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Federal Income Tax	
Single Filers	
\$0 - \$11,600	10.0%
\$11,600 - \$47,150	12.0%
\$47,150 - \$100,525	22.0%
\$100,525 - \$191,950	24.0%
\$191,950 - \$243,725	32.0%
\$243,725 - \$609,350	35.0%
> \$609,350	37.0%
Married Filing Jointly	
\$0 - \$23,200	10.0%
\$23,200 - \$94,300	12.0%
\$94,300 - \$201,050	22.0%
\$201,050 - \$383,900	24.0%
\$383,900 - \$487,450	32.0%
\$487,450 - \$731,200	35.0%
> \$731,200	37.0%
Married Filing Separately	
\$0 - \$11,600	10.0%
\$11,600 - \$47,150	12.0%
\$47,150 - \$100,525	22.0%
\$100,525 - \$191,950	24.0%
\$191,950 - \$243,725	32.0%
\$243,725 - \$365,500	35.0%
> \$365,600	37.0%
Head of Household	
\$0 - \$16,500	10.0%
\$16,550 - \$63,100	12.0%
\$63,100 - \$100,500	22.0%
\$100,500 - \$191,950	24.0%
\$191,950 - \$243,700	32.0%
\$243,700 - \$609,350	35.0%
> \$609,350	37.0%
Trusts and Estates	
\$0 - \$3,100	10.0%
\$3,100 - \$11,150	24.0%
\$11,150 - \$15,200	35.0%
> \$15,200	37.0%

Standard Deductions	
Single	\$14,600
Married filing jointly	\$29,200
Married filing separately	\$12,950
Head of household	\$21,900
65 or older or blind	\$1,550 if married
65 or older and blind	\$3,100 if married
(additional standard deduction amount)	
\$1,950 if single and not	a surviving spouse
Personal exemption	\$0

Qualifying dependents other than qualifying children

Head of Household

*Opt-in community property state

\$0 - \$62.999

Capital Gain & Dividend Rates (Long-Term*)			
Single	Married Filing Jointly		
\$0 - \$47,024	0%	\$0 - \$94,049	0%
\$47,025 - \$518,899	15%	\$94,050 - \$583,749	15%
≥ \$518,900	20%	≥ \$583,750	20%
Collectibles	28%		

Married Filing

Separately

0% \$0 - \$47,025

\$1,300 credit/dependent

or sum of \$450 and earned

income

0%

\$63,000 − \$551,349 ≥ \$551,350 *Short-term gains are ta	15% \$47,026 — \$29 20% \geq \$291,850 example 2 xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	1,849 15% 20%
Gift & Estate Tax		
Annual gift tax exclus	sion	\$18,000
Unified estate and gi	ft tax credit amount	\$13,610,000
Annual exclusion for spouse	gift to noncitizen	\$185,000
Highest estate and g	ift tax rate	40%
	ME, MN, NY, OR, RI, VT, V tax: IA, KY, NE, PA, MD, ates:	

Net Investment Income Tax (3.8% Medicare Surtax Thresholds)	
Tax Filing Status	
Single/Head of household	\$200,000
Married filing jointly	\$250,000
Married filing separately	\$125,000
Trusts and estates	\$15,200

Education	
529 Plan Contributions	
\$16,000 per year per child before gift tax*	
Accelerate 5 years of gifting into 1 year:	
Per individual	\$80,000
Per couple	\$160,000

Education Phaseouts Student Loan Interest Deductions

 $\label{lem:maximum} \begin{tabular}{ll} Maximum deduction for student loan interest is $2,500. \\ Deductions are phased out according to the following: \\ \end{tabular}$

Phase-out: Single return \$80,000 - \$95,000 Married, filing jointly \$165.000 - \$195.000

American Opportunity Credit/ Hope Scholarship Credit

Maximum \$2,500 (100% of first \$2,000 $\,+\,25\%$ of next \$2,000 of eligible expenses)

Phase-out: Married filing jointly \$160,000 - \$180,000Single \$80,000 - \$90,000

Credits	20% of qualified expenses up to \$10,000
Married filing jointly	\$160,000 - \$180,000
Single or HOH	\$80,000 - \$90,000

Coverdell Education Savings Accounts

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} Maximum Contribution of $2,000 \\ Married filing jointly & $190,000-$220,000 \\ Others & $95,000-$110,000 \\ \end{tabular}$

Retirement Plans	
Traditional IRA	
Contribution limit	\$7,00
50+ catch-up	\$1,000

Trad. IRA Deductibility Phaseout (MAGI)		
(Participants in employer plans))	
Married filing jointly	\$123,001 - \$142,999	
Married filing separately	\$0 - \$9,999	
Single/Head of household	\$77,001 - \$86,999	
Non-covered participant with a covered-participant spouse	\$230,001 - \$239,999	

Roth	IRA	Deductibility	Phaseout	(MAGI)

Married filing jointly \$230,000 - \$239,999Married filing separately \$0 - \$10,000Single/Head of household \$146,000 - \$160,999

Qualified Plans	
Employee 401(k), 403(b), 457(b) salary deferral under age 50*	\$23,000
50+ catch-up	\$7,500
SIMPLE salary deferral under age 50	\$16,000
50+ catch-up	\$3,500
Maximum contribution	\$69,000
Covered compensation limit	\$345,000
Highly compensated employee	\$155,000
Maximum employer percentage deduction limit (of eligible payroll)	25%
*Special catch-up rules may apply to some 403(b)	

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Social Security	
Taxable Wage Base	
Maximum earnings (during workings years) subject to payroll tax	\$168,600
Medicare (Hospital Insurance)	No limit
Retirement Earning Test	
Under full retirement age	\$22,320
Note: $\$1$ in benefits will be withheld for every $\$2$ in earnings	above the limit.
Year reaching full retirement age	\$59,520
Note: Applies only to earnings for months prior to attaining for	ull retirement age.

Taxability of Benefits							
(Based on provisional income and filing status)							
	Not Taxable	MAGI Up to 50%	MAGI Up to 85%				
Individual	< \$25,000	\$25,000 - \$34,000	> \$34,001				
Married filing jointly Married filing seperately	< \$32,000 up to	\$32,000 - \$44,000 MAGI 85% of benefits are taxab	> \$44,001 MAGI				

\$1 in benefits will be withheld for every \$3 in earnings above the limit.

OASDI (Social Security)	12.40%	6.2%
Medicare	2.90%	1.45%
Additional Medicare Tax*	0.90%	0.90%
	to effect in 2013 and applies to was ent income above a threshold amou	
Filing Status		Threshold
Married filing jointly		\$250,000+
Married filing separately		\$125,000+
Others		\$200,000 +

Self-Employed

Employee

Age to Receive Full Benefits								
Age When Benefits Begin	Full Retirement Age of 66	Full Retirement Age of 67						
62	75.0%	70.0%						
63	80.0%	75.0%						
64	86.7%	80.0%						
65	93.3%	86.7%						
66	100.0%	93.3%						
67	100.0%	100.0%						

Delayed Retirement Credits				
Accrues starting at full retirement age, until you start receiving benefits or reach age 70				
Birth Year	Annual Rate of Increase			
1943 or later	8.00% (¾ of 1% per month)			

Health Savings Accounts					
Contribution Limits					
Single	\$4,150				
Family	\$8,300				
Age 55+ catch-up	+\$1,000				

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Maximum earnings (during workings years) subject to payroll tax						
Min	Max. Out of Pocket					
Self-only	\$1,600	\$8,050				
Family	\$3,200	\$16,100				

Required Minimum Distributions (RMDs) Uniform Lifetime Table

This table is used to determine the required minimum distributions from IRAs and Qualified Plans during the owner's life in situations where the owner's spouse is either not the sole designated beneficiary or is the sole designated beneficiary but is not more than 10 years younger than the owner. (Joint Life Publication 590 if owner's spouse is more than 10 years younger.)

Age	Divisor								
72	27.4	79	21.1	86	15.2	93	10.1	100	6.4
73	26.5	80	20.2	87	14.4	94	9.5		
74	25.5	81	19.4	88	13.7	95	8.9		
75	24.6	82	18.5	89	12.9	96	8.4		
76	23.7	83	17.7	90	12.2	97	7.8		
77	22.9	84	16.8	91	11.5	98	7.3		
78	22.0	85	16.0	92	10.8	99	6.8		

Single Life Expectancy Table

This table may be used to determine the minimum amount of withdrawal that is required each year for an individual who inherits money as a designated beneficiary of an IRA. The individual must be specifically named as the beneficiary in order to use the table. If the estate is named, or if no individual(s) is named as the beneficiary of the IRA, the heirs will not be able to stretch out the withdrawals through the use of the single life table.

Age	Divisor								
39	46.7	50	36.2	61	26.2	72	17.2	83	9.3
40	45.7	51	35.3	62	25.4	73	16.4	84	8.7
41	44.8	52	34.3	63	24.5	74	15.6	85	8.1
42	43.8	53	33.4	64	23.7	75	14.8	86	7.6
43	42.9	54	32.5	65	22.9	76	14.1		
44	41.9	55	31.6	66	22.0	77	13.3		
45	41.0	56	30.6	67	21.2	78	12.6		
46	40.0	57	29.8	68	20.4	79	11.9		
47	39.0	58	28.9	69	19.6	80	11.2		
48	38.1	59	28.0	70	18.8	81	10.5		
49	37.1	60	27.1	71	18.0	82	9.9		

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1. Under age 19 with net unearmed income, or under age 24 if a full-time student whose earned income does not exceed half of his or her own support for the year.

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