

INCOME TAX

RATES OF TAX	2021/2022	2022/2023
Starting rate for savings*	0%	0%
Basic rate	20%	20%
Higher rate	40%	40%
Additional rate	45%	45%
Starting-rate limit	£5,000*	£5,000*
Threshold of taxable income above which higher rate applies	£37,700	£37,700
Threshold of taxable income above which additional rate applies	£150,000	£150,000

Child benefit charge:

1% of benefit per £100 of adjusted net income between £50,000 – £60,000

**Only applicable to savings income that falls within the first £5,000 of income in excess of the personal allowance*

Dividend Allowance	£2,000	£2,000
Dividend tax rates		
Basic rate	7.5%	8.75%
Higher rate	32.5%	33.75%
Additional rate	38.1%	39.35%
Trusts		
Standard rate band	£1,000	£1,000
Rate applicable to trusts		
- dividends	38.1%	39.35%
- other income	45%	45%

MAIN PERSONAL ALLOWANCES AND RELIEFS

Income limit for Personal Allowance §	£100,000	£100,000
Personal Allowance (basic) §	£12,570	£12,570
Married/civil partners (minimum) at 10% †	£3,530	£3,640
Married/civil partners at 10% †	£9,125	£9,415
Marriage Allowance	£1,260	£1,260
Income limit for Married Couple's Allowance †	£30,400	£31,400
Rent a Room scheme – tax free income allowance	£7,500	£7,500
Blind Person's Allowance	£2,520	£2,600
Enterprise Investment Scheme relief limit on £2,000,000 max**	30%	30%
Seed Enterprise Investment relief limit on £100,000 max	50%	50%
Venture Capital Trust relief limit on £200,000 max	30%	30%

§ the Personal Allowance reduces by £1 for every £2 of income above the income limit irrespective of age (under the income threshold).

† where at least one spouse/civil partner was born before 6 April 1935.

*** Investment above £1,000,000 must be in knowledge-intensive companies.*

Child Tax Credit (CTC)		
- Child element per child (maximum)	£2,845	£2,935
- family element	£545	£545
Threshold for tapered withdrawal of CTC	£16,480	£17,005

NATIONAL INSURANCE CONTRIBUTIONS

Class 1 Employee

Weekly

Lower Earnings Limit (LEL)	£123
Primary threshold	£242
Upper Earnings Limit (UEL)	£967

Total earnings £ per week

CLASS 1 EMPLOYEE CONTRIBUTIONS

Up to 242.00*	Nil
242.00* – 967.00	12%
Above 967.00	2%

**This is the primary threshold below which no NI contributions are payable. However, the lower earnings limit is £123 per week. This £123 to £242* band is a zero-rate band introduced in order to protect lower earners' rights to contributory State benefits e.g. the New State Pension.*

Total earnings £ per week

CLASS 1 EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS

Below 175.00**	Nil
175.00 – 967.00	13.8%
Excess over 967.00	13.8%

*** Secondary earnings threshold.*

Class 2 (self-employed)

Flat rate per week £3.15 where profits exceed £6,725 per annum.

Class 3 (voluntary)

Flat rate per week £15.85.

Class 4 (self-employed)

9.73% on profits between £11,908 and up to £50,270.

2.73% on profits above £50,270.

PENSIONS

TAX YEAR	LIFETIME ALLOWANCE
2006/2007	£1,500,000
2007/2008	£1,600,000
2008/2009	£1,650,000
2009/2010	£1,750,000
2010/2011	£1,800,000
2011/2012	£1,800,000
2012/2013 & 2013/2014	£1,500,000
2014/2015 & 2015/2016	£1,250,000
2016/2017 & 2017/2018	£1,000,000
2018/2019	£1,030,000
2019/2020	£1,055,000
2020/2021 – 2022/2023	£1,073,100

LIFETIME ALLOWANCE CHARGE

55% of excess over lifetime allowance if taken as a lump sum.

25% of excess over lifetime allowance if taken in the form of income.

ANNUAL ALLOWANCE

TAX YEAR	ANNUAL ALLOWANCE
2014/2015 – 2022/2023	£40,000*

**Reducing by £1 for every £2 of 'adjusted income' over £240,000 to a minimum of £4,000 if 'threshold income' is also over £200,000.*

MONEY PURCHASE ANNUAL ALLOWANCE	2021/2022	2022/2023
	£4,000	£4,000

ANNUAL ALLOWANCE CHARGE

20% – 45% determined by the member's taxable income and the amount of total pension input in excess of the annual allowance or money purchase annual allowance.

CAPITAL GAINS TAX

EXEMPTIONS	2021/2022	2022/2023
Individuals, estates etc	£12,300	£12,300
Trusts generally	£6,150	£6,150
Chattels proceeds (restricted to five thirds of proceeds exceeding limit)	£6,000	£6,000
TAX RATES		
Individuals:		
Up to basic rate limit	10%	10%
Above basic rate limit	20%	20%
Surcharge for residential property and carried interest	8%	8%
Trustees and Personal Representatives	20%	20%
Business Asset Disposal Relief* – Gains taxed at:	10%	10%
Lifetime limit	£1,000,000	£1,000,000

**For trading businesses and companies (minimum 5% employee or director shareholding) if held for at least two years.*

INHERITANCE TAX

RATES OF TAX ON TRANSFERS 2021/2022 2022/2023

Transfers made on death		
- Up to £325,000	Nil	Nil
- Excess over £325,000	40%	40%

Transfers		
- Lifetime transfers to and from certain trusts	20%	20%

A lower rate of 36% applies where at least 10% of deceased's net estate is left to a registered charity.

MAIN EXEMPTION

Transfers to		
- UK-domiciled spouse/civil partner	No limit	No limit
- non-UK-domiciled spouse/civil partner (from UK-domiciled spouse)	£325,000	£325,000
- main residence nil rate band*	£175,000	£175,000
- UK-registered charities	No limit	No limit

**Available for estates up to £2,000,000 and then tapered at the rate of £1 for every £2 in excess until fully extinguished.*

Lifetime transfers		
- Annual exemption per donor	£3,000	£3,000
- Small gifts exemption	£250	£250

Wedding/civil partnership gifts by		
- parent	£5,000	£5,000
- grandparent/bride and/or groom	£2,500	£2,500
- other person	£1,000	£1,000

100% relief: businesses, unlisted/AIM companies, certain farmland/building

50% relief: certain other business assets

Reduced tax charge on gifts within 7 years of death:

- Years before death	0-3	3-4	4-5	5-6	6-7
- Inheritance Tax payable	100%	80%	60%	40%	20%

Quick succession relief:

- Years since IHT paid	0-1	1-2	2-3	3-4	4-5
- Inheritance Tax relief	100%	80%	60%	40%	20%

PRIVATE VEHICLES USED FOR WORK

2021/2022 Rates

2022/2023 Rates

Cars

On the first 10,000 business miles in tax year	45p per mile	45p per mile
Each business mile above 10,000 business miles	25p per mile	25p per mile

Motorcycles

24p per mile

24p per mile

Bicycles

20p per mile

20p per mile

MAIN CAPITAL AND OTHER ALLOWANCES

2021/2022

2022/2023

Plant & machinery (excluding cars) 100% annual investment allowance (first year)	£1,000,000	£1,000,000
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Plant & machinery* first year allowance for companies to 31/3/2023: Super-deduction		130%
	Special rate	50%

Plant & machinery (reducing balance) per annum	18%	18%
Patent rights & know-how (reducing balance) per annum	25%	25%
Certain long-life assets, integral features of buildings (reducing balance) per annum	6%	6%
Energy & water-efficient equipment	100%	100%
Zero emission goods vehicles (new)	100%	100%
Electric charging points	100%	100%
Qualifying flat conversions, business premises & renovations	100%	100%

Motor cars: Expenditure on or after 1 April 2016 (Corporation Tax) or 6 April 2016 (Income Tax)

CO ₂ emissions of g/km:	0*	1-50	Over 50
Capital allowance:	100%	18%	6%
	first year	reducing balance	reducing balance

*If new and unused

MAIN SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS

		2021/2022	2022/2023
		£	£
Child Benefit	First child	21.15	21.80
	Subsequent children	14.00	14.45
	Guardian's allowance	18.00	18.55
Employment and Support Allowance	Assessment Phase		
	Age 16 - 24	Up to 59.20	Up to £61.05
	Aged 25 or over	Up to 74.70	Up to £77.00
	Main Phase		
	Work Related Activity Group	Up to 104.40	Up to 107.60
	Support Group	Up to 114.10	Up to 117.60
Attendance Allowance	Lower rate	60.00	61.85
	Higher rate	89.60	92.40
Basic State Pension	Single	137.60	141.85
	Married	275.20	283.70
New State Pension	Single	179.60	185.15
Pension Credit	Single person standard minimum guarantee	177.10	182.60
	Married couple standard minimum guarantee	270.30	278.70
	Maximum savings ignored in calculating income	10,000.00	10,000.00
Bereavement Support Payment	Higher rate – First payment	3,500.00	3,500.00
	Higher rate – monthly payment	350.00	350.00
	Lower rate – First payment	2,500.00	2,500.00
	Lower rate – monthly payment	100.00	100.00
Jobseeker's Allowance	Age 18 - 24	59.20	61.05
	Age 25 or over	74.70	77.00
Statutory Maternity, Paternity and Adoption Pay		151.97	156.66

CORPORATION TAX

	2021/2022	2022/2023
Standard rate	19%	19%

VALUE ADDED TAX

	2021/2022	2022/2023
Standard rate	20%	20%
Annual registration threshold	£85,000	£85,000
Deregistration threshold	£83,000	£83,000

STAMP DUTY LAND TAX

	Residential
Value up to £250,000	0%
£250,001 - £925,000	5%
£925,001 - £1,500,000	10%
£1,500,001 and over	12%

Additional Stamp Duty Land Tax (SDLT) rules apply as below:

- *First-time buyers benefit from SDLT relief on purchases up to £625,000 when purchasing their main residence. On purchases up to £425,000, no SDLT is payable. On purchases between £425,000 and £625,000, a flat rate of 5% is charged on the balance above £425,000.*
- *Additional SDLT of 3% may apply to the purchase of additional residential properties purchased for £40,000 or greater.*
- *SDLT may be charged at 15% on interests in residential dwellings costing more than £500,000 purchased by certain corporate bodies or non-natural persons.*
- *SDLT is payable in England and Northern Ireland only. Land Transaction Tax (LTT) is payable in Wales and Land and Buildings Transaction Tax (LBTT) is payable in Scotland. The rates for LTT and LBTT are different to the rates shown above.*

	Non residential
Value up to £150,000	0%
£150,001 and £250,000	2%
£250,001 and over	5%