Form 1040-ES (NR)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

U.S. Estimated Tax for Nonresident Alien Individuals



Paperwork Reduction Act Notice

We ask for the information on the payment vouchers to carry out the Internal Revenue laws of the United States. You are required to give us the information. We need it to ensure that you are complying with these laws and to allow us to figure and collect the right amount of tax.

The time needed to complete the worksheets and prepare and file the payment vouchers will vary depending on individual circumstances. The estimated average time is: Recordkeeping, 40 min.; Learning about the law, 16 min.; Preparing the worksheets and payment vouchers, 59 min.; Copying, assembling, and sending the payment vouchers to the IRS, 10 min. If you have comments concerning the accuracy of these time estimates or suggestions for making this package simpler, we would be happy to hear from you. You can write to both the Internal Revenue Service, Attention: Tax Forms Committee, PC:FP, Washington, DC 20224; and the Office of Management and Budget, Paperwork Reduction Project (1545-0087), Washington, DC 20503. DO NOT send the payment vouchers to either of these offices. Instead, see How To Complete and Use the Payment Voucher on page 2.

Purpose of This Package

If you are a nonresident alien, use this package to figure and pay your estimated tax. Estimated tax is the method used to pay tax on income that is not subject to withholding.

Do not use the payment vouchers in this package to notify the IRS of a **change of address**. If you have a new address, get **Form 8822**, Change of Address, by calling 1-800-TAX-FORM (1-800-829-3676). Send the completed form to the Internal Revenue Service Center where you filed your last return.

Who Must Make Estimated Tax Payments

Generally, you must make estimated tax payments if you expect to owe, after subtracting your withholding and credits, at least \$500 in tax for 1995, and you expect your withholding and credits to be less than the **smaller** of:

1. 90% of the tax shown on your 1995 tax return, or

2. 100% of the tax shown on your 1994 tax return (110% of that amount if you are not a farmer or a fisherman and the adjusted gross income shown on that return is more than \$150,000 or, if married filing separately for 1995, more than \$75,000).

However, if you did not file a 1994 tax return or that return did not cover all 12 months, item 2 above does not apply.

Tax Law Changes Effective for 1995

Use your 1994 tax return as a guide in figuring your 1995 estimated tax, but be sure to consider the changes noted in this section. For more information on changes that may affect your 1995 estimated tax, get **Pub. 553**, Highlights of 1994 Tax Changes.

Payment of Employment Taxes for Household Employees.

If you employ household employees, new rules apply to the reporting and payment of employment taxes for those employees. The rules eliminate the quarterly filing and employment tax payment requirements and raise the \$50 per quarter threshold to \$1,000 per year.

For wages paid after 1994, you will be required to report the social security, Medicare, Federal unemployment, and withheld Federal income taxes for household employees on your 1995 Form 1040NR. Household employers are not required to include these taxes when figuring their estimated tax payments until 1998. But they are encouraged to do so (or to increase their income tax withholding) to avoid a large balance due when they file their returns. For details on other changes made to the employment tax rules for household employers, get **Pub. 926**, Employment Taxes for Household Employers.

Gifts of Appreciated Stock to Private Nonoperating

Foundations. At the time this package went to print, the special rule allowing a deduction for the fair market value of qualified appreciated stock donated to certain private nonoperating foundations was scheduled to expire December 31, 1994, for gifts made after that date. For details on this rule, see Internal Revenue Code section 170(e)(5).

Expiration of Jobs and Research Credits. At the time this package went to print, the jobs credit was scheduled to expire December 31, 1994, for employees who begin work after that date. Also, the credit for increasing research activities is scheduled to expire June 30, 1995, for amounts paid or incurred after that date.

To Figure Your Estimated Tax Use

- The 1995 Estimated Tax Worksheet on page 3.
- The instructions below for the worksheet on page 3.

• The **1995 Tax Rate Schedule** on page 2 for your filing status.*

• Your 1994 tax return and instructions as a guide to figuring your income, deductions, and credits (but be sure to consider the tax law changes noted above).

If you receive your income unevenly throughout the year (e.g., you operate your business on a seasonal basis), you may be able to lower or eliminate the amount of your required estimated tax payment for one or more periods by using the annualized income installment method. See **Pub. 505**, Tax Withholding and Estimated Tax, for details.

*If you are married, you must generally use Tax Rate Schedule Y. For exceptions, get **Pub. 519**, U.S. Tax Guide for Aliens.

Instructions for Worksheet on Page 3

Line 7—Additional Taxes. Enter the additional taxes from Form 4970, Tax on Accumulation Distribution of Trusts, or Form 4972, Tax on Lump-Sum Distributions.

Line 9—Credits. See the 1994 Form 1040NR, lines 40 through 43, and the related instructions.

Line 11—Other Taxes. Enter any other taxes, such as tax on early distributions from a qualified retirement plan (including your IRA), annuity, or modified endowment contract (entered into after June 20, 1988); and alternative minimum tax. Do not include any deferral of additional 1993 taxes or recapture of a Federal mortgage subsidy. Also, do not include social security and Medicare tax on tip income not reported to your employer or uncollected employee social security and Medicare or RRTA tax on tips or group-term life insurance.

Payment Due Dates

If you have wages subject to U.S. income tax withholding, you may pay all of your estimated tax by April 17, 1995, or in four equal amounts by the dates shown below:

1st payment.			. April 17, 1995
2nd payment			. June 15, 1995
3rd payment.			. Sept. 15, 1995
4th payment.			. Jan. 16, 1996*

If you **do not** have wages subject to U.S. income tax withholding, you may pay all of your estimated tax by June 15, 1995, or you may pay it in three installments. If you pay the tax in installments, $\frac{1}{2}$ is due by June 15, 1995, $\frac{1}{4}$ is due by September 15, 1995, and $\frac{1}{4}$ is due by January 16, 1996*.

*You do not have to make the payment due January 16, 1996, if you file your 1995 Form 1040NR by January 31, 1996, **AND** pay the entire balance due with your return.

We do not send notices reminding you to make your estimated tax payments. You **must** make each payment by the due date.

Even if you are not required to make an estimated tax payment by the first payment due date, you may meet the requirements to make estimated tax payments later. In this case, you should figure the amount of your estimated tax payments by using the annualized income installment method, as explained in Pub. 505. Although your payment due dates will be the same, the payment amounts will vary based on your income, deductions, additional taxes, and credits for the months ending before each payment due date. As a result, this method may allow you to skip or lower the amount due for one or more payments. If you use the annualized income installment method, be sure to file **Form 2210**, Underpayment of Estimated Tax by Individuals, Estates, and Trusts, with your 1995 tax return, even if no penalty is owed.

Fiscal Year Taxpayers. You are on a fiscal year if your 12-month tax period ends on any day except December 31. Due dates for fiscal year taxpayers are the 15th day of the 4th (if applicable), 6th, and 9th months of your current fiscal year, and the 1st month of the following fiscal year. If any date falls on a Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday, use the next business day.

Amending Estimated Tax Payments

To change or amend your estimated payments, refigure your total estimated payments using the worksheet on page 3. Then use the worksheets under **Amended estimated tax** in Pub. 505 to figure the payment due for each remaining payment period. In some cases, you may owe a penalty when you file your return.

When a Penalty Is Applied

In some cases, you may owe a penalty when you file your return. The penalty is imposed on each underpayment for the number of days it remains unpaid. A penalty may be applied if you did not pay enough estimated tax, or you did not make the payments on time in the required amount. A penalty may apply even if you have an overpayment on your tax return.

The penalty may be waived under certain conditions. See Pub. 505 for details.

How To Complete and Use the Payment Voucher

There is a separate payment voucher for each due date. Please be sure you use the voucher with the correct due date shown in the upper right corner. Complete and send in the voucher **only** if you are making a payment. To complete your voucher:

• Type or print your name, address, and social security number in the space provided on the voucher.

• Enter on the payment line of the voucher only the amount you are sending in. When making payments of estimated tax, be sure to take into account any 1994 overpayment that you choose to credit against your 1995 tax, but do not include the overpayment amount on this line.

• Enclose your payment, making the check or money order payable to: "Internal Revenue Service" (not "IRS").

- Do not staple or attach your payment to the voucher.
- Mail your payment voucher to the Internal Revenue
- Service, P.O. Box 8318, Philadelphia, PA 19162-8318.

• Fill in the **Record of Estimated Tax Payments** below for your files.

If you changed your name and made estimated tax payments using your old name, attach a statement to the front of your 1995 income tax return. List all of the estimated tax payments you made for 1995, the address where you made the payments, and the name and social security number under which you made the payments.

Record of Estimated Tax Payments (see page 1 for correct payment due dates)

Payment number	(a) Date	(b) Amount pa	id	(c) 1994 overpayment credit applied		(d) Total amount paid and credited (add (b) and (c))	
1							
2							
3							
4							
Total							

1995 Tax Rate Schedules

Caution: Do not use these Tax Rate Schedules to figure your 1994 taxes. Use only to figure your 1995 estimated taxes.

Schedule X—Single

If line 5 is:	But not	The tax is:	of the amount
Over—	over—		over—
\$0	\$23,350	15%	\$0
23,350	56,550	\$3,502.50 + 28%	23,350
56,550	117,950	12,798.50 + 31%	56,550
117,950	256,500	31,832.50 + 36%	117,950
256,500		81,710.50 + 39.6%	256,500

Schedule Y—Married filing separately

If line 5 is:	Duit mat	The tax is:	of the	
Over—	But not over—		amount over—	
\$0	\$19,500	15%	\$0	
19,500	47,125	\$2,925.00 + 28%	19,500	
47,125	71,800	10,660.00 + 31%	47,125	
71,800	128,250	18,309.25 + 36%	71,800	
128,250		38,631.25 + 39.6%	128,250	

Schedule Z—Qualifying widows and widowers

If line 5 is:		The tax is:	of the
Over—	But not over—		amount over—
\$0	\$39,000	15%	\$0
39,000	94,250	\$5,850.00 + 28%	39,000
94,250	143,600	21,320.00 + 31%	94,250
143,600	256,500	36,618.50 + 36%	143,600
256,500		77,262.50 + 39.6%	256,500

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	1995 Estimated Tax Worksheet—For Nonresident Alien Individuals (keep for	your	records)	
1	Total expected 1995 income effectively connected with a U.S. trade or business. Caution: If this amount is over \$114,700 (\$57,350 if married filing separately), your itemized deductions and your deduction for exemptions may be limited. See Pub. 505 for details	1		
2	Enter itemized deductions (see 1994 Instructions for Form 1040NR)	2		
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1	3		
4	Exemptions. Multiply \$2,500 by the number of exemptions claimed. (Residents of Canada, India, Japan, Republic of Korea, Mexico, and U.S. nationals, see the 1994 Instructions for Form 1040NR.)	4		
5	Subtract line 4 from line 3	5		
6	Tax. Figure your tax on the amount on line 5 by using the 1995 Tax Rate Schedules on page 2. DO NOT use the Tax Table or Tax Rate Schedules in the 1994 Form 1040NR instructions. Caution: If you have a net capital gain and line 5 is over \$56,550 (\$47,125 if married filing separately), you may be able to lower your tax. See Pub. 505 for details	6		
7	Additional taxes (see instructions)	7		
8	Add lines 6 and 7	8		
9	Credits (see instructions). Do not include any income tax withholding on this line	9		
10	Subtract line 9 from line 8. Enter the result, but not less than zero	10		
11	Other taxes (see instructions)	11		
12	Estimated 1995 tax on income effectively connected with a U.S. trade or business (add lines 10 and 11).	12		
13	Total expected 1995 income not effectively connected with a U.S. trade or business . 13			
14	Multiply line 13 by 30% or lower treaty rate (see 1994 Instructions for Form 1040NR)	14		
15a	Add lines 12 and 14	15a		
b	Credit for Federal tax paid on fuels (from Form 4136)	15b		
С	Subtract line 15b from line 15a. THIS IS YOUR TOTAL 1995 ESTIMATED TAX	15c		
16a	Multiply line 15c by 90% (66 ² / ₃ % for farmers and fishermen)			
b	Enter 100% of the tax shown on your 1994 tax return (110% of that amount if you			
	are not a farmer or a fisherman and the adjusted gross income shown on that return is more than \$150,000 or, if married filing separately for 1995, more than \$75,000) 16b			
-	Enter the smaller of line 16a or 16b. THIS IS YOUR REQUIRED ANNUAL PAYMENT TO AVOID A PENALTY	16c		
С	Caution: Generally, if you do not prepay (through income tax withholding and estimated tax payments) at least the amount on line 16c, you may owe a penalty for not paying enough estimated tax. To avoid a penalty, make sure your estimate on line 15c is as accurate as possible. Even if you pay the required annual payment, you may still owe tax when you file your return. If you prefer, you may pay the amount shown on line 15c. For more details, get Pub. 505.	100		
17	Income tax withheld and estimated to be withheld during 1995 plus any amount paid with Form 1040-C.	17		
18	Subtract line 17 from line 16c. (Note: If zero or less, or line 15c minus line 17 is less than \$500, stop here.			
	You are not required to make estimated tax payments.	18		
19	If your first payment is due April 17, 1995, enter ¹ / ₄ of line 18 (minus any 1994 overpayment you are applying to this installment) here and on your payment voucher(s). If you don't have wages subject to U.S. income tax withholding and your first payment is due June 15, 1995, enter ¹ / ₂ of line 16c on your first voucher and ¹ / ₄ of line 16c on your second and third vouchers. Reduce each installment by ¹ / ₃ of line 17 and any 1994 overpayment you are applying to the installment	19		
	Note: If you are not required to file the voucher due April 17 (or June 15), 1995, at this time, you may See Payment Due Dates on page 1.		5	er date.

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