

INCOME TAX	2018/19	2017/18
Rates Starting rate for savings income only	% 0	% 0
Basic rate for non-savings and savings income only	20	20
Higher rate for non-savings and savings income only	40	40
Additional and trust rate for non-savings and savings income		45
Dividend ordinary rate	7.5 32.5	7.5 32.5
Dividend upper rate Dividend additional rate and trust rate for dividends	32.5 38.1	38.1
Thresholds	£	£
Savings income starting rate band	1 - 5,000	1 - 5,000
Basic rate band	1 – 34,500	1 – 33,500
Higher rate band Dividend allowance	34,501– 150,000 2,000	33,501 – 150,000 5,000
Personal Savings Allowance	2,000	5,000
- Taxpayer with basic rate income	1,000	1,000
- Taxpayer with higher rate income	500	500
- Taxpayer with additional rate income	Nil	Nil
Standard rate band for trusts	1,000	1,000
Scottish Tax Rates and Thresholds(1)/(2)		
£	%	
1 – 2,000	19	N/A
2,001 – 12,150 12,151 – 31,580	20 21	N/A N/A
31,581 – 31,580 31,581 – 150,000	41	N/A N/A
150,000 +	46	N/A
Reliefs	£	£
Personal allowance(3)	11,850	11,500
Married couple's allowance <sup>(4)</sup>	8,695	
- Maximum income before abatement of relief - £1 for £	2 28,900	28,000
- Minimum allowance	3,360	
Transferable Tax allowance for married couples and civil par		
Blind person's allowance Enterprise investment scheme relief limit <sup>(6)</sup>	2,390 1,000,0	•
Venture capital trust relief limit	200,00	
Seed enterprise investment scheme relief limit	100,00	
Social investment relief	1,000,0	00 1,000,000

- **Notes** (1) Scottish taxpayers pay Scottish income tax on non-savings income.
  - (2) For 2017/18, the basic rate band for Scottish taxpayers for non-savings income is £31.500.
  - (3) The personal allowance of any individual with adjusted net income above £100,000 is reduced by £1 for every £2 of adjusted net income above the £100,000 limit.
  - (4) Only available where at least one partner was born before 6 April 1935. Relief restricted to 10%.
  - (5) The recipient must not be liable to tax above the basic rate. The recipient is eligible for a tax reduction of 20% of the transferred amount.
  - (6) From 6.4.18, the limit is £2 million, where over £1 million is invested in knowledge intensive companies.



#### Child benefit charge

## Withdrawal rate

Adjusted net income >£50,000 Adjusted net income >£60,000 1% of benefit per £100 of income between £50,000 and £60,000 Full child benefit amount assessable in that tax year

#### **Pension contributions**

	Annual allowance <sup>(1)</sup>	Lifetime allowance £	Minimum pension age
2017/18 2018/19	40,000 40,000	1,000,000 1,030,000	55 55
Basic amount qualify	ying for tax relief £3	3,600	

Notes (1) The annual allowance is tapered by £1 for every £2 of adjusted income above £150,000 for individuals with threshold income above £110,000. It cannot be reduced below £10,000.

Official rate of interest	<b>2018/19</b> 2.5%	<b>2017/18</b> 2.5%
ITEPA mileage rates Vehicles		
Car or van <sup>(1)</sup>	First 10,000 business miles	45p
	Additional business miles	25p
Motorcycles		24p
Bicycles		20p
Passenger payments		5p

**Notes** (1) For NIC purposes, a rate of 45p applies irrespective of mileage.

## Company cars and fuel

Emissions	Car Benefit % 2018/19 <sup>(1)</sup>	Car Benef	fit % 2017/18 <sup>(1)</sup>
0 – 50 g/km	13%		9%
51 – 75 g/km	16%		13%
76 – 94 g/km	19%		17%
95 g/km or more	20% + 1% for every additional whole 5g/km above threshold		r every additional above threshold
180/190 g/km or more	37%	-	37%
Fuel benefit base figure		2018/19	2017/18
		£23,400	£22,600

Notes (1) 4% supplement for diesel cars (3% before 6 April 2018). Cars that meet the Real Driving Emissions Step 2 (RDE2) are exempt from the diesel supplement.

Taxable benefits for vans	2018/19	2017/18
Van benefit – No CO₂ emissions	1,340	646
Van benefit – CO <sub>2</sub> emissions > 0g/km	3,350	3,230
Fuel benefit	633	610

#### Childcare

Employer supported childcare – basic rate taxpayer<sup>(1)</sup> £55 per week £55 per week

**Notes** (1) For schemes joined on or after 6 April 2011 the exempt childcare amounts for higher and additional rate taxpayers (based on the employer's earning assessment only) are £28 and £25 respectively.



ISA limits Maximum subscription: 'Adult' ISAs Junior ISAs	<b>2018/19</b> £20,000 £4,260	<b>2017/18</b> £20,000 £4,128
ANNUAL TAX ON ENVELOPED DWELLINGS (ATED)		
Residential property value >£0.5m - $\leq$ 1m >£1m - $\leq$ 2m >£2m - $\leq$ 5m >£5m - $\leq$ 10m >£10m - $\leq$ 20m >£20m	From 1.4.18 £3,600 £7,250 £24,250 £56,550 £113,400 £226,950	From 1.4.17 £3,500 £7,050 £23,550 £54,950 £110,100 £220,350
CAPITAL GAINS TAX  Annual exempt amount for individuals	<b>2018/19</b> £11,700	<b>2017/18</b> £11,300
CGT rates for individuals trusts and estates Gains qualifying for entrepreneurs' relief Gains for individuals falling within remaining basic rate band <sup>(1)</sup> Gains for individuals exceeding basic rate band and gains for trusts and estates <sup>(2)</sup>	10% 10% 20%	10% 10% 20%
Notes (1) The rate is 18% if the gain is in respect of a result (2) The rate is 28% if the gain is in respect of a result.		

# Entrepreneurs' relief

Relevant gains (lifetime maximum) £10 million

# UK and non-UK resident non-natural persons

Gains on high value residential property (1)(2) 28% 28%

Notes (1) Applies to properties worth £500,000 from 2016/17.

(2) Applies to gains accruing from 6 April 2013 if property owned before that date.

## Lease percentage table

Years	Percentage	Years	Percentage	Years	Percentage
50 or more	100.000	33	90.280	16	64.116
49	99.657	32	89.354	15	61.617
48	99.289	31	88.371	14	58.971
47	98.902	30	87.330	13	56.167
46	98.490	29	86.226	12	53.191
45	98.059	28	85.053	11	50.038
44	97.595	27	83.816	10	46.695
43	97.107	26	82.496	9	43.154
42	96.593	25	81.100	8	39.399
41	96.041	24	79.622	7	35.414
40	95.457	23	78.055	6	31.195
39	94.842	22	76.399	5	26.722
38	94.189	21	74.635	4	21.983
37	93.497	20	72.770	3	16.959
36	92.761	19	70.791	2	11.629
35	91.981	18	68.697	1	5.983
34	91.156	17	66.470	0	0.000



## **Retail Prices Index**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
1982	_	_	79.44	81.04	81.62	81.85	81.88	81.90	81.85	82.26	82.66	82.51
1983	82.61	82.97	83.12	84.28	84.64	84.84	85.30	85.68	86.06	86.36	86.67	86.89
1984	86.84	87.20	87.48	88.64	88.97	89.20	89.10	89.94	90.11	90.67	90.95	90.87
1985	91.20	91.94	92.80	94.78	95.21	95.41	95.23	95.49	95.44	95.59	95.92	96.05
1986	96.25	96.60	96.73	97.67	97.85	97.79	97.52	97.82	98.30	98.45	99.29	99.62
1987	100.0	100.4	100.6	101.8	101.9	101.9	101.8	102.1	102.4	102.9	103.4	103.3
1988	103.3	103.7	104.1	105.8	106.2	106.6	106.7	107.9	108.4	109.5	110.0	110.3
1989	111.0	111.8	112.3	114.3	115.0	115.4	115.5	115.8	116.6	117.5	118.5	118.8
1990	119.5	120.2	121.4	125.1	126.2	126.7	126.8	128.1	129.3	130.3	130.0	129.9
1991	130.2	130.9	131.4	133.1	133.5	134.1	133.8	134.1	134.6	135.1	135.6	135.7
1992	135.6	136.3	136.7	138.8	139.3	139.3	138.8	138.9	139.4	139.9	139.7	139.2
1993	137.9	138.8	139.3	140.6	141.1	141.0	140.7	141.3	141.9	141.8	141.6	141.9
1994	141.3	142.1	142.5	144.2	144.7	144.7	144.0	144.7	145.0	145.2	145.3	146.0
1995	146.0	146.9	147.5	149.0	149.6	149.8	149.1	149.9	150.6	149.8	149.8	150.7
1996	150.2	150.9	151.5	152.6	152.9	153.0	152.4	153.1	153.8	153.8	153.9	154.4
1997	154.4	155.0	155.4	156.3	156.9	157.5	157.5	158.5	159.3	159.5	159.6	160.0
1998	159.5	160.3	160.8	162.6	163.5	163.4	163.0	163.7	164.4	164.5	164.4	164.4
1999	163.4	163.7	164.1	165.2	165.6	165.6	165.1	165.5	166.2	166.5	166.7	167.3
2000	166.6	167.5	168.4	170.1	170.7	171.1	170.5	170.5	171.7	171.6	172.1	172.2
2001	171.1	172.0	172.2	173.1	174.2	174.4	173.3	174.0	174.6	174.3	173.6	173.4
2002	173.3	173.8	174.5	175.7	176.2	176.2	175.9	176.4	177.6	177.9	178.2	178.5
2003	178.4	179.3	179.9	181.2	181.5	181.3	181.3	181.6	182.5	182.6	182.7	183.5
2004	183.1	183.8	184.6	185.7	186.5	186.8	186.8	187.4	188.1	188.6	189.0	189.9
2005	188.9	189.6	190.5	191.6	192.0	192.2	192.2	192.6	193.1	193.3	193.6	194.1
2006	193.4	194.2	195.0	196.5	197.7	198.5	198.5	199.2	200.1	200.4	201.1	202.7
2007	201.6	203.1	204.4	205.4	206.2	207.3	206.1	207.3	208.0	208.9	209.7	210.9
2008	209.8	211.4	212.1	214.0	215.1	216.8	216.5	217.2	218.4	217.7	216.0	212.9
2009	210.1	211.4	211.3	211.5	212.8	213.4	213.4	214.4	215.3	216.0	216.6	218.0
2010	217.9	219.2	220.7	222.8	223.6	224.1	223.6	224.5	225.3	225.8	226.8	228.4
2011	229.0	231.3	232.5	234.4	235.2	235.2	234.7	236.1	237.9	238.0	238.5	239.4
2012	238.0	239.9	240.8	242.5	242.4	241.8	242.1	243.0	244.2	245.6	245.6	246.8
2013	245.8	247.6	248.7	249.5	250.0	249.7	249.7	251.0	251.9	251.9	252.1	253.4
2014	252.6	254.2	254.8	255.7	255.9	256.3	256.0	257.0	257.6	257.7	257.1	257.5
2015	255.4	256.7	257.1	258.0	258.5	258.9	258.6	259.8	259.6	259.5	259.8	260.6
2016	258.8	260.0	261.1	261.4	262.1	263.1	263.4	264.4	264.9	264.8	265.5	267.1
2017	265.5	268.4	269.3	270.6	271.7	272.3	272.9	274.7	275.1	275.3	275.8	278.1

# NATIONAL LIVING/MINIMUM WAGE

Category of Worker.	Rate per hour
April 2018 onwards:	
Workers aged 25 and over	£7.83
21–24 year olds	£7.38
18–20 year olds	£5.90
16–17 year olds	£4.20
Apprentices	£3.70

## STUDENT LOAN REPAYMENTS

Plan 1: 9% of earnings exceeding £1,527 per month Plan 2: 9% of earnings exceeding £2,083 per month



#### STATUTORY MATERNITY/ADOPTION PAY

First 6 weeks @ 90% of AWE Next 33 weeks @ the lower of £145.18 and 90% of AWE

## STATUTORY SHARED PARENTAL PAY/PATERNITY PAY

For each qualifying week, the lower of 90% of AWE and £145.18

## NATIONAL INSURANCE CONTRIBUTIONS

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Class 1 lim	its		2018/19			2017/18	
		<b>Annual</b>	Monthly	Weekly	Annual	Monthly	Weekly
Lower earni	ngs limit (LEL)	£6,032	£503	£116	£5,876	£490	£113
Primary thre		£8,424	£702	£162	£8,164	£680	£157
Secondary 1	threshold (ST)	£8,424	£702	£162	£8,164	£680	£157
	ngs limit (ÙEĹ)	£46,350	£3,863	£892	£45,000	£3,750	£866
	ndary threshold for U21 (UST)(1)	£46,350	£3,863	£892	£45,000	£3,750	£866
Apprentice	upper secondary threshold for						
under U25 (		£46,350	£3,863	£892	£45,000	£3,750	£866
					2018/19	20	17/18
Employme	nt allowance						
Per year, pe					£3,000	3	3,000
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Class 1 pri	mary contribution rates						
Earnings be	etween PT and UEL				12%		12%
Earnings ab					2%		2%
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Class 1 sec	condary contribution rates						
	<b>9—</b> (4)(0)						
Earnings ab	pove ST (1)(2)				13.8%	1	3.8%
Notes (1)	The rate of secondary NICs for	or emplo	vees und	er the ac	ne of 21	on earnin	gs
( )	between the ST and UST is 0%		•		•		•
(2)	The rate of secondary NICs for	or apprer	itices und	er the ag	ge of 25	on earnin	gs

- - between the ST and AUST is 0%.

### Other contribution limits and rates

Class 1A contributions Class 1B contributions	13.8% 13.8%	13.8% 13.8%
Class 2 contributions Normal rate Small profits threshold	£2.95 pw £6,205 pa	£2.85 pw £6,025 pa
Class 3 contributions	£14.65 pw	£14.25 pw
Class 4 contributions Annual lower profits limit (LPL) Annual upper profits limit (UPL) Percentage rate between LPL and UPL Percentage rate above UPL	£8,424 £46,350 9% 2%	£8,164 £45,000 9% 2%



#### **CORPORATION TAX**

Financial year Main rate	<b>2018</b> 19%	<b>2017</b> 19%	<b>2016</b> 20%
EU definition of small and medium size	ed enterprises(1)(2)(3)		
	•	Small	Medium
Employees		< 50	< 250
Turnover		≤ €10m	≤ €50m
Balance sheet assets		≤ €10m	≤ €43m

- **Notes** (1) Must meet the employees criteria and either the turnover or the balance sheet assets criteria.
  - (2) Thresholds apply for transfer pricing and distributions received by small companies.
  - (3) Extended definition for R&D expenditure: < 500 employees; turnover ≤ €100m; assets ≤ €86m.

#### **SIMPLIFICATION MEASURES**

	2018/19	2017/18	
	£	£	
'Rent-a-room' limit	7,500	7,500	
Property allowance/Trading allowance	1,000	1,000	

#### FLAT RATE EXPENSES FOR UNINCORPORATED BUSINESSES

Motoring expenses	First 10,000 business miles		45p per mile
Business use of home	Additional business miles 25 – 50 hours use		25p per mile £10 per month
	51 – 100 hours use		£18 per month
	101+ hours use		£26 per month
Private use of business premises	No of persons living there:	1	£350 per month
		2	£500 per month
		3+	£650 per month

#### **CASH BASIS**

	£
Turnover threshold to join scheme	150,000
Turnover threshold to leave scheme	300,000

### **CAPITAL ALLOWANCES**

Annual investment allowance (AIA) <sup>(1)</sup>	100%
WDA on plant and machinery in main pool(2)	18%
WDA on plant and machinery in special rate pool <sup>(3)</sup>	8%
WDA on patent rights and know-how	25%

- **Notes** (1) 100% on the first £200,000 of investment in plant and machinery (except cars).
  - (2) The main pool rate applies to cars with CO2 emissions of not more than 110 g/km (130 g/km for expenditure incurred before 1 April 2018).
  - (3) The special pool rate applies to cars with CO2 emissions greater than 110 g/km (130 g/km for expenditure incurred before 1 April 2018).

#### 100% First year allowances available to all businesses

- 1) New energy saving plant and machinery, and water efficient plant and machinery.
- 2) Capital expenditure incurred by a person on research and development.
- 3) New zero-emission goods vehicles (until April 2021).
- 4) New cars registered before 31 March 2021 if the car either emits not more than 50 g/km of CO2 (75g/km before 1 April 2018) or it is electrically propelled.



#### **VALUE ADDED TAX**

VALUE ADDED TAX	Standard rate	VAT fraction
From 4.1.11	20%	1/6
Limits	From 1.4.18	From 1.4.17
Annual registration limit	£85,000	£85,000
De-registration limit	£83,000	£83,000
Thresholds	Cash accounting	Annual accounting
Turnover threshold to join scheme	£1,350,000	£1,350,000
Turnover threshold to leave scheme	£1,600,000	£1,600,000
OTHER INDIRECT TAXES		
	2018/19	2017/18
Insurance premium tax <sup>(1)</sup>		
Standard rate	12%	10%/12% <sup>(2)</sup>
Higher rate	20%	20%
Tobacco products duty	From 22.11.17	From 8.3.17
Cigarettes	16.5% x retail price plus	16.5% x retail price plus
o.ga. oo	£217.23 per thousand	£207.99 per thousand
	cigarettes or £280.15 per	cigarettes or £268.63 per
	thousand cigarettes <sup>(3)</sup>	thousand cigarettes <sup>(4)</sup>
Cigars	£270.96 per kg	£259.44 per kg
Hand-rolling tobacco	£221.18 per kg	£209.77 per kg
Other smoking tobacco and chewing	£119.13 per kg	£114.06 per kg
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- Notes (1) Premium is tax inclusive (3/28 for 12% rate and 1/6 for 20% rate).
  - (2) 10% until 31.5.17. 12% from 1.6.17.
  - (3) The £280.15 per thousand cigarettes is a minimum excise duty (if higher than the first calculation).
  - (4) The £268.63 per thousand cigarettes is a minimum excise duty (if higher than the first calculation) that applies from 20.5.17.

#### **STAMP TAXES**

Stamp duty <sup>(1)</sup>	-	On shares transferred by physical stock transfer form	0.5%
Stamp duty reserve tax <sup>(1)</sup>	-	On agreements to transfer shares <sup>(2)</sup>	0.5%
	-	On shares transferred to depositary receipt schemes	1.5%

- **Notes** (1) Does not apply to UK securities traded on a recognised growth market (eg AIM).
  - (2) Does not apply to units in UK unit trust schemes or shares in UK OEICS.

# New leases – Stamp duty land tax on lease rentals Rate (%) Net present value of rent

rate (70)	Net present value of rent	
	Residential	Non-residential
Zero	Up to £125,000	Up to £150,000
1%	Excess over £125,000	£150,001-£5m
2%		Over £5m

# CTA EXAMINATIONS







£2,500 £1,000

## Stamp duty land tax on purchase price / lease premium / transfer value

Basic Rate % <sup>(1)(2)(3)</sup>	Higher Rate % <sup>(1)(2)</sup>	Residential <sup>(1)(2)(3)</sup>	Non-Residential
0	3	£0 - £125,000	£0 - £150,000
2	5	£125,001 - £250,000	£150,001 - £250,000
5	8	£250,001 - £925,000	£250,001 +
10	13	£925,001 - £1,500,000	N/A
12	15	£1,500,001 +	N/A

- Notes (1) The basic rates are increased by 3% where the purchase is of an additional residential property for individuals (see column 2 for the rates that apply). Companies and trusts pay the additional 3% on all purchases of residential properties, subject to note 2 below.
  - (2) Companies pay 15% on purchases of residential property valued > £500,000.
  - (3) First-time buyers purchasing a single dwelling as their only or main residence on or after 22.11.17 may benefit from a reduced rate. SDLT will not be due on properties up to £300,000. For homes up to £500,000, SDLT will be payable on £200,000 at 5%. Homes bought for more than £500,000 will incur the rates as per column 1 of the table above.

#### **INHERITANCE TAX**

Death rate	40%(1)	Lifetime rate	20%
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**Note** (1) 36% rate applies where 10% or more of the deceased person's net chargeable estate is left to charity.

estate is left to charity.			
Nil rate bands			
6 April 1996 – 5 April 1997	£200,000	6 April 2003 – 5 April 2004	£255,000
6 April 1997 – 5 April 1998	£215,000	6 April 2004 – 5 April 2005	£263,000
6 April 1998 – 5 April 1999	£223,000	6 April 2005 – 5 April 2006	£275,000
6 April 1999 – 5 April 2000	£231,000	6 April 2006 – 5 April 2007	£285,000
6 April 2000 – 5 April 2001	£234,000	6 April 2007 – 5 April 2008	£300,000
6 April 2001 – 5 April 2002	£242,000	6 April 2008 – 5 April 2009	£312,000
6 April 2002 – 5 April 2003	£250,000	6 April 2009 – 5 April 2021	£325,000
(0)			
Residence nil rate bands <sup>(2)</sup>			
6 April 2017 – 5 April 2018	£100,000	6 April 2019 – 5 April 2020	£150,000
6 April 2018 – 5 April 2019	£125,000	6 April 2020 – 5 April 2021	£175,000

**Note** (2) An additional nil rate band is available where a main residence is passed on death to a direct descendant. Tapered withdrawal for estates > £2million.

Taper relief	
Death within 3 years of gift	Nil%
Between 3 and 4 years	20%
Between 4 and 5 years	40%
Between 5 and 6 years	60%
Between 6 and 7 years	80%
Quick Succession relief	
Period between transfers less than one year	100%
Between 1 and 2 years	80%
Between 2 and 3 years	60%
Between 3 and 4 years	40%
Between 4 and 5 years	20%
Lifetime exemptions	
Annual exemption	£3,000
Small gifts	£250
Wedding gifts Child	£5,000

Grandchild or remoter issue or other party to marriage