "taxable income."
[28] For 1977-1986, in order to help preserve the conceptual comparability of the amounts shown with those for earlier and later years, the lowest tax rates in column 4 and the lowest "taxable income" amounts in column 5 exclude the so-
called "zero tax rate" and the "zero bracket amount," which were unique to the tax computation for these 10 years.
[29] For 1981, tax rates (columns 4 and 6) are after a 1.25 -percent statutory tax credit.
[30] Starting with 1985 , the personal exemption amounts (columns 1-3) reflect annual adjustments for inflation, using the U.S. Department of Labor Consumer Price Index for Urban Consumers ("CPS-U").
[31] Starting with 1985, tax "bracket" boundaries (columns 5 and 7) were indexed for inflation, using the U.S. Department of Labor Consumer Price Index (as described in footnote 30).
[32] Starting with 1988, the amount eligible to be deducted for personal exemptions (columns 1-3) was phased out for certain high-income taxpayers. For 1988-1990, this was accomplished as part of the tax computation (see footnote 34, below).
[33] For 1988-1990, excludes the effect on certain high-income taxpayers of the phaseout of the amount deductible for personal exemptions (columns 1-3).
[34] For 1988-1990, the tax rates (columns 4 and 6) exclude the effects on certain high-income taxpayers of the phaseout both of the benefit of the 15 -percent tax rate (compared to the 28 percent rate) and the amount deductible for personal exemptions. This phaseout was accomplished by imposing an additional, 5percent tax on income above certain levels, based on filing status, thus creating a "temporary" 33-percent tax rate. At the point where the taxpayer had completely phased out the two benefits by use of the 33 -percent rate, the tax rate on any remaining taxable income above the phaseout range returned to 28 percent (see also footnote 35). As Table 1 shows, beginning with 1991, this phaseout was replaced by including an additional, 31-percent, graduated rate for taxable incomes above certain levels. Two other, higher, graduated rates were subsequently added, starting with 1993, the higher of which is shown in Table 1.

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[35] For 1988-1990, the 15-percent tax rate (column 4 ), which applied to the first $\$ 29,750$ of statutory "taxable income"(column 5), gradually increased to the top "brackets" rate, 28 percent (column 6), when taxable income (included in column 7) reached between $\$ 71,900$ and $\$ 149,250$. This was the range at which the 15 -percent rate was phased out for certain high-income taxpayers, all of whose income was then effectively taxed at the higher 28 -percent rate through use of the "temporary" 33 -percent rate (see footnote 34, above, for additional information). The boundaries of the phaseout range were adjusted for inflation for 1989-1990, although the top tax rate on the taxable income above that covered by the phaseout range remained 28 percent. Therefore, the top taxable income and top tax bracket rate shown in Table 1 for 1988-1990 do not take into account the higher, 33-percent, "temporary" phaseout rate.
[36] For 2000, the tax rates (columns 4 and 6) do not reflect a special statutory refund, partially offset for 2001 , of between $\$ 300$ and $\$ 600$, depending on the size of income tax for 2000 and filing status. See also footnote 37 , below.
[37] For 2001, the tax rate (columns 4 and 6) does not reflect a 5 -percent tax credit of up to $\$ 300$, $\$ 500$, or $\$ 1,000$, depending on the filing status. This credit effectively reduced the lowest rate on the income shown in column 5 from 15 percent to 10 percent, in lieu of an explicit 10percent rate. However, the credit was reduced by the amount of the special statutory refund made in 2001 (based on tax for 2000), described in footnote 36 , above. The 10 percent rate was only for dependents.
[38] For the change in the lowest tax "bracket" boundary (columns 5 and 7) for 2001, see footnotes 36 and 37, above.

SOURCE: Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations, Significant Features of Fiscal Federalism, Volume I, Budget Processes and Tax Systems, 1995, September 1996 (based, in part, on Tax Foundation, Facts and Figures on Government Finance, 1988-89 edition, 1988); Pechman,

Joseph A., Federal Tax Policy, fifth edition, The Brookings Institution, 1987 (based on relevant public laws and reports prepared by the Congressional Joint Economic Committee, including The Federal Revenue System: Facts and Problems, 1961, and The Federal Tax System: Facts and Problems, 1964); Statistics of Income-Part I (in particular, the historical synopses of laws included as appendices in the reports for 1949-1953) and Statistics of In-come-Individual Income Tax Returns (annually, for 1954-1988); and relevant public laws and reports issued by the Congressional Joint Committee on Taxation for subsequent years, as well as reports, such as Overview of the Federal Tax System for 1990, 1991, and 1994, Committee on Ways and Means, U.S. House of Representatives, and reports issued by the Congressional Joint Committee on Taxation for subsequent years, including Overview of Present Law and Economic Analysis Relating to Marginal Tax Rates and the President's Individual Income Tax Rate Proposals, 2001.

## Table B

[1] The rates shown are the "standard" or "ordinary" rates, applying to all taxable corporate net income unless otherwise provided. However, there have always been numerous exceptions and special rates based on the type of corporation, the type of income, and other factors. In addition, there have been, at various times, additional taxes related to income that increased the statutory rates. When possible, these are noted in other footnotes to this table for the years for which they were effective. Credits, deductions, and other alterations in the definition of taxable income also effectively alter the tax rate, but these are too numerous and too frequent to include in a table such as this.

The most important types of corporations to which these rates have not always applied, or not applied as they did to other corporations, are: Section 501(c) and similar nonprofit corporations: Corporations not organized or operated for profit are generally exempt from the corporation income tax except, since 1950, on business income unrelated to their exempt

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purposes. Mutual and cooperative organizations: Most of these were treated as nonprofits in the early days of the income tax. Most have long since been made taxable as ordinary corporations, but there are still some exceptions. Credit unions and small mutual property insurance companies are exempt. Rural electrical and telephone cooperatives are exempt on income generated in transactions with their members. Farmers' cooperatives are not taxed on income distributed to their members. Insurance companies: Because of the nature of insurance, determining taxable income has often been a problem for the tax system. Insurance companies have been subjected to a number of different tax structures since 1921, including special rates and complete exemption of premium income. They are currently taxed at the same rates as other corporations on income calculated using reserve deductions (which other corporations are not allowed). Regulated Investment Companies (since 1936) and Real Estate Investment Trusts (since 1961): These investment companies are not taxed on profits distributed to shareholders if they distribute substantially all of their incomes annually. $S$ Corporations: Since 1958, certain closely held corporations could elect to be taxed through their shareholders, as partnerships are, and not pay the corporate tax at all (except in special, unusual circumstances). Foreign corporations: Companies incorporated outside the U.S. are taxed on business income earned in the U.S. at the regular corporate rates, but may be taxed on investment income at special statutory or treaty rates. U. S. corporations with foreign-source income: The U.S. taxes the worldwide income of U.S. corporations; however, since 1918, taxes paid to foreign governments on foreign-source income can be credited against the U.S. tax otherwise due on that income. (Before 1918, the foreign taxes were allowed as a deduction against worldwide income.) U.S. Possessions Corporations: Since 1921, corporations earning most of their incomes in a U.S. possession were subject to reduced taxes. From 1921 to 1976, they were taxable only on U.S.-source income; since 1976, they have received a credit for manufacturing income earned in a possession
(including Puerto Rico). The credit is now being phased out and is scheduled to end after 2005. Affiliated groups: Corporations that are closely affiliated through stock ownership have usually been allowed to consolidate their financial statements for tax purposes and file one return for the group, but there have always been restrictions and, sometimes, they have been charged an additional tax for the privilege. In 1932 and 1933, consolidated returns were subject to an additional tax of .75 percent. In 1934 and 1935, only railroad companies were allowed to file consolidated returns, and the additional tax was 1 percent. From 1936 to 1941, there was no additional tax, but the privilege was restricted to railroads and a few other companies. From 1942 to 1964, most domestic affiliated groups that met the stock ownership and other requirements could file consolidated returns, but the surtax on such a group was increased by 2 percentage points. The additional tax on consolidated returns was repealed, effective December 31, 1963.

The most important type of income to have received special rates was "long-term" capital gains. From 1942 through 1987, the tax rate was capped at a maximum rate lower than the highest corporate rate. (The rates are noted in footnotes to the table.) Although there is currently no special rate for corporations' capital gains, long-term capital gains are still treated separately from other income in the tax code.

During World War I, the Great Depression, World War II, and the Korean War, additional taxes were imposed on what were called "war profits" or "excess profits." These are noted in the table in footnotes to the applicable years.

In addition to taxes based on net income, there have been from time to time taxes based on accumulated earnings that were not distributed to shareholders, designed to limit tax avoidance at the individual stockholder level. Taxes on "undue" accumulations have been imposed (though seldom paid) since the inception of the income tax. These were supplemented, since 1934, by a "personal holding company" tax, equal to the highest individual income tax rate,

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on the undistributed earnings of closely held companies accumulating investment income. There was also a Depression-era tax on accu mulated earnings (noted below).
In recent years, there have also been "minimum taxes" designed to supplement the regular taxes. These have the effect of a separate set of tax rates. These are noted in footnotes to the table.
[2] Calendar year unless otherwise noted. Taxpayers whose fiscal years spanned years with different rates were required to prorate the year's income between the two rate structures. Before 1933, the proration was based on the number of months in each year; after 1932, it was based on the number of days in each year.
[3] "Taxable income" is used here to mean the amount of income to which the rates shown were applied. The concept has had various names and various meanings over the years covered; so, brackets for one year are not necessarily comparable with those for another.
[4] An additional tax on "excess profits" and /or "war profits" was in effect from 1917 to 1922. It was allowed as a deduction in computing income tax.
[5] An additional "declared value" excess profits tax, based on profits in excess of a percentage of the value of corporate stock, was in effect from 1933 through 1945. It was a deduction for income tax purposes.
[6] An additional surtax ranging from 7 percent to 27 percent was imposed on undistributed profits.
[7] From June 1940 to the end of 1945, a tax on profits in excess of average prewar earnings was also imposed. It was taken into account, as either a deduction or a credit, for the income tax and the other excess profits tax.
[8] The rates for 1940 include extra "defense tax" rates that are integrated with the regular rates in later years.
[9] These rates are the sum of the "normal tax" rates and the "surtax" rates, which actually
applied to slightly different definitions of taxable income.
[10] Beginning with Tax Year 1942, gains on the sale of assets held for more than 6 months (long-term capital gains) could be treated separately from other taxable income and taxed at a maximum rate of 25 percent.
[11] An excess profits tax was also in effect from July 1950 through Calendar Year 1953. The tax was 30 percent of an adjusted profits figure reduced by credits for the level of prewar profits. It was not offset against income tax, but the sum of income and excess profits taxes was capped at a given percentage of income (from 62 percent to 70 percent).
[12] These rates reflect a tax increase (for the Korean War), effective March 31, 1951. The maximum capital gains tax rate was also increased to 26 percent.
[13] From April 1, 1954, through Calendar Year 1969, the maximum tax rate on capital gains was 25 percent.
[14] From 1969 through 1986, corporations were also subject to an "add-on minimum tax" on certain "tax preference" items (such as percentage depletion, accelerated depreciation, etc.) above a certain amount. For Tax Years 1969 through 1976, the tax was 10 percent of tax preferences in excess of $\$ 30,000$; after 1976, the tax was 15 percent of preferences in excess of the greater of $\$ 10,000$ or regular income tax.
[15] Rates include the Vietnam War surcharge of 10 percent.
[16] Includes a 2.5 -percent Vietnam War surcharge.
[17] The maximum tax rate on long-term capital gains was increased to 28 percent.
[18] The maximum tax rate on long-term capital gains was increased to 30 percent.
[19] The holding period for long-term capital gain treatment of assets was increasedfrom 6 to 9 months in 1977 and 12 months in 1978. The rate remained at 30 percent.

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[20] The maximum tax rate on long-term capital gains was 28 percent.
[21] Beginning in 1983, incorporated professional practices ("personal service corporations") have been taxed on all taxable income at the corporate tax rate applicable to the highest income bracket.
[22] The Tax Reform Act of 1986 (TRA86) established a new rate structure effective for Tax Year 1988 and made the rates for Transition Year 1987 an average of the pre-TRA rates for 1986 and the post-TRA rates for 1988.
[23] A new "alternative minimum tax" (AMT) replaced the add-on minimum tax, effective in 1987. It required a calculation of an alternative measure of taxable income that reduced or eliminated many tax preference items. The tax was 20 percent of the excess of this "alternative minimum taxable income" (AMTI) over $\$ 40,000$. The $\$ 40,000$ exemption was reduced by 25 percent of the excess of AMTI over $\$ 150,000$. AMT in excess of regular tax could be carried over as a credit against regular tax in future years. In 1998, "small" corporations
(generally, those with average gross receipts of less than $\$ 5$ million) were exempted from the AMT.
[24] The maximum tax rate on capital gains was capped at 34 percent for 1987, which was to be the rate on the highest corporate tax bracket in 1988 and after, according to TRA86. The maximum capital gain rate was raised to 35 percent when the highest corporate rate bracket was increased in 1993.

SOURCE: Blakey, Roy G. and Blakey, Gladys C. (1940), The Federal Income Tax, New York. Gravelle, Jane G. (1994), The Economic Effects of Taxing Capital Income, Appendix A, History of Capital Income Taxation in the United States. MIT. Internal Revenue Service, Form 1120 series and Instructions, various years. Internal Revenue Service, Statistics of Income for 1949, Part 2, Appendix A. U. S. Congress, Joint Committee on Taxation, Explanations of various tax acts, published after each major tax act since the 1960's. U. S. Senate, Committee on the Budget, Tax Expenditures: Compendium of Background Materials on Individual Provisions, published periodically.

# SOI Sampling Methodology and Data Limitations 

Appendix

$T$his appendix discusses typical sampling procedures used in most Statistics of Income (SOI) programs. Aspects covered briefly include sampling criteria, selection techniques, methods of estimation, and sampling variability. Some of the nonsampling error limitations of the data are also described, as well as the tabular conventions employed.

Additional information on sample design and data limitations for specific SOI studies can be found in the separate SOI reports (see pages 259-269 at the end of this Bulletin). More technical information is available, on request, by writing to the Director, Statistics of Income Division RAS:S, Internal Revenue Service, P.O. Box 2608, Washington, DC 20013-2608.

## Sample Criteria and Selection of Returns

Statistics compiled for the SOI studies are generally based on stratified probability samples of income tax returns or other forms filed with the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). The statistics do not reflect any changes made by the taxpayer through an amended return or by the IRS as a result of an audit. As returns are filed and processed for tax purposes, they are assigned to sampling classes (strata) based on such criteria as: industry, presence or absence of a tax form or schedule, and various income factors or other measures of economic size (such as total assets, total receipts, size of gift, and size of estate). The samples are selected from each stratum over the appropriate filing periods. Thus, sample selection can continue for a given study for several calendar years--3 for corporations because of the incidence of fiscal (non-calendar) year reporting and extensions of filing time. Because sampling must take place before the population size is known precisely, the rates of sample selection within each stratum are fixed. This means, in practice, that both the population and the sample size can differ from those planned. However, these factors do not compromise the validity of the estimates.

The probability of a return's selection depends on its sample class or stratum and may range from a fraction of 1 percent to 100 percent. Considerations in determining the selection probability for each stratum include the number of returns in the stratum, the diversity of returns in the

[^98]stratum, and interest in the stratum as a separate subject of study. All this is subject to constraints based on the estimated processing costs or the target size of the total sample for the program.

For most SOI studies, returns are designated by computer from the IRS Master Files based on the taxpayer identification number (TIN), which is either the Social Security number (SSN) or the Employer Identification Number (EIN). A fixed and essentially random number is associated with each possible TIN. If that random number falls into a range of numbers specified for a return's sample stratum, then it is selected and processed for the study. Otherwise, it is counted (for estimation purposes), but not selected. In some cases, the TIN is used directly by matching specified digits of it against a predetermined list for the sample stratum. A match is required for designation.

Under either method of selection, the TIN's designated from one year's sample are, for the most part, selected for the next year's, so that a very high proportion of the returns selected in the current year's sample are from taxpayers whose previous years' returns were included in earlier samples. This longitudinal character of the sample design improves the estimates of change from one year to the next.

## Method of Estimation

As noted above, the probability with which a return is selected for inclusion in a sample depends on the sampling rate prescribed for the stratum in which it is classified. "Weights" are computed by dividing the count of returns filed for a given stratum by the number of population sample returns for that same stratum. These weights are usually adjusted for unavailable returns, outliers, or trimming weights. Weights are used to adjust for the various sampling rates used, relative to the population-the lower the rate, the larger the weight. For some studies, it is possible to improve the estimates by subdividing the original sampling classes into "post-strata," based on additional criteria or refinements of those used in the original stratification. Weights are then computed for these poststrata using additional population counts. The data on each sample return in a stratum are

Sample returns are designated by computer from the IRS Master Files
based on the
taxpayer identifica-
fion number.

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then multiplied by that weight. To produce the tabulated estimates, the weighted data are summed to produce the published statistical totals.

## In transcribing and tabulating dafa <br> from tax returns, <br> checks are imposed <br> to improve the <br> quality of the <br> statistics.

## Sampling Variability

The particular sample used in a study is only one of a large number of possible random samples that could have been selected using the same sample design. Estimates derived from the different samples usually vary. The standard error of the estimate is a measure of the variation among the estimates from all possible samples and is used to measure the precision with which an estimate from a particular sample approximates the average result of the possible samples. The sample estimate and an estimate of its standard error permit the construction of interval estimates with prescribed confidence that this interval includes the actual population value.

In SOI reports, the standard error is not directly presented. Instead, the ratio of the standard error to the estimate itself is presented in percentage form. This ratio is called the coefficient of variation (CV). The user of SOI data may multiply an estimate by its CV to recreate the standard error and to construct confidence intervals.

For example, if a sample estimate of 150,000 returns is known to have a coefficient of variation of 2 percent, then the following arithmetic procedure would be followed to construct a 68 -percent confidence interval estimate:

$$
\begin{aligned}
150,000 & \text { (sample estimate) } \\
x 0.02 & \text { (coefficient of variation) } \\
=3,000 & \text { (standard error of estimate) }
\end{aligned}
$$

then:
150,000 (sample estimate)

+ or - 3,000 (standard error)
$=\{147,000,153,000\} \quad$ (68-percent confidence interval).
Based on these data, the interval estimate is from 147 to 153 thousand returns. This means that the average estimate of the number of returns lies within an interval computed in this way. Such an estimate would be correct for approximately two-thirds of all possible samples similarly
selected. To obtain this interval estimate with 95-percent confidence, the standard error should be multiplied by 2 before adding to and subtracting from the sample estimate. (In this particular case, the resulting interval would be from 144 to 156 thousand returns.)

Further details concerning sample design, sample selection, estimation method, and sampling variability for a particular SOI study may be obtained, on request, by writing to the Director, Statistics of Income Division, at the address given above.

## Nonsampling Error Controls and Limitations

Although the previous discussion focuses on sampling methods and the limitations of the data caused by sampling error, there are other sources of error that may be significant in evaluating the usefulness of SOI data. These include taxpayer reporting errors and inconsistencies, processing errors, and the effects of any early cutoff of sampling. Additional information on nonsampling error as it applies to individual and corporation income tax returns is presented in the separate SOI reports on these returns.

In transcribing and tabulating the information from returns or forms selected for the sample, steps are taken to improve the quality of the resultant estimates. Tax return data may be disaggregated or recombined during the statistical abstracting and "editing" process that takes place in IRS submission processing centers. This is done to improve data consistency from return to return and to achieve definitions of the data items more in keeping with the needs of major users. In some cases, not all of the data are available from the tax return as originally filed. Sometimes, the missing data can be obtained by the Statistics of Income Division in Washington, DC, through field followup. More often, though, they are obtained through manual or computerized imputation. For this purpose, other information in the return or in accompanying schedules may be sufficient to serve as the basis for making an estimate. Prior-year data for the same taxpayer can be used for this same purpose; or comparable data from business reference books may be substituted.

Data abstracted or "edited" from returns for statistical use are subjected to a number of validation checks, including systematic verifications of a sampling of the work of each tax examiner involved in the SOI process. Data

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reported on sampled returns and previously transcribed as part of processing for the IRS Master Files are subject to validation as part of the administrative process before SOI processing begins. However, during the administrative process, it is only practical to transcribe corrections to errors that have a direct bearing on the tax reported or the refund claimed. Therefore, during the SOI process, checks must also be made to correct any errors or inconsistencies left in the administrative data before the data can be accepted for the statistics.

The Statistics of Income program includes many more tax return items than are transcribed and perfected for IRS tax administration needs, especially for items reported in tax return schedules in support of the various summary totals reported on the return. Therefore, checks must also be designed to validate these additional data items and to assure that they are consistent with other data entries.

Most of the data validation checks made during the SOI process take the form of computerized tests of each record. In addition to verifying that internal consistency and proper balance and relationships among the tax return items and statistical classifications are maintained, this process is intended to check on consistency with tax law provisions, acceptable reporting practices, and generally accepted accounting principles. Most testing occurs during the data abstracting and editing operation, while the tax return source document is still on hand, although some testing for certain programs occurs later on. Records failing the tests are subjected to further review and correction.

Finally, before publication, the statistics are reviewed for accuracy and reasonableness in light of the tax law provisions, taxpayer reporting variations and other limitations, tolerances and statistical techniques allowed or employed in data processing and estimating, economic conditions, and comparability with other statistical series. However, these controls do not completely eliminate the possibility of error. When discovered, errors in Bulletin tables are corrected, usually through published errata.

## Table Conventions

Published estimates subject to excessive sampling variability are identified for most of the statistics by means of an asterisk (*) presented alongside the estimate or in place of an estimate. Presence of an asterisk means that the sampling rate was less than 100 percent of the population and that there were fewer than 10 sample observations available for estimation purposes. This method produces a rough indication of excessive sampling variability. However, the results will differ somewhat from more precise indicators of excessive sampling variability based on the standard statistical formula. For some of the statistics based on samples, asterisking was not possible because of resource and other constraints. Users should keep this limitation in mind when using these data.

A dash, in place of a frequency or an amount, in any given table cell presenting data based on an SOI sample, indicates either that (1) there were no returns in the population with the particular characteristic, or (2) because of its rarity, instances of the characteristic were not present among the sampled returns. However, for statistics based on returns selected for the sample at the 100-percent rate, a dash indicates a presumption of no returns with the particular characteristic in the population.

In addition to sampling variability, Statistics of Income is required to prevent disclosure of information about specific taxpayers or businesses in its tables. Therefore, a weighted frequency (and the associated amount, where applicable) of less than 3 is either combined with data in an adjacent cell(s) so as to meet the criteria, or deleted altogether. Similar steps are taken to prevent indirect disclosure through subtraction. However, any combined or deleted data are included in the appropriate totals. (A double asterisk is used in a cell where a frequency or amount has been deleted.) Most data on tax-exempt, nonprofit organizations are excluded from disclosure review because the Internal Revenue Code and regulations permit public access to most of the information reported by these organizations.

## SOI Projects and Contacts

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| Planned Projects, Year* | Primary Analysts | Frequency and Program Content |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Americans living Abroad: <br> 2001 Program | Jeff Curry <br> Maureen Keenan Kahr | This periodic study is conducted every 5 years. It covers <br> foreign income, foreign taxes paid, and foreign tax credit <br> shown on individual income tax returns. Data are classified <br> by size of adjusted gross income and country. |

## Controlled Foreign Corporations:

| 2002 Program | Catterson Oh |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2004 Program | Randy Miller |

## Controlled Foreign Partnerships:

2000 Program
2004 Program

## Corporation Foreign Tax Credit:

| 2002 Program | Scott Luttrell |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2003 Program | Rob Singmaster |
| 2004 Program | Scott Luttrell |

2004 Program
Scott Luttrell

This semiannual study provides data on activities of foreign corporations that are controlled by U.S. corporations. Data are classified by industry group and country.

This study provides data on activities of foreign partnerships that are controlled by U.S. corporations or partnerships. Frequency of this study has not been determined.

| Corporation Income Tax Returns: <br> 2003 Program <br> Glenn Hentz <br> Gabe Schneider <br> Bill Rush <br> Gabe Schneider | Basic data are produced annually and cover complete <br> income statement, balance sheet, tax, tax credits, and <br> details from supporting schedules. Data are classified <br> chiefly by industry group or asset size. |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Entity Classification Election <br> ("Check-the-Box"): | John Comisky | This annual study includes data from all Entity <br> Classification Elections including the type of election, and <br> whether the entity is foreign or domestic. |

## Estate Tax:

2004-2006 Program
Martha Eller
Brian Raub

This annual study provides data on foreign income, taxes paid, and foreign tax credit reported on corporation foreign income tax returns. Data are classified by industry group and country.

Basic data are produced annually and cover complete income statement, balance sheet, tax, tax credits, and
 chiefly by industry group or asset size.

This annual study includes data from all Entity whether the entity is foreign or domestic.

This annual study includes information on a gross estate and its composition, deductions, and tax; and information on the age, sex, and marital status of decedents. Basic estate tax return data by year in which returns are filed are produced each year. Also included are data on nonresident aliens who had more than $\$ 60,000$ of assets in the United States. Other statistics are available on a year-of-death basis (approximately every 3 years). The most recent study is based on decedents who died in 2004 with returns filed in 2004-2006. The most recent data available are for returns filed in 2004.
Excise Taxes: Eric Henry

Basic data are collected and processed by three Department of the Treasury agencies: the Internal Revenue Service, the Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau (formerly the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives), and the Customs Service. Data by type of tax are shown by Fiscal Year (FY) for 1997-2004, quarterly for FY 2004, and for the first three quarters of FY 2005.

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| Planned Projects, Year* | Primary Analysts | Frequency and Program Content |
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| Exempt Organizations (Charitable and Other, Except Private Foundations): <br> 2002 Program <br> 2003 Program <br> 2004 Program | Paul Arnsberger | This annual study includes balance sheet and income statement data for organizations classified as tax-exempt under subsections 501(c)(3)-(9) of the Internal Revenue Code. The most recent data are for Reporting Year 2002 returns filed in Calendar Years 2003-2004. |
| Exempt Organizations (Private Foundations): <br> 2002 Program <br> 2003 Program <br> 2004 Program | Melissa Ludlum | This annual study includes balance sheet and income statement data for domestic private foundations and charitable trusts filing a Form 990-PF. The most recent data are for Reporting Year 2002 returns filed in Calendar Years 2003-2004. |
| Exempt Organizations Unrelated Business Income: <br> 2002 Program <br> 2003 Program <br> 2004 Program | Peggy Riley | This annual study includes tabulations of "unrelated business" income and deductions for organizations classified as tax-exempt under the Internal Revenue Code. The most recent data are for Reporting Year 2002 returns filed in Calendar Years 2003-2004. |


| Foreign-Controlled Domestic <br> Corporations: <br> 2002 Program | James Hobbs | This annual study covers domestic corporations with 50- <br> percent-or-more stock ownership by a single foreign <br> "person." It covers balance sheet, income statement, and <br> tax-related data, which are classified by industry group, <br> country, and size and age of the corporations. Data are <br> compared to those for other domestic corporations. |
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| Foreign Recipients of U.S. Income: <br> 2003 Program | Scott Luttrell | This annual study provides data by country on income <br> paid to nonresident aliens and the amount of tax withheld <br> for the U.S. Government. |
| Foreign Trusts: <br> 2002 Program | This periodic study, conducted every 4 years, provides data <br> on foreign trusts that have U.S. "persons" as grantors, <br> transferors, or beneficiaries. Data include country where <br> the trust was created, value of transfer to the trust, and year <br> the trust was created. The most recent study is for Tax |  |
| Year 1998. |  |  |


| Planned Projects, Year* | Primary Analysts | Frequency and Program Content |
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| Individual Income Tax Return <br> Public-Use File: | Mario Fernandez <br> Mike Weber | Microdata on CD-ROM's are produced annually and contain <br> detailed information obtained from the individual income <br> tax return statistics program, with identifiable taxpayer <br> information omitted to make the file available for public <br> dissemination on a reimbursable basis. |


| Individual Income Tax Returns: |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2003 Program Maureen Keenan Kahr <br> 2004 Program Jeff Curry <br> 2005 Program Mike Strudler |  |

Basic data are produced annually and cover income, deductions, tax, and credits reported on individual income tax returns and associated schedules. Data are classified by size of adjusted gross income, marital status, or type of tax computation.

## Individual Income Tax Rełurns Special Tabulations:

| Individuals | Mike Strudler |
| :--- | :--- |
| Sole Proprietorships | Mario Fernandez |

Special tabulations of selected individual income, deduction,

## Interest-Charge Domestic <br> International Sales Corporations (IC-DISC's): <br> 2004 Program

Dan Holik

## International Boycott Reports:

| 2003 Program | Lawrence Sao |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2004 Program | Lissa Redmiles |

These corporations replaced the Domestic International Sales Corporations, or DISC's, as of 1985. Balance sheet, income statement, and export-related data are tabulated every 4 years. The most recent study is for Tax Year 2000.

| Migration Flow and County <br> Income Data: | Emily Gross | Migration flow data (based on year-to-year changes in <br> individual income tax return addresses) and county or <br> State income data are available annually on a reimbursable <br> basis. The most recent data are for 2003-2004. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Occupation Studies: | Terry Nuriddin | This periodic study classifies individual income tax returns <br> by occupation and contains a dictionary of occupational <br> titles that can be used to enhance the economic data of <br> other individual income tax return studies. |
| Partnership Returns of Income: | Tim Wheeler <br> Nina Shumofsky | Basic data, produced annually, cover income statement, <br> balance sheet, and details from supporting schedules. <br> Data are classified chiefly by industry group. |

## Partnership Withholding Study:

2002 Program

This annual study includes data on U.S. partnership payments to foreign partners. Data are classified by country and recipient type.

| Planned Projects, Year* | Primary Analysts | Frequency and Program Content |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Personal Wealth Study: Barry Johnson <br> Martha Eller <br> Brian Raub <br> This periodic study provides estimates of personal <br> wealth of top wealth holders that are generated from estate <br> tax return data using the "estate multiplier" technique, in <br> conjunction with both filing-year and year-of-death estate <br> data bases. The most recent data, 2001, are based on returns <br> filed from 2001 to 2003.  |  |  |


| S Corporations: | Kelly Luttrell <br> Matt Scoffic | Annual study data are collected for the income statement <br> and balance sheet, and from supporting schedules. Data <br> are classified by industry group or asset size. |
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## Sales of Capital Assets:

2003 Program
2004 Program
2005 Program

Janette Wilson

Sules of U.S. Real Property Interest by Foreign Persons:

2002 Program
Chris Carson

## Sole Proprietorships:

2003 Program
2004 Program
2005 Program

Mike Parisi
Kevin Pierce

This periodic study provides detailed data on the sales of capital assets reported in the capital gains schedule of the individual income tax return, and on sales of residences and personal or depreciable business property.

| Split-Interest Trust Information |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Return: |  |
| 2003 Program | Lisa Schreiber |
| 2004 Program |  |
| 2005 Program |  |

This annual study provides data on transfers of U.S. real property interests acquired from foreign "persons." Data include the amount realized on transfers, U.S. tax withheld, and countries of foreign persons.

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| Planned Projects, Year* | Primary Analysts | Frequency and Program Content |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Transactions of Foreign- <br> Controlled Corporations: <br> 2002 Program | Will Jauquet | This biennial study includes data on transactions between <br> U.S. corporations and their foreign owners. Data are classi- <br> fied by country and industry group. |
| U.S. Possessions Corporations: <br> 2003 Program <br> 2005 Program | Dan Holik | This periodic study, planned for every 2 years, provides data <br> on income statements, balance sheets, tax, and "possessions <br> tax credit" for qualifying U. S. possessions corporations. <br> (Most of these corporations are located in Puerto Rico.) |
| ZIP Code Area Data: | Emily Gross | Statistics on CD-ROM show number of individual income tax <br> returns, exemptions, and several income items by State and |
| Mike Weber | 5-digit ZIP code. Data are available for 2002 on a reimbursable <br> basis. (Data for Tax Years 1991, 1998, and 2001 are also <br> available, free of charge, on the IRS Web site: <br> http://www.irs.gov/taxstats/article/0,,id=96947,00.html.) |  |

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## SOI Products \& Services

statistics of Income (SOI) data are available in electronic formats and in printed publications. For further information on any of the following products and services, or for answers to questions on the availability of SOI data, other statistical services, or release dates for data, contact SOI's Statistical Information Services (SIS) Office:

## Statistical Information Services (sis@irs.gov) Statistics of Income Division Internal Revenue Service <br> P.O. Box 2608 • Washington, DC 20013-2608 (202) 874-0410 • Fax: (202) 874-0964

As its name implies, SIS is best able to answer questions about data. It does not supply tax forms or information about the status of an individual's tax refund or audit examination. Media requests should be directed to the IRS Media Relations Branch, Communications Division, on (202)622-4000.

## Electronic Products and Services

## Products Available Free on the Internet

SOI's Internet site offers a combination of files presenting SOI tables, articles about SOI data, and information about SOI products and services, as well as non-SOI products, including annual IRS Data Book tables, Compliance Research projections, and nonprofit Master File microdata records. At present, over 4,204 files reside there.

Web site: www.irs.gov/taxstats.
There is also a direct link to our Web site from FedStats, the gateway to official statistics from the Federal Government: www.fedstats.gov.

## Tax Stats

On the Tax Stats Home Page you will find the following list of topics that will lead you to a wide range of tables, articles, and data that describe and measure elements of the U.S. tax system. There is also a link to check out What's New.

## Business Tax Statistics

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The following files are currently available on a reimbursable basis and include data from returns covering corporations, individuals, exempt organizations, and private foundations and charitable trusts. Most of these files are tabulations of aggregated data, but some are files of microdata records.

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## Corporation Income Tax Returns

## Corporation Source Book

A magnetic tape, PC -diskettes, or CD-ROM containing the tabular statistics from the Corporation Source Book, for years 1996-2002. Price is $\$ 1,500$ per year for 2001 and 2002; earlier years are $\$ 250$ per year. See also Printed Publications section below.

## Individual Income Tax Returns

## Individual Public-Use Microdata Files

These files include individual income tax returns for 1960, 1962, 1964, and 1966-2001. All of the files have been edited to protect the confidentiality of individual taxpayers. Publicuse files of individual income tax returns for 1960, 1962, 1964, and 1966-1991 are available for sale by writing to the Center for Electronic Records at the National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road, College Park, MD 20740-6001, or by calling (301)713-6630. Files for 1992 through 2001 are available on CD-ROM from the SOI Division. Price for the SOI microdata files is $\$ 4,000$ per year.

## County-to-County Migration Data

One table, based on the year-to-year changes in the addresses shown on the population of returns from the IRS Individual Master File system. This table presents data on migration patterns by county for the entire United States, including inflows and outflows. The data include the number of returns (which approximates the number of households); the number of personal exemptions (which approximates the population); total "adjusted gross income" (starting with 1995-1996); "median adjusted gross income" (starting with 1995-1996); total money income (for years 1992-1993 through 1995-1996); and median total money income (for years 1992-1993 through 1995-1996). Available for 1984-2004. Price is $\$ 200$ per year for the entire United States or $\$ 10$ per State per year. (All years for the entire United States are also available for \$500.)

## State-to-State Migration Data

One table, based on the year-to-year changes in the addresses shown on the population of returns from the IRS Individual Master File system. This table presents data on migration patterns by State for the entire United States, including inflows and outflows. The data include the number of returns (which approximates the number of households); the number of personal exemptions (which approximates the population); total "adjusted gross income" (starting with 1995-1996); "median adjusted gross income" (starting with 1995-1996); total money income(for
years 1992-1993 through 1995-1996); and median total money income (for years 1992-1993 through 1995-1996). Available for 1989-2004. Price is $\$ 50$ per year for the entire United States or $\$ 10$ per State per year.

## County Income Data

One table, based on the population of returns from the IRS Individual Master File system. This table presents data for adjusted gross income (total and for selected sources), number of returns (which approximates the number of households), and number of personal exemptions (which approximates the population). The data are presented by county (including State totals) and are available for 19892003 for the entire United States. Price is $\$ 50$ per year for the entire United States or $\$ 10$ per State per year.

## ZIP Code Area Dafa

Statistics are available for Income Year 2002 on CD-ROM showing the number of individual income tax returns; the total number of exemptions and number of dependent exemptions (which approximates population); adjusted gross income; salaries and wages; taxable interest; total tax; contributions; number of returns with Schedules $C$ and F; and number of returns with a Schedule A, by State and 5-digit ZIP code. Price is $\$ 500$ for the entire United States; \$25 for a single State. (Data for Income Years 1991, 1998, and 2001 are available free on SOI's Internet site.) Go to www.irs.gov, select the Tax Stats option; Individual Tax Statistics; Individual Income Tax; Zip Code Data (SOI) under Data by Geographic Areas.

## Tax-Exempt Organizations

## Compendium of Studies of Tax-Exempt Organizations, 1989-1998

This is a compilation of articles on SOI studies of charitable and other nonprofit organizations described in Internal Revenue Code sections 501(c)(3)-(c)(9), private foundations, charitable remainder trusts, and nonprofit organizations' unrelated business income. All of these articles were published previously in various issues of the Statistics of Income Bulletin. In addition, the Compendium includes papers on statistical sampling of tax-exempt organization returns, and other topics relating to tax-exempt organizations and philanthropy that were authored by IRS staff and others who use SOI study data for research. Available at no charge on CD-ROM.

## Microdata Records for Tax Year 2002

Microdata records of all Forms 990 and 990-EZ sampled for the annual SOI study of tax-exempt organizations. The

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samples include 17,569 Internal Revenue Code section 501(c)(3) organizations and 10,483 section 501(c)(4)-(9) organizations. All returns for organizations with assets of $\$ 30,000,000$ or more are included in the sample). Microdata records contain information on balance sheets and income statements, as well as weights (to estimate the population), for each organization. Available for download from SOI's Tax Stats Web site at www.irs.gov/taxstats/charitable stats/article/0,,id=97176,00.html, or may be purchased on CD-ROM for $\$ 20$.

## Microdata Records for Tax Years 1992-2001

Microdata records of all Forms 990 and 990-EZ sampled for the annual SOI study of tax-exempt organizations. Microdata records contain information on balance sheets and income statements, as well as weights (to estimate the population), for each organization. Available for download from SOI's Tax Stats Web site at www.irs.gov/ taxstats/charitable stats/article/0,,id=97176,00.html, or may be purchased on CD-ROM for $\$ 20$.

## Private Foundations (and Charitable Trusts)

## Microdata Records for Tax Year 2002

Microdata records of all Forms 990-PF sampled for the annual SOI study covering private foundations and Internal Revenue Code section 4947 (a)(1) charitable trusts. The file contains both operating and nonoperating foundations and trusts. The sample includes 6,301 returns. (All returns for organizations with assets of $\$ 10,000,000$ or more are included in the sample.) Microdata records contain information on revenue, expenses, assets, and distributions, as well as weights, for each foundation or trust. Available for download from SOI's Tax Stats Web site at www.irs.gov/taxstats/charitablestats/article/ 0, ,id=96996,00.hmtl, or may be purchased for $\$ 20$.

## Microdata Records for Tax Years 1992-2001

Microdata records of all Forms 990-PF sampled for the annual SOI study covering private foundations and Internal Revenue Code section 4947 (a)(1) charitable trusts. Microdata records contain information on revenue, expenses, assets, and distributions, as well as weights, for each foundation or trust. Available for download from SOI's Tax Stats Web site at www.irs.gov/taxstats/ charitablestats/article/0,,id=96996,00.hmtl, or may be purchased for \$20.

## Printed Publications

## Publications Available for Sale From GPO

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## IRS Data Book 2004

Annually, Publication 55B, Stock No. 048-004-02481-1 Price \$9

This volume pertains to Fiscal Year 2004-October 1, 2003, through September 30, 2004. The report provides data on collecting the revenue, enforcing the law, assisting the taxpayer, and managing the system, as well as lists and a chart about the structure and administration of the IRS itself.

## Statistics of Income (SOI) Bulletin

Quarterly, Publication 1136, Stock No. 748-005-00000-5 Subscription price: \$53; Single copy price: $\$ 39$

This series provides the earliest published financial statistics from individual and corporation income tax returns. The Bulletin also includes annual data on nonfarm sole proprietorships and partnerships, as well as periodic or special studies of particular interest to tax analysts, administrators, and economists. Historical tables include data from SOI, as well as tax collections and refunds by type of tax.

## Statistics of Income--2002, Corporation Income Tax Returns

Publication 16, Stock No. 048-004-02484-5
Price $\$ 45$
This report presents more comprehensive data on corporation income tax returns with accounting periods that ended

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July 2002 through June 2003 than those published earlier in the SOI Bulletin.
Presents information on:

- receipts

Classifies data by:

- deductions

■ industry

- net income
- taxable income
- incometax
- tax credits
- accounting period
- size of total assets

■ size of business receipts

- assets
- liabilities


## Statistics of Income--2003, <br> Individual Income Tax Returns

Publication 1304, Stock No. 048-004-02487-0
Price: \$36 Foreign \$50.40
This report presents more comprehensive and complete data on individual income tax returns for Tax Year 2003 than those published earlier in the SOI Bulletin.

Presents information on:
Classifies data by:
■ sources of income
■ exemptions
■ itemized deductions

- size of adjusted gross income
- tax computations


## Publications Available From SOI

Other SOI periodicals and one-time reports are available for sale from the Statistical Information Services Office. These reports include data from returns covering corporations, exempt organizations, international income and taxes, and estate taxes. The report from the IRS methodology reports series is available free while supplies last.

## Corporation Source Book, 2002

Publication 1053--Price: \$175, plus $\$ 10$ for shipping and handling

This 612-page document presents detailed income statement, balance sheet, tax, and selected items, by sector, major and minor industrial groups, and size of total assets for all returns and separately for returns with net income. Separate statistics on $S$ corporations are included by sector. Industry detail is based on the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS). The report, which underlies the Statistics of Income--Corporation Income Tax Returns publication, is part of an annual series and can be purchased in its entirety or by page.

- type of tax computation

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[^0]:    This data release was written by Brian Balkovic, an economist with the Individual Returns Analysis Section, under the direction of Jeff Hartzok, Chief.

[^1]:    Footnotes at end of figure

[^2]:    Kyle Mudry and Michael Parisi are economists with the Individual Returns Analysis Section. This article was prepared under the direction of Jeff Hartzok, Chief.

[^3]:    Number of taxable returns (column 2) divided by total number of returns (column 1).
    ${ }^{2}$ Average tax rate is "total income tax" (column 5) divided by adjusted gross income less deficit (AGI) (column 4).
    ${ }^{3}$ The average adjusted gross income (less deficit), average total income tax and average tax rate were calculated from unrounded data.
    ${ }^{4}$ Constant dollars were calculated using the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics' consumer price index for urban consumers (CPI-U, 1982-84=100). For 2003, the CPI-U = 184.0.
    ${ }^{5}$ These statistics are based on adjusted gross income less deficit (AGI) recomputed to reflect the 1979 Income Concept, thus enabling more valid comparisons to be made of the average tax rates among years. Changes in the definition of AGI among years render direct comparison of the unadjusted figures misleading. For additional information, see Statistics of Income--Individual Income Tax Returns, for 1986-2003. See Figure G for components of the 1979 Income Concept.

[^4]:    ${ }^{1}$ Less than 0.05 percent.
    ${ }^{2}$ Form 8814 was filed for a dependent child under age 14 for whom the parents made an election to report the child's investment income (if it was from interest or dividends totaling between $\$ 750$ and $\$ 7,500$ ) on the parents' income tax return. This rate classification is comprised of those returns with a tax liability only from the dependent's income.
    ${ }^{3}$ The 15 -percent capital gain rate also includes qualified dividends.
    ${ }^{4}$ Form 8615 was filed for a child under age 14 to report the child's investment income in excess of $\$ 1,500$. The returns in this rate classification are not distributed by tax rate. NOTE: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.

[^5]:    ${ }^{1}$ See Figures I-1and I-2 for the calculation of alternative minimum taxable income and the list of alternative minimum tax adjustments and preferences.
    ${ }^{2}$ Includes returns with adjusted gross deficit.
    NOTE: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.

[^6]:    ${ }^{1}$ Limited to 90 percent of AMTI, except when depletion is present on Form 6251. In this case, AMTI is recalculated, and the alternative tax net operating loss deduction is limited to 90 percent of the recomputed amount.

[^7]:    Footnotes at end of table

[^8]:    Footnotes at end of table.

[^9]:    Footnotes at end of table.

[^10]:    Footnotes at end of Table 6.

[^11]:    Footnotes at end of Table 6.

[^12]:    Footnotes at end of table.

[^13]:    The number of returns with negative adjusted gross income, i.e., returns with an adjusted gross deficit, and the corresponding amounts for adjusted gross deficit, were excluded from Tables 5 and 6. By excluding deficit returns, alternative minimum tax reported on some of these returns was also excluded. For Tax Year 2003 , there were 4,522 returns with no adjusted gross income that reported income tax, mostly alternative minimum tax, totaling $\$ 78.6$ million.
    ${ }^{2}$ For Table 5, constant dollars were calculated using the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics' consumer price index for urban consumers (CPI-U, 1982-84=100).
    ${ }^{3}$ Total income tax is the sum of income tax after credits and alternative minimum tax for 1999 and prior years (for 2000 and later years, alternative minimum tax is included in income tax before credits) on returns that showed a positive amount for adjusted gross income. Therefore, total income tax excludes alternative minimum tax, Form 8814 tax (tax on a child's interest or dividends), and Form 4972 tax (tax on lump-sum distributions from qualified retirement plans) reported on some returns with a negative amount for adjusted gross income. See also footnote 1 and Figure D.

    4 The average tax rate was computed by dividing total income tax (see footnote 3) by (positive) adjusted gross income.

[^14]:    Footnotes at end of Table 8.

[^15]:    Footnotes at end of Table 8.

[^16]:    Footnotes at end of table.

[^17]:    N/A--Not applicable
    ${ }^{1}$ For Table 7, constant dollars were calculated using the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics' consumer price index for urban consumers (CPI-U, 1982-84=100).
    ${ }^{2}$ Total income tax is the sum of income tax after credits and the alternative minimum tax for 1999 and prior years. For 2000 and following years, alternative minimum tax is included in income tax before credits (see Figure D).
    ${ }^{3}$ Average tax rate was computed by dividing total income tax (see footnote 2) by income, using the 1979 income concept (see text and Figure G).

[^18]:    Margaret Riley is a statistician with the Special Studies Special Projects Section. This article was prepared under the direction of Barry W. Johnson, Chief.

[^19]:    ${ }^{1}$ Organizations with gross unrelated business income (UBI) between $\$ 1,000$ (the filing threshold) and $\$ 10,000$ were not required to report itemized expenses and deductions, or to complete return schedules. Those with gross UBI over $\$ 10,000$ were required to fill out a more detailed "complete" return.
    ${ }^{2}$ Includes returns with deficits and returns with equal amounts of gross unrelated business income and total deductions
    ${ }^{3}$ Excludes cost of sales and services, which was subtracted from gross receipts from sales and services in computing gross profit from sales and services (GPSS). GPSS is a component of gross unrelated business income (upon which the filing requirement is based). Total cost of sales and services was $\$ 2.1$ billion for 1998 , $\$ 2.3$ billion for 2001 , and $\$ 2.4$ billion for 2002.
    NOTES: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding. See the Explanation of Selected Terms section of this article for definitions of gross unrelated business income, total deductions, unrelated business taxable income (less deficit), unrelated business income tax, and total tax

[^20]:    ${ }^{1}$ Detail does not add to total because some returns had allocations made to more than one deduction item.
    N/A--Not applicable. However, on returns with at least one allocation, 9.5 percent of the total amount of aggregate Other deductions was allocated to one or more specifically defined deduction items.

    NOTES: "High-income" Forms 990-T are those returns with gross unrelated business income of $\$ 500,000$ or more. "SOI" is the abbreviation for the Statistics of Income program of the Internal Revenue Service. Other deductions did not include any amounts of Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees, Excess exempt expenses, Excess readership costs, or Depletion. Therefore, no allocations to these categories were necessary. For the first three of these items, Form 990-T filers must provide detailed information on related schedules and then enter schedule totals in the itemized deductions statement. The schedule preparation requirement apparently discourages filers from including these items in Other deductions.

[^21]:    Tax-exempt organization types are based on the Internal Revenue Code section describing them. See the Appendix to this article for descriptions of the types of tax-exempt organizations.
    ${ }^{2}$ The term "charities" refers to tax-exempt organizations with purposes that are charitable, educational, scientific, literary, or religious in nature, or organizations that test for public safety or prevent cruelty to children or animals.
    NOTE: "High-income" Forms 990-T are those returns with gross unrelated business income of \$500,000 or more

[^22]:    ${ }^{1}$ All returns in the Form 990-T sample had gross unrelated business income of \$1,000 (the filing threshold) or more
    ${ }^{2}$ Adjusted UBI is derived from a combination of Form 990-T gross and net itemized UBI amounts, based on their correlation to the combination of gross and net UBI amounts required to be reported on Form 990.
    ${ }^{3}$ The amount of total UBI reported on Form 990, Part VII, does not equal gross UBI, net UBI, or adjusted UBI (within \$100 tolerance) reported on Form 990-T, Part I.

[^23]:    'For purposes of analysis, "small" charities hold less than $\$ 1$ million in book value of total assets; "medium"charities hold from $\$ 1$ million to less than $\$ 50$ million in book value of total assets; and "large" charities hold $\$ 50$ million or more in book value of total assets. ${ }^{2}$ For this analysis, Form 990 UBI in most cases was deemed not reconcilable with Form 990-T UBI if it did not match any gross UBI, adjusted UBI, or net UBI Form 990-T amount within a $\$ 100$ tolerance.

[^24]:    N/A--Not applicable.
    ${ }^{1}$ The Form 990-T sample included returns that were initially selected based on independent Form 990-T sampling criteria, and additional returns that were not initially selected but were subsequently matched to returns in the Forms 990 and $990-E Z$ sample of IRC section 501(c)(3) filers. Form 990-EZ may be completed by smaller organizations, those with gross receipts of less than $\$ 100,000$ and end-of-year assets of less than $\$ 250,000$.
    ${ }^{2}$ After excluding returns that were originally selected for the sample but later rejected, the sample size was 6,893 , and the estimated population size was 35,103 .

[^25]:    *Estimate should be used with caution because of the small number of sample returns on which it is based.
    **Data deleted to avoid disclosure of information for specific taxpayers. However, data are included in the appropriate totals
    ${ }^{1}$ Excludes cost of sales and services, which was subtracted from gross receipts from sales and services in computing gross profit from sales and services. Gross profit from sales and services was a component of gross unrelated business income (UBI). Cost of sales and services can include amounts attributable to depreciation, salaries and wages, and certain other deductible items. For all exempt organizations reporting gross UBI, cost of sales and services was $\$ 2.4$ billion.
    ${ }^{2}$ Includes both expenses and deductions reported on Form 990-T, lines 13(B) and 34, respectively.
    ${ }^{3}$ Includes only positive amounts of unrelated business taxable income.
    ${ }^{4}$ Total tax is the regular unrelated business income tax after reduction by any tax credits (foreign tax credit, general business credit, prior-year minimum tax credit, and other allowable credits), plus the "alternative minimum tax," the "proxy" tax on nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures, and "other" taxes. The proxy tax was reported on Form 990-T and was included in total tax; however, it had no connection to the tax on unrelated business income or an organization's involvement in unrelated business activities. For exempt organizations reporting gross UBI above the $\$ 1,000$ filing threshold, total proxy tax was $\$ 1.1$ million.
    ${ }^{5}$ Corporations that are organized under an Act of Congress and are instrumentalities of the United States, described in section 501(c)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code, are not subject to unrelated business income taxation.
    ${ }^{6}$ Prepaid legal service funds, previously described in section 501 (c)(20) of the Internal Revenue Code, were no longer tax-exempt, beginning with tax years after June 30 , 1992. Therefore, these organizations are not listed in this table.
    NOTES: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding. See the Appendix to this article for descriptions of the types of tax-exempt organizations filing Form 990-T, by the Internal Revenue Code section describing them.

[^26]:    ${ }^{1}$ Excludes cost of sales and services, which was subtracted from gross receipts from sales and services in computing gross profit from sales and services. Gross profit from sales and services was a component of gross unrelated business income (UBI). Cost of sales and services can include amounts attributable to depreciation, salaries and wages, and certain other deductible items. For all exempt organizations reporting gross UBI, cost of sales and services was $\$ 2.4$ billion.
    ${ }^{2}$ Includes both expenses and deductions reported on Form 990-T, lines $13(B)$ and 34, respectively.
    ${ }^{3}$ Total tax is the regular unrelated business income tax after reduction by any tax credits (foreign tax credit, general business credit, prior-year minimum tax credit, and other allowable credits), plus the "alternative minimum tax," the "proxy" tax on nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures, and "other" taxes. The proxy tax was reported on Form 990-T and was included in total tax; however, it had no connection to the tax on unrelated business income or an organization's involvement in unrelated business activities. For exempt organizations reporting gross UBI above the $\$ 1,000$ filing threshold, total proxy tax was $\$ 1.1$ million.
    ${ }^{4}$ The Zero category includes 7,873 returns with equal amounts of gross unrelated business income and total deductions. These returns are not included in the data shown in column 5

    NOTE: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding

[^27]:    ${ }^{1}$ Excludes cost of sales and services, which was subtracted from gross receipts from sales and services in computing gross profit from sales and services. Gross profit from sales and services was a component of gross unrelated business income (UBI). Cost of sales and services can include amounts attributable to depreciation, salaries and wages, and certain other deductible items. For exempt organizations reporting positive unrelated business taxable income, cost of sales and services was $\$ 710.6$ million, 99 percent of which was attributable to tax-exempt corporations.
    ${ }^{2}$ Includes both expenses and deductions reported on Form 990-T, lines 13(B) and 34, respectively.
    ${ }^{3}$ Total tax is the regular unrelated business income tax after reduction by any tax credits (foreign tax credit, general business credit, prior-year minimum tax credit, and other allowable credits), plus the "alternative minimum tax," the "proxy" tax on nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures, and "other" taxes. The proxy tax was reported on Form 990-T and was included in total tax; however, it had no connection to the tax on unrelated business income or an organization's involvement in unrelated business activities. For exempt organizations reporting positive unrelated business taxable income, total proxy tax was $\$ 0.4$ million.
    ${ }^{4}$ The gross unrelated business income (UBI) brackets of "\$1,000 under \$10,001" and "\$10,001 under \$100,000" reflect the different filing requirements for organizations with gross UBI of $\$ 10,000$ or less (not required to report itemized expenses and deductions, or to complete return schedules) and all other Form 990-T filers (required to file a more detailed "complete" return). Organizations with gross UBI below $\$ 1,000$ were not required to file Form 990-T.

    NOTE: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.

[^28]:    * Estimate should be used with caution because of the small number of sample returns on which it is based
    ${ }^{1}$ Excludes cost of sales and services, which was subtracted from gross receipts from sales and services in computing gross profit from sales and services. Gross profit from sales and services was a component of gross unrelated business income (UBI). Cost of sales and services can include amounts attributable to depreciation, salaries and wages, and certain other deductible items. For all exempt organizations reporting gross UBI, cost of sales and services was $\$ 2.4$ billion.
    ${ }^{2}$ Includes both expenses and deductions reported on Form 990-T, lines 13(b) and 34, respectively.
    ${ }^{3}$ Includes only positive amounts of unrelated business taxable income
    ${ }^{4}$ Total tax is the regular unrelated business income tax after reduction by any tax credits (foreign tax credit, general business credit, prior-year minimum tax credit, and other allowable credits), plus the "alternative minimum tax," the "proxy" tax on nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures, and "other" taxes. The proxy tax was reported on Form 990-T and was included in total tax; however, it had no connection to the tax on unrelated business income or an organization's involvement in unrelated business activities. For exempt organizations reporting gross UBI above the $\$ 1,000$ filing threshold, total proxy tax was $\$ 1.1$ million.
    ${ }^{5}$ See the Explanation of Selected Terms section of this article for definitions of Unrelated Debt-Financed Income, Investment Income (Less Loss), and Income from Controlled Organizations.
    ${ }^{6}$ Section 501 (c)(7) organizations are social and recreational clubs; section 501(c)(9) organizations are voluntary employees' beneficiary associations; and section 501(c)(17) organizations are supplemental unemployment benefit trusts

    NOTE: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.

[^29]:    Footnotes at end of table.

[^30]:    * Estimate should be used with caution because of the small number of sample returns on which it is based
    **Data in adjacent size classes are combined to avoid disclosure of information about specific taxpayers.
    ${ }^{1}$ Excludes cost of sales and services, which was subtracted from gross receipts from sales and services in computing gross profit from sales and services. Gross profit from sales and services was a component of gross unrelated business income (UBI). Cost of sales and services can include amounts attributable to depreciation, salaries and wages, and certain other deductible items. For all exempt organizations reporting gross UBI, cost of sales and services was $\$ 2.4$ billion.
    ${ }^{2}$ Includes both expenses and deductions reported on Form 990-T, lines 13(B) and 34, respectively.
    ${ }^{3}$ Organizations with gross UBI between $\$ 1,000$ (the filing threshold) and $\$ 10,000$ were required to report only totals for expenses and deductions (except for the specific deduction and net operating loss deduction, which all organizations reported separately). Organizations with gross UBI over $\$ 10,000$ were required to report each expense and deduction item separately, as shown in columns 14 through $45,48,49$, and 54 through 59.
    ${ }^{4}$ Excludes $\$ 48.5$ million of cost of sales and services reported by organizations with gross UBI of $\$ 10,000$ or less. See footnote 1 for explanation.
    ${ }^{5}$ Excludes $\$ 2.3$ billion of cost of sales and services reported by organizations with gross UBI over $\$ 10,000$. See footnote 1 for explanation.
    ${ }^{6}$ This deduction was required to be reported as a lump-sum total only and may have included component deductions that were of the same type shown elsewhere in this table. For example, if deductions "allocable to rental income" included depreciation, then that amount of depreciation would not be included in the separately reported item, "depreciation."
    Therefore, the total amount shown for some of the separately reported deductions may be understated.
    ${ }^{7}$ Reported by Internal Revenue Code section 501(c)(7), (9), and (17) organizations only.
    ${ }^{8}$ Includes excess exempt-activity expenses from Form 990-T, Schedule I, and excess readership costs from Form 990-T, Schedule J
    NOTE: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.

[^31]:    William P. Jauquet is an economist with the Corporation Research Section, Corporation Statistics Branch. This article was prepared under the direction of Ken Szeflinski, Chief.

[^32]:    . Amorn ${ }^{1}$ Includes data for a few foreign life insurance companies filing Form 1120L. See footnote 11 at the end of this article.
    ${ }^{2}$ Includes items not shown separately.
    NOTE: Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.

[^33]:    ${ }^{1}$ Includes 12,705 returns of Forms 1120-F (which are foreign corporations doing business in the US.)
    ${ }^{2}$ Includes data for a few foreign life insurance corporations filing Form 1120-L. See footnote 11 at the end of this article.

[^34]:    ** In order to avoid disclosure of information for specific corporations, these data have been deleted. Data are included in appropriate totals

[^35]:    Footnotes at the end of table.

[^36]:    ${ }^{1}$ Selected country data have been deleted to prevent disclosure of information for individual taxpayers. However, the data are included in the appropriate totals. NOTES: OPEC is the abbreviation for the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries. Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.

[^37]:    Footnotes at end of table.

[^38]:    Footnotes at end of table.

[^39]:    Footnotes at end of table.

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[^42]:    Footnotes at end of table.

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[^46]:    Barry W. Johnson is Chief, Special Studies Special Projects Section, and Brian G. Raub is an economist with the same section. This article was prepared under the direction of Janet McCubbin, Chief, Special Studies Branch.

[^47]:    ${ }^{1}$ Millionaires are defined as individuals with net worth of $\$ 1$ million or more.
    ${ }^{2}$ Statistics on U.S. Population, by State, for 2001 were obtained from the U.S. Bureau of the Census, "Population by State," published online at: http://www.census.gov/popest/states.

[^48]:    ${ }^{1}$ Millionaires are defined as individuals with net worth of $\$ 1$ million or more.
    ${ }^{2}$ Statistics on U.S. Population, by State, for 2001 were obtained from the U.S. Bureau of the Census, "Population by State," published online at: http://www.census.gov/popest/states.

[^49]:    Net worth class
    (constant 2001 dollars)

[^50]:    ${ }^{1}$ Includes publicly traded as well as closely held stock.
    ${ }^{2}$ Includes individual retirement accounts, annuities, and self-employed retirement or Keogh plans.
    ${ }^{3}$ Includes noncorporate businesses, farms, and limited partnerships.

[^51]:    Footnotes at end of table.

[^52]:    ${ }^{1}$ Includes individuals with zero net worth.
    ${ }^{2}$ Mutual funds with a single investment objective are grouped with similar direct investments in this table.
    ${ }^{3}$ Includes individual retirement accounts, annuities, and self-employed retirement or Keogh plans.

[^53]:    Footnotes at end of table.

[^54]:    ${ }^{1}$ Includes individuals with zero net worth.
    ${ }^{2}$ Less than $\$ 500,000$.
    ${ }^{3}$ Mutual funds with a single investment objective are grouped with similar direct investments in this table.
    ${ }^{4}$ Includes individual retirement accounts, annuities, and self-employed retirement or Keogh plans.

[^55]:    Footnotes at end of table.

[^56]:    ${ }^{1}$ Includes individuals with zero net worth.
    ${ }^{2}$ Mutual funds with a single investment objective are grouped with similar direct investments in this table.
    ${ }^{3}$ Includes individual retirement accounts, annuities, and self-employed retirement or Keogh plans.

[^57]:    Footnotes at end of table.

[^58]:    Mutual funds with a single investment objective are grouped with similar direct investments in this table.
    ${ }^{2}$ Includes individual retirement accounts, annuities, and self-employed retirement or Keogh plans.

[^59]:    Footnotes at end of table

[^60]:    ${ }^{1}$ Mutual funds with a single investment objective are grouped with similar direct investments in this table.
    ${ }^{2}$ Includes individual retirement accounts, annuities, and self-employed retirement or Keogh plans.

[^61]:    Footnotes at end of figure.

[^62]:    Footnotes at end of table.

[^63]:    ${ }^{1}$ Estimated based on information available as of August 2005
    ${ }^{2}$ Grand total is the sum of total primary returns and supplemental documents.
    ${ }^{3}$ Total primary returns is the sum of all returns, excluding supplemental documents.
    ${ }^{4}$ "Individual, total" is the sum of paper and electronic Forms 1040, 1040A, 1040EZ, 1040NR, 1040PR, and 1040SS.
    ${ }^{5}$ Forms 1040/A/EZ is the sum of the paper and electronic Forms 1040, 1040A, and 1040EZ.
    ${ }^{6}$ "Employment, total" includes paper, magnetic tape and electronic Forms 940, 940EZ, 940PR, 941, 941E, 941PR, 941SS, 943, 943PR, 944, 945, and CT-1
    ${ }^{7}$ Form 1042 is the Annual Withholding Tax Return for U.S. Source Income of Foreign Persons.
    ${ }^{8}$ "Exempt organization, total" includes Forms 990, 990EZ, 990PF, 990T, 4720, and 5227.
    ${ }^{9}$ "Exempt organization, total" excludes Form 990C.
    ${ }^{10}$ Form 8752 is Required Payment or Refund Under Section 7519, a computation of payment or refund by partnership or S corporation.
    ${ }^{11}$ Supplemental documents consist mainly of applications for extensions of time to file and amended tax returns.
    NOTE: Details may not add to totals because of rounding.

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[^99]:    *Most projects shown are currently in progress and, therefore, may not be completed. Many of the data release dates, i.e., the months in which the Statistics of Income Division expects to release data to users, ahead of publication, on request, are published annually in the Fall issue of the SOI Bulletin. For more information about data availability for a particular project, call or fax the numbers shown at the top of the page.

