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of the

## Revenue Commissioners

## Year Ended 31st December, 2000

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## OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONERS STATISTICAL REPORT 2000

## Introduction

This Statistical Report contains detailed information (in the form of text, tables and notes) on all the taxes and duties for which the Office of the Revenue Commissioners is responsible. The summaries of legislation and the brief descriptions preceding certain statistical tables are presented to assist the reader and should not be taken as a precise interpretation of the law. For that purpose, reference should be made to the various Statutes and the cases relating thereto decided in the Courts.

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## Total Revenue

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Table TR2 contains net receipts of revenue for the year ended 31 December, 2000. Particulars are also given for the three preceding financial periods. Further details in regard to each separate duty are given in the relevant Tables.

The "Gross Receipts" of any duty or tax for any given financial year means the aggregate amount of duty or tax actually collected or brought into the Revenue accounts within that year, no matter for what year the duty or tax may have been assessed or charged. It thus includes arrears of previous years.

The "Net Receipt" means the "Gross Receipt" after deduction of drawbacks, repayments, etc., made within the same year. These drawbacks, repayments, etc., may similarly relate to duty or tax paid in previous years.

## Table TR1

## Gross Receipts, Year 2000

| Gross Receipts | $\mathbf{£}$ | $\mathbf{£}$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Balance on 1 January, 2000 |  |  |
|  |  | $£ 23,506,769$ |
|  |  | $€ 29,847,440$ |

Gross Receipts of Duties:-

Customs (including $£ 10,000,858(€ 12,698,470)$
Duty Deferred under EEC Regulation)
Excise

Capital Acquisitions Tax (including Estate etc. Duties and Wealth Tax)

Capital Gains Tax
Stamp Duties
Residential Property Tax
Income Tax (including Income Levy)
Corporation Tax (including Corp. Profits Tax)
Value Added Tax (including
£62,076,352 (€78,820,708) Duty Deferred)
Agricultural Levies, etc. (including
£12,753 (€16,193) Duty Deferred)
£171,955,504
€ $218,338,451$
£3,630,688,763
€4,610,023,773
£181,065,470
€ $229,905,722$
£615,898,086
€782,029,252
£884,350,470
€1,122,893,466

## £2,143,741

€2,721,990
£7,874,899,182
€ $9,999,059,355$
£3,187,314,226
€4,047,054,241
£7,823,621,998
€ $9,933,950,762$
£854,598
€1,085,116

Gross Receipts of Moneys received and collected
on behalf of other Departments (including
£3,467,514,452
Fee Stamps, $£ 862,406$ ( $€ 1,095,030$ )
Receipts in Aid of Vote (Net)
€ $4,402,835,137$
£23,233,931
€29,501,007

## Table TR1 - continued

Gross Receipts, Year 2000 - continued

| Disposal | $\mathbf{£}$ | $\mathbf{£}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | € | $€$ |

Drawbacks, Repayments, Allowances, etc.

| Customs | $£ 10,737,660$ |
| :--- | ---: |
|  | $€ 13,634,016$ |
| Excise | $£ 146,375,564$ |
|  | $€ 185,858,627$ |
| Capital Acquisitions Tax (including Estate etc. | $£ 5,367,827$ |
| Duties and Wealth Tax) | $€ 6,815,734$ |
| Capital Gains Tax | $£ 6,714,221$ |
|  | $€ 8,525,302$ |
| Stamp Duties | $£ 25,968,283$ |
|  | $€ 32,972,918$ |
| Residential Property Tax | $£ 548,948$ |
|  | $€ 697,020$ |
| Income Tax (including Income Levy) | $£ 688,554,116$ |
|  | $€ 874,283,380$ |
| Corporation Tax (including Corp. Profits Tax) | $£ 127,416,477$ |
| Value Added Tax | $€ 161,785,553$ |
|  | $£ 1,927,522,673$ |
| Agricultural Levies, etc. | $€ 2,447,448,935$ |

Payments to the Exchequer:-

Customs
Excise
Capital Acquisitions Tax (incl. Estate etc.
Duties and Wealth Tax)
Capital Gains Tax
Stamp Duties
Residential Property Tax
Income Tax (including Income Levy)
Corporation Tax (including Corp. Profits Tax)
Value Added Tax
Agricultural Levies, etc.
£163,505,000
€207,608,525
£3,357,388,000
€4,263,003,388
£174,969,000
€222,164,802
£609,179,000
€ $773,497,773$
£871,776,000
€1,106,927,183
£1,595,000
€2,025,232
£7,176,823,000
€9,112,685,445
£3,061,473,000
€3,887,268,844
£5,883,269,000
€7,470,210,675
$\qquad$
-
£21,299,977,000
€27,045,391,867
Payments to and on behalf of other Departments in respect of Moneys collected on their behalf
(including $£ 1,156,164$ ( $€ 1,468,025$ ) to Exchequer in respect of Fee Stamps \& $£ 132,000,000(€ 167,605,426)$ Tobacco Levy Payments to Appropriations-in-aid of Vote

Balance, 31 December, 2000
£3,594,852,659
€4,564,521,307
£23,233,931
€29,501,007
£29,777,831
€37,810,046
£27,887,047,190
€ $35,409,245,712$

| Net Receipts |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Year | Customs | Excise | Capital Acquisitions Tax (a) | Capital Gains Tax | Stamps | Residential Property Tax | Income Tax (b) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Corporation } \\ & \text { Tax (c) } \end{aligned}$ | Value Added Tax | Agricultural Levies etc. | Total |
| 1997 | £183,900,176 | £2,522,556,884 | £88,740,960 | £132,377,215 | £424,303,138 | £3,107,225 | £5,208,220,129 | £1,697,136,030 | £3,710,288,224 | £195,336 | £13,970,825,317 |
|  | €233,505,056 | €3,202,986,531 | €112,677,776 | €168,084,391 | € 538,753,851 | €3,945,362 | €6,613,075,419 | €2,154,918,242 | €4,711,094,240 | €248,026 | €17,739,288,892 |
| 1998 | £154,079,320 | £2,824,786,331 | £111,712,076 | £193,081,896 | £541,170,479 | £1,438,164 | £5,741,950,674 | £2,058,912,141 | £4,269,789,360 | £593,226 | £15,897,513,667 |
|  | €195,640,380 | €3,586,738,768 | €141,845,077 | €245,163,436 | €687,144,764 | €1,826,092 | €7,290,773,415 | €2,614,279,146 | $€ 5,421,514,137$ | €753,242 | €20,185,678,455 |
| 1999 | £144,886,859 | £3,162,932,835 | £151,429,388 | £356,139,909 | £719,204,998 | £1,392,334 | £6,306,009,761 | £2,711,086,720 | £4,912,576,514 | £1,760,090 | £18,467,419,408 |
|  | €183,968,362 | €4,016,096,260 | €192,275,660 | € 452,204,404 | €913,201,972 | €1,767,900 | €8,006,980,716 | €3,442,370,042 | €6,237,685,463 | €2,234,853 | €23,448,785,633 |
| 2000 | £161,217,843 | £3,484,313,199 | £175,697,643 | £609,183,865 | £858,382,187 | £1,594,793 | £7,186,345,066 | £3,059,897,749 | £5,896,099,325 | £854,598 | £21,433,586,268 |
|  | €204,704,434 | €4,424,165,146 | €223,089,988 | €773,503,950 | €1,089,920,549 | €2,024,969 | €9,124,775,975 | €3,885,268,688 | €7,486,501,827 | €1,085,116 | € 27,215,040,642 |

Net Receipts


* Capital Acquisitions Tax, Stamp Duties, Residential Property Tax


## Table TR3

Net Receipts as a \% of GDP

| Year | GDP* | Net Receipts | Net Receipts as $\%$ of GDP |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| 1997 | $£ 48,241,000,000$ | $£ 13,970,825,317$ | $29.0 \%$ |
|  | $€ 61,253,434,642$ | $€ 17,739,288,892$ |  |
| 1998 | $£ 59,637,000,000$ | $£ 15,897,513,667$ | $26.7 \%$ |
|  | $€ 75,723,369,783$ | $€ 20,185,678,455$ |  |
| 1999 | $£ 69,052,000,000$ | $£ 18,467,419,408$ | $26.7 \%$ |
|  | $€ 87,677,953,792$ | $€ 23,448,785,633$ |  |
| $\mathbf{2 0 0 0}$ | $£ 81,049,000,000$ | $£ 21,433,586,268$ | $\mathbf{2 6 . 4 \%}$ |

* source: CSO, Department of Finance

Table TR4
Gross Revenue Receipts and Cost of Administration

| Year | Gross Receipts | Cost of Administration | Cost as Percentage of <br> Gross Receipts |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1997 | $\boldsymbol{m}$ | $\boldsymbol{m}$ | $\%$ |
|  | $£ 15,676.9$ | $£ 160.4$ | $1.02 \%$ |
|  | $€ 19,905.6$ | $€ 203.7$ |  |
|  | $£ 17,966.8$ | $£ 175.7$ | $0.98 \%$ |
| 1999 | $€ 22,813.1$ | $€ 223.1$ |  |
|  | $£ 20,896.0$ | $£ 183.5$ | $0.88 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 0 0}$ | $€ 26,532.5$ | $€ 233.0$ |  |
|  | $£ 24,210.3$ | $£ 197.0$ | $\mathbf{0 . 8 1 \%}$ |

Cost of Admin as \% of
Gross Receipts 0.81\%


Table TR5
Cost of Administration (main elements)

| Service | 000 |
| :--- | ---: |
| Salaries, Wages \& Allowances | $£ 127,914$ |
| Computer \& Office Equipment | $€ 162,417$ |
|  | $£ 17,718$ |
| Postal \& Telecommunications | $€ 22,497$ |
|  | $£ 7,382$ |
| Superannuation Costs | $€ 9,373$ |
|  | $£ 16,848$ |
| Services provided by the Office of Public Works | $€ 21,393$ |
|  | $£ 12,971$ |
| Miscellaneous | $€ 16,470$ |
|  | $£ 14,174$ |
| TOTAL | $€ 17,997$ |
|  | $£ 197,008$ |
|  | $€ 250,148$ |

## Excise

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1. Customs Duties and Excise Duties, are, generally speaking, imposed in respect of transactions or events and not by reference to any period of time. The general statistics of these duties, for any year, thus relate, broadly, to the actual cash receipts, etc., of revenue within that year.
2. In Tables relating to Excise duties the quantities of commodities shown as retained for home use (i.e. net quantities on which duty was paid after allowing for quantities on which duty was repaid, e.g. as drawback) in the respective financial years may differ from the quantities actually consumed in these years, owing to clearances being delayed or advanced, as the case may be, e.g., in anticipation of Budget changes or because of international developments.

## EXCISE

## Main Excise Duty Rates 1998-2000



Excise Duty Net Receipts 1998-2000 Table EX1

| Head of Duty |  | $\begin{array}{r} 1998 \\ f \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1998 \\ € \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1999 \\ £ \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1999 \\ € \end{array}$ | 2000 $£$ | 2000 $€$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Beer | Import | 37,501,379 | 47,616,929 | 39,145,875 | 49,705,008 | 43,108,287 | 54,736,233 |
|  | Home | 328,134,022 | 416,644,263 | 336,594,376 | 427,386,696 | 331,705,453 | 421,179,045 |
|  | Total | 365,635,401 | 464,261,191 | 375,740,251 | 477,091,704 | 374,813,740 | 475,915,278 |
| Cider and Perry | Import | 2,236,061 | 2,839,212 | 1,871,143 | 2,375,862 | 2,151,827 | 2,732,256 |
|  | Home | 16,978,071 | 21,557,703 | 20,700,298 | 26,283,957 | 24,113,258 | 30,617,522 |
|  | Total | 19,214,132 | 24,396,915 | 22,571,441 | 28,659,818 | 26,265,085 | 33,349,778 |
| Spirits | Import | 57,822,495 | 73,419,424 | 64,863,242 | 82,359,328 | 79,632,865 | 101,112,880 |
|  | Home | 89,836,346 | 114,068,629 | 106,786,459 | 135,590,833 | 114,963,203 | 145,973,156 |
|  | Total | 147,658,841 | 187,488,053 | 171,649,701 | 217,950,162 | 194,596,067 | 247,086,036 |
| Wine Made Wine | Home \& Import | 73,673,764 | 93,546,384 | 85,539,718 | 108,613,037 | 95,697,594 | 121,510,879 |
|  | Home \& Import | 2,003,762 | 2,544,253 | 2,101,940 | 2,668,914 | 1,808,503 | 2,296,325 |
|  | Total | 75,677,526 | 96,090,636 | 87,641,658 | 111,281,951 | 97,506,097 | 123,807,204 |
| Tobacco | Import | 75,585,925 | 95,974,327 | 93,701,194 | 118,975,974 | 95,736,683 | 121,560,513 |
|  | Home | 540,757,466 | 686,620,346 | 584,794,693 | 742,536,090 | 659,263,423 | 837,091,872 |
|  | Total | 616,343,391 | 782,594,673 | 678,495,887 | 861,512,064 | 755,000,107 | 958,652,385 |
| Hydrocarbon Light Oil | Import | 344,477,179 | 437,395,791 | 453,903,384 | 576,338,411 | 475,585,443 | 603,868,946 |
|  | Home | 188,693,128 | 239,590,850 | 113,475,846 | 144,084,603 | 118,896,360 | 150,967,236 |
|  | Total | 533,170,307 | 676,986,641 | 567,379,230 | 720,423,013 | 594,481,803 | 754,836,182 |
| Hydrocarbon Oils Other Sorts | Import | 309,027,461 | 392,383,935 | 447,084,337 | 567,680,007 | 466,732,195 | 592,627,640 |
|  | Home | 182,068,870 | 231,179,777 | 111,771,085 | 141,920,002 | 116,683,049 | 148,156,910 |
|  | Total | 491,096,331 | 623,563,712 | 558,855,422 | 709,600,010 | 583,415,243 | 740,784,550 |
| LPG | Import | 3,051,526 | 3,874,639 | 3,117,146 | 3,957,959 | 3,346,337 | 4,248,971 |
|  | Home | 1,076,319 | 1,366,643 | 779,286 | 989,490 | 836,584 | 1,062,243 |
|  | Total | 4,127,845 | 5,241,282 | 3,896,432 | 4,947,448 | 4,182,921 | 5,311,214 |
| Vehicle Reg'n Tax | Total | 484,405,799 | 615,068,488 | 607,302,446 | 771,115,041 | 788,550,076 | 1,001,252,058 |
| SUBTOTAL | Import | 903,375,790 | 1,147,050,640 | 1,189,226,039 | 1,510,005,586 | 1,261,991,229 | 1,602,398,318 |
|  | Home | 1,833,953,783 | 2,328,640,952 | 1,884,306,430 | 2,392,575,625 | 2,156,819,909 | 2,738,596,367 |
| TOTAL | Total | 2,737,329,573 | 3,475,691,592 | 3,073,532,469 | 3,902,581,211 | 3,418,811,138 | 4,340,994,685 |


| Excise Duty on Premises or Activities | $\begin{array}{lr} \hline \text { es } & 1998 \\ & £ \end{array}$ | $1998$ | $1999$ | $1999$ | 2000 $£$ | $2000$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Betting | 52,138,567 | 66,202,324 | 53,400,378 | 67,804,494 | 46,362,754 | 58,868,555 |
| Bookmaking Premises | 133,200 | 169,129 | 221,700 | 281,501 | 243,900 | 309,689 |
| Clubs | 587,130 | 745,501 | 600,250 | 762,160 | 547,130 | 694,712 |
| Firearms Certificates | 2,547,249 | 3,234,339 | 4,114,977 | 5,224,944 | 2,538,088 | 3,222,707 |
| Firearm Dealers | - | - | 16,580 | 21,052 | - | - |
| Excise Duty on Public Dancing Licences etc. | 6,702,935 | 8,510,972 | 6,209,126 | 7,883,964 | 6,882,346 | 8,738,777 |
| Foreign Travel | 16,670,164 | 21,166,742 | 16,183,662 | 20,549,012 | 1,518,330 | 1,927,882 |
| Licences | 8,657,998 | 10,993,390 | 8,653,692 | 10,987,922 | 7,409,512 | 9,408,140 |
| SUBTOTAL | 87,437,243 | 111,022,397 | 89,400,366 | 113,515,049 | 65,502,061 | 83,170,461 |
| TOTAL NET RECEIPTS 2 | 2,824,766,816 | 3,586,713,989 | 3,162,932,835 | 4,016,096,260 | 3,484,313,199 | 4,424,165,145 |

Percentage of Total Excise Receipts in 2000 received from Each Commodity


## Excise Duty on Beer

Table EX2
Net Duty Paid Quantities and Net Excise Receipts 1991-2000

|  | Home-Made | Imported |  | Home-Made and Imported |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |

* Note: Up to 2 October 1993 the quantities of beer are shown as Standard Barrels. From then on the quantities are shown as litres of alcohol.
** Note: MHL = Millions of Hectolitres


Note: This figure does not include details of beer containing not more than $0.5 \%$ of alcohol by volume.

## Table EX3

Incidence of Duty and VAT per Pint of Stout 1991-2000

| Year | Bar Price | Percent | Excise | VAT | Total | Percent | Tax | Percent | Tax as |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| (Mid | Pint (a) | Change | Content | Content | Tax | Change | Exclusive | Change | $a \%$ |
| May) |  |  |  |  | Content |  | Price |  | Of Price |
|  | £ |  | £ | £ | £ |  | £ |  |  |
| 1991 | 1.547 | 2.1\% | 0.349 | 0.268 | 0.617 | -2.3\% | 0.930 | 5.3\% | 39.9\% |
| 1992 | 1.641 | 6.1\% | 0.349 | 0.285 | 0.634 | 2.6\% | 1.007 | 8.4\% | 38.6\% |
| 1993 | 1.740 | 6.0\% | 0.349 | 0.302 | 0.651 | 2.7\% | 1.089 | 8.1\% | 37.4\% |
| 1994 | 1.836 | 5.5\% | 0.371 | 0.319 | 0.690 | 5.9\% | 1.146 | 5.3\% | 37.6\% |
| 1995 | 1.902 | 3.6\% | 0.371 | 0.330 | 0.701 | 1.7\% | 1.201 | 4.8\% | 36.9\% |
| 1996 | 1.919 | 0.9\% | 0.371 | 0.333 | 0.704 | 0.4\% | 1.215 | 1.2\% | 36.7\% |
| 1997 | 1.976 | 3.0\% | 0.371 | 0.343 | 0.714 | 1.4\% | 1.262 | 3.9\% | 36.1\% |
| 1998 | 2.038 | 3.1\% | 0.371 | 0.354 | 0.725 | 1.5\% | 1.313 | 4.1\% | 35.6\% |
| 1999 | 2.154 | 5.7\% | 0.371 | 0.374 | 0.745 | 2.8\% | 1.409 | 7.3\% | 34.6\% |
| 2000 | 2.257 | 4.8\% | 0.371 | 0.392 | 0.763 | 2.4\% | 1.494 | 6.0\% | 33.8\% |

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INCREASE IN CPI (ALL ITEMS)
1991-2000
24.5%
INCREASE DURING PERIOD:
\begin{tabular}{ll} 
TAX INCLUSIVE PRICE: & \(45.9 \%\) \\
TAX EXCLUSIVE PRICE: & \(60.8 \%\)
\end{tabular}
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TAX CONTENT: $23.5 \%$

Price of a Pint of Stout, the Tax Take and The Tax Exclusive Price 1991-2000


Table EX3 - continued
Incidence of Duty and VAT per Pint of Lager 1991-2000

| Year <br> (Mid | Bar Price <br> Pint (a) | Percent <br> Change | Excise <br> Content | VAT <br> Content | Total <br> Tax <br> Content |  | Percent <br> Change | Tax <br> Exclusive <br> Price | Percent <br> Change |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $£$ |  | $£$ | $£$ | $£$ |  | Tax as <br> a \% |  |  |
| Of Price |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

INCREASE IN CPI (ALL ITEMS)
1991-2000
24.5\%

INCREASE DURING PERIOD:
TAX INCLUSIVE PRICE: 44.9\%
TAX EXCLUSIVE PRICE: $57.5 \%$
TAX CONTENT: 24.1\%

Price of a Pint of Lager, the Tax Take and The Tax Exclusive Price 1991-2000

(a) C.S.O. National Average Retail Price

## EXCISE DUTY ON SPIRITS

## General

For excise purposes, the strength of spirits is expressed by reference to alcoholic strength by volume and the rates of excise duty in terms of alcohol content. "Alcoholic strength by volume" means the ratio of the volume of alcohol present in a product at a temperature of $20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to the total volume of the product at the same temperature, the ratio being expressed as a percentage and "alcohol" means pure ethyl alcohol.

## Table EX4

Quantities Retained for Home Use and Net Excise Receipts 1991-2000

| Year | Home-Made <br> Quantity <br> (Litres of <br> Alcohol) | Imported <br> Quantity <br> (Litres of <br> Alcohol) | Home-Made and Imported |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total Quantity (Litres of Alcohol) | Percent Change | Net Excise Receipts £ | Net Excise Receipts € |
| 1991 | 3,868,884 | 2,173,136 | 6,042,020 | 0.8\% | 121,312,368 | 154,034,933 |
| 1992 | 3,661,769 | 2,051,747 | 5,713,516 | -5.4\% | 114,772,252 | 145,730,699 |
| 1993 | 3,739,971 | 2,161,854 | 5,901,825 | 3.3\% | 118,567,030 | 150,549,073 |
| 1994 | 3,723,946 | 2,177,523 | 5,901,469 | 0.0\% | 128,003,445 | 162,530,848 |
| 1995 | 3,601,493 | 2,176,197 | 5,777,690 | -2.1\% | 126,113,868 | 160,131,580 |
| 1996 | 3,993,950 | 2,360,423 | 6,354,373 | 10.0\% | 137,629,766 | 174,753,755 |
| 1997 | 4,149,306 | 2,529,932 | 6,679,238 | 5.1\% | 144,094,946 | 182,962,840 |
| 1998 | 4,259,890 | 2,739,094 | 6,998,984 | 4.8\% | 147,658,841 | 187,488,053 |
| 1999 | 4,942,313 | 3,053,211 | 7,995,524 | 14.2\% | 171,649,701 | 217,950,162 |
| 2000 | 5,227,603 | 3,766,404 | 8,994,007 | 12.5\% | 194,596,067 | 247,086,036 |

## Spirit Consumption

1991-2000


Note: The quantities shown do not include perfumed spirits, spirits delivered for methylation, scientific purposes fortifying wines or use in arts and manufacture, and other spirits (including spirits contained in goods) delivered without payment of duty.

## Table EX5

Incidence of Duty and VAT per Standard Measure of Whiskey 1991-2000

| Year <br> (Mid <br> May) | Price Per | Percent | Excise | VAT |  | Percent |  | Percent Change | Tax as <br> \% of Price |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Measure (a) | Change | Content | Content | Tax | Change | Exclusive |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | Content |  | Price |  |  |
|  | £ |  | £ | £ | £ |  | £ |  |  |
| 1991 | 1.26 | 0.4\% | 0.285 | 0.219 | 0.504 | -3.1\% | 0.756 | 2.9\% | 40.0\% |
| 1992 | 1.35 | 7.1\% | 0.285 | 0.234 | 0.520 | 3.1\% | 0.830 | 9.8\% | 38.5\% |
| 1993 | 1.42 | 4.8\% | 0.285 | 0.246 | 0.531 | 2.2\% | 0.884 | 6.5\% | 37.5\% |
| 1994 | 1.50 | 6.0\% | 0.310 | 0.260 | 0.570 | 7.4\% | 0.930 | 5.1\% | 38.0\% |
| 1995 | 1.56 | 3.9\% | 0.310 | 0.271 | 0.581 | 1.8\% | 0.978 | 5.2\% | 37.2\% |
| 1996 | 1.59 | 1.8\% | 0.310 | 0.275 | 0.586 | 0.8\% | 1.001 | 2.4\% | 36.9\% |
| 1997 | 1.64 | 3.3\% | 0.309 | 0.284 | 0.593 | 1.3\% | 1.046 | 4.4\% | 36.2\% |
| 1998 | 1.71 | 4.0\% | 0.309 | 0.296 | 0.605 | 1.9\% | 1.100 | 5.2\% | 35.5\% |
| 1999 | 1.80 | 5.3\% | 0.309 | 0.312 | 0.621 | 2.6\% | 1.175 | 6.8\% | 34.6\% |
| 2000 | 1.88 | 4.4\% | 0.309 | 0.325 | 0.634 | 2.2\% | 1.241 | 5.6\% | 33.8\% |

INCREASE IN CPI (ALL ITEMS)
1991-2000 24.5\%

INCREASE DURING PERIOD:
TAX INCLUSIVE PRICES: $48.8 \%$
TAX EXCLUSIVE PRICES: 64.1\%
TAX CONTENT: $25.9 \%$

Price of a Glass of Whiskey, the Tax Take and The Tax Exclusive Price 1991-2000

(a) C.S.0. National Average Retail Price

Table EX5 - continued
Incidence of Duty and VAT per Bottle of Whiskey 1991-2000

| Year | Price Per | Percent | Excise | VAT |  | Percent | Tax | Percent | Tax as |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| (Mid | Bottle (a) | Change | Content | Content | Tax | Change | Exclusive | Change | \% of |
| May) |  |  |  |  | Content |  | Price |  | Price |
|  | £ |  | $£$ | $£$ | £ |  | £ |  |  |
| 1991 | 12.280 | -3.5\% | 5.624 | 2.131 | 7.755 | -3.1\% | 4.525 | -4.1\% | 63.2\% |
| 1992 | 12.320 | 0.3\% | 5.624 | 2.138 | 7.762 | 0.1\% | 4.558 | 0.7\% | 63.0\% |
| 1993 | 12.210 | -0.9\% | 5.624 | 2.119 | 7.743 | -0.2\% | 4.467 | -2.0\% | 63.4\% |
| 1994 | 13.110 | 7.4\% | 6.112 | 2.275 | 8.388 | 8.3\% | 4.722 | 5.7\% | 64.0\% |
| 1995 | 13.199 | 0.7\% | 6.112 | 2.291 | 8.403 | 0.2\% | 4.796 | 1.6\% | 63.7\% |
| 1996 | 13.230 | 0.2\% | 6.112 | 2.296 | 8.409 | 0.1\% | 4.821 | 0.5\% | 63.6\% |
| 1997 | 13.180 | -0.4\% | 6.090 | 2.287 | 8.377 | -0.4\% | 4.803 | -0.4\% | 63.6\% |
| 1998 | 13.648 | 3.6\% | 6.090 | 2.369 | 8.459 | 1.0\% | 5.189 | 8.1\% | 62.0\% |
| 1999 | 13.888 | 1.8\% | 6.090 | 2.410 | 8.500 | 0.5\% | 5.388 | 3.8\% | 61.2\% |
| 2000 | 14.270 | 2.8\% | 6.090 | 2.477 | 8.567 | 0.8\% | 5.703 | 5.9\% | 60.0\% |

INCREASE IN CPI (ALL ITEMS) 24.5\%
1991-2000
INCREASE DURING PERIOD:

| TAX INCLUSIVE PRICES: | $16.2 \%$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| TAX EXCLUSIVE PRICES: | $26.0 \%$ |
| TAX CONTENT: | $10.5 \%$ |

Price of a Bottle of Whiskey, the Tax Take and The Tax Exclusive Price 1991-2000

(a) C.S.O. National Average Retail Price

## EXCISE DUTY ON WINE AND MADE WINE

The rate of excise duty on wine and made wine is based on whether the product is still or sparkling and on its alcoholic strength by volume.

## Table EX6

Quantities Retained for Home Use and Net Excise Receipts 1991-2000

|  | Still |  |  | Sparkling | Total Still and Sparkling |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Not Exceeding $5.5 \% \mathrm{vol}$ * (Litres) | $15 \%$ vol <br> (Litres) | Exceeding 15\% vol (Litres) | Quantity (Litres) | Quantity (Litres) | Percent <br> Change | Net Excise Receipts £ | Net Excise Receipts $€$ |
| 1991 | - | 14,726,882 | 1,012,057 | 398,492 | 16,137,431 | 3.8\% | 34,499,271 | 43,805,038 |
| 1992 | - | 16,066,410 | 1,018,116 | 388,851 | 17,473,377 | 8.3\% | 37,364,366 | 47,442,958 |
| 1993 | 503,347 | 18,131,430 | 1,026,415 | 399,806 | 20,060,998 | 14.8\% | 40,776,328 | 51,775,256 |
| 1994 | 657,198 | 18,950,848 | 968,443 | 338,321 | 20,914,810 | 4.3\% | 46,273,561 | 58,755,302 |
| 1995 | 900,708 | 20,857,447 | 917,408 | 373,308 | 23,048,871 | 10.2\% | 49,371,350 | 62,688,683 |
| 1996 | 2,403,599 | 24,092,778 | 949,456 | 405,957 | 27,851,790 | 20.8\% | 58,307,578 | 74,035,352 |
| 1997 | 1,121,566 | 27,734,133 | 946,391 | 486,488 | 30,288,578 | 8.7\% | 65,365,218 | 82,996,706 |
| 1998 | 987,887 | 32,592,002 | 976,898 | 586,128 | 35,142,915 | 16.0\% | 75,677,526 | 96,090,636 |
| 1999 | 1,257,641 | 36,760,611 | 1,066,250 | 1,017,409 | 40,101,911 | 14.1\% | 87,641,658 | 111,281,950 |
| 2000 | 1,085,239 | 41,472,130 | 1,112,702 | 625,364 | 44,295,435 | 10.5\% | 97,506,097 | 123,807,204 |

Note* Prior to 1993 quantities of wine not exceeding $5.5 \%$ volume are included with wine not exceeding $15 \%$ volume.


## EXCISE DUTY ON CIDER AND PERRY

The rate of excise duty on cider and perry is based on whether the product is still or sparkling and on its alcoholic strength by volume.

## Table EX7

Quantities Retained for Home Use and Net Excise Receipts 1991-2000

| Year | Home-Made | Imported |  | Home-Made and Imported |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |

Cider and Perry Consumption
1991-2000


## Betting Duty, Bookmaking Premises Duty and Bookmakers' Licence Duty

An Excise Duty is payable on bets entered into with a bookmaker. Bets on horse races or greyhound coursing (including racing) contests made at the venue where the races or coursing contests take place, are exempt from this duty.

## Table EX8

Betting Duty, Bookmaking Premises Duty and Bookmakers' Licence Duty 1996-2000

| Betting Duty |  |  | Bookmakers Licences |  |  | Bookmaking Premises |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Year | Betting Duty Net Receipts £ | Betting Duty Net Receipts € | Nos. Issued | Net Receipts £ | Net Receipts € | Nos. Issued | Net Receipts £ | Net Receipts € |
| 1996 | 40,641,469 | 51,604,020.75 | 534 | 107,000 | 135,861.97 | 810 | 161,600 | 205,189.67 |
| 1997 | 45,525,124 | 57,804,983.47 | 572 | 114,600 | 145,511.98 | 788 | 158,000 | 200,618.62 |
| 1998 | 52,138,567 | 66,202,323.87 | 571 | 114,000 | 144,750.14 | 666 | 133,200 | 169,129.11 |
| 1999 | 53,400,378 | 67,804,493.35 | 495 | 98,600 | 125,196.17 | 978 | 221,700 | 281,500.93 |
| 2000 | 46,362,754 | 58,868,554.17 | 600 | 120,000 | 152,368.57 | 932 | 243,900 | 309,689.12 |



## EXCISE DUTY AND VEHICLE REGISTRATION TAX (VRT) ON MOTOR VEHICLES AND MOTOR CYCLES

Up to January 1993 motor vehicles manufactured in, or imported into, the State were liable to Excise Duty. Due to the implementation of the Single Market, a Vehicle Registration Tax was introduced in place of the existing Excise Duty. The new VRT rates were calculated so as to leave the overall level of taxation on cars unchanged. They differ from Excise rates in two respects; firstly, duty is charged on the open market selling price (OMSP) instead of the recommended retail selling price (RRSP) and the former is typically $10 \%$ lower than the latter. Secondly the VRT take from a car is designed to be equivalent to the old Excise Duty plus VAT on Excise. VRT receipts for 1993 and later, are therefore not directly comparable with previous years Excise Duty receipts.

## Categories of Vehicles

Under the Excise Duty system motor vehicles were separated into two categories, A and B as well as motorcycles. The VRT system introduced two additional categories C and D.
"Categories A1, A2 and A3"
"Category B"
"Category C"
"Category D"

Cars Car Derived Vans
Trucks, Large Vans, Tractors and Buses
Vehicles other than the above such as Fire Engines, Ambulances and Road Rollers.

VRT (Table EX9)For Categories A and B, VRT is an ad valorem duty based on the Open Market Selling Price. VRT on Category $C$ is a fixed amount per vehicle and there is no VRT payable on Category D vehicles. The VRT on motor cycles is based on the cubic capacity of the engine.

## Current Rate of VRT

## Category of Vehicle

A1 with an engine cc less than or equal to 1400c.c.

A2 with an engine cc exceeding 1400c.c. and not exceeding 2000 c.c.

A3 with an engine cc exceeding 2000 c.c.

B

C

D
Motorcycles with internal combustion engine up to 350 c.c.
with internal combustion engine exceeding 350 c.c.
propelled by means other than internal combustion engine

## Rate

- $22.50 \%$ of chargeable value or $£ 250$, whichever is greater.
- $25.00 \%$ of chargeable value or $£ 250$, whichever is greater.
- $30.00 \%$ of chargeable value or $£ 250$, whichever is greater.
- $13.30 \%$ of chargeable value or $£ 100$, whichever is greater.
- $\quad £ 40$ per vehicle
- nil
- $\quad$ £2.00 per c.c.
- $\quad £ 2.00$ per c.c. for the first 350 c.c.
plus $£ 1.00$ for every additional c.c.
- equal to amount payable on a
motorcycle propelled with an internal combustion engine with same power output

Table EX9
MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION TAX - REGISTRATIONS AND NET RECEIPTS 1993-2000

## Section 1. Motor Cars

|  |  | Category A1 |  |  | Category A2 |  |  | Category A3 |  |  | Total A1, A2 and A3 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1993 |  | Total | Receipts |  | Total | Receipts |  | Total | Receipts |  | Total | Receipts |  |
|  |  | Reg. | £ | € | Reg. | £ | € | Reg. | £ | $€$ | Reg. | £ | € |
|  | New | 63,150 | 155,076,120 | 196,906,055 | 1,125 | 9,396,879 | 11,931,575 |  |  |  | 64,275 | 164,472,999 | 208,837,630 |
|  | Used | 31,980 | 23,003,175 | 29,208,007 | 1,960 | 3,086,139 | 3,918,588 |  |  |  | 33,940 | 26,089,314 | 33,126,595 |
| 1994 | Total | 95,130 | 178,079,295 | 226,114,062 | 3,085 | 12,483,018 | 15,850,163 |  |  |  | 98,215 | 198,412,307 | 251,931,661 |
|  | New | 79,119 | 208,834,152 | 265,164,675 | 1,272 | 12,485,096 | 15,852,802 |  |  |  | 80,391 | 221,319,248 | 281,017,477 |
|  | Used | 39,873 | 37,732,802 | 47,910,776 | 1,372 | 3,461,333 | 4,394,986 |  |  |  | 41,245 | 41,194,135 | 52,305,762 |
| 1995 | Total | 118,992 | 246,566,954 | 313,075,450 | 2,644 | 15,946,429 | 20,247,788 |  |  |  | 121,636 | 262,513,383 | 333,323,238 |
|  | New | 86,415 | 221,906,117 | 281,762,647 | 789 | 9,213,182 | 11,698,328 |  |  |  | 87,204 | 231,119,299 | 293,460,975 |
|  | Used | 43,882 | 46,228,223 | 58,697,735 | 709 | 2,323,194 | 2,949,848 |  |  |  | 44,591 | 48,551,417 | 61,647,583 |
| 1996 | Total | 130,297 | 268,134,340 | 340,460,382 | 1,498 | 11,536,376 | 14,648,176 |  |  |  | 131,795 | 279,670,716 | 355,108,558 |
|  | New | 114,313 | 278,038,990 | 353,036,693 | 813 | 10,188,681 | 12,936,956 |  |  |  | 115,126 | 288,227,671 | 365,973,649 |
|  | Used | 47,318 | 53,400,964 | 67,805,237 | 846 | 3,227,096 | 4,097,567 |  |  |  | 48,164 | 56,628,060 | 71,902,804 |
| 1997 | Total | 161,631 | 331,439,954 | 420,841,930 | 1,659 | 13,415,777 | 17,034,523 |  |  |  | 163,290 | 344,855,731 | 437,876,453 |
|  | New | 135,812 | 325,145,005 | 412,848,994 | 1,078 | 12,544,151 | 15,927,786 |  |  |  | 136,890 | 337,689,156 | 428,776,780 |
|  | Used | 43,991 | 45,802,230 | 58,156,836 | 837 | 2,896,035 | 3,677,206 |  |  |  | 44,828 | 48,698,265 | 61,834,041 |
| 1998 | Total | 179,803 | 370,947,235 | 471,005,829 | 1,915 | 15,440,186 | 19,604,992 |  |  |  | 181,718 | 386,387,421 | 490,610,821 |
|  | New | 144,706 | 403,790,867 | 512,708,640 | 1,437 | 18,061,255 | 22,933,063 |  |  |  | 146,143 | 421,852,122 | 535,641,703 |
|  | Used | 43,605 | 46,508,098 | 59,053,103 | 1,309 | 4,805,805 | 6,102,114 |  |  |  | 44,914 | 51,313,903 | 65,155,217 |
| 1999 | Total | 188,311 | 450,298,965 | 571,761,743 | 2,746 | 22,867,060 | 29,035,177 |  |  |  | 191,057 | 473,166,025 | 600,796,919 |
|  | New | 111,834 | 239,877,710 | 304,581,863 | 58,319 | 251,024,942 | 318,735,927 | 4,689 | 54,303,279 | 68,950,941 | 174,842 | 545,205,931 | 692,268,731 |
|  | Used | 15,403 | 12,330,943 | 15,657,068 | 18,432 | 25,167,761 | 31,956,464 | 3,657 | 11,477,479 | 14,573,392 | 37,492 | 48,976,183 | 62,186,924 |
| 2000 | Total | 127,237 | 252,208,653 | 320,238,930 | 76,751 | 276,192,703 | 350,692,392 | 8,346 | 65,780,758 | 83,524,333 | 212,334 | 594,182,114 | 754,455,656 |
|  | New | 150,795 | 335,245,279 | 425,673,696 | 74,387 | 330,263,157 | 419,347,706 | 6,357 | 78,851,205 | 100,120,378 | 231,539 | 744,359,641 | 945,141,780 |
|  | Used | 9,716 | 7,451,925 | 9,461,993 | 12,195 | 14,308,326 | 18,167,826 | 2,982 | 8,971,384 | 11,391,308 | 24,893 | 30,731,635 | 39,021,127 |
|  | Total | 160,511 | 342,697,204 | 435,135,689 | 86,582 | 344,571,483 | 437,515,533 | 9,339 | 87,822,589 | 111,511,685 | 256,432 | 775,091,276 | 984,162,907 |

Note: The registrations shown are gross i.e. include those which are VRT exempt.

Section 2. Vehicles other than Motor Cars

|  |  | Category B (Car Derived Vans) |  |  | Category ( (Commercial Vehicles) |  |  | Cat. D | Category M (Motor Cycles) |  |  | Total Net Receipts |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Receipts |  | Total | Receipts |  | Total | Total | Receipts |  |  |  |
|  |  | Reg. | £ | € | Reg. | £ | € | Reg. | Reg. | £ | € | £ | € |
| 1993 | New | 2,843 | 4,077,789 | 5,177,724 | 11,886 | 383,086 | 486,419 | 43 | 2,756 | 721,699 | 916,369 | 169,655,573 | 215,418,141 |
|  | Used | 1,318 | 412,804 | 524,153 | 14,869 | 350,360 | 444,865 | 103 | 2,661 | 301,011 | 382,205 | 27,153,489 | 34,477,819 |
|  | Total | 4,161 | 4,490,593 | 5,701,877 | 26,755 | 733,446 | 931,284 | 146 | 5,417 | 1,022,710 | 1,298,574 | 196,809,062 | 249,895,960 |
| 1994 | New | 3,375 | 5,854,013 | 7,433,063 | 14,553 | 577,472 | 733,238 | 93 | 2,245 | 626,887 | 795,982 | 228,377,620 | 289,979,760 |
|  | Used | 981 | 502,137 | 637,582 | 13,212 | 445,013 | 565,050 | 42 | 2,630 | 340,024 | 431,741 | 42,481,309 | 53,940,136 |
|  | Total | 4,356 | 6,356,150 | 8,070,646 | 27,765 | 1,022,485 | 1,298,288 | 135 | 4,875 | 966,911 | 1,227,724 | 270,858,929 | 343,919,896 |
| 1995 | New | 3,448 | 6,408,723 | 8,137,400 | 16,362 | 662,920 | 841,735 | 107 | 2,379 | 629,989 | 799,921 | 238,820,931 | 303,240,030 |
|  | Used | 1,007 | 579,071 | 735,268 | 13,758 | 504,200 | 640,202 | 51 | 2,650 | 371,404 | 471,586 | 50,006,092 | 63,494,639 |
|  | Total | 4,455 | 6,987,794 | 8,872,668 | 30,120 | 1,167,120 | 1,481,937 | 158 | 5,029 | 1,001,393 | 1,271,507 | 288,827,023 | 366,734,669 |
| 1996 | New | 3,080 | 5,460,000 | 6,932,770 | 19,804 | 794,000 | 1,008,172 | 86 | 2,960 | 724,357 | 919,744 | 295,206,028 | 374,834,335 |
|  | Used | 1,035 | 649,000 | 824,060 | 14,771 | 590,120 | 749,298 | 66 | 3,058 | 438,789 | 557,147 | 58,305,969 | 74,033,309 |
|  | Total | 4,115 | 6,109,000 | 7,756,830 | 34,575 | 1,384,120 | 1,757,470 | 152 | 6,018 | 1,163,146 | 1,476,891 | 353,511,997 | 448,867,644 |
| 1997 | New | 3,222 | 6,129,000 | 7,782,225 | 23,439 | 951,000 | 1,207,521 | 93 | 3,593 | 907,000 | 1,151,652 | 345,676,156 | 438,918,178 |
|  | Used | 882 | 452,000 | 573,922 | 13,866 | 528,000 | 670,422 | 82 | 3,185 | 492,000 | 624,711 | 50,170,265 | 63,703,096 |
|  | Total | 4,104 | 6,581,000 | 8,356,146 | 37,305 | 1,479,000 | 1,877,943 | 175 | 6,778 | 1,399,000 | 1,776,364 | 395,846,421 | 502,621,274 |
| 1998 | New | 3,488 | 6,920,006 | 8,786,595 | 31,948 | 1,277,040 | 1,621,506 | 131 | 4,007 | 1,180,911 | 1,499,448 | 431,230,079 | 547,549,252 |
|  | Used | 1,053 | 779,788 | 990,127 | 13,614 | 519,840 | 660,061 | 86 | 3,377 | 562,189 | 713,833 | 53,175,720 | 67,519,237 |
|  | Total | 4,541 | 7,699,794 | 9,776,722 | 45,562 | 1,796,880 | 2,281,567 | 217 | 7,384 | 1,743,100 | 2,213,280 | 484,405,799 | 615,068,488 |
| 1999 | New | 3,615 | 7,046,572 | 8,947,301 | 39,525 | 1,581,000 | 2,007,456 | 183 | 6,208 | 2,061,246 | 2,617,243 | 555,894,749 | 705,840,730 |
|  | Used | 1,285 | 1,087,349 | 1,380,648 | 16,635 | 647,920 | 822,689 | 91 | 3,325 | 696,245 | 884,049 | 51,407,697 | 65,274,310 |
|  | Total | 4,900 | 8,133,921 | 10,327,949 | 56,160 | 2,228,920 | 2,830,145 | 274 | 9,533 | 2,757,491 | 3,501,291 | 607,302,446 | 771,115,041 |
| 2000 | New | 3,345 | 6,349,782 | 8,062,560 | 48,645 | 1,945,800 | 2,470,656 | 218 | 8,898 | 2,877,435 | 3,653,589 | 755,532,658 | 959,328,585 |
|  | Used | 1,094 | 925,159 | 1,174,710 | 13,020 | 520,800 | 661,280 | 130 | 3,633 | 839,824 | 1,066,357 | 33,017,418 | 41,923,473 |
|  | Total | 4,439 | 7,274,941 | 9,237,270 | 61,665 | 2,466,600 | 3,131,936 | 348 | 12,531 | 3,717,259 | 4,719,945 | 788,550,076 | 1,001,252,058 |

C.C. Profile for New Cars Registered for VRT in 2000

C.C. Profile for Used Cars Registered for VRT in 2000


## EXCISE DUTY ON MINERAL HYDROCARBON LIGHT OILS

Table EX10

Quantities Retained for Home Use and Net Excise Receipts 1991-2000

| Year | Leaded <br> Petrol <br> Quantity (Litres '000) | Unleaded Petrol Quantity (Litres '000) | Super Plus | Aviation | MHLO Quantities and Receipts Totals. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Unleaded (1) Quantity (Litres '000) | Gasoline <br> Quantity <br> (Litres '000) | Quantity (Litres '000) | $\begin{gathered} \text { \% } \\ \text { Change } \end{gathered}$ | Net Excise Receipts | Net Excise Receipts |
|  |  |  | w.e.f. 1 Sept 96 |  |  |  | £ | € |
| 1991 | 869,238 | 301,103 | - | 1,304 | 1,181,686 | 0.3\% | 347,031,397 | 440,638,979 |
| 1992 | 847,140 | 392,677 | - | 1,408 | 1,251,550 | 5.9\% | 351,812,601 | 446,709,856 |
| 1993 | 768,941 | 499,210 | - | 1,066 | 1,269,311 | 1.4\% | 350,388,794 | 444,901,994 |
| 1994 | 684,022 | 643,437 | - | 898 | 1,328,357 | 4.7\% | 378,893,102 | 481,094,999 |
| 1995 | 604,189 | 778,577 | - | 1,146 | 1,383,912 | 4.2\% | 393,207,158 | 499,270,101 |
| 1996 | 515,704 | 912,972 | 25,458 | 1,076 | 1,455,210 | 5.2\% | 422,179,384 | 536,057,240 |
| 1997 | 410,081 | 1,089,230 | 64,120 | 1,255 | 1,564,686 | 7.5\% | 474,107,918 | 601,992,877 |
| 1998 | 270,880 | 1,439,227 | 35,481 | 1,004 | 1,746,592 | 11.6\% | 533,170,307 | 676,986,641 |
| 1999 | 145,885 | 1,719,089 | 28,752 | 1,570 | 1,895,296 | 8.5\% | 567,379,230 | 720,423,014 |
| 2000 | 562 | 1,953,652 | 61,602 | 1,794 | 2,017,611 | 6.5\% | 594,481,803 | 754,836,182 |

(1) A separate excise rate for super plus unleaded petrol was introduced w.e.f. 1st. Sept '96 and clearances only refer to that date on.

Mineral Hydrocarbon Light Oils Consumption
1991-2000


Table EX11

Incidence of Duty and VAT per Litre of Unleaded Petrol 1991-2000

| Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| (Mid | Price <br> Per <br> Litre (a) | Percent <br> Change | Excise <br> Content <br> (Pence) | VAT <br> Content <br> (Pence) | Total <br> Tax <br> Content <br> (Pence) | Percent <br> Change | Tax <br> Exclusive <br> Price | Percent <br> Change | Tax as <br> a $\%$ <br> of |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | (Pence) |  |  |  |
| Price |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

INCREASE IN CPI (ALL ITEMS) 1991-2000: 24.5\%

INCREASE DURING PERIOD:

| TAX INCLUSIVE PRICE: | $16.7 \%$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| TAX EXCLUSIVE PRICE: | $30.2 \%$ |
| TAX CONTENT: | $8.9 \%$ |

Price of a Litre of Unleaded Petrol, the Tax Take and Tax Exclusive Price 1991-2000

(a) C.S.0. National Average Retail Price

## EXCISE DUTY ON HYDROCARBON OILS OTHER SORTS

The oils referred to in this Table include diesel oil, kerosene, fuel and lubricating oils and white spirit.
Only oils for use as fuel in road motor vehicles bear the duty in full but partial repayment is made on such oil used in passenger road transport

Table EX12
Quantities Retained for Home Use and Net Excise Receipts 1991-2000

|  | Auto Diesel |  |  |  | Other Oils (1) (2) |  |  | Other Oils (3) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Quantity (Litres '000) | Auto Diesel \% Change | Net Excise Receipts | Net Excise Receipts | Quantity (Litres '000) | Net Excise Receipts | Net Excise Receipts | Quantity (Litres '000) | Net Excise Receipts | Net Excise Receipts |
|  |  |  | £ | € |  | f | € |  | f | € |
| 1991 | 834,558 | 5.9\% | 175,658,073 | 223,039,744 | 1,494,182 | 54,072,528 | 68,657,948 |  |  |  |
| 1992 | 913,473 | 9.5\% | 194,070,804 | 246,419,090 | 1,541,357 | 55,626,864 | 70,631,547 |  |  |  |
| 1993 | 962,640 | 5.4\% | 204,638,246 | 259,836,973 | 1,542,743 | 55,486,915 | 70,453,849 |  |  |  |
| 1994 | 1,052,835 | 9.4\% | 236,383,304 | 300,144,882 | 1,637,904 | 59,118,268 | 75,064,716 |  |  |  |
| 1995 | 1,136,652 | 8.0\% | 256,326,065 | 325,466,965 | 1,641,045 | 59,157,127 | 75,114,057 |  |  |  |
| 1996 | 1,235,740 | 8.7\% | 288,249,398 | 366,001,237 | 1,897,799 | 68,509,950 | 86,989,692 |  |  |  |
| 1997 | 1,369,037 | 10.8\% | 337,642,082 | 428,717,008 | 1,885,872 | 68,088,492 | 86,454,551 |  |  |  |
| 1998 | 1,618,396 | 18.2\% | 401,054,939 | 509,234,728 | 2,067,897 | 75,041,052 | 95,282,481 |  |  |  |
| 1999 | 1,852,470 | 14.5\% | 459,391,855 | 583,307,331 | 1,567,061 | 55,470,338 | 70,432,800 | 706,406 | 26,560,000 | 33,724,243 |
| 2000 | 1,991,424 | 7.5\% | 491,409,069 | 623,960,807 | 1,595,707 | 56,669,995 | 71,956,051 | 788,904 | 20,069,992 | 25,483,634 |

Table EX12 - continued
Quantities Retained for Home Use and Net Excise Receipts 1991-2000

|  | Fuel Oil Used | Residual Fuel | Residual Fuel |  | Residual Fuel Oil |  |  | drocarbon | Other Sorts |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Manufacture | Generation of | Other |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | of Alumina (4) | Electricity <br> for Sale | Purposes (2) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Quantity <br> (Litres '000) | Quantity (Litres '000) | Quantity <br> (Litres '000) | Total Quantity (Litres '000) | Net Excise Receipts | Net Excise Receipts | Quantity <br> (Litres '000) | Percent Change | Net Excise Receipts | Net Excise Receipts |
|  |  |  |  |  | f | € |  |  | £ | € |
| 1991 | 283,516 | 567,122 | 356,424 | 923,546 | 11,394,544 | 14,468,086 | 3,535,802 | 10.33\% | 241,125,145 | 306,165,778 |
| 1992 | 210,142 | 547,487 | 357,055 | 904,542 | 11,073,818 | 14,060,848 | 3,569,514 | 0.95\% | 260,771,486 | 331,111,486 |
| 1993 | 279,859 | 584,080 | 340,181 | 924,261 | 9,678,889 | 12,289,654 | 3,709,503 | 3.92\% | 269,804,050 | 342,580,476 |
| 1994 | 249,775 | 646,907 | 355,725 | 1,002,632 | 10,494,949 | 13,325,836 | 3,943,146 | 6.30\% | 305,996,521 | 388,535,435 |
| 1995 | 359,203 | 613,228 | 344,885 | 958,113 | 10,125,748 | 12,857,048 | 4,095,013 | 3.85\% | 325,608,940 | 413,438,070 |
| 1996 | 262,812 | 648,445 | 361,311 | 1,009,756 | 10,681,244 | 13,562,382 | 4,406,107 | 7.60\% | 367,440,592 | 466,553,311 |
| 1997 | 295,226 | 775,261 | 313,483 | 1,088,744 | 11,535,737 | 14,647,365 | 4,638,879 | 5.28\% | 417,266,311 | 529,818,924 |
| 1998 | 331,093 | 1,086,955 | 331,145 | 1,418,100 | 15,000,340 | 19,046,503 | 5,435,486 | 17.17\% | 491,096,331 | 623,563,712 |
| 1999 | 338,292 | 1,307,962 | 340,078 | 1,648,040 | 17,433,228 | 22,135,634 | 6,112,270 | 12.45\% | 558,855,421 | 709,600,009 |
| 2000 | 367,185 | 1,131,777 | 311,278 | 1,443,055 | 15,266,187 | 19,384,059 | 6,186,276 | 1.21\% | 583,415,243 | 740,784,550 |

(1) These oils are used mainly for agriculture, industrial and heating purposes.
(2) There is a full repayment of duty on these oils when used in the engines of sea fishing boats and a partial repayment when used in horticulture production.
(3) This category refers to Kerosene only. Prior to 1999 clearances of Kerosene are included with Other Oils (1) (2). A separate excise rate for Kerosene was introduced w/e/f 1st. December 1999
(4) A full rebate of duty is allowed on this oil.

Hydrocarbon Oils Other Sorts Consumption 1991-2000


Table EX13

Incidence of Duty and VAT per Litre of Auto Diesel 1991-2000

| Year <br> (Mid May) | Price per Litre (a) (Pence) | Percent Change | Excise Content (Pence) | VAT <br> Content <br> (Pence) | Total Tax Content (Pence) | Percent Change | Tax Exclusive Price (Pence) | Percent Change | Tax as $a$ \% of Price |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1991 | 52.90 | 3.9\% | 22.31 | 9.18 | 31.49 | -1.0\% | 21.41 | 12.1\% | 59.5\% |
| 1992 | 52.70 | -0.4\% | 22.31 | 9.15 | 31.46 | -0.1\% | 21.24 | -0.8\% | 59.7\% |
| 1993 | 54.20 | 2.8\% | 22.31 | 9.41 | 31.72 | 0.8\% | 22.48 | 5.8\% | 58.5\% |
| 1994 | 54.00 | -0.4\% | 23.55 | 9.37 | 32.92 | 3.8\% | 21.08 | -6.2\% | 61.0\% |
| 1995 | 53.60 | -0.7\% | 23.55 | 9.30 | 32.85 | -0.2\% | 20.75 | -1.6\% | 61.3\% |
| 1996 | 56.70 | 5.8\% | 24.38 | 9.84 | 34.22 | 4.2\% | 22.48 | 8.4\% | 60.3\% |
| 1997 | 56.70 | 0.0\% | 25.61 | 9.84 | 35.45 | 3.6\% | 21.25 | -5.5\% | 62.5\% |
| 1998 | 55.70 | -1.8\% | 25.61 | 9.67 | 35.28 | -0.5\% | 20.42 | -3.9\% | 63.3\% |
| 1999 | 55.50 | -0.4\% | 25.61 | 9.63 | 35.25 | -0.1\% | 20.25 | -0.8\% | 63.5\% |
| 2000 | 65.50 | 18.0\% | 25.61 | 11.37 | 36.98 | 4.9\% | 28.52 | 40.8\% | 56.5\% |

INCREASE IN CPI (ALL ITEMS) 1991-2000: 24.5\%
INCREASE DURING PERIOD:

| TAX INCLUSIVE PRICE: | $23.8 \%$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| TAX EXCLUSIVE PRICE: | $33.2 \%$ |
| TAX CONTENT: | $17.4 \%$ |

Price of a Litre of Auto Diesel, the Tax Take and Tax Exclusive Price
1991-2000

(a) C.S.0. National Average Retail Price

## EXCISE DUTY ON GASEOUS HYDROCARBONS IN LIQUID FORM (LPG)

Table EX14

Quantities Retained for Home Use and Net Excise Receipts 1991-2000

|  | Fully Duty Paid |  |  | Partly Rebated * |  |  | Total |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Quantity (Litres '000) | Net Receipts $£$ | Net Receipts $€$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Quantity } \\ \text { (Litres '000) } \end{gathered}$ | Net Receipts $£$ | Net Receipts € | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Quantity } \\ & \text { (Litres '000) } \end{aligned}$ | Net Receipts $£$ | Net Receipts € |
| 1991 | 12,851 | 926,109 | 1,175,916 | 241,288 | 8,974,395 | 11,395,131 | 254,139 | 9,900,504 | 12,571,047 |
| 1992 | 13,006 | 895,446 | 1,136,982 | 238,875 | 6,944,275 | 8,817,410 | 251,881 | 7,839,721 | 9,954,392 |
| 1993 | 12,523 | 736,652 | 935,355 | 247,889 | 4,594,717 | 5,834,087 | 260,412 | 5,331,369 | 6,769,442 |
| 1994 | 11,747 | 666,641 | 846,459 | 246,450 | 4,592,254 | 5,830,960 | 258,197 | 5,258,895 | 6,677,419 |
| 1995 | 9,885 | 537,287 | 682,214 | 244,063 | 4,563,972 | 5,795,049 | 253,948 | 5,101,259 | 6,477,263 |
| 1996 | 7,750 | 439,826 | 558,464 | 261,687 | 4,431,372 | 5,626,682 | 269,437 | 4,871,198 | 6,185,146 |
| 1997 | 6,593 | 374,160 | 475,085 | 256,663 | 3,663,720 | 4,651,965 | 263,256 | 4,037,880 | 5,127,050 |
| 1998 | 5,182 | 288,814 | 366,718 | 268,464 | 3,839,031 | 4,874,564 | 273,646 | 4,127,845 | 5,241,282 |
| 1999 | 4,234 | 207,124 | 262,993 | 260,064 | 3,689,308 | 4,684,455 | 264,298 | 3,896,432 | 4,947,448 |
| 2000 | 3,577 | 149,325 | 189,604 | 284,589 | 4,033,596 | 5,121,610 | 290,173 | 4,182,921 | 5,311,214 |

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## EXCISE DUTY ON TOBACCO PRODUCTS

Excise duty on cigarettes consists of a specific rate of duty levied per one thousand cigarettes together with a fixed percentage of the price at which the cigarettes are sold by retail.All other tobacco products are charged at a specific rate of duty per kilogram.

Table EX15


Note: From 25 February 1993, Other Tobacco Products were reclassified into two new categories, (1) "Fine Cut Tobacco", replaced the existing category "Other Tobacco" and (2) "Other Smoking Tobacco" replaced "Sweetened Tobacco", "Hard Pressed" and "Other Pipe.
For the years 1991 to 1993 the quantities for Other Tobacco are shown under Fine Cut and those for Sweetened, Hard Pressed and Other Pipe are shown under Other Smoking.
Cigarette Consumption 1991-2000


Table EX16
Incidence of Duty and VAT per Packet of 20 Cigarettes

| Year <br> (Mid <br> May) | Retail Price | Percent Change | Excise Content |  |  | VAT <br> Content | Total Tax Content | Percent <br> Change | Tax Exclusive price | Percent <br> Change | Total Tax as \% of price |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Specific | Ad | Total |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | £ |  | £ | Valorem $£$ | £ | £ | £ |  | £ |  |  |
| 1991 | 2.065 | 6.0\% | 0.850 | 0.339 | 1.190 | 0.358 | 1.548 | 7.3\% | 0.517 | 2.1\% | 75.0\% |
| 1992 | 2.275 | 10.2\% | 0.955 | 0.375 | 1.330 | 0.395 | 1.725 | 11.4\% | 0.550 | 6.4\% | 75.8\% |
| 1993 | 2.433 | 6.9\% | 1.012 | 0.410 | 1.422 | 0.422 | 1.844 | 6.9\% | 0.589 | 7.0\% | 75.8\% |
| 1994 | 2.555 | 5.0\% | 1.065 | 0.430 | 1.495 | 0.443 | 1.938 | 5.1\% | 0.617 | 4.7\% | 75.9\% |
| 1995 | 2.704 | 5.8\% | 1.144 | 0.455 | 1.599 | 0.469 | 2.068 | 6.7\% | 0.636 | 3.1\% | 76.5\% |
| 1996 | 2.842 | 5.1\% | 1.207 | 0.481 | 1.688 | 0.493 | 2.181 | 5.5\% | 0.661 | 4.0\% | 76.7\% |
| 1997 | 2.954 | 3.9\% | 1.253 | 0.500 | 1.753 | 0.513 | 2.266 | 3.9\% | 0.688 | 4.2\% | 76.7\% |
| 1998 | 3.089 | 4.6\% | 1.300 | 0.542 | 1.842 | 0.536 | 2.378 | 5.0\% | 0.711 | 3.3\% | 77.0\% |
| 1999 | 3.190 | 3.3\% | 1.335 | 0.557 | 1.892 | 0.554 | 2.445 | 2.8\% | 0.745 | 4.7\% | 76.7\% |
| 2000 | 3.750 | 17.6\% | 1.620 | 0.696 | 2.316 | 0.651 | 2.967 | 21.3\% | 0.783 | 5.2\% | 79.1\% |

INCREASE IN CPI (ALL ITEMS) 1991-2000: 24.5\%
INCREASE IN PRICES DURING PERIOD:

| TAX INCLUSIVE PRICES: | $81.6 \%$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| TAX EXCLUSIVE PRICES | $51.5 \%$ |
| TAX CONTENT | $91.7 \%$ |

Price of a Packet of 20 Cigarettes, the Tax Take and Tax Exclusive Price
1991-2000

(a) C.S.O. National Average Retail Price

Excise Licences
Table EX17
Numbers and Net Receipts, 1998-2000

|  | 1998 |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |

CLASS A - LIQUOR LICENCES

| MANUFACTURERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1. Brewers for sale | 17 | £3,400 | 22 | £4,600 | 13 | £3,200 |
|  |  | €4,317 |  | € 5,841 |  | €4,063 |
| 2. Cider Manufactures | 3 | £1,000 | 4 | £1,000 | 4 | £800 |
|  |  | €1,270 |  | €1,270 |  | €1,016 |
| 3. Distillers. | 6 | £1,400 | 7 | £1,600 | 3 | £600 |
|  |  | €1,778 |  | €2,032 |  | €762 |
| 4. Rectifiers and Componders | 14 | £2,800 | 19 | £4,000 | 17 | £3,600 |
|  |  | €3,555 |  | €5,079 |  | €4,571 |
| 5. Sweet Makers | 2 | £600 | 3 | £600 | 4 | £800 |
| TOTAL MANUFACTURES | 42 | £9,200 | 55 | £11,800 | 41 | £9,000 |
|  |  | €11,682 |  | €14,983 |  | €11,428 |
| DEALERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1. Spirits | 247 | £51,400 | 261 | £52,800 | 253 | £50,600 |
|  |  | €65,265 |  | €67,042 |  | €64,249 |
| 2. Beer | 231 | £48,000 | 239 | £50,000 | 208 | £41,600 |
|  |  | €60,947 |  | €63,487 |  | € 52,821 |
| 3. Wine and Sweet | 278 | £59,400 | 357 | £73,600 | 353 | £70,400 |
|  |  | €75,422 |  | €93,453 |  | €89,390 |
| 4. Spirits and Wine | 20 | £4,200 | 3 | £600 | 6 | £1,200 |
|  |  | €5,333 |  | €762 |  | €1,524 |
| TOTAL DEALERS | 776 | £163,000 | 860 | £177,000 | 820 | £163,800 |
|  |  | €206,967 |  | €224,744 |  | €207,983 |
| RETAILERS OF SPIRITS |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1.PUBLICANS viz.;- |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Full | 10,395 | £4,817,086 | 9,788 | £4,643,745 | 7,421 | £3,467,892 |
|  |  | €6,116,438 |  | €5,896,340 |  | €4,403,315 |
| Six-Day | 63 | £13,000 | 61 | £12,400 | 37 | £8,600 |
|  |  | €16,507 |  | €15,745 |  | €10,920 |
| Early-Closing | 20 | £4,200 | 14 | £3,000 | 1 | £200 |
|  |  | €5,333 |  | €3,809 |  | €254 |
| Six-Day and Early - Closing | 19 | £3,800 | 18 | £4,300 | 7 | £1,400 |
|  |  | €4,825 |  | $€ 5,460$ |  | €1,778 |
| Additional Duty - No. Lic. issued | - |  | - |  |  | £800 |
|  |  |  |  |  | €1,016 |  |
| TOTAL PUBLICANS | 10,497 | £4,838,086 | 9,881 | £4,663,445 | 7,466 | £3,478,892 |
|  |  | €6,143,102 |  | € 5,921,354 |  | €4,417,282 |
| 2. Off - Licences | 589 | £113,800 | 543 | £109,000 | 361 | £73,200 |
|  |  | €144,496 |  | €138,402 |  | € 92,945 |
| 3. Special Restaurant Renewal | 257 | £53,300 | 241 | £43,200 | 184 | £37,000 |
|  |  | €67,677 |  | € 54,853 |  | €46,980 |
| 4. Restricted Licence Conversion |  |  |  |  | 50 | £126,705 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | €160,882 |
| TOTAL SPIRIT RETAILERS | 846 | £167,100 | 784 | £152,200 | 595 | £236,905 |
|  |  | €212,173 |  | €193,254 |  | €300,807 |
| Retailers of Beer, Cider \& Perry |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5. On Licence viz.:-Full | 4 | £800 | 4 | £800 | 7 | £1,400 |
|  |  | €1,016 |  | €1,016 |  | €1,778 |
| 6. Off - Licences | 589 | £113,800 | 546 | £109,200 | 367 | £72,600 |
|  |  | €144,496 |  | €138,655 |  | €92,183 |
| TOTAL BEER RETAILERS | 593 | £114,600 | 550 | £110,000 | 374 | £74,000 |
|  |  | €145,512 |  | €139,671 |  | €93,961 |

Table EX17-continued
Numbers and Net Receipts, 1998-2000

|  | 1998 |  | 1999 |  | 2000 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | NUMBERS ISSUED | NET RECEIPTS | NUMBERS ISSUED | $\begin{gathered} \text { NET } \\ \text { RECEIPTS } \end{gathered}$ | NUMBERS ISSUED | $\begin{gathered} \text { NET } \\ \text { RECEIPTS } \end{gathered}$ |
| Retailers of Cider \& Perry <br> 7. Off - Licences | 16 | $\begin{aligned} & £ 3,200 \\ & € 4,063 \end{aligned}$ | 16 | $\begin{aligned} & £ 3,200 \\ & € 4,063 \end{aligned}$ | 8 | $\begin{aligned} & £ 1,600 \\ & € 2,032 \end{aligned}$ |
| Retailers of Wine and Sweets |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 8. On - Licences, viz.:-Full | 2,157 | $\begin{aligned} & £ 460,600 \\ & € 584,841 \end{aligned}$ | 3,075 | $\begin{array}{r} £ 635,400 \\ € 806,792 \end{array}$ | 2,233 | $\begin{array}{r} £ 460,400 \\ € 584,587 \end{array}$ |
| 9. Off - Licences | 483 | $\begin{array}{r} £ 96,000 \\ € 121,895 \end{array}$ | 550 | $\begin{array}{r} £ 110,200 \\ € 139,925 \end{array}$ | 448 | $\begin{array}{r} £ 89,000 \\ € 113,007 \end{array}$ |
| TOTAL WINE RETAILERS | 2,640 | $\begin{array}{r}  \\ £ 556,600 \\ € 706,736 \end{array}$ | 3,625 | $\begin{array}{r} \text { £745,600 } \\ € 946,717 \end{array}$ | 2,681 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline £ 549,400 \\ & € 697,594 \end{aligned}$ |


| Retailers of Sweets |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 10. On - Licences | 1 | £200 | 1 | £400 | 2 | £400 |
|  |  | €254 |  | €508 |  | €508 |
| 11. Off - Licences | 9 | £1,800 | 5 | £1,000 | 1 | £200 |
|  |  | €2,286 |  | €1,270 |  | €254 |
| TOTAL SWEETS RETAILERS | 10 | £2,000 | 6 | £1,400 | 3 | £600 |
|  |  | €2,540 |  | €1,778 |  | €762 |
| 12. Passenger Vessels;- Annual | 30 | £6,200 | 32 | £6,200 | 29 | £7,800 |
|  |  | €7,872 |  | €7,872 |  | €9,904 |
| 13. Passenger Aircraft | 44 | £8,800 | 116 | £23,200 | 4 | £800 |
|  |  | € 11,174 |  | €29,458 |  | €1,016 |
| 14. Railway Restaurant Cars | 50 | £10,000 | 50 | £10,000 | 50 | £9,800 |
|  |  | €12,697 |  | €12,697 |  | €12,443 |
| 15. Special Restaurant Fee | 36 | £111,000 | 31 | £93,000 | 30 | £87,200 |
|  |  | €140,941 |  | €118,086 |  | €110,721 |
| TOTAL CLASS A. | 15,580 | £5,989,786 | 16,006 | £5,997,045 | 12,101 | £4,619,797 |
|  |  | €7,605,459 |  | €7,614676 |  | €5,865,932 |
| 1 Auctioneers | 1,532 | £318,490 | 1,613 | £330,400 | 1,657 | £332,000 |
|  |  | € 404,399 |  | € 419,522 |  | € 421,553 |
| 2 Auction Permits | 230 | £46,000 | 248 | £49,800 | 243 | £48,600 |
|  |  | € 58,408 |  | €63,233 |  | €61,709 |
| 3 Bookmakers Licences | 571 | £114,000 | 0 | £98,600 | 600 | £120,000 |
|  |  | €144,750 |  | €125,196 |  | €152,369 |
| 4 Gaming | 166 | £52,500 | 150 | £52,000 | 146 | £51,125 |
|  |  | €66,661 |  | €66,026 |  | €64,915 |
| 5 Gaming Machines | 10,530 | £1,190,000 | 11,648 | £1,353,625 | 12,367 | £1,480,450 |
|  |  | €1,510,988 |  | €1,718,749 |  | €1,879,784 |
| 6 House Agents | 9 | £900 | 8 | £800 | 10 | £1,600 |
|  |  | €1,143 |  | €1,016 |  | €2,032 |
| 7 Hydrocarbon Oil Refiners | 1 | £150 | 1 | £150 | 1 | £150 |
|  |  | €190 |  | €190 |  | €190 |
| 8 Hydrocarbon Oil Vendors | 2,857 | 96,582 | 2,839 | £93,900 | 2,727 | £88,640 |
|  |  | €122,634 |  | €119,228 |  | €112,550 |
| 9 Liquid Petroleum Gas Vendors | 163 | £5,730 | 140 | £4,770 | 105 | £3,480 |
|  |  | €7,276 |  | €6,057 |  | €4,419 |
| 10 Amusement Machines | 7,468 | 641,310 | 7,267 | £652,700 | 7,125 | £654,040 |
|  |  | €814,296 |  | € 828,758 |  | € 830,460 |
| 11 Methylated Spirit Makers | 9 | £1,350 | 7 | £900 | 6 | £900 |
|  |  | €1,714 |  | €1,143 |  | €1,143 |
| 12 Methylated Spirit Retailers | 773 | £8,050 | 792 | £8,277 | 749 | £7,760 |
|  |  | €10,221 |  | €10,510 |  | €9,853 |
| 13 Moneylenders | - |  | - | - |  |  |
| 14 Pawnbrokers | - |  |  |  |  |  |
| 15 Table Water Manufacturers | - |  | - | - | 5 |  |
| 16 Tobacco Manufacturers | 4 | £600 | 7 | £1,650 |  | £750 |
|  |  | €762 |  | €2,095 |  | €952 |
| 17 Bookmaker 361A(Tote) | 2 | £400 | - | - | 2 | £400 |
|  |  | €508 |  |  |  | €508 |
| TOTAL CLASS B | 24,315 | £2,476,062 | 24,720 | $\begin{array}{r} £ 2,647,572 \\ € 3,361,723 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | 25,743 | $\begin{aligned} & £ 2,789,895 \\ & € 3,542,436 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | €3,143,954 |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL CLASSES A \& B | 39,895 | £8,465,848 | 40,726 | $\begin{array}{r} £ 8,644,617 \\ € 10,976,399 \end{array}$ | 37,844 | £7,409,692 |
|  |  | € $10,749,410$ |  |  |  | €9,408,368 |

## Stamp Duties

- Table SD1. Classification of Net Receipt
- Table SD2. Other statistics relating to Stamp Revenue in the six years ended 2000
- Table SD3. Net Receipts of fees collected by means of Stamps

Stamp duties are charged mainly on legal and commercial instruments and in respect of certain transactions. With few exceptions, the instruments affected are set out in Schedule 1 to the Stamp Duties Consolidation Act, 1999.

Table SD1 classifies the net receipts from stamp duties under five main categories of charge which are as follows:

## (1) Conveyances of lands, houses and other property, leases, mortgages and settlements

Stamp duty is charged ad valorem on the consideration for the sale of the property. The rates of duty now in force are as follows:

| Consideration | Non-Residential | Residential |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | First Time Purchaser | Other Owner Occupier | Investor |
| Not exceeding $£ 5,000$ | Nil | Nil | Nil | 9.00\% |
| £5,001-£10,000 | 1\% | Nil | Nil | 9.00\% |
| £10,001-£15,000 | 2\% | Nil | Nil | 9.00\% |
| £15,001-£25,000 | 3\% | Nil | Nil | 9.00\% |
| £25,001-£50,000 | 4\% | Nil | Nil | 9.00\% |
| £50,001-£60,000 | 5\% | Nil | Nil | 9.00\% |
| Exceeding $£ 60,000$ | 6\% | - | - | - |
| £60,001-£100,000 | - | Nil | Nil | 9.00\% |
| £100,001-£150,000 | - | Nil | 3.00\% | 9.00\% |
| £150,001-£200,000 | - | 3.00\% | 4.00\% | 9.00\% |
| £200,001-£250,000 | - | 3.75\% | 5.00\% | 9.00\% |
| £250,001-£300,000 | - | 4.50\% | 6.00\% | 9.00\% |
| £300,001-£500,000 | - | 7.50\% | 7.50\% | 9.00\% |
| Exceeding $£ 500,000$ | - | 9.00\% | 9.00\% | 9.00\% |

In the case of gifts, the duty is charged at the same rates on the value of the property. Where the transfer is between certain classes of relatives, the maximum rate is one half of the above rates whether the conveyance is by way of gift or sale.

The ad valorem rates apply also to the consideration, other than the rent, in the case of leases.
Various exemptions and reliefs have been provided for. For example, certain transfers and leases of houses and apartments are exempt from stamp duty. Mortgages not exceeding $£ 20,000$ are exempt from stamp duty. Where that sum is exceeded, the rate is $0.1 \%$ of the amount secured, subject to a maximum duty of $£ 500$.

## (2) Transactions in Stocks and Shares

The main item in this category is transfers of stocks and shares by way of sale. Such transfers attract duty at the rate of $1 \%$ of the consideration. In the case of gifts the duty is charged at the same rate on the value of the stocks and shares.
(3) Companies Capital Duty

Companies capital duty is imposed at the rate of $1 \%$ on the assets contributed to a capital company.

## (4) Cheques, Bills of Exchange, etc.

Cheques, drafts, bills of exchange and promissory notes are chargeable with duty of 7p. Credit cards and charge cards are chargeable with a stamp duty of $£ 15$ p.a. and ATM cards with a stamp duty of $£ 5$ p.a.

## (5) Insurance and Miscellaneous

In the case of policies of life insurance, the duty is payable at the rate of $0.1 \%$ of the sum insured (where that sum exceeds $£ 50$ ). A stamp duty is levied at the rate of $2 \%$ on premiums received by insurance companies from certain classes of non-life insurance business. Policies of non-life insurance are subject to a stamp duty of $£ 1$.

The miscellaneous category includes items such as the levy on "section 84 " loans, penalties and miscellaneous documents which have not been classified.

Statistics relating to instruments and to the amount of fees collected by means of stamps are contained in Tables SD2 and SD3 respectively.

Table SD1

## Classification of Net Receipt

| Category of charge | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| (1) Land and property | $£ 156,691,290$ | $£ 194,337,073$ | $£ 254,416,708$ | $£ 304,889,852$ | $£ 434,197,854$ | $£ 530,933,356$ |
| other than stocks | $€ 198,956,897$ | $€ 246,757,182$ | $€ 323,042,582$ | $€ 387,130,255$ | $€ 551,317,549$ | $€ 674,146,299$ |
| and shares |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| (2) Stocks, shares, etc.: | $£ 29,177,859$ | $£ 40,906,176$ | $£ 69,755,206$ | $£ 126,922,396$ | $£ 178,283,789$ | $£ 182,244,179$ |
| transfers, composition | $€ 37,048,239$ | $€ 51,940,130$ | $€ 88,570,841$ | $€ 161,158,199$ | $€ 226,373,716$ | $€ 231,402,374$ |
| duty on transfers |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| (3) Companies' | $£ 11,829,127$ | $£ 16,117,836$ | $£ 26,096,590$ | $£ 29,650,018$ | $£ 15,066,980$ | $£ 38,580,742$ |
| $\quad$ capital duty | $€ 15,019,893$ | $€ 20,465,430$ | $€ 33,135,834$ | $€ 37,647,757$ | $€ 19,131,118$ | $€ 48,987,437$ |
| (4) Cheques, | $£ 18,426,102$ | $£ 21,469,398$ | $£ 25,639,800$ | $£ 26,832,645$ | $£ 29,041,308$ | $£ 32,693,933$ |
| $\quad$ bills of exchange, etc. | $€ 23,396,323$ | $€ 27,260,512$ | $€ 32,555,830$ | $€ 34,070,431$ | $€ 36,874,855$ | $€ 41,512,732$ |
| (5) Insurance and | $£ 69,762,972$ | $£ 59,572,595$ | $£ 48,395,564$ | $£ 52,873,233$ | $£ 62,550,458$ | $£ 73,902,641$ |
| $\quad$ miscellaneous | $€ 88,580,702$ | $€ 75,641,592$ | $€ 61,449,691$ | $€ 67,135,157$ | $€ 79,422,698$ | $€ 93,836,997$ |
| Total of all | $£ 285,887,350$ | $£ 332,403,078$ | $£ 424,303,868$ | $£ 541,168,144$ | $£ 719,140,389$ | $£ 858,354,851$ |
| stamp duties | $€ 363,002,054$ | $€ 422,064,846$ | $€ 538,754,778$ | $€ 687,141,799$ | $€ 913,119,936$ | $€ 1,089,885,839$ |



Table SD2
Other statistics relating to Stamp Revenue in the six years ended 2000

|  | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | $\mathbf{1 9 9 9}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 0 0}$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Instruments presented for adjudication <br> Sales and leases of land <br> Number of transactions of which <br> particulars were presented | 50,085 | 35,332 | 27,440 | 26,373 | 27,039 | $\mathbf{2 7 , 5 1 0}$ |



Table SD3
Net Receipts of fees collected by means of Stamps

|  | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Companies' Registration | £6,895,035 | £7,376,752 | £3,610,580 | £638,326 | £58,375 | £70,731 |
|  | € $8,754,888$ | €9,366,543 | €4,584,491 | €810,507 | €74,121 | € 89,809 |
| Official Arbitration (land) | £2,182 | £1,507 | £2,581 | £4,416 | £9,291 | £7,250 |
|  | €2,771 | €1,913 | € 3,277 | € 5,607 | €11,797 | €9,206 |
| Registration of Deeds | £745,176 | £777,348 | £780,737 | £742,103 | £760,501 | £807,541 |
|  | €946,178 | €987,029 | €991,332 | €942,276 | €965,637 | €1,025,366 |
| Road Transport Act (vehicle plate) fees | -£480 | - | - | - | - |  |
|  | -€609 | - | - | - | - |  |
| Total fee stamps | £7,641,913 | £8,155,607 | £4,393,898 | £1,384,845 | £828,167 | £885,522 |
|  | € 9,703,228 | € 10,355,485 | € 5,579,100 | €1,758,390 | €1,051,555 | €1,124,381 |



## Capital Acquisitions Tax

- Table CAT1. Exchequer Receipt and Net Receipt
- Table CAT2. Distribution of Net Receipt for Capital Acquisitions Tax classified under Inheritance Tax, Gift Tax, Discretionary Trust Tax and Probate Tax
- Table CAT3. Gifts and Inheritances taken on or after 1 December, 1999-Rate of Tax

Capital acquisitions tax comprises gift tax, inheritance tax, discretionary trust tax and probate tax.

## (a) Gift Tax and Inheritance Tax

Gift tax is charged on taxable gifts taken on or after 28 February, 1974, and inheritance tax is charged on taxable inheritances taken on or after 1 April, 1975. An inheritance is a gratuitous benefit taken on a death and a gift is a gratuitous benefit taken otherwise than on a death.

The tax is charged on the taxable value of the gift or inheritance. The taxable value is arrived at by deducting from the market value of the property comprised in the gift or inheritance permissible debts and incumbrances and any consideration paid by the beneficiary.

Once the taxable value of the gift or inheritance has been determined the amount of tax payable will depend on whether the appropriate tax-free threshold has been exceeded and on the rate of tax in force (see Table CAT3).

There are three different group thresholds each one determined by the relationship between the beneficiary and the disponer i.e.
(a) $£ 300,000$ : this applies where the beneficiary is a child, or a minor child of a deceased child, of the disponer. It also applies in certain circumstances to nephews and nieces of the disponer and to parents who take an inheritance from a deceased child;
(b) $£ 30,000$ : included in this class are brothers, sisters, nephews, nieces and grandchildren of the disponer; and
(c) $£ 15,000$ : this applies to a beneficiary who does not come under either of the above class thresholds.

The group thresholds $-£ 300,000, £ 30,000$ and $£ 15,000$ were introduced on 1 December 1999 and apply for the year 2000. The thresholds will be indexed by reference to the Consumer Price Index from 1 January 2001.

All gifts and inheritances taken by a beneficiary on or after 2 December 1988 which come within the same group threshold are aggregated to determine the amount of tax payable on the current gift or inheritance.

Various exemptions from gift and inheritance tax have been provided for. For example, the first $£ 1,000$ taken as a gift by a beneficiary from a disponer in any one year is exempt from tax as are gifts and inheritances taken by one spouse from the other.

In addition to the exemptions various reliefs, which are subject to certain conditions being satisfied, apply i.e.

- Agricultural Relief. This relief operates by reducing the market value of agricultural property;
- Business Relief. The relief is granted by reducing the taxable value of business property; and
- Dwelling-house Exemption. The exemption applies to a gift or inheritance of a dwelling-house taken on or after 1 December, 1999, provided certain conditions are fulfilled.


## (b) Discretionary Trust Tax

A once-off inheritance tax applies to property subject to a discretionary trust on 25 January, 1984, or becoming subject to a discretionary trust on or after that date. The current rate of tax is $6 \%$. In certain cases the $6 \%$ rate can be reduced to $3 \%$.

An annual inheritance tax at the rate of $1 \%$ applies to property subject to a discretionary trust on 5 April in each year commencing with the year 1986. Both of these taxes are referred to as discretionary trust tax in this Report.

## (c) Probate Tax

A probate tax of $2 \%$ applies to estates valued in excess of an exemption threshold. This threshold is $£ 40,000$ for deaths occurring in 2000. This tax was abolished in respect of deaths occuring on or after 6 December, 2000.

Particulars of the Exchequer and net receipt of capital acquisitions tax are shown in Table CAT1 and particulars of the distribution of the net receipt of capital acquisitions tax are shown in Table CAT2.

## Table CAT1

## Exchequer Receipt and Net Receipt

| Year | Exchequer Receipt | Net Receipt |
| :--- | :---: | ---: |
| 1995 | $£ 60,645,000$ | $£ 59,662,534$ |
|  | $€ 77,003,266$ | $€ 75,755,791$ |
| 1996 | $£ 80,525,000$ | $£ 81,576,180$ |
|  | $€ 102,245,659$ | $€ 103,580,382$ |
| 1997 | $£ 89,201,000$ | $£ 88,740,960$ |
|  | $€ 113,261,906$ | $€ 112,677,776$ |
| 1998 | $£ 110,726,000$ | $£ 111,712,076$ |
|  | $€ 140,593,018$ | $€ 141,845,077$ |
| 1999 | $£ 151,676,000$ | $£ 151,429,388$ |
|  | $€ 192,588,793$ | $€ 192,275,660$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 0 0}$ | $£ 174,969, \mathbf{0 0 0}$ | $£ 175,697,643$ |
|  | $€ 222,164,802$ | $€ 223,089,988$ |

Net Receipt 1995-2000


## Table CAT2

Distribution of Net Receipt for Capital Acquisitions Tax classified under Inheritance Tax, Gift Tax, Discretionary Trust Tax and Probate Tax

| Capital |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Acquisitions | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 |
| Tax |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Inheritance Tax | £39,947,125 | £48,141,932 | £64,006,109 | £77,539,909 | £105,322,212 | £121,854,668 |
|  | € 50,722,386 | €61,127,644 | €81,270,994 | € $98,455,375$ | €133,731,623 | €154,723,513 |
| Gift Tax | £2,391,400 | £8,635,795 | 5,024,411 | £6,030,953 | £10,510,422 | £12,142,479 |
|  | €3,036,452 | €10,965,198 | €6,379,686 | €7,657,731 | €13,345,483 | €15,417,767 |
| Discretionary | £4,916,300 | £10,355,881 | £2,645,355 | 8,404,265 | £10,600,759 | £12,027,360 |
| Trust Tax | €6,242,413 | €13,149,257 | € $3,358,908$ | €10,671,215 | $€ 13,460,187$ | €15,271,597 |
| Probate Tax | £12,284,116 | £14,402,499 | £17,039,269 | £19,710,366 | £24,983,679 | £29,544,986 |
|  | €15,597,610 | €18,287,401 | € 21,635,408 | €25,027,002 | €31,722,729 | € $¢ 7,514,394$ |
| Total | £59,538,941 | £81,536,107 | £88,715,144 | £111,685,493 | £151,417,072 | £175,569,493 |
|  | €75,598,861 | €103,529,500 | €112,644,996 | €141,811,323 | €192,260,022 | €222,927,271 |

## Table CAT3

Gifts and Inheritances taken on or after 1 December, 1999 - Rate of Tax

The following Table is applicable to taxable gifts and taxable inheritances taken on or after 1 December, 1999

| Portion of Value | Rate of Tax |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | \% |
| The threshold amount... ... | Nil |
| The balance | 20 |

## Residential Property Tax (RPT)

## - Table RPT1. Exchequer Receipt and Net Receipt

An annual tax was chargeable on the market value of residential property in Ireland owned and occupied by a person on 5 April in each year. The charge extended to residential property situated abroad if the person was domiciled in Ireland on that date. Irrespective of the person's actual tenure of interest in property owned by him or her, the market value was calculated as if $s /$ he had an unencumbered fee-simple interest in the property. The tax was charged at the rate of $1.5 \%$ on the excess of the market value of all residential properties of a person over a market value exemption limit, and was payable provided the income of the household exceeded an income exemption limit. These exemption limits were $£ 101,000$ and $£ 30,100$ respectively for the valuation date 5 April, 1996. This was the last full year of operation of RPT. RPT was abolished by secion 131 of the Finance Act, 1997, in respect of valuation dates ending on or after 5 April, 1997. Even though RPT has been abolished the Clearance Certificate procedure remains in place in relation to the sale of certain residential properties to assist Revenue in the collection of outstanding tax.

Two types of marginal relief from the tax were provided, the first applying where the household income exceeded the appropriate income exemption limit by $£ 10,000$ or less ( $£ 15,000$, or less for owner(s) aged 65 or over) and the second reducing the tax of an assessable person by $1 / 10$ th for each qualifying child.

Particulars of the Exchequer and net receipt of residential property tax are shown in Table RPT1.

## Table RPT1

Exchequer Receipt and Net Receipt

| Year | Exchequer Receipt | Net Receipt |
| :--- | :---: | ---: |
| 1993 | $£ 9,048,000$ | $£ 8,562,199$ |
|  | $€ 11,488,590$ | $€ 10,871,750$ |
| 1994 | $£ 14,048,000$ | $£ 14,298,077$ |
|  | $€ 17,837,281$ | $£ 18,154,813$ |
| 1995 | $£ 11,904,000$ | $€ 12,134,357$ |
|  | $€ 15,114,962$ | $£ 14,339,455$ |
| 1996 | $£ 14,332,000$ | $€ 18,207,135$ |
|  | $€ 18,197,886$ | $£ 3,107,225$ |
| 1997 | $£ 3,084,000$ | $€ 3,945,362$ |
|  | $€ 3,915,872$ | $£ 1,438,164$ |
| 1998 | $£ 1,438,000$ | $€ 1,826,092$ |
|  | $€ 1,825,883$ | $£ 1,392,334$ |
| 1999 | $£ 1,392,000$ | $€ 1,767,899$ |
| 2000 | $€ 1,767,475$ | $£ 1,620,000$ |
|  | $£ 1,590,000$ | $€ 2,056,976$ |

## Income Tax

- Table IT1. Taxation in force for the years 1995-96 to 2000-2001
- Table IT2. Income Tax and Income Levy Exchequer Receipt and Net Receipt
- Table IT3. Pay As You Earn: Gross Receipts and Net Receipts
- Table IT4. Numbers of Employers and Employees
- Table IT5. Amount and effective rates of tax on specimen incomes, 2000-2001
- Table IT6. Cost of allowances and reliefs 1997-98 and 1998-99

The law relating to income tax was consolidated in the Taxes Consolidation Act, 1997.

## Broadly speaking, income tax is charged on -

(i) all income, wheresoever it arises, accruing to a person (other than a company), resident in the State; and
(ii) all income, to whomsoever it accrues, arising in the State.

The application of these principles is modified by various double taxation agreements.

For income tax purposes, income is classified under certain heads or schedules. The four schedules now existing deal with interest (taxed at source) on certain government and other securities (Schedule C), the profits of trades, professions and vocations and certain other income such as rents, interest on loans and income from abroad (Schedule D), income from an office, employment or pension (Schedule E) and income from distributions received from a resident company (Schedule F).

The tax is charged for a year of assessment beginning on 6 April, at graduated rates in the case of individuals and at standard rate in the case of all other chargeable persons.

For individuals, income tax is also graduated by means of various allowances, deductions and reliefs. The allowances and deductions depend on the personal circumstances of the taxpayer and in effect exempt the first slice of income. The amount of the allowances, etc., is deducted from total income in arriving at taxable income.

Normally the allowances and reliefs are given only to an individual who is resident in the State; but in certain cases, including that of an Irish citizen resident abroad, a proportion of the allowances may be given in the ratio which the taxpayer's income liable to Irish tax bears to his or her total income.

## For married couples three options are available:

(a) to be assessed as single persons,
(b) to have the combined incomes of husband and wife treated as the husband's for income tax purposes; in this event the husband is entitled to a personal allowance amounting to twice that of a single person and to the benefit of double rate bands, and
(c) separate assessment where option (b) is taken but the spouses wish to have the tax apportioned between them and each spouse made responsible for the tax attributable to his or her own income.

Table IT1
Taxation in force for the years 1995-96 to 2000-2001

|  | 1995-96 | 1996-97 | 1997-98 | 1998-99 | 1999-2000 | 2000-2001 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Rates of tax (excluding income levy) for every $£$ of chargeable income <br> (STANDARD RATE <br> 22\% for 2000-2001, <br> 24\% for 1998-99 and 1999-2000, <br> 26\% for 1997-98, <br> $27 \%$ for 1996-97 and 1995-96) | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \% \text { on } \\ & £ 8,900 \\ & 48 \% \text { on } \\ & \text { remainder } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \% \text { on first } \\ & £ 9,400 \\ & 48 \% \text { on } \\ & \text { remainder } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 26 \% \text { on first } \\ £ 9,900 \\ 48 \% \text { on } \\ \text { remainder } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 24\% on first } \\ & \text { £10,000 } \\ & 46 \% \text { on } \\ & \text { remainder } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 24\% on first } \\ & \text { £14,000 } \\ & 46 \% \text { on } \\ & \text { remainder } \end{aligned}$ | (without dependent children) $22 \%$ on first £17,000 $44 \%$ on remainder | (with dependent children) $22 \%$ on first £20,150 44\% on remainder |
| Married persons (a) (joint assessment) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 27\% on } \\ & \text { £17,800 } \\ & \text { 48\% on } \\ & \text { remainder } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 27 \% \text { on first } \\ \text { £18,800 } \\ 48 \% \text { on } \\ \text { remainder } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 26 \% \text { on first } \\ £ 19,800 \\ 48 \% \text { on } \\ \text { remainder } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 24\% on first } \\ \text { £20,000 } \\ 46 \% \text { on } \\ \text { remainder } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 24 \% \text { on first } \\ £ 28,000 \\ 46 \% \text { on } \\ \text { remainder } \end{gathered}$ | (one spouse with income) $22 \%$ on first £28,000 44\% on remainder | (both spouses with income) $22 \%$ on first £28,000 [with an increase of £6,000 max.] $44 \%$ on remainder |
| Exemption limits: (b) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Single or Widowed persons: | £ | £ | £ | £ |  | £ | £ |
| Under 65 years | 3,700 | 3,900 | 4,000 | 4,100 |  | 4,100 | 4,100 |
| 65 and under 75 years | 4,300 | 4,500 | 4,600 | 5,000 |  |  | 7,500 |
| 75 years and over | 4,900 | 5,100 | 5,200 | 5,500 |  |  | 1,500 |
| Married persons: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Under 65 years | 7,400 | 7,800 | 8,000 | 8,200 |  | 8,200 | 8,200 |
| 65 and under 75 years | 8,600 | 9,000 | 9,200 | 10,000 |  |  | 15,000 |
| 75 years and over | 9,800 | 10,200 | 10,400 | 11,000 |  |  |  |
| Children under 16 years |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Additional Amount | 450 | 450 | 450 | 450 |  | 450 | 450 |
| Third and each subsequent child | 650 | 650 | 650 | 650 |  | 650 | 650 |

LLOWANCES,
DEDUCTIONS AND
RELIEFS GRANTED TO
INDIVIDUALS BY
REFERENCE TO
PERSONAL STATUS:

|  | 1995-96 | 1996-97 | 1997-98 | 1998-99 | 1999-2000 |  | 2000-2001 <br> @ Standard Rate 22\% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | @ Standard Rate 24\% | @ Marginal Rate 46\% |  |
| Single person | 2,500 | 2,650 | 2,900 | 3,150 | 4,200 | - | 4,700 |
| Married Couple | 5,000 | 5,300 | 5,800 | 6,300 | 8,400 | - | 9,400 |
| Widowed person (in year of bereavement) | 5,000 | 5,300 | 5,800 | 6,300 | 8,400 | - | 9,400 |
| Widowed person (subsequent years) | 3,000 | 3,150 | 3,400 | 3,650 | 4,200 | 500 | 4,700 |
| Widowed person with dependent child (additional) | 2,000 | 2,150 | 2,400 | 2,650 | 1,050 | 2,650 | 4,700 |
| First year after bereavement | 1,500 | 1,500 | 1,500 | 5,000 | - | 5,000 | 10,000 |
| Second year after bereavement | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 4,000 | - | 4,000 | 8,000 |
| Third year after bereavement | 500 | 500 | 500 | 3,000 | - | 3,000 | 6,000 |
| Fourth year after bereavement | - | - | - | 2,000 | - | 2,000 | 4,000 |
| Fifth year after bereavement | - | - | - | 1,000 | - | 1,000 | 2,000 |
| Single Parent - additional | 2,500 | 2,650 | 2,900 | 3,150 | 1,050 | 3,150 | 4,700 |
| Income Limit of Child | 720 | 720 | 720 | 720 | - | 720 | 720 |
| Incapacitated Child | 600 | 700 | 700 | 800 | - | 800 | 1,600 |
| Income Limit of Child | 2,100 | 2,100 | 2,100 | 2,100 | - | 2,100 | 2,100 |
| Dependent Relative allowance | 110 | 110 | 110 | 110 | - | 110 | 220 |
| Income Limit | 4,270 | 4,440 | 4,601 | 4,848 | - | 5,152 | 5,536 |
| Blind Person | 600 | 700 | 700 | 1,000 | - | 1,500 | 3,000 |
| Both Spouses Blind | 1,400 | 1,600 | 1,600 | 2,000 | - | 3,000 | 6,000 |
| Age allowance: Single/Widowed |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Person | 200 | 200 | 400 | 400 | - | 400 | 800 |
| Married | 400 | 400 | 800 | 800 | - | 800 | 1,600 |
| Employed person taking care of |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Employee allowance (c) | 800 | 800 | 800 | 800 | 1,000 | - | 1,000 |
| PRSI allowance (d) | 140 | - | - | - | - | - |  |

Table IT1 - continued
Taxation in force for the years 1995-96 to 2000-2001

|  | 1995-96 | 1996-97 | 1997-98 | 1998-99 | 1999-2000 | 2000-2001 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| Interest on deposits | With effect from 1986-87, a retention tax at the standard rate is deductible at source by certain deposit takers (e.g banks, building societies, Post Office Savings Bank etc.) from interest paid or credited on deposits of Irish residents. A deduction rate at less than the standard rate applies, subject to conditions, to certain deposits such as special savings accounts, special portfolio investment accounts, etc. No refunds of retention tax are payable except to certain specific categories including individuals aged 65 years or over or permanently incapacitated who would not otherwise (because of personal reliefs, age exemption etc.) be liable to income tax on the relevant interest. |  |  |  |  |  |

Double taxation relief $\quad$ Tax is calculated in accordance with statutory provisions

ALLOWANCES, DEDUCTIONS AND
RELIEFS GRANTED TO INDIVIDUALS
AS INCENTIVES AND FOR
EXPENDITURE INCURRED:
Expenses incurred by an
employee wholly, exclusively and
necessarily in the performance
of the duties of an employment
(I) Car expenses - restricted by reference to following maximum
$\begin{array}{lll}\text { capital cost of } \operatorname{car}(\mathrm{e}) & 14,000 & 14,000\end{array}$
(II) Other expenses

No limit
No limit
15,000

15,500
16,000

16,500
No limit
No limit
No limit No limit

Contributions by employees to approved superannuation funds

A deduction of up to 15 per cent of remuneration, is allowable in respect of such contributions.

Payments for retirement annuities Subject to conditions, a deduction of up to 15 per cent of "relevant earnings" is allowed (f). In the case of individuals aged 55 years or over 20 per cent is allowable for 1996-97 to 1998-99. From 6 April 1999, for self-employed individuals, proprietary directors or employees who are not in an occupational pension scheme, the maximum amount of pension contributions which will qualify for tax relief are as follows:

| Age | \% of Net Relevant Earnings |
| :--- | :---: |
| Under 30 years of age | $15 \%$ |
| 30 to 39 years of age | $20 \%$ |
| 40 to 49 years of age | $25 \%$ |
| 50 years of age and over | $30 \%$ |

The 30\% limit also applies to persons whose income comes wholly or
mainly from specified activities.

## Interest Paid in full

Interest limit on personal
borrowings: (g)

| Married persons | 3,800 | 3,800 | 3,800 | 3,800 | 3,800 | 4,000 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Widowed persons | 2,780 | 2,780 | 2,780 | 2,780 | 2,780 | 4,000 |
| Single persons | 1,900 | 1,900 | 1,900 | 1,900 | 1,900 | 2,000 |
| - See notes following |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Table IT1 - continued
Taxation in force for the years 1995-96 to 2000-2001

|  | $1995-96$ | $1996-97$ | $1997-98$ | $1998-99$ | $1999-2000$ | $2000-2001$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| Interest limit on money <br> borrowed by an individual in <br> acquiring an interest in a <br> partnership: <br> Where the individual is a <br> partner of, and has not, <br> except in certain limited <br> circumstances, recovered <br> capital from the <br> partnership | No limit | No limit | No limit | No limit | No limit |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Interest limit on money <br> borrowed to pay death duties | No limit | No limit | No limit | No limit | No limit | No limit |
| Interest limit on borrowings for <br> business purposes | No limit | No limit | No limit | No limit | No limit | No limit |

Medical insurance premiums (i)
A deduction in respect of premiums payable to an authorised insurer.

Unreimbursed health expense
incurred by a taxpayer on himself or herself or on any dependent of his/hers. (Excess over $£ 100$ per
annum per person) (j) No limit No limit No limit No limit No limit No limit

Contributions to permanent
health benefit schemes

A deduction, subject to a maximum of 10 per cent of total income, in respect of premiums and other contributions

Relief for rent paid in respect of
private tenancies (k)
Tenants aged 55 or under:
Maximum deduction:

| Maximum deduction: |  |  |  | 1,000 | 1,500 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Married persons | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 750 | 1,125 |
| Widowed persons | 750 | 750 | 750 | 750 | 750 |  |

[^1]Table IT1 - continued
Taxation in force for the years 1995-96 to 2000-2001

|  | $1995-96$ | $1996-97$ | $1997-98$ | $1998-99$ | $1999-2000$ | $2000-2001$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $£$ | $£$ | $£$ | $£$ | $£$ | $£$ |
| Tenants aged over 55 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Maximum deduction: | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 4,000 |
| Married persons | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 2,000 |
| Single or Widowed persons | $(1,500$ for | $(1,500$ for <br> widowed <br> widowed | $(1,500$ for <br> widowed <br> person $)$ | $(1,500$ for <br> widowed <br> person $)$ | $(1,500$ for <br> widowed <br> person $)$ | (3,000 for <br> widowed |
| person $)$ | person $)$ |  |  |  |  |  |

Relief for purchase and/or
installation of an intruder
alarm system


Income payable under
dispositions (covenants) to individuals or certain bodies

Tax relief allowed on full payment subject to various conditions and limitations

Certain payments made by a person carrying on a trade or profession to an Irish university A deduction equal to the amount of payment or other qualifying educational establishment ( l )

Exemption in respect of shares granted by companies to employees under approved profit sharing schemes (m)

Maximum qualifying value 2,000 10,000 10,000 10,000 10,000

10,000 of shares appropriated in any one year

- See notes following

Table IT1 - continued
Taxation in force for the years 1995-96 to 2000-2001

|  | $1995-96$ | $1996-97$ | $1997-98$ | $1998-99$ | $1999-2000$ | $2000-2001$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | $£$ | $£$ | $£$ | $£$ | $£$ | $£$ |
| Relief for investment <br> in corporate trades ( n ) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Minimum investment | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 |
| Maximum investment | 25,000 | 25,000 | 25,000 | 25,000 | 25,000 | 25,000 |
| Relief for seed capital <br> investment by new | 2,500 | 25,000 | 25,000 | 25,000 | 25,000 | 25,000 |

investment by new
entrepreneurs
A deduction (by way of refund of income tax paid in any of the immediately preceeding five years) in respect of an investment by a person who leaves employment (or is unemployed) in a new Irish resident company engaged in manufacturing, certain tourism operations, certain service trades and related research and development projects and the production, publication, marketing and promotion of qualifying musical recordings. The deduction is limited to $£ 25,000$ for any one year. The total investment is subject to an overall maximum refund of the tax paid on $£ 125,000$.


Donations to certain
Third World charities Minimum donation must

| exceed | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |


| Maximum donation | 750 | 750 | 750 | 750 | 750 | 750 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

Qualifying donations treated as received by the charity net of income tax at the standard rate. The donor does not receive any tax relief for the donation.

Donations to National
Collections of important
heritage items
Minimum donation must
exceed
Maximum donation

| 75,000 | 75,000 | 75,000 | 75,000 | 75,000 | 75,000 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 500,000 | 750,000 | 750,000 | 750,000 | 750,000 | $3,000,000$ |

The relief takes the form of a non-refundable credit of an amount equal to the value of the items against a person's tax liabilities for income tax, corporation tax, capital gains tax, gift tax and inheritance tax.

[^2]
## Table IT1 - continued <br> Taxation in force for the years 1995-96 to 2000-2001

|  | $1995-96 \quad 1996-97 \quad 1997-98 \quad 1998-99 \quad 1999-2000$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Expenditure on significant | A deduction in respect of the cost of maintenance, repair or restoration of a building (or of <br> the maintenance or restoration of a garden or grounds of an ornamental nature whether attached <br> or not attached (from 6 April, 1993) to such building) which is determined by the Commissioners <br> of Public Works to be intrinsically of significant scientific, historical, architectural or aesthetic <br> interest and by the Revenue Commissioners to be a building to which reasonable access is <br> afforded to the public. |
| The relief also applies to expenditure incurred in 1997-98 et seq. up to an aggregate of $£ 5,000$ |  |
| per annum on: |  |
| (a) the repair, maintenance or restoration of an "approved object", in an approved building or |  |
| garden subject to the objects being on display in the approved building or garden for a period |  |

Gift of money to the Minister
for Finance (q)
A deduction equal to the amount of the gift

Relief for new shares
purchased on issue
by employees ( r )

Relief is provided by way of a deduction in computing total income of up to $£ 3,000$ for 1995-96 and $£ 5,000$ for 1996-97 et seq. to full-time employees and full-time directors who subscribe for shares in their employer company. The full-time condition has been removed with effect from 1996-97 et seq.

Allowance to owneroccupiers in respect of expenditure incurred on construction or refurbishment of certain premises (s).

A deduction of 5 per cent for 10 years in the case of construction expenditure and 10 per cent in the case or refurbishment expenditure incurred by the individual, excluding site costs and net of all State grants payable, is granted for a period of three years from 1 August, 1994.

- See notes following


## NOTES ON TABLE IT1

(a) Such couples may elect for separate assessment in which case the tax otherwise payable by the assessable person on their combined incomes is apportioned between the spouses in accordance with certain rules. The increase in the standard rate tax band for 2000-2001 is restricted to the lower of $£ 6,000$ or the amount of the income of the spouse with the lower income. The increase is not transferable between spouses.
(b) Where the total income slightly exceeds the amounts shown, marginal relief is given by confining the tax charged to 40 per cent of the excess for 1994-95, 1995-96, 1996-97, 1997-98, 1998-99 and 1999-2000. For 1999-2000 and 2000-2001 only two exemption limits apply-under 65 and 65 years of age or over.
(c) Extended for 1991-92 and subsequent years to cross-frontier workers where their employment is of a kind that, within the State, would qualify for the PAYE allowance. Extended, subject to conditions, for 1994-95 and subsequent years to the children of proprietary directors and the self-employed (including farmers) who are full-time employees in the business of their parents.
(d) This allowance is granted to employees paying the higher rates of PRSI.
(e) Allowable expenses are restricted by reference to one-third of the excess of the cost of the car over the capital limit or, alternatively, by the same proportion as the excess of the cost of the car over the capital limit bears to the cost of the car, if this is more favourable to the taxpayer.
(f) "Relevant earnings" is defined as non-pensionable earned income. For the years 1996-97 and 1997-98 the 15 per cent limit applies to individuals under the age of 55 and a limit of 20 per cent applies to individuals aged 55 or over.
(g) Relief for interest on personal borrowings is confined to loans taken out for the purchase, repair or improvement of the borrower's sole or main residence. This relief is subject to a percentage limit ( 80 per cent for 1994-95 to 19992000 inclusive) of the lesser of
(a) the amount of interest actually paid or
(b) (i) $£ 5,000$ for a married couple,
(ii) $£ 3,600$ for a widowed person,
(iii) $£ 2,500$ for other individuals.

For 1994-95 and subsequent years the percentage restriction does not apply for the first five years of assessment.
For 1994-95 onwards the relief will be restricted to the standard rate of tax on a phased basis. Thus, for 1996-97 relief was given on one quarter of a taxpayer's allowable interest at his/her marginal rate with three quarters relieved at the standard rate. For 1997-98 et seq. all interest is allowable at the standard rate.

The effect of the above restrictions is reflected in the maximum relief amounts shown in the Table for 1995-96 et seq.

The $80 \%$ and $£ 100 / £ 200$ (single/married respectively) restrictions are abolished with effect from 6 April, 2000.
(h) To qualify for the relief the individual must be a full-time director or employee of the company and must not, except in certain limited circumstances, have recovered capital from the company. No relief is granted on interest on a loan applied in acquiring shares issued on or after 20 April, 1990 if a business expansion scheme relief claim is made in respect of those shares. The interest deduction in arriving at total income is in addition to the deduction allowed for home purchase or improvement etc. The foregoing relief is abolished for loans applied on or after 29 January, 1992, if at the time the loan is applied, the company is a quoted company. For loans applied prior to that date, the relief is phased out as follows:
(i) in the case of a loan applied prior to 6 April, 1989, if the company is a quoted company at 6 April, 1992, for 1992-93 only 70 per cent of the interest which would otherwise qualify for the relief is relieved, for 1993-94 the percentage is 40 per cent and for 1994-95 no relief is granted.
(ii) in the case of a loan applied in the year 6 April, 1989 to 5 April, 1990 if the company is a quoted company on 6 April, 1993, for 1993-94 only 70 per cent of the interest which would otherwise qualify for relief is relieved, for 1994-95 the percentage is 40 per cent and for 1995-96 no relief is granted, and
(iii) in the case of a loan applied on or after 6 April, 1990, if the company is a quoted company at 6 April, 1994
for 1994-95 only 70 per cent of the interest which would otherwise qualify for relief is relieved, for 1995-96 the percentage is 40 per cent and for 1996-97 no relief is granted.

In the case of a company becoming a quoted company later than the relevant one of the foregoing dates for the second tax year in which the company became quoted only 70 per cent of the interest which would otherwise qualify for the relief is relieved. For the next tax year the percentage is 40 per cent and for subsequent tax years no relief is granted.
(i) Relief is based on the amount of premiums paid in the year preceding this year of assessment.
(j) Alternatively, total expenses incurred in excess of $£ 200$ by the taxpayer on himself or herself and dependents as a group, may be claimed.
(k) This relief is granted at the standard rate for 2000-2001 - 22 per cent.
(l) This relief applies to a payment made to an Irish university and to other specified educational establishments to enable it to undertake research in, or engage in the teaching of, certain approved subjects.
(m) The value of shares appropriated to a qualifying employee is, subject to a maximum limit, exempt from income tax at the time of the appropriation. Any subsequent disposals of the shares may attract tax which will be ascertained by reference to a tapering scale linking the value of the shares for tax purposes with the length of time the shares were retained by the employee.
( n ) Subject to conditions, relief from income tax is available by way of a deduction from total income to individuals who invest long-term risk capital in ordinary shares of unquoted companies resident solely in Ireland and which are engaged in the State in certain manufacturing and / or service industries, certain research and development activities and trading activities on an exchange facility established in the Custom House Docks Area. Where the investment is made through an investment fund designated by the Revenue Commissioners for the purposes of the relief the minimum limit of $£ 200$ does not apply.
(o) To qualify for this relief donations must be made to bodies approved by the Minister for Finance for the purpose of assisting such bodies to promote the advancement in the State of certain approved subjects connected with the arts.
(p) This exemption is, subject to certain conditions, available to an individual aged 55 years or over or an individual who is permanently incapacitated by mental or physical infirmity from carrying on a trade of farming.
(q) The gift must be accepted by the Minister and be for use for any purposes for or towards the cost of which Exchequer funds are provided.
(r) The company issuing the shares must be one whose business consists wholly or mainly of the carrying on in the State of one or more trades or a holding company for such companies. The shares must be new ordinary shares issued at full market value which are fully paid up and not subject to any special restriction. The amount of $£ 3,000$ for 199596 and $£ 5,000$ for 1996-97 et seq. does not have to be invested all at once and may be spread over a number of years of assessment. The shares must be held by the individual for a minimum period of 5 years. A disposal of the shares within that period will result in a withdrawal of the relief ( 100 per cent if disposed of within 4 years and 75 per cent if disposed of after 4 years). The relief was extended to part-time employees and part-time directors for 1996-97 et seq.
(s) Relief is available to owner-occupiers in respect of a dwelling newly-constructed or refurbished in certain designated areas in Dublin, Cork, Limerick, Waterford and Galway. The relief also applies in designated areas in other cities and towns with effect from the date that such areas are designated by the Minister for Finance. The individual who incurs the expenditure on construction or refurbishment must be the first owner and the first occupier of the dwelling after the expenditure has been incurred. The allowance may be claimed in each of the first ten years of the life of the dwelling following construction or refurbishment provided that the dwelling is the sole or main residence of the individual.

## Table IT2

## Income Tax and Income Levy

Exchequer Receipt and Net Receipt

|  | Exchequer Receipt | Net Receipt |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 1995 | (Income Tax and Income Levy) | (Income Tax and Income Levy) |
|  | $£ 4,135,186,000$ | $£ 4,128,720,059$ |
|  | $€ 5,250,603,126$ | $€ 5,242,393,074$ |
| 1997 | $£ 4,563,390,000$ | $£ 4,579,358,194$ |
|  | $€ 5,794,310,050$ | $€ 5,814,585,474$ |
| 1998 | $£ 5,218,449,000$ | $£ 5,208,235,129$ |
|  | $€ 6,626,063,406$ | $€ 6,613,094,465$ |
| 1999 | $£ 5,736,617,000$ | $£ 5,741,952,100$ |
|  | $€ 7,284,001,046$ | $€ 7,290,775,226$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 0 0}$ | $£ 6,322,651,000$ | $£ 6,306,009,760$ |
|  | $€ 8,028,110,731$ | $€ 8,006,980,715$ |
|  | $£ 7,176,823,000$ | $£ 7,186,344,476$ |
|  | $€ 9,112,685,445$ | $€ 9,124,775,226$ |


$€^{\prime} \mathrm{s}$ (millions)

## Table IT3

Pay As You Earn: Gross Receipts and Net Receipts

|  | Gross Receipts | Net Receipts |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 1995 | (PAYE) | (PAYE) |
|  | $£ 3,632,145,531$ | $£ 3,514,687,290$ |
|  | $€ 4,611,873,487$ | $€ 4,462,732,286$ |
|  | $£ 4,022,703,597$ | $£ 3,894,436,977$ |
| 1997 | $€ 5,107,779,935$ | $€ 4,944,914,924$ |
|  | $£ 4,494,007,843$ | $£ 4,356,440,879$ |
| 1998 | $€ 5,706,212,883$ | $€ 5,531,538,870$ |
|  | $£ 4,906,716,521$ | $£ 4,755,109,201$ |
| 1999 | $€ 6,230,244,807$ | $€ 6,037,743,220$ |
|  | $£ 5,384,753,617$ | $£ 5,224,859,294$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 0 0}$ | $€ 6,837,226,710$ | $€ 6,634,202,800$ |
|  | $£ 5,775,820,408$ | $£ 5,586,239,561$ |
|  | $€ 7,333,779,106$ | $€ 7,093,061,086$ |

A small amount of Schedule E tax (about $£ 58$ (€73.6) million in $1998 / 99$ ) is paid otherwise than through Pay As You Earn. Precise particulars of the amount are not available.

Net Receipt: PAYE


Table IT4
Numbers of Employers and Employees.

| Year | Number of Employers <br> on Register | Number of Employees <br> records returned by <br> Employer |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| $1994-95$ | 137,447 | $1,772,245$ |
| $1995-96$ | 142,861 | $1,913,740$ |
| $1996-97$ | 148,308 | $2,058,967$ |
| $1997-98$ | 15,073 | $2,25,677$ |
| $1998-99$ | 166,130 | $2,467,398$ |
| $\mathbf{1 9 9 9}-\mathbf{2 0 0 0}$ | $\mathbf{1 7 4 , 4 9 0}$ | $\mathbf{2 , 6 6 3 , 3 2 7}$ |

Where an employee is engaged in more than one employment during the tax year and tax is deducted from his remuneration in each employment, separate employee records are required for each employment. Accordingly, the total number of employees liable to tax under Pay As You Earn is smaller than the aggregate number of employee records returned by employers.

## Income Tax: Schedule E

Table IT5

The following table illustrates the graduation of tax for certain incomes and taxpayers.
Amount and effective rates of tax on specimen incomes, 2000-2001.

| Actual total income | Single persons or married couples who elect for separate assessment |  | Married couples who elect for joint assessment |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | One spouse working |  | Both spouses working |  |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Amount of } \\ & \text { tax } \end{aligned}$ | Effective Rate | Amount of tax | Effective Rate | Amount of $\operatorname{tax}$ | Effective Rate |
| £5,000 | £0 | 0.00\% | £0 | 0.00\% | £0 | 0.00\% |
| £8,000 | £506 | 6.33\% | £0 | 0.00\% | £0 | 0.00\% |
| £8,500 | £616 | 7.25\% | £0 | 0.00\% | £0 | 0.00\% |
| £10,000 | £946 | 9.46\% | £0 | 0.00\% | £0 | 0.00\% |
| £12,500 | £1,496 | 11.97\% | £462 | 3.70\% | £242 | 1.94\% |
| £15,000 | £2,046 | 13.64\% | £1,012 | 6.75\% | £792 | 5.28\% |
| £17,500 | £2,706 | 15.46\% | £1,462 | 8.35\% | £1,342 | 7.67\% |
| £20,000 | £3,806 | 19.03\% | £2,112 | 10.56\% | £1,892 | 9.46\% |
| £35,000 | £10,406 | 29.73\% | £6,952 | 19.86\% | £5,412 | 15.46\% |
| £50,000 | £17,006 | 34.01\% | £13,552 | 27.10\% | £12,012 | 24.02\% |
| £75,000 | £28,006 | 37.34\% | £24,552 | 32.74\% | £23,012 | 30.68\% |
| £100,000 | £39,006 | 39.01\% | £35,552 | 35.55\% | £34,012 | 34.01\% |

Effective rates of tax are computed by reference to personal allowances* for persons aged under 65 years, which for 2000-2001 include the special individual PAYE allowance* of $£ 1,000$. It also takes into account the exempt income limit of $£ 4,100$ per person and $£ 8,200$ for married couples.
*From 6th April 1999 these allowances allowed at the standard rate only.


## COST OF ALLOWANCES AND RELIEFS 1997-98 AND 1998-99

The following Table IT 6 shows the estimated cost in terms of revenue forgone of the personal allowances and the main reliefs and deductions allowable under the income tax system. A number of reliefs which apply both to individuals and companies is also included and the cost shown in relation to these reliefs covers income tax and corporation tax.

The allowances and reliefs listed in the table serve varying purposes. Many are essentially structural reliefs through which individual tax liabilities are adjusted to reflect relative taxable capacity. The main personal allowances are a good example of this since they may be regarded as part of the progressive income tax structure representing a band of income chargeable at a zero rate. Others, such as relief for interest paid in full or investment in corporate trades, are tax-based incentives in favour of specific groups or activities which are designed to promote certain aspects of public policy.

In computing taxable profits, account needs to be taken in some way of the depreciation of capital assets incurred in earning those profits. To this extent, the figures in the table of the "costs" of capital allowances should not be regarded as measuring a "loss of tax revenue" on profits. To compute such "loss", regard would have to be had to the excess of the amount of the capital allowances at current rates over the amount of the normal allowances.

The figures shown for the basic personal allowances (married, single and widowed) are the costs of these allowances as if the exemption limits did not apply. They do not include individuals who are not on Revenue records because their incomes are below the income tax thresholds. The cost figures for the exemption limits are based on the excess of the exemption limits over the basic personal allowances.

The figures of cost are for 1997-98 and 1998-99 except where otherwise indicated in the table and all figures are based on tax due in respect of assessments for each year and not on tax receipts within that year.

The figure against each allowance represents the additional tax which would become payable if the allowance were withdrawn assuming no consequent change in the behaviour of taxpayers (for example, in relation to the reliefs for savings), or the amounts of payments (for example, interest payable on certain savings schemes might need adjustment to take account of the new tax liability).

In the calculations, each allowance has been dealt with separately and on the assumption that the rest of the tax system remained unchanged. It would be therefore inaccurate to calculate the effect of withdrawing all the reliefs and allowances by simply totalling the figures. For example, the costs shown for capital allowances and stock relief are also calculated on the basis of separate withdrawal of these reliefs. Their combined cost would be greater than the sum of the separate costs because allowances are not always fully set off against available profits. For instance, a person with $£ 1,000$ gross trading profits, $£ 1,000$ capital allowances and $£ 1,000$ stock relief would pay no tax if either of the reliefs were withdrawn but would pay tax on $£ 1,000$ profits if both reliefs were withdrawn. In this case, the cost of each relief separately is nil but the combined cost is tax on $£ 1,000$. Basic data is not available to enable an estimate of the combined cost of these reliefs to be made.

Finally, the estimates shown in many cases are tentative and are subject to revision in the light of later information. Some of the cost figures included in the table for 1997-98 reflect revisions to figures previously published in the 1999 Report.

## INCOME TAX AND CORPORATION TAX

## Table IT6

Cost of allowances and reliefs 1997-98 and 1998-99

| Tax Relief Provision |  |  | (1) Estimated cost for |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | 1997 |  | 1998-9 |  |
|  | Income Tax $\mathbf{~ f m}$ |  | €m | fm | €m |  |
| Exemption limits:- |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| General exemption (2) | ... | ... | 19.3 | 24.5 | 10.0 | 12.7 |
| Child Addition (2) | ... | ... | 24.0 | 30.5 | 14.1 | 17.9 |
| Age exemption (2) | ... | ... | 12.8 | 16.3 | 12.7 | 16.1 |
| Married person's allowance (3) | ... | ... | 1087.4 | 1381.0 | 1156.6 | 1468.9 |
| Single person's allowance (3) | ... | ... | 719.0 | 913.1 | 819.0 | 1040.1 |
| Widowed person's allowance (3) | ... | ... | 68.7 | 87.2 | 71.8 | 91.2 |
| Additional allowance to widowed person in year of bereavement |  |  | 2.0 | 2.5 | 2.0 | 2.5 |
| Additional bereavement allowance to widowed parent |  |  | 0.6 | 0.8 | 2.0 | 2.5 |
| Additional personal allowance for lone parent |  | ... | 50.3 | 63.9 | 66.3 | 84.2 |
| Additional allowance for incapacitated child |  | ... | 2.4 | 3.0 | 2.6 | 3.3 |
| Employee (PAYE) allowance | ... | ... | 278.5 | 353.7 | 295.6 | 375.4 |
| Dependent relative allowance | ... | ... | 0.9 | 1.1 | 0.8 | 1.0 |
| Person taking care of incapacitated taxpayer |  | ... | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.4 |
| Age allowance | ... | ... | 14.1 | 17.9 | 13.9 | 17.7 |
| Blind person's allowance | ... | ... | 0.24 | 0.3 | 0.36 | 0.5 |
| Relief in respect of medical insurance premiums |  | ... | 57.3 | 72.8 | 59.1 | 75.1 |
| Health expenses relief | ... | ... | 22.6 | 28.7 | 24.9 | 31.6 |
| Contributions under permanent health benefit |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Employees' contributions to approved |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Employers' contributions to approved |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Exemption of net income of approved superannuation funds |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Retirement annuity premiums by self-employed |  |  | 71.9 | 91.3 | 82.9 | 105.3 |

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## Table IT6 (continued)

Cost of allowances and reliefs 1997-98 and 1998-99

| Tax Relief Provision |  |  | (1) Estimated cost for |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | 1997 |  | 1998- |  |
| Income Tax $\mathbf{f m}$ |  |  | € | £m | € m |  |
| Interest paid: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Loans relating to principal prival | e residence | ... | 143.6 | 182.4 | 140.5 | 178.4 |
| Other (5) |  | ... | 14.6 | 18.5 | 14.5 | 18.4 |
| Rent paid in private tenancies | ... | ... | 9.0 | 11.4 | 9.4 | 11.9 |
| Home Alarm Systems for the Elderly (ceased 6/4/ '98) |  |  | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Expenses allowable to employees under Schedule E 49.9 |  |  | 63.4 | 46.5 | 59.1 |  |
| Third Level Education Fees | ... |  | 2.0 | 2.5 | 2.0 | 2.5 |
| Exemption of certain earnings of writers, composers and artists |  |  | 15.6 | 19.8 | 19.3 | 24.5 |
| Dispositions (including maintenance |  |  | 6.9 | 8.8 | 7.0 | 8.9 |
| Exemption of interest on savings certificates, national instalment-savings and index-linked savings bonds |  |  | $32.6+$ | 41.4+ | 39.0 | 49.5 |
| Exemption of income of charities, colleges, hospitals, schools, friendly societies, etc. (6) |  | ... | 34.9 | 44.3 | 25.4 | 32.3 |
| Tax Relief for designated Third | d Charities | ... | 0.5 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 0.8 |
| Exemption of Irish government securities |  |  | 82.9* | 36.8* | 46.7* |  |
| Exemption of statutory redund | payments | ... | $7.8+$ | $9.9+$ | $6.4+$ | $8.1+$ |
| Service Charges | ..' | ... | 2.0 | 2.5 | 0.5 | 0.6 |
| Top slicing relief - reduced tax rate for payments in excess |  |  | 1.0 | 1.3 | 1.6 | 2.0 |
| Revenue Job Assist allowance | ... | ... | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.8 | 1.0 |
| Allowance for seafarers | ... | ... | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| Exemption from tax of certain social welfare payments: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Child benefit |  |  | 91.2* | 115.8* | 91.3* | 116.0* |
| Maternity allowance |  |  | 6.1* | 7.7* | 6.2* | 7.9* |
| Exemption of pensions, benefits or gratuities payable to veterans of the War of Independence, their widows or dependants |  |  | 0.09 | 0.1 | 0.08 | 0.1 |
| Relief under profit sharing schemes |  | ... | 16.4* | 20.8* | 24.6* | 31.2* |
| Exemption under approved share option schemes |  | ... | 27.9* | 35.4* | 15.5* | 19.7* |
| Investment in corporate trades (BES) |  | ... | 44.5 | 56.5 | 24.7 | 31.4 |
| Investment in seed capital | ... | ... | 1.2 | 1.5 | 1.6 | 2.0 |
| Stock Relief | ... | ... | 1.8*+ | 2.3*+ | 1.3*+ | 1.7*+ |
| Relief for expenditure on significant buildings and gardens |  |  | 1.5 | 1.9 | 1.5 | 1.9 |
| - See notes following |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Table IT6 (continued)
Cost of allowances and reliefs 1997-98 and 1998-99


## NOTES ON TABLE

(1) Figures accompanied by an asterisk * are particularly tentative and subject to a considerable margin of error. In some cases the figures refer to the corresponding calendar years. Where this occurs it is indicated by + .
(2) The cost figures for the exemption limits are based on the excess of the exemption limits over the basic personal allowances. They include the cost of marginal relief for taxpayers whose incomes are not greatly in excess of the exemption limits.
(3) The figures shown for the basic personal allowances (married, single and widowed) are the costs of these allowances as if the exemption limits did not apply. They do not include individuals who are not on Revenue records because their incomes are below the income tax thresholds.
(4) In the absence of other information, tax has been assumed at the standard rate even though a different rate might be appropriate in many cases.
(5) "Other" relates to borrowings for purposes such as acquiring an interest in a company or partnership or to pay death duties.
(6) The cost of exempting the income of charities, colleges, hospitals, schools, friendly societies, etc. from income tax includes the sums repaid in respect of tax credits and income tax deducted at source (certain dividends, other investment income and payments received under covenant). It also includes the cost of exempting certain bodies from the deduction on income arising from government securities. Information is not available about other income received gross.
(7) Except where otherwise indicated, the costs included for corporation tax are by reference to accounting periods which ended in the years to 31 March, 1998 and 31 March, 1999
(8) The cost shown for capital allowances does not include any cost associated with "unused capital allowances", that is, capital allowances which are not absorbed by a company in the accounting period in which they arise because they exceed the amount of the company's profits of that accounting period which are available for offset. Unused capital allowances can be offset as losses against taxable profits arising in the previous accounting period and against certain profits arising in future accounting periods and can be offset against the profits of another company in the same group of companies. Approximately $£ 1500$ ( $€ 1905$ ) million of unused capital allowances were claimed in respect of $1998 / 99$ accounting periods but as the proportion of this item which is included in previous years losses and in group relief is not seperately identifiable a reliable estimate of the cost of the capital allowance element cannot be provided.
(9) The estimated cost relates to pre-1 August, 1994 developments. Projects commenced after this date for rented residential accommodation are subsumed into the total figures for the new urban renewal scheme commencing on that date and will no longer be separately identifiable.
(10) The cost does not include any notional cost associated with IFSC companies. The International Financial Services activity in Ireland represents new business which has developed as a result of, among other things, the concessionary tax rate. This means that as the cost of the concessionary rate is not just the difference between the concessionary tax rate and the full tax rate, it is therefore not quantifiable. In regard to the cost shown for the effective rate of 10 per cent for manufacturing and certain other activities, no account is taken of the fact that without these incentives, many enterprises may not have set up here. To the extent that profits earned by such enterprises would not have been available for Irish tax purposes, part of the cost figure shown might be regarded as notional.
(11) This figure includes preference share financing which is a minor element in the total.

## RELIEFS IN RESPECT OF WHICH COSTS ARE NOT QUANTIFIABLE OR ARE NEGLIGIBLE OR ARE NOT IDENTIFIABLE WITHIN TOTAL AGGREGATES.

Certain payments made by a person carrying on a trade or profession to an Irish university or other qualifying educational establishment;

Relief for donations made to certain bodies engaged in the promotion of the arts;
Exemption in respect of certain income derived from the leasing of farm land;
Expenditure on significant buildings;
Expenditure on certain buildings in designated inner city area;
Relief for new shares purchased on issue by employees;
Relief for donations made to "Cospoir" The National Sports Council;
Relief for investment in research and development;
Exemption in respect of stallion stud fees;
Exemption of profits arising from commercially managed woodlands;
Relief from averaging of farm profits;
Exemption for income arising from payments in respect of personal injuries;
Exemption of certain payments made by Hemophilia HIV Trust;
Exemption in respect of income arising from certain patents;
Exemption in respect of payments made under the Enterprise Allowance Scheme;
Exemption of income from foreign trusts;
Exemption of lump-sum retirement payments;
Relief for allowable motor expenses;
Tapering relief allowable for taxation of car benefits-in-kind;
Relief for gifts to The Enterprise Trust Ltd.;
Reduced tax rate of 10\% for authorised unit trust schemes;
Reduced tax rate of $10 \%$ for special investment schemes;
Exemption of certain grants made by Údarás na Gaeltachta;
Relief for donations made by companies to First Step Ltd.;
Reliefs for activities related to the Customs House Docks Area and Shannon Airport Customs-Free zone;
Relief for investment income reserved for policy holders in life assurance companies;
Allowances for double-rent, owner-occupier and expenditure on historic buildings in Urban Renewal areas *;
Relief for various business-related expenses such as staff recruitment, rent, legal fees, and other general expenses;
Exemption in certain circumstances on quoted bearer Eurobonds;
Exemption of payments made as compensation for loss of office;
Tax relief for heritage items;
Renewal scheme for traditional seaside resorts;
Relief for gifts made to designated schools.

* See estimated cost included for capital allowances under the heading "Income Tax and/or Corporation Tax" in Table IT6 - Cost of allowances and reliefs 1997/98 and 1998/99


## Income Distribution Statistics

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(i) number of incomes (ii) gross income charged and (iii) tax, by range of gross income for mainly unearned incomes assessed under Schedule D
- Table IDS5. Income Tax 1998-99. Distribution of -
(i) number of incomes (ii) gross income charged and (iii) tax, by range of gross income for mainly PAYE incomes assessed under Schedule E
- Table IDS6. Income Tax 1998-99. Distribution of -
(i) number of incomes (ii) gross income charged and (iii) tax, by range of gross income for mainly PAYE incomes assessed under Schedule E (excluding Proprietary Directors on the Schedule E record)
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(i) number of incomes (ii) gross income charged and (iii) tax, by range of gross income of Proprietary Directors
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(i) number of incomes (ii) "total" income charged and (iii) tax, by range of "total" income of SelfEmployed including Proprietary Directors
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(i) number of incomes (ii) "total" income charged and (iii) tax, by range of "total" income for mainly earned incomes assessed under Schedule D
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(i) number of incomes (ii) "total" income charged and (iii) tax, by range of "total" income for mainly unearned incomes assessed under Schedule D
- Table IDS12. Income Tax 1998-99. Distribution of -
(i) number of incomes (ii) "total" income charged and (iii) tax, by range of "total" income for mainly PAYE incomes assessed under Schedule E
- Table IDS13. Income Tax 1998-99 Distribution of -
(i) number of incomes (ii) "total" income charged and (iii) tax, by range of "total" income for mainly PAYE incomes assessed under Schedule E (excluding Proprietary Directors on the Schedule E record).
- Table IDS14. Income Tax 1998-99. Distribution of -
(i) number of incomes (ii) "total" income charged and (iii) tax, by range of "total" income of Proprietary Directors
- Table IDS15. Income Tax 1998-99 Interest paid on home loans - relief allowed at the standard rate (in terms of tax reductions) by range of total income
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(i) number of taxable incomes (ii) total taxable income and (iii) tax, by range of taxable income
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## INCOME DISTRIBUTION STATISTICS

The information on personal incomes which is given in Tables IDS 1 to 19 has been collected in the course of the administration of income tax for the income tax year 1998-99.

The tables in this Report are similar to the tables in the 1999 Report.
The tables relate to income assessed in respect of the tax year 1998-99 by reference to tax returns which were processed up to 19 April, 2001. The income taken for the purposes of the tables is in general that of the year 1998-99.

The information relating to employees from whose income tax was deducted under Pay As You Earn is based on completed end-of-year returns from employers of which up to 96 per cent were processed at the relevant time.

Tables IDS 7 and 14 contain estimated income distributions of proprietary directors of incorporated family businesses, estimated by reference to the level of end-of-year returns received for 1998-99 up to 19 April, 2001.

The information relating to Schedule $D$ assessments is based on assessed Self-Assessment Returns for 1998-99, representing some 90 per cent of the expected total.

Proprietary directors, while formally taxed under the PAYE system, are akin to the self-employed and should be taken into account when analysing the income distribution of the self-employed sector generally. This approach is reflected in the compilation of tables IDS 2 and 9.

The timeliness of the historical data on incomes and tax included in the tables is directly influenced by the need to have not less than 90 per cent of tax returns represented in the figures. Because of the return filing date for Self-Assessment returns from Schedule $D$ taxpayers, the most recent year for which relatively complete and comparable data can be provided in this report for both Schedule D and PAYE income distribution is 1998-99.

Employees whose income is not high enough to bring them within the ambit of Pay As You Earn are excluded. The employees in question are those in receipt of remuneration at a rate not exceeding $£ 6$ a week ( $£ 26$ a month) in the case of full time employees or $£ 1$ a week (or $£ 4.50$ a month) where the employee has other employment.

Income related to part only of a year, where there has been a change of employment during the year, is not grossed up to the corresponding annual amount.

The information in the tables covers some 1,148,881 individuals who were effectively liable to income tax for 1998-99 (see Table IDS 17), as compared with a total of just over $1,530,656$ individuals included in Table IDS 1 . The difference between the two figures is accounted for by individuals who were found to be not liable to tax because of the operation of the personal allowances or exemption limits.

A married couple who has elected or who has been deemed to have elected for joint assessment is counted as one tax unit and their incomes are aggregated in the statistics.

The following are the definitions adopted for use in connection with the compilation of the statistics set out in the tables.
Gross Income is the income brought under the review of the department before adjustments are made in respect of capital allowances, interest paid, losses, allowable expenses, retirement annuities etc. but after deduction of superannuation contributions by employees. It includes certain income belonging to individuals whose total income is below the exemption limits. It does not include certain other income which is not income for tax purposes or is exempt from tax such as profits or gains from stallion fees, profits from commercial forestry and certain income from patent royalties, certain investment income arising from personal injuries, child benefit, maternity benefit and unemployment assistance paid by the Department of Social, Community and Family Affairs, certain earnings of writers, composers and artists, bonus or interest paid under Instalment Savings Schemes operated by An Post, interest on certain Government securities, certain foreign pensions which are exempt from tax in the foreign paying country, portion of certain lump sums received by employees on cessation of their employment, statutory redundancy payments and certain military pensions. Other income sources which are either not included or not fully included are employee contributions to pension funds (tax deductible), interest income that does not need to be declared or is not recorded (but from which tax has been deducted), unemployment benefit and disability benefit (non-recording of non-taxable amounts and of amounts taxed by restriction of repayments or indirectly through employers in the PAYE system), and the incomes of certain selfemployed persons, including some farmers, as well as some individuals in receipt of pensions, who are not processed annually on tax records because their incomes are below the income tax thresholds.

## INCOME TAX 1998-99

## Table IDS1

Distribution of (i) number of incomes, (ii) gross income charged and (iii) tax, by range of gross income.

| Range of gross |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| From <br> £ | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{To} \\ \mathrm{f} \end{gathered}$ | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Income <br> £ | $\%$ of <br> total | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{Tax} \\ \mathrm{£} \end{gathered}$ | $\%$ of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Income <br> £ | $\%$ of <br> total | $\begin{gathered} \text { Tax } \\ £ \end{gathered}$ | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | $\%$ of <br> total | Income <br> £ | \% of <br> total | Tax ¢ | $\begin{aligned} & \% \text { of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ |
| - | 3,000 | 94,348 | 19.24 | 138,379,723 | 2.42 | 130,758 | 0.01 | 93,219 | 21.39 | 133,462,979 | 2.94 | 67,981 | 0.01 | 2,120 | 0.96 | 3,474,395 | 0.05 | 802 | 0.00 |
| 3,000 | 4,000 | 28,767 | 5.87 | 101,152,195 | 1.77 | 90,983 | 0.01 | 23,606 | 5.42 | 82,614,81 | 1.82 | 49,915 | 0.01 | 1,066 | 0.48 | 3,704,765 | 0.05 | 2,707 | 0.00 |
| 4,000 | 5,000 | 28,486 | 5.81 | 127,896,084 | 2.24 | 2,822,305 | 0.24 | 21,181 | 4.86 | 95,174,687 | 2.10 | 1,880,662 | 0.23 | 1,143 | 0.52 | 5,11,677 | 0.07 | 14,082 | 0.00 |
| 5,000 | 6,000 | 23,200 | 4.73 | 127,396,937 | 2.23 | 7,400,583 | 0.63 | 19,918 | 4.57 | 109,420,909 | 2.41 | 5,366,884 | 0.64 | 1,324 | 0.60 | 7,314,242 | 0.10 | 31,128 | 0.00 |
| 6,000 | 7,000 | 21,054 | 4.29 | 136,744,223 | 2.39 | 11,376,183 | 0.98 | 19,822 | 4.55 | 128,902,217 | 2.84 | 8,571,519 | 1.03 | 1,639 | 0.74 | 10,672,835 | 0.14 | 49,415 | 0.00 |
| 7,000 | 8,000 | 21,076 | 4.30 | 158,103,342 | 2.77 | 16,224,357 | 1.39 | 21,036 | 4.83 | 157,756,666 | 3.47 | 13,098,361 | 1.57 | 2,142 | 0.97 | 16,112,415 | 0.22 | 84,507 | 0.01 |
| 8,000 | 9,000 | 20,405 | 4.16 | 173,37,175 | 3.03 | 20,238,711 | 1.74 | 21,643 | 4.97 | 183,973,101 | 4.05 | 18,445,022 | 2.21 | 2,666 | 1.20 | 22,718,038 | 0.30 | 183,822 | 0.01 |
| 9,000 | 10,000 | 20,946 | 4.27 | 199,090,524 | 3.48 | 25,665,153 | 2.20 | 22,319 | 5.12 | 212,245,845 | 4.67 | 24,037,842 | 2.88 | 3,213 | 145 | 30,585,013 | 0.41 | 57,724 | 0.03 |
| 10,000 | 12,500 | 50,519 | 10.30 | 568,312,532 | 9.94 | 81,933,463 | 7.03 | 50,987 | 11.70 | 572,478,498 | 12.11 | 7,538,324 | 9.31 | 9,167 | 4.14 | 103,483,993 | 1.38 | 4,757,611 | 0.29 |
| 12,500 | 15,000 | 47,544 | 9.69 | 651,826,036 | 11.41 | 105,737,262 | 9.07 | 42,105 | 9.66 | 576,407,209 | 12.69 | 89,948,130 | 10.80 | 10,444 | 4.72 | 144,119,952 | 1.92 | 11,439,491 | 0.69 |
| 15,000 | 17,500 | 34,611 | 7.06 | 560,181,941 | 9.80 | 109,045,254 | 9.35 | 29,010 | 6.66 | 469,719,753 | 10.34 | 88,996,305 | 10.68 | 12,042 | 5.44 | 195,889,207 | 2.62 | 19,991,817 | 1.20 |
| 17,500 | 20,000 | 27,711 | 5.65 | 518,330,539 | 9.07 | 116,758,349 | 10.01 | 21,058 | 4.83 | 393,245,931 | 8.66 | 87,425,426 | 10.49 | 13,221 | 5.97 | 247,954,451 | 3.31 | 29,393,625 | 1.77 |
| 20,000 | 25,000 | 32,143 | 6.55 | 714,189,678 | 12.50 | 183,683,849 | 15.75 | 25,176 | 5.78 | 560,315,814 | 12.34 | 143,578,268 | 17.23 | 28,903 | 13.06 | 651,619,740 | 8.70 | 89,295,987 | 5.37 |
| 25,000 | 30,000 | 17,330 | 3.53 | 472,508,200 | 8.27 | 136,072,774 | 11.67 | 13,121 | 3.01 | 356,775,054 | 7.86 | 103,133,194 | 12.38 | 30,837 | 13.93 | 847,392,989 | 11.32 | 131,571,003 | 7.91 |
| 30,000 | 35,000 | 9,068 | 185 | 292,109,130 | 5.11 | 90,134,745 | 7.73 | 5,492 | 1.26 | 176,581,057 | 3.89 | 55,011,851 | 6.60 | 26,296 | 1188 | 852,085,994 | 11.38 | 159,931,732 | 9.61 |
| 35,000 | 40,000 | 4,967 | 1.01 | 185,080,392 | 3.24 | 59,421,741 | 5.10 | 2,616 | 0.60 | 97,279,767 | 2.14 | 31,920,269 | 3.83 | 19,564 | 8.84 | 731,404,256 | 9.77 | 160,280,807 | 9.63 |
| 40,000 | 50,000 | 4,246 | 0.87 | 187,329,575 | 3.28 | 62,326,376 | 5.34 | 1,939 | 0.44 | 85,328,703 | 1.88 | 29,238,123 | 3.51 | 25,230 | 11.40 | 1,122,387,581 | 14.99 | 283,568,352 | 17.05 |
| 50,000 | 60,000 | 1,463 | 0.30 | 79,387,139 | 139 | 26,869,488 | 2.30 | 61 | 0.14 | 33,230,338 | 0.73 | 11,821,078 | 1.42 | 13,489 | 6.09 | 735,020,766 | 9.81 | 209,304,088 | 12.58 |
| 60,000 | 75,000 | 1,033 | 0.21 | 68,285,144 | 1.19 | 23,672,707 | 2.03 | 339 | 0.08 | 22,294,411 | 0.49 | 7,895,882 | 0.95 | 8,322 | 3.76 | 549,654,309 | 7.34 | 167,745,783 | 10.08 |
| 75,000 | 100,000 | 651 | 0.13 | 55,528,802 | 0.97 | 19,298,009 | 1.65 | 263 | 0.06 | 22,524,968 | 0.50 | 8,136,732 | 0.98 | 4,287 | 194 | 364,557,550 | 4.87 | 115,228,331 | 6.93 |
| OPR | 100,000 | 915 | 0.19 | 199,664,413 | 3.49 | 67,325,126 | 5.77 | 294 | 0.07 | 70,973,550 | 1.56 | 27,040,626 | 3.25 | 4,255 | 1.92 | 843,720,892 | 11.27 | 280,104,622 | 16.84 |
| TOTALS |  | 490,483 | 100 | 5,714,873,724 | 100 | 1,166,228,176 | 100 | 435,755 | 100 | 4,540,706,318 | 100 | 833,202,394 | 100 | 221,370 | 100 | 7,489,035,060 | 100 | 1,663,557,436 | 100 |

## INCOME TAX 1998-99

Table IDS1 - continued
Distribution of (i) number of incomes, (ii) gross income charged and (iii) tax, by range of gross income.


## Table IDS1 - continued

Distribution of (i) number of incomes, (ii) gross income charged and (iii) tax, by range of gross income.

| Range of gross income |  | Totals |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| From | To | Number | \% of | Income | \% of | Tax | \% of |
| £ | £ | of cases | total | £ | total | £ | total |
| - | 3,000 | 209,807 | 13.71 | 302,593,742 | 117 | 234,174 | 0.00 |
| 3,000 | 4,000 | 60,500 | 3.95 | 222,436,805 | 0.82 | 163,738 | 0.00 |
| 4,000 | 5,000 | 63,842 | 4.17 | 287,291,742 | 1.11 | 4,815,219 | 0.09 |
| 5,000 | 6,000 | 57,830 | 3.78 | 317,684,961 | 1.22 | 13,628,132 | 0.26 |
| 6,000 | 7,000 | 57,051 | 3.73 | 370,943,978 | 1.43 | 22,176,334 | 0.42 |
| 7,000 | 8,000 | 61,406 | 4.01 | 460,893,340 | 1.78 | 32,670,941 | 0.62 |
| 8,000 | 9,000 | 63,395 | 4.14 | 538,835,501 | 2.08 | 42,907,753 | 0.82 |
| 9,000 | 10,000 | 64,857 | 4.24 | 616,660,682 | 2.38 | 56,971,491 | 1.09 |
| 10,000 | 12,500 | 147,451 | 9.63 | 1,656,134,755 | 6.38 | 190,435,938 | 3.64 |
| 12,500 | 15,000 | 132,984 | 8.69 | 1,823,831,034 | 7.03 | 250,496,734 | 4.79 |
| 15,000 | 17,500 | 103,491 | 6.76 | 1,67,179,837 | 6.46 | 272,473,145 | 5.21 |
| 17,500 | 20,000 | 86,788 | 5.67 | 1,624,047,515 | 6.26 | 298,164,738 | 5.70 |
| 20,000 | 25,000 | 126,515 | 8.27 | 2,827,207,451 | 10.90 | 559,046,157 | 10.69 |
| 25,000 | 30,000 | 91,876 | 6.00 | 2,513,785,351 | 9.69 | 520,109,975 | 9.95 |
| 30,000 | 35,000 | 1,344 | 4.01 | 1,982,454,643 | 7.64 | 440,887,923 | 8.43 |
| 35,000 | 40,000 | 40,071 | 2.62 | 1,496,211,959 | 5.77 | 362,856,899 | 6.94 |
| 40,000 | 50,000 | 45,085 | 2.95 | 2,001,450,896 | 7.71 | 529,739,610 | 10.13 |
| 50,000 | 60,000 | 21,899 | 1.43 | 1,192,505,104 | 4.60 | 342,805,728 | 6.56 |
| 60,000 | 75,000 | 14,453 | 0.94 | 957,056,060 | 3.69 | 291,775,429 | 5.58 |
| 75,000 | 100,000 | 8,793 | 0.57 | 751,352,875 | 2.90 | 237,489,130 | 4.54 |
| Oer | 100,000 | 11,218 | 0.73 | 2,331,922,753 | 8.99 | 759,791,036 | 14.53 |
| Totals |  | 1,530,656 | 100 | 25,942,480,984 | 100 | 5,229,640,224 | 100 |

## INCOME TAX 1998-99

Table IDS2
Distribution of (i) number of incomes, (ii) gross income charged and (iii) tax, by range of gross income of self-employed including proprietary directors.*

| Range of gross income |  | Single males |  | Single females |  | Married Couples <br> both earning |  | Married Couples one earning |  | Widowers |  | Widows |  | Totals |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| From £ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { To } \\ & £ \end{aligned}$ | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | $\%$ of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | $\%$ of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | $\%$ of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Income £ | $\%$ of <br> total | Tax £ | \% of <br> total |
| - | 5,000 | 15,676 | 25.23 | 5,295 | 32.36 | 916 | 1.96 | 7,135 | 8.23 | 556 | 14.95 | 1,097 | 14.83 | 30,675 | 13.76 | 74,360,576 | 1.19 | 914,752 | 0.07 |
| 5,000 | 10,000 | 16,862 | 27.13 | 4,207 | 25.71 | 2,981 | 6.39 | 12,499 | 14.42 | 864 | 23.24 | 2,045 | 27.64 | 39,458 | 17.70 | 298,446,376 | 4.78 | 14,901,624 | 1.09 |
| 10,000 | 15,000 | 11,359 | 18.28 | 2,596 | 15.86 | 5,779 | 12.38 | 15,653 | 18.05 | 738 | 19.85 | 1,484 | 20.06 | 37,609 | 16.87 | 466,154,385 | 7.46 | 38,465,131 | 2.80 |
| 15,000 | 20,000 | 6,701 | 10.78 | 1,469 | 8.98 | 5,746 | 12.31 | 11,368 | 13.11 | 435 | 11.70 | 931 | 12.58 | 26,650 | 11.95 | 462,759,038 | 7.41 | 56,531,415 | 4.12 |
| 20,000 | 25,000 | 3,680 | 5.92 | 810 | 4.95 | 5,167 | 11.07 | 8,565 | 9.88 | 329 | 8.85 | 562 | 7.60 | 19,113 | 8.57 | 427,787,819 | 6.85 | 63,070,614 | 4.60 |
| 25,000 | 30,000 | 2,258 | 3.63 | 502 | 3.07 | 5,047 | 10.82 | 6,861 | 7.91 | 188 | 5.06 | 327 | 4.42 | 15,183 | 6.81 | 415,913,863 | 6.66 | 68,345,014 | 4.98 |
| 30,000 | 35,000 | 1,372 | 2.21 | 361 | 2.21 | 4,150 | 8.89 | 4,774 | 5.51 | 121 | 3.25 | 212 | 2.87 | 10,990 | 4.93 | 355,774,562 | 5.69 | 65,588,755 | 4.78 |
| 35,000 | 40,000 | 973 | 1.57 | 259 | 1.58 | 2,896 | 6.21 | 3,398 | 3.92 | 102 | 2.74 | 170 | 2.30 | 7,798 | 3.50 | 291,511,345 | 4.67 | 60,439,067 | 4.41 |
| 40,000 | 50,000 | 1,103 | 1.77 | 292 | 1.78 | 4,082 | 8.75 | 4,542 | 5.24 | 108 | 2.90 | 183 | 2.47 | 10,310 | 4.62 | 459,361,147 | 7.35 | 106,553,246 | 7.77 |
| 50,000 | 60,000 | 609 | 0.98 | 172 | 1.05 | 2,466 | 5.28 | 2,749 | 3.17 | 73 | 1.96 | 120 | 1.62 | 6,189 | 2.78 | 337,997,396 | 5.41 | 86,819,154 | 6.33 |
| 60,000 | 75,000 | 493 | 0.79 | 123 | 0.75 | 2,281 | 4.89 | 2,569 | 2.96 | 67 | 1.80 | 79 | 1.07 | 5,612 | 2.52 | 374,299,194 | 5.99 | 103,381,642 | 7.54 |
| 75,000 | 100,000 | 379 | 0.61 | 124 | 0.76 | 2,097 | 4.49 | 2,251 | 2.60 | 50 | 1.34 | 79 | 1.07 | 4,980 | 2.23 | 428,039,538 | 6.85 | 125,554,866 | 9.15 |
| Oer | 100,000 | 679 | 1.09 | 154 | 0.94 | 3,056 | 6.55 | 4,334 | 5.00 | 87 | 2.34 | 110 | 1.49 | 8,420 | 3.78 | 1,855,869,961 | 29.70 | 581,120,888 | 42.37 |
| Totals |  | 62,144 | 100 | 16,364 | 100 | 46,664 | 100 | 86,698 | 100 | 3,718 | 100 | 7,399 | 100 | 222,987 | 100 | 6,248,275,200 | 100 | 1,371,686,168 | 100 |

The totals on this table do not coindide with the aggregate totals of Tables IDS3, 4 and 7 beccuse some proprietary directors, whose main source of income is from Schedule D sources, are induded in more than one of these tables.

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Table IDS3
Distribution of (i) number of incomes, (ii) gross income charged and (iii) tax, by range of gross income for mainly earned income assessed under Schedule $\mathbf{D}$.

| Range of gross incomeSingle males |  | Single females |  | Married Couples |  | Married Couples both earning |  | Widowers one earning |  | Widows |  | Totals |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| From <br> £ | $\begin{gathered} \text { To } \\ £ \end{gathered}$ | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Income <br> £ | \% of <br> total | Tax £ | \% of <br> total |
| - | 3,000 | 6,546 | 13.96 | 2,092 | 19.41 | 367 | 1.20 | 4,147 | 6.46 | 233 | 8.96 | 361 | 8.06 | 13,746 | 8.62 | 13,154,515 | 0.33 | 25,768 | 0.00 |
| 3,000 | 4,000 | 2,327 | 4.96 | 598 | 5.55 | 191 | 0.63 | 889 | 1.38 | 77 | 2.96 | 148 | 3.31 | 4,230 | 2.65 | 14,983,194 | 0.38 | 22,977 | 0.00 |
| 4,000 | 5,000 | 3,261 | 6.95 | 761 | 7.06 | 235 | 0.77 | 1,163 | 181 | 99 | 3.81 | 197 | 4.40 | 5,716 | 3.58 | 25,840,615 | 0.65 | 286,179 | 0.04 |
| 5,000 | 6,000 | 3,274 | 6.98 | 770 | 7.14 | 265 | 0.87 | 1,406 | 2.19 | 135 | 5.19 | 236 | 5.27 | 6,086 | 3.82 | 33,422,999 | 0.85 | 990,323 | 0.13 |
| 6,000 | 7,000 | 2,901 | 6.18 | 628 | 5.83 | 381 | 1.25 | 1,715 | 2.67 | 116 | 4.46 | 224 | 5.00 | 5,965 | 3.74 | 38,782,907 | 0.98 | 1,534,226 | 0.20 |
| 7,000 | 8,000 | 2,720 | 5.80 | 636 | 5.90 | 476 | 1.56 | 2,052 | 3.20 | 111 | 4.27 | 235 | 5.25 | 6,230 | 3.91 | 46,798,014 | 1.19 | 2,143,575 | 0.28 |
| 8,000 | 9,000 | 2,503 | 5.34 | 499 | 4.63 | 628 | 2.06 | 2,495 | 3.89 | 148 | 5.69 | 274 | 6.12 | 6,547 | 4.10 | 55,666,801 | 1.41 | 2,611,385 | 0.34 |
| 9,000 | 10,000 | 2,268 | 4.84 | 456 | 4.23 | 809 | 2.65 | 2,789 | 4.34 | 130 | 5.00 | 293 | 6.54 | 6,745 | 4.23 | 64,092,757 | 162 | 3,276,789 | 0.43 |
| 10,000 | 12,500 | 4,759 | 10.15 | 987 | 9.16 | 2,404 | 7.87 | 7,055 | 10.99 | 319 | 12.26 | 521 | 11.64 | 16,045 | 10.06 | 180,129,586 | 4.56 | 11,275,482 | 1.47 |
| 12,500 | 15,000 | 3,734 | 7.96 | 689 | 6.39 | 2,479 | 8.11 | 5,877 | 9.16 | 236 | 9.07 | 371 | 8.29 | 13,386 | 8.39 | 183,621,026 | 4.65 | 15,221,522 | 1.98 |
| 15,000 | 17,500 | 2,794 | 5.96 | 530 | 4.92 | 2,315 | 7.58 | 4,701 | 7.32 | 156 | 6.00 | 318 | 7.10 | 10,814 | 6.78 | 175,269,552 | 4.44 | 18,090,740 | 2.35 |
| 17,500 | 20,000 | 2,114 | 4.51 | 386 | 3.58 | 2,058 | 6.74 | 3,909 | 6.09 | 153 | 5.88 | 267 | 5.96 | 8,887 | 5.57 | 166,124,860 | 4.21 | 19,800,198 | 2.57 |
| 20,000 | 25,000 | 2,623 | 5.59 | 520 | 4.82 | 3,479 | 11.39 | 6,110 | 9.52 | 224 | 8.61 | 331 | 7.39 | 13,287 | 8.33 | 296,688,507 | 7.52 | 40,379,883 | 5.25 |
| 25,000 | 30,000 | 1.522 | 3.24 | 304 | 2.82 | 2,972 | 9.73 | 4,449 | 6.93 | 117 | 4.50 | 175 | 3.91 | 9,539 | 5.98 | 261,066,573 | 6.62 | 39,356,911 | 5.12 |
| 30,000 | 35,000 | 957 | 2.04 | 217 | 2.01 | 2,413 | 7.90 | 3,205 | 4.99 | 80 | 3.08 | 118 | 2.64 | 6,990 | 4.38 | 226,189,412 | 5.73 | 38,130,110 | 4.96 |
| 35,000 | 40,000 | 599 | 1.28 | 151 | 1.40 | 1,65 | 5.29 | 2,248 | 3.50 | 70 | 2.69 | 100 | 2.23 | 4,783 | 3.00 | 178,587,021 | 4.53 | 33,392,982 | 4.34 |
| 40,000 | 50,000 | 685 | 146 | 181 | 1.68 | 2,114 | 6.92 | 2,864 | 4.46 | 58 | 2.23 | 104 | 2.32 | 6,006 | 3.77 | 267,151,727 | 6.77 | 55,863,918 | 7.26 |
| 50,000 | 60,000 | 385 | 0.82 | 111 | 103 | 1,282 | 4.20 | 1,702 | 2.65 | 35 | 1.35 | 68 | 1.52 | 3,583 | 2.25 | 195,725,550 | 4.96 | 45,903,662 | 5.97 |
| 60,000 | 75,000 | 294 | 0.63 | 87 | 0.81 | 1,218 | 3.99 | 1,557 | 2.43 | 31 | 119 | 37 | 0.83 | 3,224 | 2.02 | 215,082,014 | 5.45 | 55,292,370 | 7.19 |
| 75,000 | 100,000 | 225 | 0.48 | 77 | 0.71 | 1,119 | 3.66 | 1,291 | 2.01 | 26 | 1.00 | 40 | 0.89 | 2,778 | 1.74 | 238,684,831 | 6.05 | 65,509,424 | 8.52 |
| Oer | 100,000 | 414 | 0.88 | 99 | 0.92 | 1,731 | 5.67 | 2,565 | 4.00 | 47 | 1.81 | 59 | 1.32 | 4,915 | 3.08 | 1,069,083,003 | 27.09 | 319,842,641 | 41.59 |
| Totals |  | 46,905 | 100 | 10,779 | 100 | 30,551 | 100 | 64,189 | 100 | 2,601 | 100 | 4,477 | 100 | 159,502 | 100 | 3,946,145,464 | 100 | 768,951,065 | 100 |

## INCOME TAX 1998-99 <br> Table IDS4

Distribution of (i) number of incomes, (ii) gross income charged and (iii) tax, by range of gross income for mainly unearned income assessed under Schedule D.

| Range of gross incomeSingle males |  | Single females |  | Married Couples |  | Married Couples both earning |  | Widowers one earning |  | Widows |  | Totals |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| From £ | $\begin{gathered} \text { To } \\ £ \end{gathered}$ | Number <br> of cases | $\begin{aligned} & \% \text { of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ | Number <br> of cases | $\%$ of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | $\%$ of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Income £ | $\begin{aligned} & \% \text { of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Tax } \\ £ \end{gathered}$ | \% of <br> total |
| - | 3,000 | 903 | 23.06 | 438 | 24.00 | 38 | 2.96 | 399 | 7.87 | 42 | 6.80 | 107 | 4.67 | 1,927 | 12.85 | 3,022,133 | 0.98 | 203,478 | 0.35 |
| 3,000 | 4,000 | 361 | 9.22 | 178 | 9.75 | 11 | 0.86 | 151 | 2.98 | 33 | 5.34 | 100 | 4.37 | 834 | 5.56 | 2,941,496 | 0.96 | 139,894 | 0.24 |
| 4,000 | 5,000 | 364 | 9.30 | 183 | 10.03 | 25 | 1.95 | 147 | 2.90 | 50 | 8.09 | 139 | 6.07 | 908 | 6.05 | 4,101,787 | 134 | 162,225 | 0.28 |
| 5,000 | 6,000 | 337 | 8.61 | 133 | 7.29 | 30 | 2.34 | 182 | 3.59 | 43 | 6.96 | 148 | 6.47 | 873 | 5.82 | 4,786,621 | 156 | 210,346 | 0.36 |
| 6,000 | 7,000 | 261 | 6.66 | 93 | 5.10 | 20 | 1.56 | 193 | 3.81 | 29 | 4.69 | 134 | 5.85 | 730 | 4.87 | 4,735,826 | 154 | 264,358 | 0.46 |
| 7,000 | 8,000 | 216 | 5.52 | 82 | 4.49 | 31 | 2.42 | 215 | 4.24 | 38 | 6.15 | 120 | 5.24 | 702 | 4.68 | 5,271,285 | 172 | 316,786 | 0.55 |
| 8,000 | 9,000 | 157 | 4.01 | 89 | 4.88 | 42 | 3.28 | 203 | 4.00 | 35 | 5.66 | 124 | 5.42 | 650 | 4.33 | 5,533,550 | 180 | 371,958 | 0.64 |
| 9,000 | 10,000 | 137 | 3.50 | 63 | 3.45 | 36 | 2.81 | 229 | 4.52 | 23 | 3.72 | 131 | 5.72 | 619 | 4.13 | 5,889,047 | 192 | 407,408 | 0.71 |
| 10,000 | 12,500 | 296 | 7.56 | 127 | 6.96 | 86 | 6.71 | 478 | 9.43 | 66 | 10.68 | 268 | 11.71 | 1,321 | 8.81 | 14,759,241 | 4.81 | 1,226,277 | 2.12 |
| 12,500 | 15,000 | 199 | 5.08 | 109 | 5.97 | 85 | 6.63 | 351 | 6.92 | 45 | 7.28 | 202 | 8.82 | 991 | 6.61 | 13,617,951 | 4.43 | 1,420,905 | 2.46 |
| 15,000 | 17,500 | 154 | 3.93 | 76 | 4.16 | 74 | 5.77 | 307 | 6.06 | 36 | 5.83 | 134 | 5.85 | 781 | 5.21 | 12,657,808 | 4.12 | 1,534,732 | 2.66 |
| 17,500 | 20,000 | 84 | 2.15 | 40 | 2.19 | 75 | 5.85 | 294 | 5.80 | 25 | 4.05 | 115 | 5.02 | 633 | 4.22 | 11,895,083 | 3.87 | 1,636,673 | 2.83 |
| 20,000 | 25,000 | 134 | 3.42 | 52 | 2.85 | 185 | 14.43 | 498 | 9.82 | 41 | 6.63 | 175 | 7.65 | 1,085 | 7.23 | 24,233,544 | 7.89 | 3,722,776 | 6.44 |
| 25,000 | 30,000 | 77 | 1.97 | 38 | 2.08 | 137 | 10.69 | 334 | 6.59 | 24 | 3.88 | 112 | 4.89 | 722 | 4.81 | 19,701,691 | 6.42 | 3,416,622 | 5.91 |
| 30,000 | 35,000 | 41 | 105 | 25 | 1.37 | 83 | 6.47 | 190 | 3.75 | 16 | 2.59 | 68 | 2.97 | 423 | 2.82 | 13,666,788 | 4.45 | 2,561,186 | 4.43 |
| 35,000 | 40,000 | 30 | 0.77 | 25 | 1.37 | 53 | 4.13 | 168 | 3.31 | 12 | 1.94 | 48 | 2.10 | 336 | 2.24 | 12,545,018 | 4.09 | 2,621,567 | 4.54 |
| 40,000 | 50,000 | 53 | 1.35 | 20 | 110 | 72 | 5.62 | 215 | 4.24 | 15 | 2.43 | 44 | 1.92 | 419 | 2.79 | 18,668,711 | 6.08 | 4,170,446 | 7.22 |
| 50,000 | 60,000 | 34 | 0.87 | 13 | 0.71 | 39 | 3.04 | 131 | 2.58 | 15 | 2.43 | 35 | 1.53 | 267 | 1.78 | 14,573,076 | 4.75 | 3,753,301 | 6.50 |
| 60,000 | 75,000 | 22 | 0.56 | 13 | 0.71 | 55 | 4.29 | 122 | 2.41 | 13 | 2.10 | 28 | 1.22 | 253 | 1.69 | 16,759,353 | 5.46 | 4,192,567 | 7.26 |
| 75,000 | 100,000 | 24 | 0.61 | 13 | 0.71 | 33 | 2.57 | 98 | 1.93 | 9 | 1.46 | 26 | 1.14 | 203 | 1.35 | 17,370,548 | 5.66 | 4,419,126 | 7.65 |
| Oer | 100,000 | 32 | 0.82 | 15 | 0.82 | 72 | 5.62 | 164 | 3.24 | 8 | 1.29 | 31 | 1.35 | 322 | 2.15 | 80,326,797 | 26.16 | 21,025,329 | 36.39 |
| Totals |  | 3,916 | 100 | 1,825 | 100 | 1,282 | 100 | 5,069 | 100 | 618 | 100 | 2,289 | 100 | 14,999 | 100 | 307,063,354 | 100 | 57,717,960 | 100 |

## INCOME TAX 1998-99

Table IDS5
Distribution of (i) number of incomes, (ii) gross income charged and (iii) tax, by range of gross income for mainly PAYE income assessed under Schedule E.


## INCOME TAX 1998-99

Table IDS6
Distribution of (i) number of incomes, (ii) gross income charged and (iii) tax, by range of gross income for mainly PAYE income assessed under Schedule E
(excluding proprietary directors on the Schedule E record).


## INCOME TAX 1998-99

Table IDS7
Distribution of (i) number of incomes, (ii) gross income charged and (iii) tax, by range of gross income of proprietary directors.


## INCOME TAX 1998-99 <br> Table IDS8

Distribution of (i) number of incomes, (ii) total income charged and (iii) tax, by range of total income.


## INCOME TAX 1998-99

Table IDS8 - continued
Distribution of (i) number of incomes, (ii) total income charged and (iii) tax, by range of total income.


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Table IDS8 - continued
Distribution of (i) number of incomes, (ii) total income charged and (iii) tax, by range of total income.

| Range of total |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| From | To | Number | \% of | Income | \% of | Tax | \% of |
| £ | £ | of cases | total | £ | total | £ | total |
| - | 3,000 | 218,063 | 14.25 | 307,545,209 | 1.24 | 283,850 | 0.01 |
| 3,000 | 4,000 | 63,458 | 4.15 | 222,920,310 | 0.90 | 170,826 | 0.00 |
| 4,000 | 5,000 | 65,547 | 4.28 | 294,611,903 | 1.19 | 5,548,592 | 0.11 |
| 5,000 | 6,000 | 58,984 | 3.85 | 324,118,161 | 1.31 | 14,909,418 | 0.29 |
| 6,000 | 7,000 | 59,215 | 3.87 | 385,124,257 | 1.56 | 23,876,415 | 0.46 |
| 7,000 | 8,000 | 63,377 | 4.14 | 475,794,416 | 1.92 | 34,220,729 | 0.65 |
| 8,000 | 9,000 | 64,925 | 4.24 | 551,749,234 | 2.23 | 44,774,460 | 0.86 |
| 9,000 | 10,000 | 66,303 | 4.33 | 630,184,364 | 2.55 | 59,512,540 | 1.14 |
| 10,000 | 12,500 | 148,394 | 9.69 | 1,666,187,197 | 6.74 | 199,306,995 | 3.81 |
| 12,500 | 15,000 | 132,676 | 8.67 | 1,819,067,954 | 7.36 | 261,860,790 | 5.01 |
| 15,000 | 17,500 | 102,385 | 6.69 | 1,659,088,686 | 6.71 | 282,992,341 | 5.41 |
| 17,500 | 20,000 | 85,418 | 5.58 | 1,598,233,508 | 6.46 | 306,974,081 | 5.87 |
| 20,000 | 25,000 | 124,102 | 8.11 | 2,773,453,680 | 11.22 | 571,861,274 | 10.94 |
| 25,000 | 30,000 | 89,947 | 5.88 | 2,459,557,443 | 9.95 | 529,629,387 | 10.13 |
| 30,000 | 35,000 | 58,024 | 3.79 | 1,874,348,428 | 7.58 | 441,229,519 | 8.44 |
| 35,000 | 40,000 | 37,645 | 2.46 | 1,405,550,021 | 5.69 | 361,670,285 | 6.92 |
| 40,000 | 50,000 | 41,917 | 2.74 | 1,860,961,557 | 7.53 | 523,420,695 | 10.01 |
| 50,000 | 60,000 | 20,273 | 1.32 | 1,103,652,099 | 4.46 | 337,848,584 | 6.46 |
| 60,000 | 75,000 | 13,080 | 0.85 | 866,044,625 | 3.50 | 284,719,568 | 5.44 |
| 75,000 | 100,000 | 7,777 | 0.51 | 664,542,892 | 2.69 | 233,546,712 | 4.47 |
| over | 100,000 | 9,146 | 0.60 | 1,779,010,780 | 7.20 | 711,283,163 | 13.60 |
| Totals |  | 1,530,656 | 100 | 24,721,746,724 | 100 | 5,229,640,224 | 100 |

## INCOME TAX 1998-99

Table IDS9
Distribution of (i) number of incomes, (ii) total income charged and (iii) tax, by range of total income of self-employed including proprietary directors.*

| Range of total incomeSingle males |  | Single females |  | Married Couples |  | Married Couples both earning |  | Widowers one earning |  | Widows |  | Totals |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| From <br> £ | $\begin{gathered} \text { To } \\ £ \end{gathered}$ | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Income £ | \% of <br> total | $\begin{gathered} \text { Tax } \\ £ \end{gathered}$ | \% of <br> total |
| - | 5,000 | 20,655 | 33.24 | 5,883 | 35.95 | 1,449 | 3.11 | 9,309 | 10.74 | 709 | 19.07 | 1,313 | 17.75 | 39,318 | 17.63 | 94,847,561 | 1.78 | 1,366,879 | 0.10 |
| 5,000 | 10,000 | 16,928 | 27.24 | 4,115 | 25.15 | 4,512 | 9.67 | 17,297 | 19.95 | 952 | 25.61 | 2,141 | 28.94 | 45,945 | 20.60 | 348,248,189 | 6.55 | 20,578,845 | 1.50 |
| 10,000 | 15,000 | 10,304 | 16.58 | 2,520 | 15.40 | 6,748 | 14.46 | 15,734 | 18.15 | 689 | 18.53 | 1,462 | 19.76 | 37,457 | 16.80 | 461,472,975 | 8.68 | 50,650,043 | 3.69 |
| 15,000 | 20,000 | 5,352 | 8.61 | 1,359 | 8.30 | 5,767 | 12.36 | 10,436 | 12.04 | 428 | 11.51 | 846 | 11.43 | 24,188 | 10.85 | 419,651,637 | 7.89 | 66,400,516 | 4.84 |
| 20,000 | 25,000 | 2,798 | 4.50 | 745 | 4.55 | 5,241 | 11.23 | 7,745 | 8.93 | 270 | 7.26 | 480 | 6.49 | 17,279 | 7.75 | 387,050,108 | 7.28 | 69,732,880 | 5.08 |
| 25,000 | 30,000 | 1,709 | 2.75 | 452 | 2.76 | 4,990 | 10.69 | 6,397 | 7.38 | 165 | 4.44 | 288 | 3.89 | 14,001 | 6.28 | 382,800,386 | 7.20 | 74,973,077 | 5.47 |
| 30,000 | 35,000 | 1,067 | 172 | 323 | 1.97 | 3,595 | 7.70 | 3,844 | 4.43 | 100 | 2.69 | 201 | 2.72 | 9,130 | 4.09 | 295,346,045 | 5.55 | 67,482,428 | 4.92 |
| 35,000 | 40,000 | 773 | 1.24 | 218 | 1.33 | 2.519 | 5.40 | 2,714 | 3.13 | 79 | 2.12 | 150 | 2.03 | 6,453 | 2.89 | 241,165,879 | 4.53 | 61,495,238 | 4.48 |
| 40,000 | 50,000 | 865 | 139 | 267 | 1.63 | 3,511 | 7.52 | 3,656 | 4.22 | 97 | 2.61 | 176 | 2.38 | 8,572 | 3.84 | 382,115,997 | 7.18 | 107,391,855 | 7.83 |
| 50,000 | 60,000 | 495 | 0.80 | 158 | 0.97 | 2,189 | 4.69 | 2,215 | 2.55 | 59 | 1.59 | 104 | 1.41 | 5,220 | 2.34 | 284,988,468 | 5.36 | 86,839,074 | 6.33 |
| 60,000 | 75,000 | 396 | 0.64 | 103 | 0.63 | 1,996 | 4.28 | 2,121 | 2.45 | 58 | 1.56 | 73 | 0.99 | 4,747 | 2.13 | 316,837,324 | 5.96 | 102,986,619 | 7.51 |
| 75,000 | 100,000 | 306 | 0.49 | 96 | 0.59 | 1,769 | 3.79 | 1,848 | 2.13 | 41 | 110 | 69 | 0.93 | 4,129 | 1.85 | 355,100,724 | 6.68 | 123,310,062 | 8.99 |
| Oer | 100,000 | 496 | 0.80 | 125 | 0.76 | 2,378 | 5.10 | 3,382 | 3.90 | 71 | 1.91 | 96 | 1.30 | 6,548 | 2.94 | 1,349,653,942 | 25.37 | 538,438,652 | 39.25 |
| Totals |  | 62,144 | 100 | 16,364 | 100 | 46,664 | 100 | 86,698 | 100 | 3,718 | 100 | 7,399 | 100 | 222,987 | 100 | 5,319,279,235 | 100 | 1,371,686,168 | 100 |

* The totals on this table do not coindide with the aggregate totals of Tables IDS10,11 and 14 because some proprietary directors, whose main source of income is from Schedule D sources, are induded in more than one of these tables.

INCOME TAX 1998-99
Table IDS10
Distribution of (i) number of incomes, (ii) total income charged and (iii) tax, by range of total income for mainly earned income assessed under Schedule $\mathbf{D}$.

| Range of total income |  | Single males |  | Single females |  | Married Couples both earning |  | Married Couples one earning |  | Widowers |  | Widows |  | Totals |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| From <br> £ | To £ | Number <br> of cases | $\begin{aligned} & \text { \% of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | $\begin{aligned} & \text { \% of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ | Number <br> of cases | $\begin{aligned} & \text { \% of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ | Number <br> of cases | $\% \text { of }$ <br> total | Number <br> of cases | $\begin{aligned} & \text { \% of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ | Income £ | \% of <br> total | Tax f | $\begin{aligned} & \% \text { of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ |
| - | 3,000 | 8,515 | 18.15 | 2,352 | 21.82 | 609 | 1.99 | 5,282 | 8.23 | 295 | 11.34 | 431 | 9.63 | 17,484 | 10.96 | 16,742,081 | 0.52 | 43,737 | 0.01 |
| 3,000 | 4,000 | 3,644 | 7.77 | 727 | 6.74 | 292 | 0.96 | 1,190 | 1.85 | 110 | 4.23 | 182 | 4.07 | 6,145 | 3.85 | 21,795,499 | 0.68 | 27,338 | 0.00 |
| 4,000 | 5,000 | 4,603 | 9.81 | 862 | 8.00 | 344 | 1.13 | 1,557 | 2.43 | 134 | 5.15 | 268 | 5.99 | 7,768 | 4.87 | 34,881,902 | 108 | 675,130 | 0.09 |
| 5,000 | 6,000 | 3,623 | 7.72 | 747 | 6.93 | 431 | 1.41 | 1,849 | 2.88 | 159 | 6.11 | 275 | 6.14 | 7,084 | 4.44 | 38,949,647 | 1.21 | 1,829,115 | 0.24 |
| 6,000 | 7,000 | 3,067 | 6.54 | 655 | 6.08 | 577 | 1.89 | 2,397 | 3.73 | 151 | 5.81 | 261 | 5.83 | 7,108 | 4.46 | 46,181,826 | 143 | 2,588,081 | 0.34 |
| 7,000 | 8,000 | 2,664 | 5.68 | 597 | 5.54 | 762 | 2.49 | 2,981 | 4.64 | 135 | 5.19 | 267 | 5.96 | 7,406 | 4.64 | 55,715,465 | 173 | 3,127,754 | 0.41 |
| 8,000 | 9,000 | 2,383 | 5.08 | 494 | 4.58 | 980 | 3.21 | 3,857 | 6.01 | 138 | 5.31 | 272 | 6.08 | 8,124 | 5.09 | 69,108,823 | 2.15 | 3,732,067 | 0.49 |
| 9,000 | 10,000 | 2,036 | 4.34 | 434 | 4.03 | 1,248 | 4.08 | 3,967 | 6.18 | 134 | 5.15 | 260 | 5.81 | 8,079 | 5.07 | 76,708,806 | 2.38 | 4,643,253 | 0.60 |
| 10,000 | 12,500 | 4,166 | 8.88 | 913 | 8.47 | 3,010 | 9.85 | 7,721 | 12.03 | 295 | 1134 | 486 | 10.86 | 16,591 | 10.40 | 185,556,956 | 5.76 | 16,220,233 | 2.11 |
| 12,500 | 15,000 | 3,303 | 7.04 | 682 | 6.33 | 2,739 | 8.97 | 5,249 | 8.18 | 216 | 8.30 | 394 | 8.80 | 12,583 | 7.89 | 172,168,479 | 5.35 | 21,532,351 | 2.80 |
| 15,000 | 17,500 | 2,053 | 4.38 | 491 | 4.56 | 2,299 | 7.53 | 4,256 | 6.63 | 157 | 6.04 | 315 | 7.04 | 9,571 | 6.00 | 154,905,362 | 4.81 | 22,960,074 | 2.99 |
| 17,500 | 20,000 | 1,512 | 3.22 | 337 | 3.13 | 2,052 | 6.72 | 3,400 | 5.30 | 143 | 5.50 | 196 | 4.38 | 7,640 | 4.79 | 142,876,304 | 4.44 | 23,574,500 | 3.07 |
| 20,000 | 25,000 | 1,797 | 3.83 | 458 | 4.25 | 3,446 | 11.28 | 5,316 | 8.28 | 175 | 6.73 | 266 | 5.94 | 11,458 | 7.18 | 255,963,583 | 7.95 | 45,860,147 | 5.96 |
| 25,000 | 30,000 | 1,026 | 2.19 | 266 | 2.47 | 2,879 | 9.42 | 3,961 | 6.17 | 93 | 3.58 | 146 | 3.26 | 8,371 | 5.25 | 228,409,794 | 7.09 | 44,710,411 | 5.81 |
| 30,000 | 35,000 | 634 | 135 | 185 | 1.72 | 1,876 | 6.14 | 2,355 | 3.67 | ${ }^{1}$ | 2.35 | 107 | 2.39 | 5,218 | 3.27 | 168,60, 821 | 5.24 | 38,854,513 | 5.05 |
| 35,000 | 40,000 | 423 | 0.90 | 117 | 109 | 1,260 | 4.12 | 1,626 | 2.53 | 47 | 1.81 | 80 | 1.79 | 3,553 | 2.23 | 132,641,888 | 4.12 | 33,832,389 | 4.40 |
| 40,000 | 50,000 | 490 | 1.04 | 157 | 146 | 1,624 | 5.32 | 2,025 | 3.15 | 45 | 173 | 99 | 2.21 | 4,440 | 2.78 | 197,773,064 | 6.14 | 55,740,378 | 7.25 |
| 50,000 | 60,000 | 275 | 0.59 | 101 | 0.94 | 1,029 | 3.37 | 1,207 | 1.88 | 27 | 104 | 52 | 1.16 | 2,691 | 1.69 | 147,036,278 | 4.57 | 44,657,188 | 5.81 |
| 60,000 | 75,000 | 211 | 0.45 | 72 | 0.67 | 1,006 | 3.29 | 1,160 | 1.81 | 29 | 111 | 34 | 0.76 | 2,512 | 1.57 | 167,802,613 | 5.21 | 54,526,763 | 7.09 |
| 75,000 | 100,000 | 184 | 0.39 | 54 | 0.50 | 856 | 2.80 | 970 | 1.51 | 20 | 0.77 | 37 | 0.83 | 2,121 | 1.33 | 182,637,992 | 5.67 | 63,485,676 | 8.26 |
| Over | 100,000 | 296 | 0.63 | 78 | 0.72 | 1,232 | 4.03 | 1,863 | 2.90 | 37 | 142 | 49 | 1.09 | 3,555 | 2.23 | 724,001,475 | 22.48 | 286,329,967 | 37.24 |
| Totals |  | 46,905 | 100 | 10,779 | 100 | 30,551 | 100 | 64,189 | 100 | 2,601 | 100 | 4,477 | 100 | 159,502 | 100 | 3,220,528,658 | 100 | 768,951,065 | 100 |

## INCOME TAX 1998-99 <br> Table IDS11

Distribution of (i) number of incomes, (ii) total income charged and (iii) tax, by range of total income for mainly unearned income assessed under Schedule $\mathbf{D}$.

| Range of total income |  | Single males |  | Single females |  | Married Couples both earning |  | Married Couples one earning |  | Widowers |  | Widows |  | Totals |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| From <br> £ | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{To} \\ \mathrm{f} \end{gathered}$ | Number <br> of cases | $\%$ of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | $\%$ of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Income £ | \% of <br> total | $\begin{array}{r} \mathrm{Tax} \\ \mathrm{f} \end{array}$ | \% of <br> total |
| - | 3,000 | 1,150 | 29.37 | 498 | 27.29 | 59 | 4.60 | 629 | 12.41 | 55 | 8.90 | 137 | 5.99 | 2,528 | 16.85 | 3,351,255 | 1.30 | 232,639 | 0.40 |
| 3,000 | 4,000 | 387 | 9.88 | 191 | 10.47 | 20 | 1.56 | 165 | 3.26 | 34 | 5.50 | 113 | 4.94 | 910 | 6.07 | 3,209,885 | 1.24 | 142,013 | 0.25 |
| 4,000 | 5,000 | 373 | 9.53 | 184 | 10.08 | 31 | 2.42 | 168 | 3.31 | 54 | 8.74 | 135 | 5.90 | 945 | 6.30 | 4,263,044 | 1.65 | 164,844 | 0.29 |
| 5,000 | 6,000 | 338 | 8.63 | 128 | 7.01 | 39 | 3.04 | 189 | 3.73 | 49 | 7.93 | 160 | 6.99 | 903 | 6.02 | 4,955,478 | 1.92 | 246,610 | 0.43 |
| 6,000 | 7,000 | 236 | 6.03 | 85 | 4.66 | 24 | 1.87 | 220 | 4.34 | 28 | 4.53 | 134 | 5.85 | 727 | 4.85 | 4,715,099 | 1.83 | 294,397 | 0.51 |
| 7,000 | 8,000 | 179 | 4.57 | 86 | 4.71 | 42 | 3.28 | 229 | 4.52 | 36 | 5.83 | 133 | 5.81 | 705 | 4.70 | 5,292,020 | 2.05 | 354,155 | 0.61 |
| 8,000 | 9,000 | 141 | 3.60 | 73 | 4.00 | 53 | 4.13 | 233 | 4.60 | 34 | 5.50 | 123 | 5.37 | 657 | 4.38 | 5,586,850 | 2.16 | 387,823 | 0.67 |
| 9,000 | 10,000 | 130 | 3.32 | 66 | 3.62 | 37 | 2.89 | 250 | 4.93 | 29 | 4.69 | 131 | 5.72 | 643 | 4.29 | 6,115,216 | 2.37 | 458,489 | 0.79 |
| 10,000 | 12,500 | 256 | 6.54 | 117 | 6.41 | 108 | 8.42 | 472 | 9.31 | 61 | 9.87 | 261 | 11.40 | 1,275 | 8.50 | 14,230,398 | 5.51 | 1,352,768 | 2.34 |
| 12,500 | 15,000 | 186 | 4.75 | 109 | 5.97 | 89 | 6.94 | 346 | 6.83 | 46 | 7.44 | 193 | 8.43 | 969 | 6.46 | 13,300,263 | 5.15 | 1,647,991 | 2.85 |
| 15,000 | 17,500 | 132 | 3.37 | 62 | 3.40 | 71 | 5.54 | 283 | 5.58 | 28 | 4.53 | 125 | 5.46 | 701 | 4.67 | 11,349,053 | 4.39 | 1,658,129 | 2.87 |
| 17,500 | 20,000 | 70 | 1.79 | 39 | 2.14 | 74 | 5.77 | 272 | 5.37 | 30 | 4.85 | 114 | 4.98 | 599 | 3.99 | 11,236,797 | 4.35 | 1,803,924 | 3.12 |
| 20,000 | 25,000 | 96 | 2.45 | 47 | 2.58 | 181 | 14.12 | 447 | 8.82 | 36 | 5.83 | 163 | 7.12 | 970 | 6.47 | 21,750,862 | 8.42 | 3,848,352 | 6.66 |
| 25,000 | 30,000 | 54 | 1.38 | 32 | 1.75 | 123 | 9.59 | 307 | 6.06 | 25 | 4.05 | 102 | 4.46 | 643 | 4.29 | 17,532,931 | 6.79 | 3,462,603 | 5.99 |
| 30,000 | 35,000 | 36 | 0.92 | 21 | 1.15 | 77 | 6.01 | 168 | 3.31 | 13 | 2.10 | 65 | 2.84 | 380 | 2.53 | 12,305,759 | 4.76 | 2,737,592 | 4.74 |
| 35,000 | 40,000 | 29 | 0.74 | 22 | 1.21 | 46 | 3.59 | 130 | 2.56 | 13 | 2.10 | 46 | 2.01 | 286 | 1.91 | 10,658,734 | 4.13 | 2,678,584 | 4.64 |
| 40,000 | 50,000 | 41 | 1.05 | 20 | 1.10 | 63 | 4.91 | 176 | 3.47 | 14 | 2.27 | 47 | 2.05 | 361 | 2.41 | 16,059,639 | 6.22 | 4,354,699 | 7.54 |
| 50,000 | 60,000 | 33 | 0.84 | 13 | 0.71 | 38 | 2.96 | 115 | 2.27 | 11 | 1.78 | 36 | 1.57 | 246 | 164 | 13,428,909 | 5.20 | 4,153,435 | 7.19 |
| 60,000 | 75,000 | 17 | 0.43 | 11 | 0.60 | 36 | 2.81 | 88 | 1.74 | 8 | 129 | 24 | 1.05 | 184 | 123 | 12,177,945 | 4.71 | 3,813,584 | 6.60 |
| 75,000 | 100,000 | 17 | 0.43 | 10 | 0.55 | 22 | 1.72 | 79 | 1.56 | 8 | 129 | 20 | 0.87 | 156 | 104 | 13,279,432 | 5.14 | 4,430,447 | 7.67 |
| Oer | 100,000 | 15 | 0.38 | 11 | 0.60 | 49 | 3.82 | 103 | 2.03 | 6 | 0.97 | 27 | 1.18 | 211 | 1.41 | 53,521,019 | 20.72 | 19,554,882 | 33.84 |
| Totals |  | 3,916 | 100 | 1,825 | 100 | 1,282 | 100 | 5,069 | 100 | 618 | 100 | 2,289 | 100 | 14,999 | 100 | 258,320,588 | 100 | 57,771,960 | 100 |

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Table IDS12
Distribution of (i) number of incomes, (ii) total income charged and (iii) tax, by range of total income for mainly PAYE income assessed under Schedule E.

| Range of total income |  | Single males |  | Single females |  | Married Couples both earning |  | Married Couples one earning |  | Widowers |  | Widows |  | Totals |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| From <br> £ | To | Number <br> of cases | $\%$ of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Income £ | \% of <br> total | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Tax } \\ \text { £ } \end{gathered}$ | $\%$ of total |
| - | 3,000 | 88,214 | 20.06 | 92,139 | 21.7 | 1,993 | 1.05 | 13,849 | 5.60 | 578 | 4.30 | 1,278 | 2.98 | 198,051 | 14.60 | 287,451,873 | 1.35 | 7,474 | 0.00 |
| 3,000 | 4,000 | 26,413 | 6.01 | 23,116 | 5.46 | 908 | 0.48 | 4,439 | 1.79 | 307 | 2.28 | 1,220 | 2.85 | 56,403 | 4.16 | 197,914,926 | 0.93 | 1,475 | 0.00 |
| 4,000 | 5,000 | 24,536 | 5.58 | 19,855 | 4.69 | 972 | 0.51 | 4,491 | 1.81 | 1,066 | 7.93 | 5,914 | 13.80 | 56,834 | 4.19 | 255,466,957 | 120 | 4,708,118 | 0.11 |
| 5,000 | 6,000 | 19,495 | 4.43 | 18,863 | 4.46 | 1,178 | 0.62 | 5,086 | 2.05 | 1,339 | 9.96 | 5,036 | 11.75 | 50,997 | 3.76 | 280,213,036 | 132 | 12,833,693 | 0.29 |
| 6,000 | 7,000 | 17,953 | 4.08 | 19,224 | 4.54 | 1.518 | 0.80 | 7,061 | 2.85 | 1,287 | 9.58 | 4,337 | 10.12 | 51,380 | 3.79 | 334,227,332 | 1.57 | 20,993,937 | 0.48 |
| 7,000 | 8,000 | 18,149 | 4.13 | 20,322 | 4.80 | 1,964 | 1.04 | 9,852 | 3.98 | 769 | 5.72 | 4,210 | 9.82 | 55,266 | 4.08 | 414,786,931 | 1.95 | 30,738,820 | 0.70 |
| 8,000 | 9,000 | 17,787 | 4.05 | 21,076 | 4.98 | 2,031 | 1.07 | 11,483 | 4.64 | 612 | 4.55 | 3,155 | 7.36 | 56,144 | 4.14 | 47,053,561 | 2.25 | 40,654,570 | 0.92 |
| 9,000 | 10,000 | 18,661 | 4.24 | 21,874 | 5.17 | 2,446 | 1.29 | 10,925 | 4.41 | 644 | 4.79 | 3,031 | 7.07 | 57,581 | 4.25 | 547,360,342 | 2.58 | 54,410,798 | 1.24 |
| 10,000 | 12,500 | 45,775 | 10.41 | 49,923 | 11.80 | 7,011 | 3.70 | 21,365 | 8.63 | 1,350 | 10.04 | 5,104 | 11.91 | 130,528 | 9.62 | 1,466,399,843 | 6.90 | 181,733,994 | 4.13 |
| 12,500 | 15,000 | 43,760 | 9.95 | 41,206 | 9.74 | 8,358 | 4.41 | 21,602 | 8.73 | 1,104 | 8.21 | 3,094 | 7.22 | 119,124 | 8.78 | 1,633,599,212 | 7.69 | 238,680,448 | 5.42 |
| 15,000 | 17,500 | 31,515 | 7.17 | 28,469 | 6.73 | 9,943 | 5.25 | 19,275 | 7.79 | 964 | 7.17 | 1,947 | 4.54 | 92,113 | 6.79 | 1,492,834,271 | 7.03 | 258,374,138 | 5.87 |
| 17,500 | 20,000 | 25,353 | 5.77 | 20,497 | 4.84 | 11,278 | 5.95 | 17,955 | 7.25 | 822 | 6.12 | 1,274 | 2.97 | 77,179 | 5.69 | 1,444,120,407 | 6.80 | 281,595,657 | 6.40 |
| 20,000 | 25,000 | 28,929 | 6.58 | 24,275 | 5.74 | 25,770 | 13.60 | 30,266 | 12.23 | 982 | 7.31 | 1,452 | 3.39 | 111,674 | 8.23 | 2,495,739,235 | 11.75 | 522,152,775 | 11.86 |
| 25,000 | 30,000 | 15,370 | 3.50 | 12,220 | 2.89 | 28,067 | 14.81 | 23,906 | 9.66 | 612 | 4.55 | 758 | 1.77 | 80,933 | 5.97 | 2,213,614,718 | 10.42 | 481,456,373 | 10.93 |
| 30,000 | 35,000 | 7,776 | 1.77 | 5,062 | 1.20 | 23,293 | 12.29 | 15,471 | 6.25 | 365 | 2.72 | 459 | 1.07 | 52,426 | 3.87 | 1,693,431,848 | 7.97 | 399,637,414 | 9.08 |
| 35,000 | 40,000 | 4,161 | 0.95 | 2,338 | 0.55 | 17,318 | 9.14 | 9,532 | 3.85 | 214 | 159 | 243 | 0.57 | 33,806 | 2.49 | 1,262,249,399 | 5.94 | 325,159,312 | 7.39 |
| 40,000 | 50,000 | 3,353 | 0.76 | 1,660 | 0.39 | 22,059 | 11.64 | 9,635 | 3.89 | 214 | 159 | 195 | 0.45 | 37,116 | 2.74 | 1,647,128,854 | 7.75 | 463,325,618 | 10.52 |
| 50,000 | 60,000 | 1,004 | 0.23 | 469 | 0.11 | 11,669 | 6.16 | 4,047 | 1.64 | 89 | 0.66 | 58 | 0.14 | 17,336 | 1.28 | 943,186,912 | 4.44 | 289,037,961 | 6.56 |
| 60,000 | 75,000 | 690 | 0.16 | 224 | 0.05 | 6,604 | 3.48 | 2,776 | 1.12 | 50 | 0.37 | 40 | 0.09 | 10,384 | 0.77 | 686,064,067 | 3.23 | 226,379,221 | 5.14 |
| 75,000 | 100,000 | 365 | 0.08 | 168 | 0.04 | 2,950 | 1.56 | 1,964 | 0.79 | 27 | 0.20 | 26 | 0.06 | 5,500 | 0.41 | 468,625,468 | 2.21 | 165,630,589 | 3.76 |
| Oer | 100,000 | 403 | 0.09 | 171 | 0.04 | 2,207 | 1.16 | 2,524 | 1.02 | 45 | 0.33 | 30 | 0.07 | 5,380 | 0.40 | 1,001,428,286 | 4.71 | 405,398,314 | 9.21 |
| Totals |  | 439,662 | 100 | 423,151 | 100 | 189,537 | 100 | 247,504 | 100 | 13,440 | 100 | 42,861 | 100 | 1,356,155 | 100 | 21,242,897,478 | 100 | 4,402,911,199 | 100 |

## INCOME TAX 1998-99

Table IDS13
Distribution of (i) number of incomes, (ii) total income charged and (iii) tax, by range of total income for mainly PAYE income assessed under Schedule E (excluding proprietary directors on the Schedule E record).

| Range of total income |  | Single males |  | Single females |  | Married Couples both earning |  | Married Couples one earning |  | Widowers |  | Widows |  | Totals |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| From <br> £ | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{To} \\ \mathrm{f} \end{gathered}$ | Number of cases | $\begin{aligned} & \text { \% of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ | Number <br> of cases | $\%$ of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | $\%$ of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Income | \% of <br> total | $\begin{array}{r} \mathrm{Tax} \\ \text { £ } \end{array}$ | \% of <br> total |
| - | 3,000 | 87,439 | 20.41 | 91,645 | 21.85 | 1,935 | 111 | 13,690 | 5.95 | 569 | 4.40 | 1,268 | 3.00 | 196,546 | 15.03 | 284,866,276 | 1.47 | 3,868 | 0.00 |
| 3,000 | 4,000 | 25,753 | 6.01 | 22,711 | 5.43 | 894 | 0.51 | 4,365 | 1.90 | 300 | 2.32 | 1,208 | 2.86 | 55,291 | 4.23 | 193,950,817 | 100 | 1,234 | 0.00 |
| 4,000 | 5,000 | 23,988 | 5.60 | 19,625 | 4.68 | 950 | 0.54 | 4,406 | 1.92 | 1,055 | 8.15 | 5,889 | 13.95 | 55,913 | 4.28 | 251,412,768 | 130 | 4,631,287 | 0.12 |
| 5,000 | 6,000 | 19,099 | 4.46 | 18,708 | 4.46 | 1,141 | 0.65 | 4,947 | 2.15 | 1,332 | 10.29 | 5,006 | 11.85 | 50,233 | 3.84 | 275,990,879 | 142 | 12,584,347 | 0.33 |
| 6,000 | 7,000 | 17,563 | 4.10 | 19,076 | 4.55 | 1,466 | 0.84 | 6,895 | 3.00 | 1,276 | 9.86 | 4,315 | 10.22 | 50,591 | 3.87 | 329,085,532 | 170 | 20,639,619 | 0.53 |
| 7,000 | 8,000 | 17,745 | 4.14 | 20,174 | 4.81 | 1,892 | 1.08 | 9,633 | 4.19 | 758 | 5.86 | 4,185 | 9.91 | 54,387 | 4.16 | 408,144,832 | 2.10 | 30,208,992 | 0.78 |
| 8,000 | 9,000 | 17,385 | 4.06 | 20,937 | 4.99 | 1,969 | 1.13 | 11,215 | 4.87 | 597 | 4.61 | 3,136 | 7.43 | 55,239 | 4.22 | 469,345,572 | 2.42 | 39,989,103 | 1.04 |
| 9,000 | 10,000 | 18,122 | 4.23 | 21,714 | 5.18 | 2,350 | 1.35 | 10,592 | 4.60 | 629 | 4.86 | 3,002 | 7.11 | 56,409 | 4.31 | 536,155,428 | 2.76 | 53,292,656 | 1.38 |
| 10,000 | 12,500 | 44,710 | 10.44 | 49,569 | 11.82 | 6,668 | 3.82 | 20,473 | 8.90 | 1,318 | 10.18 | 5,040 | 11.94 | 127,778 | 9.77 | 1,435,419,505 | 7.40 | 178,198,735 | 4.62 |
| 12,500 | 15,000 | 42,432 | 9.91 | 40,861 | 9.74 | 7,899 | 4.52 | 20,548 | 8.93 | 1,065 | 8.23 | 3,030 | 7.18 | 115,835 | 8.86 | 1,588,362,671 | 8.19 | 232,319,007 | 6.02 |
| 15,000 | 17,500 | 30,651 | 7.16 | 28,226 | 6.73 | 9,371 | 5.36 | 18,166 | 7.90 | 925 | 7.15 | 1,900 | 4.50 | 89,239 | 6.82 | 1,446,217,630 | 7.45 | 251,030,678 | 6.51 |
| 17,500 | 20,000 | 24,632 | 5.75 | 20,310 | 4.84 | 10,579 | 6.06 | 16,839 | 7.32 | 791 | 6.11 | 1,225 | 2.90 | 74,376 | 5.69 | 1,391,452,927 | 7.17 | 272,495,228 | 7.06 |
| 20,000 | 25,000 | 28,024 | 6.54 | 24,035 | 5.73 | 24,156 | 13.83 | 28,284 | 12.29 | 923 | 7.13 | 1,401 | 3.32 | 106,823 | 8.17 | 2,386,403,572 | 12.30 | 502,128,394 | 13.02 |
| 25,000 | 30,000 | 14,741 | 3.44 | 12,066 | 2.88 | 26,079 | 14.93 | 21,777 | 9.47 | 565 | 4.37 | 718 | 1.70 | 75,946 | 5.81 | 2,076,757,057 | 10.70 | 454,656,310 | 11.78 |
| 30,000 | 35,000 | 7,379 | 1.72 | 4,945 | 1.18 | 21,651 | 12.39 | 14,150 | 6.15 | 339 | 2.62 | 430 | 1.02 | 48,894 | 3.74 | 1,579,002,383 | 8.14 | 373,747,091 | 9.69 |
| 35,000 | 40,000 | 3,840 | 0.90 | 2,259 | 0.54 | 16,105 | 9.22 | 8,574 | 3.73 | 195 | 1.51 | 219 | 0.52 | 31,192 | 2.39 | 1,164,384,142 | 6.00 | 300,175,047 | 7.78 |
| 40,000 | 50,000 | 3,019 | 0.70 | 1,570 | 0.37 | 20,235 | 11.58 | 8,180 | 3.56 | 176 | 1.36 | 165 | 0.39 | 33,345 | 2.55 | 1,478,845,560 | 7.62 | 416,028,840 | 10.78 |
| 50,000 | 60,000 | 817 | 0.19 | 425 | 0.10 | 10,547 | 6.04 | 3,154 | 1.37 | 68 | 0.53 | 42 | 0.10 | 15,053 | 1.15 | 818,663,631 | 4.22 | 251,009,510 | 6.51 |
| 60,000 | 75,000 | 522 | 0.12 | 204 | 0.05 | 5,650 | 3.23 | 1,903 | 0.83 | 29 | 0.22 | 25 | 0.06 | 8,333 | 0.64 | 549,207,301 | 2.83 | 181,732,949 | 4.71 |
| 75,000 | 100,000 | 260 | 0.06 | 136 | 0.03 | 2,059 | 1.18 | 1,165 | 0.51 | 14 | 0.11 | 14 | 0.03 | 3,648 | 0.28 | 309,442,168 | 1.59 | 110,236,650 | 2.86 |
| Oer | 100,000 | 218 | 0.05 | 135 | 0.03 | 1,110 | 0.64 | 1,108 | 0.48 | 17 | 0.13 | 10 | 0.02 | 2,598 | 0.20 | 429,356,838 | 2.21 | 172,844,511 | 4.48 |
| Totals |  | 428,339 | 100 | 419,391 | 100 | 174,706 | 100 | 230,064 | 100 | 12,941 | 100 | 42,228 | 100 | 1,307,669 | 100 | 19,402,467,489 | 100 | 3,857,954,056 | 100 |

## INCOME TAX 1998-99

Table IDS14
Distribution of (i) number of incomes, (ii) total income charged and (iii) tax, by range of total income of proprietary directors.

| Range of total income |  | Single males |  | Single females |  | Married Couples both earning |  | Married Couples one earning |  | Widowers |  | Widows |  | Totals |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| From <br> £ | To £ | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | $\%$ of total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | $\%$ of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Income | \% of total | $\begin{array}{r} \mathrm{Tax} \\ \mathrm{f} \end{array}$ | \% of total |
| - | 3,000 | 1,072 | 7.93 | 550 | 13.21 | 100 | 0.56 | 530 | 2.32 | 29 | 4.24 | 24 | 2.81 | 2,305 | 3.85 | 3,073,470 | 0.13 | 9,759 | 0.00 |
| 3,000 | 4,000 | 738 | 5.46 | 355 | 8.53 | 23 | 0.13 | 125 | 0.55 | 10 | 146 | 16 | 1.87 | 1,267 | 2.12 | 4,509,197 | 0.19 | 2,759 | 0.00 |
| 4,000 | 5,000 | 648 | 4.79 | 256 | 6.15 | 39 | 0.22 | 132 | 0.58 | 11 | 1.61 | 28 | 3.27 | 1,114 | 1.86 | 4,920,531 | 0.20 | 94,449 | 0.01 |
| 5,000 | 6,000 | 479 | 3.54 | 167 | 4.01 | 60 | 0.34 | 201 | 0.88 | 9 | 1.32 | 38 | 4.44 | 954 | 1.59 | 5,270,883 | 0.22 | 295,581 | 0.04 |
| 6,000 | 7,000 | 483 | 3.57 | 168 | 4.04 | 71 | 0.40 | 257 | 1.12 | 16 | 2.34 | 27 | 3.16 | 1,022 | 171 | 6,651,571 | 0.28 | 425,781 | 0.06 |
| 7,000 | 8,000 | 482 | 3.57 | 156 | 3.75 | 112 | 0.63 | 316 | 1.38 | 16 | 2.34 | 37 | 4.33 | 1,119 | 1.87 | 8,459,495 | 0.35 | 614,382 | 0.08 |
| 8,000 | 9,000 | 480 | 3.55 | 157 | 3.77 | 99 | 0.56 | 384 | 1.68 | 23 | 3.36 | 28 | 3.27 | 1,171 | 1.96 | 9,969,630 | 0.41 | 790,528 | 0.11 |
| 9,000 | 10,000 | 615 | 4.55 | 179 | 4.30 | 140 | 0.79 | 463 | 2.02 | 18 | 2.63 | 40 | 4.68 | 1,455 | 2.43 | 13,892,478 | 0.57 | 1,290,466 | 0.18 |
| 10,000 | 12,500 | 1,285 | 9.51 | 382 | 9.18 | 453 | 2.56 | 1,213 | 5.30 | 44 | 6.43 | 80 | 9.36 | 3,457 | 5.78 | 38,938,597 | 161 | 4,247,695 | 0.58 |
| 12,500 | 15,000 | 1,502 | 11.11 | 380 | 9.13 | 588 | 3.32 | 1,318 | 5.76 | 52 | 7.60 | 83 | 9.71 | 3,923 | 6.56 | 53,933,483 | 2.23 | 7,407,186 | 1.02 |
| 15,000 | 17,500 | 997 | 7.38 | 258 | 6.20 | 697 | 3.93 | 1,380 | 6.03 | 47 | 6.87 | 65 | 7.60 | 3,444 | 5.76 | 55,851,505 | 2.31 | 8,638,839 | 1.19 |
| 17,500 | 20,000 | 850 | 6.29 | 197 | 4.73 | 824 | 4.65 | 1,355 | 5.93 | 44 | 6.43 | 59 | 6.90 | 3,329 | 5.57 | 62,502,930 | 2.59 | 10,724,360 | 1.47 |
| 20,000 | 25,000 | 1,055 | 7.81 | 264 | 6.34 | 1,862 | 10.50 | 2,441 | 10.67 | 71 | 10.38 | 66 | 7.72 | 5,759 | 9.63 | 129,698,153 | 5.37 | 23,602,851 | 3.24 |
| 25,000 | 30,000 | 719 | 5.32 | 177 | 4.25 | 2,256 | 12.73 | 2,614 | 11.43 | ๓ | 8.92 | 56 | 6.55 | 5,883 | 9.84 | 161,287,522 | 6.67 | 31,360,505 | 4.30 |
| 30,000 | 35,000 | 471 | 3.49 | 139 | 3.34 | 1,858 | 10.48 | 1,663 | 7.27 | 39 | 5.70 | 38 | 4.44 | 4,208 | 7.04 | 136,370,944 | 5.64 | 30,726,749 | 4.22 |
| 35,000 | 40,000 | 375 | 2.77 | 92 | 2.21 | 1,377 | 7.77 | 1,211 | 5.30 | 28 | 4.09 | 29 | 3.39 | 3,112 | 5.20 | 116,47,886 | 4.82 | 29,490,459 | 4.05 |
| 40,000 | 50,000 | 403 | 2.98 | 100 | 2.40 | 2,076 | 11.71 | 1,820 | 7.96 | 47 | 6.87 | 44 | 5.15 | 4,490 | 7.51 | 200,345,541 | 8.29 | 55,879,596 | 7.67 |
| 50,000 | 60,000 | 239 | 177 | 56 | 1.35 | 1,332 | 7.51 | 1,158 | 5.06 | 26 | 3.80 | 23 | 2.69 | 2,834 | 4.74 | 154,750,932 | 6.40 | 46,900,603 | 6.43 |
| 60,000 | 75,000 | 212 | 1.57 | 30 | 0.72 | 1,192 | 6.72 | 1,169 | 5.11 | 29 | 4.24 | 21 | 2.46 | 2,653 | 4.44 | 177,106,896 | 7.33 | 57,236,754 | 7.85 |
| 75,000 | 100,000 | 138 | 102 | 42 | 1.01 | 1,093 | 6.17 | 1,060 | 4.64 | 22 | 3.22 | 18 | 2.11 | 2,373 | 3.97 | 203,983,350 | 8.44 | 70,400,862 | 9.66 |
| Oer | 100,000 | 272 | 2.01 | 58 | 1.39 | 1,475 | 8.32 | 2,059 | 9.00 | 42 | 6.14 | 35 | 4.09 | 3,941 | 6.59 | 868,896,068 | 35.95 | 348,735,633 | 47.85 |
| Totals |  | 13,515 | 100 | 4,163 | 100 | 17,727 | 100 | 22,869 | 100 | 684 | 100 | 855 | 100 | 59,813 | 100 | 2,416,891,062 | 100 | 728,875,997 | 100 |

## INCOME TAX 1998-99 <br> Table IDS15

Interest paid on home loans - relief allowed at the standard rate (in terms of tax reductions) by range of total income.

| Range of total income |  | Single Males |  |  | Single females |  |  |  |  |  | Married couples both earning |  |  | Married couples one earning |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| From <br> £ |  | Number <br> of cases | \% of total | Reduction <br> in tax <br> £ | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Reduction <br> in tax <br> £ | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Reduction <br> in tax <br> £ | \% of <br> total | Number of cases | \% of <br> total | Reduction <br> in tax <br> £ | \% of <br> total |
| - | 3,000 | 6 | 0.01 | 2,255 | 0.01 | - | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 24 | 0.02 | 9,897 | 0.02 | 15 | 0.01 | 6,511 | 0.02 |
| 3,000 | 4,000 | - | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 10 | 0.01 | 912 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | - | 0.00 |
| 4,000 | 5,000 | 88 | 0.16 | 6,631 | 0.03 | 97 | 0.17 | 7,629 | 0.04 | 13 | 0.01 | 2,718 | 0.01 | 24 | 0.02 | 2,018 | 0.01 |
| 5,000 | 6,000 | 391 | 0.73 | 70,470 | 0.36 | 453 | 0.77 | 79,490 | 0.39 | 32 | 0.02 | 7,246 | 0.01 | 106 | 0.10 | 17,707 | 0.05 |
| 6,000 | 7,000 | 739 | 1.37 | 204,166 | 1.03 | 793 | 1.35 | 217,383 | 1.06 | 40 | 0.03 | 9,513 | 0.02 | 158 | 0.14 | 38,511 | 0.11 |
| 7,000 | 8,000 | 969 | 1.80 | 279,711 | 1.42 | 1,395 | 2.38 | 349,705 | 1.70 | 45 | 0.03 | 11,339 | 0.02 | 202 | 0.18 | 53,057 | 0.15 |
| 8,000 | 9,000 | 1,116 | 2.08 | 345,984 | 1.75 | 1,880 | 3.21 | 521,886 | 2.54 | 155 | 0.11 | 22,126 | 0.04 | 507 | 0.46 | 77,239 | 0.22 |
| 9,000 | 10,000 | 1,345 | 2.50 | 426,438 | 2.16 | 2,168 | 3.70 | 625,911 | 3.05 | 558 | 0.41 | 87,486 | 0.16 | 1,398 | 1.27 | 225,381 | 0.63 |
| 10,000 | 12,500 | 4,409 | 8.20 | 1,417,318 | 7.17 | 6,735 | 11.49 | 2,060,542 | 10.04 | 3,316 | 2.43 | 832,464 | 1.54 | 7,159 | 6.52 | 1,602,577 | 4.46 |
| 12,500 | 15,000 | 5,826 | 10.84 | 1,929,077 | 9.76 | 7,951 | 13.57 | 2,608,263 | 12.71 | 4,971 | 3.64 | 1,500,436 | 2.78 | 9,110 | 8.29 | 2,356,740 | 6.56 |
| 15,000 | 17,500 | 6,079 | 11.31 | 2,112,327 | 10.69 | 7,288 | 12.44 | 2,592,283 | 12.63 | 6,144 | 4.49 | 1,916,363 | 3.55 | 9,451 | 8.60 | 2,572,008 | 7.16 |
| 17,500 | 20,000 | 6,389 | 11.89 | 2,364,648 | 11.97 | 6,488 | 11.07 | 2,417,571 | 11.78 | 7,498 | 5.48 | 2,419,405 | 4.48 | 9,957 | 9.06 | 2,828,298 | 7.88 |
| 20,000 | 25,000 | 9,350 | 17.40 | 3,69,222 | 18.31 | 10,501 | 17.92 | 4,062,869 | 19.79 | 18,580 | 13.59 | 6,402,821 | 11.84 | 18,958 | 17.25 | 5,689,580 | 15.85 |
| 25,000 | 30,000 | 6,749 | 12.56 | 2,69,820 | 13.62 | 6,672 | 11.39 | 2,502,585 | 12.19 | 21,423 | 15.67 | 7,880,618 | 14.58 | 16,288 | 14.82 | 5,260,343 | 14.65 |
| 30,000 | 35,000 | 3,957 | 7.36 | 1,617,866 | 8.19 | 2,925 | 4.99 | 1,144,533 | 5.58 | 18,798 | 13.75 | 7,466,923 | 13.81 | 11,086 | 10.09 | 3,889,523 | 10.83 |
| 35,000 | 40,000 | 2,418 | 4.50 | 1,009,871 | 5.11 | 1,398 | 2.39 | 567,845 | 2.77 | 14,337 | 10.49 | 5,965,617 | 11.04 | 7,124 | 6.48 | 2,714,925 | 7.56 |
| 40,000 | 50,000 | 2,067 | 3.85 | 877,271 | 4.44 | 1,063 | 181 | 435,479 | 2.12 | 18,951 | 13.86 | 8,543,542 | 15.81 | 7,665 | 6.98 | 3,189,000 | 8.88 |
| 50,000 | 60,000 | 690 | 1.28 | 295,809 | 1.50 | 331 | 0.56 | 144,026 | 0.70 | 10,311 | 7.54 | 4,829,073 | 8.93 | 3,585 | 3.26 | 1,641,493 | 4.57 |
| 60,000 | 75,000 | 501 | 0.93 | 215,301 | 1.09 | 175 | 0.30 | 73,805 | 0.36 | 6,145 | 4.50 | 3,083,338 | 5.70 | 2,551 | 2.32 | 1,262,018 | 3.51 |
| 75,000 | 100,000 | 285 | 0.53 | 121,182 | 0.61 | 137 | 0.23 | 55,914 | 0.27 | 2,977 | 2.18 | 1,672,354 | 3.09 | 1,850 | 1.68 | 970,956 | 2.70 |
| Oer | 100,000 | 372 | 0.69 | 155,926 | 0.79 | 142 | 0.24 | 60,921 | 0.30 | 2,379 | 1.74 | 1,391,707 | 2.57 | 2,676 | 2.44 | 1,509,742 | 4.20 |
| Totals |  | 53,746 | 100 | 19,762,293 | 100 | 58,592 | 100 | 20,528,640 | 100 | 136,707 | 100 | 54,055,898 | 100 | 109,870 | 100 | 35,907,627 | 100 |

INCOME TAX 1998-99
Table IDS15 - continued
Interest paid on home loans - relief allowed at the standard rate (in terms of tax reductions) by range of total income.

| Range of total income |  | Widowers |  |  |  | Widows |  |  |  |  | Totals |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { From } \\ & £ \end{aligned}$ | To £ | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Reduction <br> in tax <br> £ | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Reduction <br> in tax <br> £ | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Reduction <br> in tax <br> £ | \% of <br> total |
| - | 3,000 | 1 | 0.05 | 107 | 0.03 | - | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 46 | 0.01 | 18,770 | 0.01 |
| 3,000 | 4,000 | - | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 10 | 0.00 | 912 | 0.00 |
| 4,000 | 5,000 | 13 | 0.69 | 759 | 0.23 | 52 | 147 | 2,249 | 0.40 | 287 | 0.08 | 22,004 | 0.02 |
| 5,000 | 6,000 | 72 | 3.80 | 5,512 | 1.70 | 211 | 5.95 | 13,487 | 2.38 | 1,265 | 0.35 | 193,912 | 0.15 |
| 6,000 | 7,000 | 90 | 4.74 | 8,100 | 2.50 | 252 | 7.10 | 20,947 | 3.69 | 2,072 | 0.57 | 498,620 | 0.38 |
| 7,000 | 8,000 | 63 | 3.32 | 6,836 | 2.11 | 307 | 8.66 | 27,953 | 4.92 | 2,981 | 0.82 | 728,601 | 0.56 |
| 8,000 | 9,000 | 55 | 2.90 | 6,517 | 2.01 | 257 | 7.25 | 28,128 | 4.95 | 3,970 | 109 | 1,001,880 | 0.76 |
| 9,000 | 10,000 | 71 | 3.74 | 10,332 | 3.19 | 245 | 6.91 | 32,088 | 5.65 | 5,785 | 159 | 1,407,636 | 1.07 |
| 10,000 | 12,500 | 166 | 8.75 | 21,267 | 6.56 | 493 | 13.90 | 71,805 | 12.65 | 22,278 | 6.11 | 6,005,973 | 4.58 |
| 12,500 | 15,000 | 178 | 9.38 | 28,193 | 8.70 | 382 | 10.77 | 60,889 | 10.73 | 28,418 | 7.80 | 8,483,598 | 6.47 |
| 15,000 | 17,500 | 165 | 8.70 | 23,921 | 7.38 | 321 | 9.05 | 62,808 | 11.06 | 29,448 | 8.08 | 9,279,710 | 7.08 |
| 17,500 | 20,000 | 162 | 8.54 | 26,452 | 8.16 | 228 | 6.43 | 46,780 | 8.24 | 30,722 | 8.43 | 10,103,154 | 7.70 |
| 20,000 | 25,000 | 272 | 14.34 | 47,366 | 14.62 | 290 | 8.18 | 65,518 | 11.54 | 57,951 | 15.90 | 19,887,376 | 15.16 |
| 25,000 | 30,000 | 188 | 9.91 | 40,304 | 12.44 | 184 | 5.19 | 46,491 | 8.19 | 51,504 | 14.14 | 18,421,161 | 14.05 |
| 30,000 | 35,000 | 139 | 7.33 | 30,070 | 9.28 | 137 | 3.86 | 35,864 | 6.32 | 37,042 | 10.17 | 14,184,779 | 10.82 |
| 35,000 | 40,000 | 91 | 4.80 | 22,697 | 7.01 | 81 | 2.28 | 20,225 | 3.56 | 25,449 | 6.98 | 10,301,180 | 7.85 |
| 40,000 | 50,000 | 77 | 4.06 | 18,451 | 5.69 | 71 | 2.00 | 16,932 | 2.98 | 29,894 | 8.20 | 13,080,675 | 9.97 |
| 50,000 | 60,000 | 43 | 2.27 | 10,457 | 3.23 | 17 | 0.48 | 7,467 | 1.32 | 14,977 | 4.11 | 6,928,325 | 5.28 |
| 60,000 | 75,000 | 19 | 1.00 | 5,691 | 1.76 | 6 | 0.17 | 2,170 | 0.38 | 9,397 | 2.58 | 4,642,323 | 3.54 |
| 75,000 | 100,000 | 11 | 0.58 | 5,192 | 1.60 | 7 | 0.20 | 2,675 | 0.47 | 5,267 | 145 | 2,828,273 | 2.16 |
| Oer | 100,000 | 21 | 1.11 | 5,765 | 1.78 | 6 | 0.17 | 3,195 | 0.56 | 5,596 | 154 | 3,127,256 | 2.38 |
| Totals |  | 1,897 | 100 | 323,989 | 100 | 3,547 | 100 | 567,671 | 100 | 364,359 | 100 | 131,146,118 | 100 |

## INCOME TAX 1998-99

Table IDS16
Medical Insurance - relief allowed at the standard rate (in terms of tax reductions) by range of total income

| Range of total income |  | Single Males |  |  |  | Single females |  |  |  |  | Married couples both earning |  |  | Married couples one earning |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| From <br> £ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { To } \\ & \text { £ } \end{aligned}$ | Number <br> of cases | $\%$ of <br> total |  | $\%$ of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of total |  | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Reduction <br> in tax <br> £ | \% of total | Number <br> of cases | $\begin{aligned} & \% \text { of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ |  | \% of total |
| - | 3,000 | 4 | 0.01 | 246 | 0.01 | 4 | 0.01 | 426 | 0.01 | 24 | 0.02 | 5,408 | 0.03 | 27 | 0.02 | 6,858 | 0.03 |
| 3,000 | 4,000 | 3 | 0.01 | 160 | 0.00 | 1 | 0.00 | 21 | 0.00 | 16 | 0.01 | 896 | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | - | 0.00 |
| 4,000 | 5,000 | 840 | 158 | 70,077 | 1.65 | 516 | 0.69 | 31,056 | 0.60 | 23 | 0.02 | 2,652 | 0.01 | 39 | 0.03 | 2,623 | 0.01 |
| 5,000 | 6,000 | 1,341 | 2.52 | 112,691 | 2.65 | 1,088 | 1.45 | 67,399 | 1.30 | 45 | 0.04 | 5,120 | 0.02 | 95 | 0.07 | 8,712 | 0.04 |
| 6,000 | 7,000 | 1,321 | 2.49 | 107,105 | 2.52 | 1,373 | 1.83 | 90,948 | 176 | 54 | 0.04 | 7,091 | 0.03 | 107 | 0.08 | 9,578 | 0.04 |
| 7,000 | 8,000 | 1,283 | 2.41 | 101,272 | 2.38 | 1,657 | 2.21 | 109,441 | 2.12 | 47 | 0.04 | 6,124 | 0.03 | 148 | 0.11 | 14,577 | 0.06 |
| 8,000 | 9,000 | 1,368 | 2.57 | 110,887 | 2.60 | 1,952 | 2.60 | 131,827 | 2.55 | 258 | 0.21 | 32,454 | 0.15 | 1,037 | 0.80 | 135,241 | 0.57 |
| 9,000 | 10,000 | 1,354 | 2.55 | 106,886 | 2.51 | 2,254 | 3.01 | 153,489 | 2.97 | 504 | 0.40 | 72,768 | 0.34 | 1,830 | 1.41 | 261,479 | 111 |
| 10,000 | 12,500 | 3,903 | 7.34 | 297,071 | 6.98 | 7,933 | 10.58 | 536,131 | 10.37 | 2,684 | 2.14 | 391,904 | 1.84 | 8,845 | 6.82 | 1,246,557 | 5.28 |
| 12,500 | 15,000 | 4,636 | 8.72 | 336,426 | 7.90 | 10,014 | 13.36 | 663,972 | 12.84 | 3,707 | 2.95 | 549,672 | 2.58 | 10,650 | 8.22 | 1,553,365 | 6.58 |
| 15,000 | 17,500 | 4,829 | 9.08 | 346,587 | 8.14 | 9,622 | 12.84 | 640,022 | 12.38 | 4,556 | 3.63 | 675,257 | 3.17 | 10,191 | 7.86 | 1,564,806 | 6.63 |
| 17,500 | 20,000 | 5,077 | 9.55 | 356,266 | 8.37 | 8,566 | 11.43 | 566,758 | 10.96 | 5,336 | 4.25 | 792,612 | 3.72 | 10,084 | 7.78 | 1,558,297 | 6.60 |
| 20,000 | 25,000 | 8,657 | 16.29 | 624,809 | 14.67 | 13,814 | 18.43 | 940,354 | 18.18 | 13,343 | 10.63 | 1,943,196 | 9.12 | 19,441 | 15.00 | 3,105,074 | 13.16 |
| 25,000 | 30,000 | 7,058 | 13.28 | 548,649 | 12.88 | 8,600 | 11.47 | 615,752 | 11.91 | 17,603 | 14.03 | 2,646,111 | 12.42 | 19,353 | 14.93 | 3,297,630 | 13.97 |
| 30,000 | 35,000 | 4,349 | 8.18 | 374,512 | 8.79 | 3,638 | 4.85 | 277,433 | 5.36 | 17,267 | 13.76 | 2,710,070 | 12.72 | 14,021 | 10.82 | 2,648,507 | 11.22 |
| 35,000 | 40,000 | 2,601 | 4.89 | 233,923 | 5.49 | 1,689 | 2.25 | 134,276 | 2.60 | 14,451 | 11.52 | 2,390,285 | 11.22 | 9,160 | 7.07 | 1,841,252 | 7.80 |
| 40,000 | 50,000 | 2,324 | 4.37 | 219,788 | 5.16 | 1,273 | 1.70 | 106,687 | 2.06 | 20,310 | 16.19 | 3,576,188 | 16.79 | 9,876 | 7.62 | 2,128,368 | 9.02 |
| 50,000 | 60,000 | 795 | 150 | 91,660 | 2.15 | 409 | 0.55 | 38,396 | 0.74 | 11,589 | 9.24 | 2,212,410 | 10.39 | 4,643 | 3.58 | 1,094,998 | 4.64 |
| 60,000 | 75,000 | 567 | 107 | 72,880 | 1.71 | 212 | 0.28 | 24,152 | 0.47 | 7,001 | 5.58 | 1,469,349 | 6.90 | 3,443 | 2.66 | 913,274 | 3.87 |
| 75,000 | 100,000 | 363 | 0.68 | 50,738 | 1.19 | 167 | 0.22 | 18,503 | 0.36 | 3,493 | 2.78 | 842,501 | 3.96 | 2,619 | 2.02 | 767,429 | 3.25 |
| Oer | 100,000 | 484 | 0.91 | 95,666 | 2.25 | 173 | 0.23 | 24,342 | 0.47 | 3,169 | 2.53 | 967,442 | 4.54 | 4,020 | 3.10 | 1,439,832 | 6.10 |
| Totals |  | 53,157 | 100 | 4,258,299 | 100 | 74,955 | 100 | 5,171,385 | 100 | 125,480 | 100 | 21,299,510 | 100 | 129,629 | 100 | 23,598,457 | 100 |

## INCOME TAX 1998-99 <br> Table IDS16 - continued

Medical Insurance - relief allowed at the standard rate (in terms of tax reductions) by range of total income

| Range of total income |  | Widowers |  |  |  | Widows |  |  |  | Totals |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| From £ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { To } \\ & £ \end{aligned}$ | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Reduction in tax £ | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Reduction in tax £ | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Reduction in tax £ | \% of <br> total |
| - | 3,000 | 4 | 0.06 | 696 | 0.09 | 2 | 0.01 | 136 | 0.01 | 65 | 0.02 | 13,770 | 0.02 |
| 3,000 | 4,000 | - | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | - | 0.00 | 20 | 0.00 | 1,077 | 0.00 |
| 4,000 | 5,000 | 26 | 0.36 | 1,885 | 0.23 | 129 | 0.66 | 6,941 | 0.36 | 1,573 | 0.38 | 115,234 | 0.20 |
| 5,000 | 6,000 | 247 | 3.47 | 16,963 | 2.11 | 788 | 4.05 | 53,981 | 2.77 | 3,604 | 0.88 | 264,866 | 0.46 |
| 6,000 | 7,000 | 313 | 4.39 | 22,127 | 2.75 | 1,158 | 5.95 | 82,230 | 4.22 | 4,326 | 1.06 | 319,079 | 0.56 |
| 7,000 | 8,000 | 312 | 4.38 | 25,522 | 3.18 | 1,537 | 7.90 | 111,838 | 5.74 | 4,984 | 1.22 | 368,774 | 0.65 |
| 8,000 | 9,000 | 336 | 4.71 | 27,040 | 3.37 | 1,562 | 8.03 | 122,812 | 6.30 | 6,513 | 1.59 | 560,261 | 0.98 |
| 9,000 | 10,000 | 342 | 4.80 | 29,573 | 3.68 | 1,688 | 8.68 | 138,031 | 7.08 | 7,972 | 1.95 | 762,226 | 1.34 |
| 10,000 | 12,500 | 809 | 11.35 | 70,176 | 8.74 | 3,504 | 18.01 | 325,111 | 16.69 | 27,678 | 6.75 | 2,866,950 | 5.02 |
| 12,500 | 15,000 | 791 | 11.10 | 76,321 | 9.50 | 2,385 | 12.26 | 245,369 | 12.59 | 32,183 | 7.85 | 3,425,125 | 6.00 |
| 15,000 | 17,500 | 778 | 10.91 | 83,524 | 10.40 | 1,689 | 8.68 | 185,435 | 9.52 | 31,665 | 7.73 | 3,495,631 | 6.12 |
| 17,500 | 20,000 | 621 | 8.71 | 71,458 | 8.90 | 1,174 | 6.03 | 135,469 | 6.95 | 30,858 | 7.53 | 3,480,860 | 6.10 |
| 20,000 | 25,000 | 824 | 11.56 | 101,864 | 12.68 | 1,471 | 7.56 | 181,065 | 9.29 | 57,550 | 14.04 | 6,896,362 | 12.08 |
| 25,000 | 30,000 | 561 | 7.87 | 75,344 | 9.38 | 832 | 4.28 | 109,989 | 5.64 | 54,007 | 13.18 | 7,293,475 | 12.78 |
| 30,000 | 35,000 | 371 | 5.20 | 53,008 | 6.60 | 539 | 2.77 | 77,806 | 3.99 | 40,185 | 9.81 | 6,141,336 | 10.76 |
| 35,000 | 40,000 | 239 | 3.35 | 38,043 | 4.74 | 334 | 1.72 | 52,293 | 2.68 | 28,474 | 6.95 | 4,690,072 | 8.22 |
| 40,000 | 50,000 | 234 | 3.28 | 38,823 | 4.83 | 301 | 1.55 | 50,394 | 2.59 | 34,318 | 8.37 | 6,120,248 | 10.72 |
| 50,000 | 60,000 | 114 | 1.60 | 21,876 | 2.72 | 126 | 0.65 | 21,883 | 1.12 | 17,676 | 4.31 | 3,481,223 | 6.10 |
| 60,000 | 75,000 | 82 | 1.15 | 17,740 | 2.21 | 89 | 0.46 | 15,716 | 0.81 | 11,394 | 2.78 | 2,513,111 | 4.40 |
| 75,000 | 100,000 | 48 | 0.67 | 11,400 | 1.42 | 66 | 0.34 | 13,067 | 0.67 | 6,756 | 1.65 | 1,703,638 | 2.98 |
| Oer | 100,000 | 76 | 1.07 | 19,807 | 2.47 | 82 | 0.42 | 18,924 | 0.97 | 8,004 | 1.95 | 2,566,013 | 4.50 |
| Totals |  | 7,128 | 100 | 803,190 | 100 | 19,456 | 100 | 1,948,490 | 100 | 409,805 | 100 | 57,079,331 | 100 |

## INCOME TAX 1998-99

Table IDS17
Distribution of (i) number of taxable incomes, (ii) total taxable income and (iii) tax, by range of taxable income.

| Range of taxable income |  | Single males |  |  |  |  |  | Single females |  |  |  |  |  | Married couples - both earning |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| From <br> £ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { To } \\ & £ \end{aligned}$ | Number <br> of cases | $\begin{aligned} & \% \text { of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ | Income £ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { \% of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{Tax} \\ £ \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \% \text { of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ | Number <br> of cases | $\begin{aligned} & \% \text { of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ | Income | $\begin{aligned} & \% \text { of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{Tax} \\ £ \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \% \text { of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ | Number <br> of cases | $\begin{aligned} & \% \text { of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ | Income | $\%$ of total | $\begin{array}{r} \mathrm{Tax} \\ \mathrm{f} \end{array}$ | \% of <br> total |
| - | 3,000 | 66,139 | 18.64 | 101,669,271 | 2.68 | 22,652,224 | 1.94 | 62,151 | 20.53 | 95,399,571 | 3.35 | 21,270,155 | 2.55 | 5,382 | 2.61 | 10,754,396 | 0.20 | 1,672,875 | 0.10 |
| 3,000 | 4,000 | 21,607 | 6.09 | 75,552,676 | 1.99 | 17,507,938 | 1.50 | 20,001 | 6.61 | 70,055,017 | 2.46 | 15,968,200 | 1.92 | 3,615 | 1.75 | 12,705,889 | 0.24 | 2,170,865 | 0.13 |
| 4,000 | 5,000 | 20,835 | 5.87 | 93,658,303 | 2.47 | 21,845,753 | 1.87 | 20,073 | 6.63 | 90,203,084 | 3.16 | 20,656,058 | 2.48 | 4,195 | 2.04 | 18,884,769 | 0.35 | 3,489,250 | 0.21 |
| 5,000 | 6,000 | 21,094 | 5.94 | 116,040,512 | 3.06 | 27,119,731 | 2.33 | 19,650 | 6.49 | 108,039,764 | 3.79 | 24,868,547 | 2.98 | 4,377 | 2.12 | 24,102,119 | 0.45 | 4,727,089 | 0.28 |
| 6,000 | 7,000 | 20,557 | 5.79 | 133,631,095 | 3.53 | 31,267,806 | 2.68 | 19,324 | 6.38 | 125,578,338 | 4.41 | 28,864,673 | 3.46 | 4,702 | 2.28 | 30,595,315 | 0.57 | 6,275,151 | 0.38 |
| 7,000 | 8,000 | 20,129 | 5.67 | 150,960,847 | 3.98 | 35,337,239 | 3.03 | 18,707 | 6.18 | 140,228,453 | 4.92 | 32,260,578 | 3.87 | 4,967 | 2.41 | 37,297,106 | 0.69 | 7,832,994 | 0.47 |
| 8,000 | 9,000 | 19,979 | 5.63 | 169,850,327 | 4.48 | 39,704,860 | 3.40 | 17,666 | 5.83 | 150,050,834 | 5.26 | 34,434,293 | 4.13 | 5,035 | 2.44 | 42,813,941 | 0.80 | 9,118,017 | 0.55 |
| 9,000 | 10,000 | 19,837 | 5.59 | 188,529,573 | 4.98 | 44,126,983 | 3.78 | 16,601 | 5.48 | 157,635,470 | 5.53 | 36,159,655 | 4.34 | 5,229 | 2.54 | 49,741,019 | 0.92 | 10,742,269 | 0.65 |
| 10,000 | 12,500 | 39,167 | 11.04 | 437,638,191 | 11.55 | 112,082,469 | 9.61 | 31,954 | 10.55 | 356,927,797 | 12.52 | 89,833,218 | 10.78 | 13,648 | 6.62 | 153,720,368 | 2.86 | 33,507,447 | 2.01 |
| 12,500 | 15,000 | 28,961 | 8.16 | 396,923,693 | 10.47 | 115,724,307 | 9.92 | 22,840 | 7.54 | 312,585,833 | 10.97 | 89,869,494 | 10.79 | 14,646 | 7.11 | 201,502,360 | 3.75 | 44,383,865 | 2.67 |
| 15,000 | 17,500 | 21,290 | 6.00 | 343,973,074 | 9.08 | 108,452,705 | 9.30 | 16,188 | 5.35 | 261,895,786 | 9.19 | 81,592,958 | 9.79 | 15,369 | 7.46 | 249,858,267 | 4.65 | 55,397,108 | 3.33 |
| 17,500 | 20,000 | 14,429 | 4.07 | 269,627,547 | 7.12 | 89,782,166 | 7.70 | 11,536 | 3.81 | 215,800,816 | 7.57 | 71,132,576 | 8.54 | 16,120 | 7.82 | 302,517,705 | 5.63 | 67,319,787 | 4.05 |
| 20,000 | 25,000 | 18,319 | 5.16 | 407,390,381 | 10.75 | 143,267,394 | 12.28 | 14,083 | 4.65 | 312,665,767 | 10.97 | 109,072,963 | 13.09 | 28,913 | 14.03 | 647,192,591 | 12.03 | 159,733,518 | 9.60 |
| 25,000 | 30,000 | 9,645 | 2.72 | 262,406,084 | 6.92 | 96,951,647 | 8.31 | 5,877 | 1.94 | 159,542,475 | 5.60 | 58,696,822 | 7.04 | 21,584 | 10.48 | 590,744,696 | 10.98 | 167,399,399 | 10.06 |
| 30,000 | 35,000 | 5,044 | 142 | 162,61, 238 | 4.29 | 62,136,399 | 5.33 | 2,718 | 0.90 | 87,498,656 | 3.07 | 33,352,824 | 4.00 | 15,828 | 7.68 | 512,379,617 | 9.53 | 158,351,982 | 9.52 |
| 35,000 | 40,000 | 2,794 | 0.79 | 104,143,430 | 2.75 | 40,831,600 | 3.50 | 1,325 | 0.44 | 49,234,815 | 1.73 | 19,269,970 | 2.31 | 11,418 | 5.54 | 426,770,773 | 7.94 | 139,946,752 | 8.41 |
| 40,000 | 50,000 | 2,340 | 0.66 | 103,129,986 | 2.72 | 41,361,136 | 3.55 | 1,066 | 0.35 | 47,018,579 | 1.65 | 18,777,717 | 2.25 | 14,591 | 7.08 | 648,679,835 | 12.06 | 225,937,143 | 13.58 |
| 50,000 | 60,000 | 933 | 0.26 | 50,76,715 | 1.34 | 20,835,176 | 1.79 | 394 | 0.13 | 21,473,575 | 0.75 | 8,817,003 | 1.06 | 6,962 | 3.38 | 377,941,859 | 7.03 | 138,892,503 | 8.35 |
| 60,000 | 75,000 | 675 | 0.19 | 44,832,816 | 1.18 | 18,639,653 | 1.60 | 233 | 0.08 | 15,531,475 | 0.54 | 6,429,623 | 0.77 | 4,156 | 2.02 | 275,781,543 | 5.13 | 105,693,679 | 6.35 |
| 75,000 | 100,000 | 474 | 0.13 | 40,556,299 | 1.07 | 17,201,587 | 1.47 | 192 | 0.06 | 16,523,430 | 0.58 | 6,987,676 | 0.84 | 2,534 | 1.23 | 216,154,121 | 4.02 | 86,088,934 | 5.17 |
| Over | 100,000 | 634 | 0.18 | 135,373,140 | 3.57 | 59,399,403 | 5.09 | 227 | 0.07 | 56,202,677 | 1.97 | 24,887,301 | 2.99 | 2,747 | 1.33 | 547,733,182 | 10.18 | 234,876,809 | 14.12 |
| Totals |  | 354,882 | 100 | 3,789,260,198 | 100 | 1,166,228,176 | 100 | 302,806 | 100 | 2,850,092,212 | 100 | 833,202,394 | 100 | 206,018 | 100 | 5,377,871,471 | 100 | 1,663,557,436 | 100 |

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Table IDS17 - continued
Distribution of (i) number of taxable incomes, (ii) total taxable income and (iii) tax, by range of taxable income.

| Range of taxable |  | Married couples - one earning |  |  |  |  |  |  | Widowers |  |  |  |  | Widows |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| From <br> £ | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{To} \\ \mathrm{f} \end{gathered}$ | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Income | \% of <br> total | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{Tax} \\ £ \end{gathered}$ | \% of <br> total | Number of cases | \% of <br> total | Income $£$ | \% of <br> total | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{Tax} \\ £ \end{gathered}$ | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Income $£$ | $\%$ of <br> total | $\begin{array}{r} \mathrm{Tax} \\ \mathrm{f} \end{array}$ | $\%$ of total |
| - | 3,000 | 13,040 | 5.56 | 27,771,130 | 0.59 | 3,774,892 | 0.26 | 3,491 | 26.13 | 5,294,079 | 3.46 | 1,103,151 | 2.24 | 13,442 | 35.88 | 20,802,288 | 7.32 | 4,436,894 | 5.38 |
| 3,000 | 4,000 | 10,172 | 4.34 | 35,639,566 | 0.76 | 5,542,343 | 0.39 | 844 | 6.32 | 2,943,812 | 1.93 | 659,067 | 1.34 | 3,588 | 9.58 | 12,468,935 | 4.39 | 2,798,028 | 3.39 |
| 4,000 | 5,000 | 10,693 | 4.56 | 48,138,875 | 102 | 8,556,574 | 0.60 | 737 | 5.52 | 3,317,481 | 2.17 | 754,701 | 1.53 | 3,167 | 8.45 | 14,235,854 | 5.01 | 3,217,623 | 3.90 |
| 5,000 | 6,000 | 11,023 | 4.70 | 60,651,091 | 129 | 11,899,804 | 0.83 | 780 | 5.84 | 4,276,721 | 2.80 | 977,801 | 1.98 | 2,937 | 7.84 | 16,063,229 | 5.66 | 3,642,861 | 4.42 |
| 6,000 | 7,000 | 10,744 | 4.58 | 69,853,693 | 148 | 14,468,600 | 1.01 | 668 | 5.00 | 4,328,058 | 2.83 | 993,014 | 2.01 | 2,042 | 5.45 | 13,220,807 | 4.65 | 2,991,255 | 3.63 |
| 7,000 | 8,000 | 10,032 | 4.28 | 75,236,752 | 160 | 16,055,721 | 1.12 | 614 | 4.60 | 4,603,967 | 3.01 | 1,050,036 | 2.13 | 1,624 | 4.33 | 12,156,131 | 4.28 | 2,751,150 | 3.34 |
| 8,000 | 9,000 | 9,849 | 4.20 | 83,706,069 | 178 | 18,182,223 | 1.27 | 537 | 4.02 | 4,555,083 | 2.98 | 1,049,106 | 2.13 | 1,395 | 3.72 | 11,850,308 | 4.17 | 2,687,456 | 3.26 |
| 9,000 | 10,000 | 9,685 | 4.13 | 91,961,994 | 195 | 20,180,262 | 1.41 | 522 | 3.91 | 4,955,524 | 3.24 | 1,135,311 | 2.30 | 1,274 | 3.40 | 12,065,454 | 4.25 | 2,747,924 | 3.33 |
| 10,000 | 12,500 | 21,832 | 9.32 | 245,085,801 | 5.20 | 54,907,648 | 3.83 | 1,156 | 8.65 | 12,971,923 | 8.49 | 3,283,131 | 6.66 | 2,234 | 5.96 | 24,935,578 | 8.78 | 6,192,559 | 7.51 |
| 12,500 | 15,000 | 20,016 | 8.54 | 274,540,011 | 5.82 | 63,062,615 | 4.39 | 935 | 7.00 | 12,777,889 | 8.36 | 3,682,565 | 7.47 | 1,452 | 3.88 | 19,901,124 | 7.01 | 5,645,007 | 6.85 |
| 15,000 | 17,500 | 17,009 | 7.26 | 275,794,079 | 5.85 | 64,615,505 | 4.50 | 681 | 5.10 | 11,008,805 | 7.20 | 3,432,229 | 6.96 | 1,034 | 2.76 | 16,688,940 | 5.88 | 5,120,581 | 6.21 |
| 17,500 | 20,000 | 15,919 | 6.79 | 298,419,194 | 6.33 | 70,820,020 | 4.94 | 492 | 3.68 | 9,171,005 | 6.00 | 3,016,519 | 6.12 | 690 | 184 | 12,887,442 | 4.54 | 4,167,209 | 5.06 |
| 20,000 | 25,000 | 24,678 | 10.53 | 550,680,905 | 11.68 | 143,542,773 | 10.00 | 683 | 5.11 | 15,171,387 | 9.92 | 5,294,071 | 10.74 | 989 | 2.64 | 21,949,377 | 7.73 | 7,494,415 | 9.09 |
| 25,000 | 30,000 | 15,071 | 6.43 | 411,475,371 | 8.73 | 120,649,837 | 8.41 | 421 | 3.15 | 11,514,807 | 7.53 | 4,222,938 | 8.56 | 563 | 1.50 | 15,323,649 | 5.39 | 5,517,053 | 6.69 |
| 30,000 | 35,000 | 9,387 | 4.01 | 303,322,226 | 6.43 | 95,908,790 | 6.68 | 228 | 171 | 7,359,598 | 4.81 | 2,780,337 | 5.64 | 317 | 0.85 | 10,235,977 | 3.60 | 3,800,837 | 4.11 |
| 35,000 | 40,000 | 6,075 | 2.59 | 226,827,416 | 4.81 | 75,483,223 | 5.26 | 148 | 1.11 | 5,550,764 | 3.63 | 2,143,156 | 4.35 | 179 | 0.48 | 6,672,888 | 2.35 | 2,494,644 | 3.03 |
| 40,000 | 50,000 | 6,755 | 2.88 | 299,288,435 | 6.35 | 104,764,812 | 7.30 | 166 | 1.24 | 7,319,436 | 4.79 | 2,888,009 | 5.86 | 214 | 0.57 | 9,485,479 | 3.34 | 3,562,165 | 4.32 |
| 50,000 | 60,000 | 3,415 | 146 | 186,224,834 | 3.95 | 68,480,020 | 4.77 | 76 | 0.57 | 4,120,042 | 2.70 | 1,641,686 | 3.33 | 91 | 0.24 | 4,954,773 | 1.74 | 1,876,298 | 2.28 |
| 60,000 | 75,000 | 2,806 | 120 | 187,315,975 | 3.97 | 71,615,073 | 4.99 | 54 | 0.40 | 3,581,691 | 2.34 | 1,462,823 | 2.97 | 70 | 0.19 | 4,665,850 | 1.64 | 1,797,315 | 2.18 |
| 75,000 | 100,000 | 2,372 | 1.01 | 204,204,389 | 4.33 | 81,013,955 | 5.65 | 54 | 0.40 | 4,641,131 | 3.04 | 1,895,178 | 3.84 | 69 | 0.18 | 5,969,002 | 2.10 | 2,391,142 | 2.90 |
| Over | 100,000 | 3,779 | 1.61 | 759,023,682 | 16.10 | 321,393,243 | 22.40 | 73 | 0.55 | 13,411,660 | 8.77 | 5,841,768 | 11.85 | 92 | 0.25 | 17,502,412 | 6.16 | 7,095,452 | 8.61 |
| Totals |  | 234,352 | 100 | 4,715,161,488 | 100 | 1,434,917,933 | 100 | 13,360 | 100 | 152,874,863 | 100 | 49,306,417 | 100 | 37,463 | 100 | 284,035,497 | 100 | 82,427,868 | 100 |

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Table IDS17 - continued
Distribution of (i) number of taxable incomes, (ii) total taxable income and (iii) tax, by range of taxable income.

| Range of taxable |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| From | To | Number | \% of | Income | \% of | Tax | \% of |
| £ | £ | of cases | total | £ | total | £ | total |
| - | 3,000 | 163,645 | 14.24 | 261,690,735 | 1.52 | 54,910,191 | 1.05 |
| 3,000 | 4,000 | 59,827 | 5.21 | 209,365,895 | 1.22 | 44,646,531 | 0.85 |
| 4,000 | 5,000 | 59,700 | 5.20 | 268,438,366 | 1.56 | 58,519,959 | 1.12 |
| 5,000 | 6,000 | 59,861 | 5.21 | 329,173,436 | 1.92 | 73,235,833 | 1.40 |
| 6,000 | 7,000 | 58,037 | 5.05 | 377,207,306 | 2.20 | 84,860,499 | 1.62 |
| 7,000 | 8,000 | 56,073 | 4.88 | 420,483,256 | 2.45 | 95,287,718 | 182 |
| 8,000 | 9,000 | 54,461 | 4.74 | 462,826,562 | 2.70 | 105,175,955 | 2.01 |
| 9,000 | 10,000 | 53,148 | 4.63 | 504,889,034 | 2.94 | 115,092,224 | 2.20 |
| 10,000 | 12,500 | 109,991 | 9.57 | 1,231,279,658 | 7.17 | 299,806,472 | 5.73 |
| 12,500 | 15,000 | 88,850 | 7.73 | 1,218,230,910 | 7.10 | 322,367,853 | 6.16 |
| 15,000 | 17,500 | 71,571 | 6.23 | 1,159,218,951 | 6.75 | 318,611,086 | 6.09 |
| 17,500 | 20,000 | 59,186 | 5.15 | 1,108,423,709 | 6.46 | 306,238,277 | 5.86 |
| 20,000 | 25,000 | 87,665 | 7.63 | 1,955,050,408 | 11.39 | 568,405,134 | 10.87 |
| 25,000 | 30,000 | 53,161 | 4.63 | 1,451,007,082 | 8.45 | 453,437,696 | 8.67 |
| 30,000 | 35,000 | 33,522 | 2.92 | 1,083,407,312 | 6.31 | 356,331,169 | 6.81 |
| 35,000 | 40,000 | 21,939 | 1.91 | 819,200,086 | 4.77 | 280,169,345 | 5.36 |
| 40,000 | 50,000 | 25,132 | 2.19 | 1,114,921,750 | 6.49 | 397,290,982 | 7.60 |
| 50,000 | 60,000 | 11,871 | 1.03 | 645,476,798 | 3.76 | 240,542,686 | 4.60 |
| 60,000 | 75,000 | 7,994 | 0.70 | 531,709,350 | 3.10 | 205,638,166 | 3.93 |
| 75,000 | 100,000 | 5,695 | 0.50 | 488,048,372 | 2.84 | 195,578,472 | 3.74 |
| Over | 100,000 | 7,552 | 0.66 | 1,529,246,753 | 8.91 | 653,493,976 | 12.50 |
| Totals |  | 1,148,881 | 100 | 17,169,295,729 | 100 | 5,229,640,224 | 100 |

## INCOME TAX 1998-99 <br> Table IDS18

Distribution of (i) number of taxable incomes, (ii) total taxable income and (iii) tax, by tax band

| Income Tax |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Rates | Single males |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Single females |  |  | Married couples - both earring |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Income <br> £ | \% of <br> total | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Tax } \\ £ \end{array}$ | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Income <br> £ | $\%$ of <br> total | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{Tax} \\ £ \end{gathered}$ | \% of <br> total | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Income <br> £ | \% of <br> total | $\begin{gathered} \text { Tax } \\ £ \end{gathered}$ | \% of <br> total |
| Marginal Reliff | 12,108 | 3.41 | 15,120,143 | 0.40 | 2,299,755 | 0.20 | 5,950 | 196 | 5,220,848 | 0.18 | 756,297 | 0.09 | 7,410 | 3.60 | 29,998,023 | 0.56 | 4,167,585 | 0.25 |
| 24\% | 198,075 | 55.81 | 1,014,846,752 | 26.78 | 237,279,575 | 20.35 | 188,226 | 62.16 | 932,003,220 | 32.70 | 213,733,462 | 25.65 | 89,866 | 43.62 | 1,104,374,328 | 20.54 | 242,432,031 | 14.57 |
| 46\% | 144,699 | 40.77 | 2,759,293,303 | 72.82 | 926,648,846 | 79.46 | 108,630 | 35.87 | 1,912,868,144 | 67.12 | 618,712,635 | 74.26 | 108,742 | 52.78 | 4,243,499,120 | 78.91 | 1,416,957,820 | 85.18 |
| Totals | 354,882 | 100 | 3,789,260,198 | 100 | 1,166,228,176 | 100 | 302,806 | 100 | 2,850,092,212 | 100 | 833,202,394 | 100 | 206,018 | 100 | 5,377,871,471 | 100 | 1,663,557,436 | 100 |

## INCOME TAX 1998-99

Table IDS18 - continued
Distribution of (i) number of taxable incomes, (ii) total taxable income and (iii) tax, by tax band.

| Income Tax |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Widows |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Income | \% of <br> total | $\begin{gathered} \operatorname{Tax} \\ £ \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \% \text { of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ | Number <br> of cases | $\begin{aligned} & \% \text { of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ | Income <br> £ | $\begin{aligned} & \% \text { of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{Tax} \\ £ \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \% \text { of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ | Number <br> of cases | $\begin{aligned} & \% \text { of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ | Income | $\begin{aligned} & \% \text { of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{Tax} \\ £ \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \% \text { of } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ |
| Marginal Relief | 27,753 | 11.84 | 116,689,240 | 2.47 | 16,425,374 | 1.14 | 926 | 6.93 | 1,281,249 | 0.84 | 216,928 | 0.44 | 2,107 | 5.62 | 2,655,982 | 0.94 | 419,470 | 0.51 |
| 24\% | 123,185 | 52.56 | 1,336,754,879 | 28.35 | 296,409,984 | 20.66 | 7,268 | 54.40 | 33,015,321 | 21.60 | 7,510,109 | 15.23 | 27,366 | 73.05 | 110,284,410 | 38.83 | 24,872,007 | 30.17 |
| 46\% | 83,414 | 35.59 | 3,261,717,369 | 69.18 | 1,122,082,575 | 78.20 | 5,166 | 38.67 | 118,578,293 | 77.57 | 41,579,380 | 84.33 | 7,990 | 21.33 | 171,095,105 | 60.24 | 57,136,391 | 69.32 |
| Totals | 234,352 | 100 | 4,715,161,488 | 100 | 1,434,917,933 | 100 | 13,360 | 100 | 152,874,863 | 100 | 49,306,417 | 100 | 37,463 | 100 | 284,035,497 | 100 | 82,427,868 | 100 |

Distribution of (i) number of taxable incomes, (ii) total taxable income and (iii) tax, by tax band.

| Income Tax |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Rates | Totals |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Number <br> of cases | \% of <br> total | Income ¢ | \% of <br> total | Tax £ | \% of <br> total |
| Marginal Relief | 56,254 | 4.90 | 170,965,485 | 1.00 | 24,285,409 | 0.46 |
| 24\% | 633,986 | 55.18 | 4,531,278,910 | 26.39 | 1,022,237,168 | 19.55 |
| 46\% | 458,641 | 39.92 | 12,467,051,334 | 72.61 | 4,183,117,647 | 79.99 |
| Totals | 1,148,881 | 100 | 17,169,295,729 | 100 | 5,229,640,224 | 100 |

Table IDS19
Income Tax Computation for 1997-98 and 1998-99

|  | 1997-98 <br> £ million | 1998-99 <br> £ million |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Gross Income: |  |  |
| Schedule E/PAYE | 18,122.4 | 20,395.8 |
| Schedule E/ Non-PAYE | 943.7 | 1,147.1 |
| Total Schedule E | 19,066.1 | 21,542.9 |
| Schedule D etc | 3,681.2 | 4,177.5 |
| Schedule F | 123.4 | 222.0 |
| (a) Gross income total | 22,870.7 | 25,942.5 |
| (b) Reductions |  |  |
| Capital Allowances | 428.4 | 504.3 |
| Other 619.8 | 716.4 |  |
| Total reductions (b) | 1,048.2 | 1,220.7 |
| (c) Total income (a) - (b) | 21,822.5 | 24,721.7 |
| (d) Exempted under exemption limits | 555.4 | 520.0 |
| (e) Personal allowances |  |  |
| Married persons | 2,557.8 | 2,844.7 |
| Single/ widowed | 2,301.5 | 2,723.4 |
| One parent family | 166.7 | 211.8 |
| PAYE allowance | 924.1 | 982.7 |
| Dependant relative | 2.5 | 2.4 |
| Age allowance | 48.0 | 48.6 |
| Other 189.6 | 218.9 |  |
| Total (e) 6,190.3 | 7,032.4 |  |
| (f) Taxable (c)-[(d) $+(\mathrm{e})$ ] | 15,076.7 | 17,169.3 |
| (g) Tax due | 4,941.0 | 5,438.9 |
| (h) Relief allowed at standard rate (in tax terms) | 201.9 | 198.7 |
| (i) Double taxation relief | 11.4 | 10.6 |
| (j) Net tax due (g)-[(h)-(i)] | 4,727.6 | 5,229.6 |
| (k) Average effective rate of tax levied on each pound of total income | 21.7\% | 21.2\% |

(Rounding of constituent totals accounts for slight differences between some figures in this table and corresponding figures in other tables).

## Corporation Tax

## - Table CT1 Exchequer Receipt and Net Receipt

Corporation Tax was introduced in the Corporation Tax Act of 1976.
Subject to certain exemptions and reliefs, corporation tax is charged on all profits, wherever arising, of companies resident in the State, and profits of non-resident companies in so far as those profits are attributable to an Irish branch or agency.

The standard rate of corporation tax is 24 per cent with effect from 1 J anuary 2000. A 25 per cent rate of corporation tax also applies to income chargeable under Case III, IV and V of Schedule D and on income from working minerals, petroleum activities and 20 per cent on income from dealing in or developing land other than construction operations. The tax is assessed on the profits of a company's accounting period which is usually of twelve months' duration.
"Preliminary tax", that is, an amount of tax of not less than 90 per cent of the tax ultimately found to be due for an accounting period is payable within six months of the end of a company's accounting period. The return of income must be filed within nine months of the end of the accounting period. Any balance of tax payable is due within one month of the date of the assessment

Profits derived from certain activities carried on within the State are chargeable to corporation tax at an effective rate of 10 per cent. A list of qualifying activities for this rate, together with a more detailed description of this tax, is to be found in "Leaflet No. 3", an explanatory leaflet available from the Office of the Revenue Commissioners, Direct Taxes Policy, Legislation \& Statistics Division, Dublin Castle, Dublin 2.

## Table CT1

## Corporation Tax

Exchequer Receipt and Net Receipt

|  | Exchequer Receipt | Net Receipt |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| 1995 | $£ 1,145,761,000$ | $£ 1,148,388,610$ |
|  | $€ 1,454,816,370$ | $€ 1,458,152,747$ |
| 1996 | $£ 1,425,855,000$ | $£ 1,428,215,760$ |
|  | $€ 1,810,462,388$ | $€ 1,813,459,935$ |
| 1997 | $£ 1,698,708,000$ | $£ 1,697,136,030$ |
|  | $€ 2,156,914,232$ | $€ 2,154,918,242$ |
| 1998 | $£ 2,064,933,000$ | $£ 2,055,912,141$ |
|  | $€ 2,621,924,060$ | $€ 2,614,279,146$ |
| 1999 | $£ 2,709,719,000$ | $£ 2,711,086,719$ |
|  | $€ 3,440,633,396$ | $€ 3,442,370,041$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 0 0}$ | $\mathbf{£ 3 , 0 6 1 , 4 7 3 , \mathbf { 0 0 0 }}$ | $£ 3, \mathbf{0 5 9 , 8 9 7 , 7 4 9}$ |
|  | $€ 3,887, \mathbf{2 6 8 , 8 4 4}$ | $€ 3,885, \mathbf{2 6 8 , 6 8 8}$ |

Net Receipt: Corporation Tax


## Corporation Tax Distribution Statistics

- Table CTS1. Corporation Tax Statistics. Distribution of Incomes and Tax for accounting periods ended in 1999-2000
- Table CTS2. Corporation Tax Statistics. Distribution of selected allowances, reliefs and deductions for accounting periods ended in 1999-2000
- Table CTS3. Corporation Tax for accounting periods ended in 1999-2000

Tables CTS1 to CTS3 contain statistics which have been collected in the course of the administration of corporation tax.

## Source of the data

These statistics are based on the details taken from the corporation tax return form CT1 as entered on the live computer file. The 1999-2000 statistics were taken from the live corporation tax file on 15 May, 2001.

## The reference period for the corporation tax statistics

Unlike income tax, there is no set year for corporation tax. Corporation tax is assessed on profits calculated by reference to a company's own accounting period. For the sake of consistency with the existing income tax-based income distribution statistics the corporation tax statistics have been compiled by reference to a basis period of accounting periods ended between 1 April and the following 31 March. The corporation tax statistics presented in this report are for 1999-2000 accounting periods and cover all companies with returns on the live file for accounting periods ended between 1 April, 1999 and 31 March, 2000.

## The income classifier used in the statistics

The two main income concepts on which the corporation tax statistics are based are "adjusted profits" and "Net Case I" income. The two are related. Adjusted profits are the trading profits from a company's accounts, plus expenses not allowable for tax, plus accounting depreciation. In essence, Net Case I income is adjusted profits minus tax depreciation. In Tables CTS1 and CTS2 the statistics are classified by ranges of Net Case I income.

## Corporation tax rates

The average rates of corporation tax applying to profits earned in 1999-2000 accounting periods are indicated in table CTS3. The averaging of the tax rates arises because a number of rates can apply to the profits earned in an accounting period. The standard rate of Corporation Tax was $32 \%$ for profits earned from 1 J anuary, 1998 , with a rate of $25 \%$ applying to the first $£ 50,000$ of a company's (or group's) annual income. The standard rate was reduced from $32 \%$ to $28 \%$ for profits earned from 1 J anuary, 1999, with a rate of $25 \%$ applying to the first $£ 100,000$ of a company's (or group's) annual income. The standard rate was further reduced from $28 \%$ to $24 \%$ for profits earned from 1 J anuary, 2000 , with a rate of $12.5 \%$ applying to companies whose total trading income (other than trading income taxable at the special $10 \%$ or $25 \%$ rates) did not exceed $£ 50,000$. Profits are calculated by reference to company accounting periods. Where an accounting period straddles a number of financial years, the profits are apportioned between those years and the rate of tax applicable to each financial year is applied to the proportion of profit falling within it. For example, a company with an accounting period ending on 31 J anuary, 2000 would have 11/12ths of its profits taxed at the standard rate of $28 \%$, subject to $11 / 12$ ths of the first $£ 100,000$ of its income being taxed at $25 \%$ and $1 / 12$ ths of its profits taxed at the standard rate of $24 \%$.

## A note on abbreviations and headings used in the tables

In Table CTS1 the term "ACT Due" refers to advance corporation tax. In calculating corporation tax due, credit is given for any ACT already paid. The heading "Main CT Due" refers to corporation tax payable over and above any ACT already paid. This is why ACT appears as a relief in Table CTS3. Also, in table CTS3, a total tax amount is shown including ACT, WHT and IT. The terms WHT and IT refer to withholding tax on professional fees and income tax, respectively. They are included to show the overall tax liability of the companies.

Table CTS3
Table CTS3 shows all the items on the corporation tax return form CT1 for accounting periods ending in 1999-00 and their aggregate values as contained on the return forms filed in time to be included in the statistics. The table follows the sequence of the corporation tax assessment process in detail.

It should be noted that where a computation on the tax return produces a negative value for net Case I, net Case V, net income chargeable to tax or tax less reliefs, the corporation tax calculation resets the negative value to zero. For example, the deduction of $£ 7,784.1$ million of capital allowances, losses forward and miscellaneous reliefs from the combined adjusted profits plus balancing charges plus investment income total of $£ 26,920.6$ million would produce an apparent sum of $£ 19,136.5$ million for net Case I income - in fact, the actual net Case I figure is $£ 21,273.7$ million. Companies are not always able to absorb the full amount of allowances and reliefs available to them.

CORPORATION TAX STATISTICS, 1999-2000
Table CTS1 - Distribution Of Incomes and Tax

| Range of Net Case 1 Income |  | Adjusted <br> Profits | Net Case 1 | Net Case V <br> (Rent) | Total Income | Capital <br> Gains | Net Inc. charged to Tax | Gross Tax Due | Main <br> CT <br> Due | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ACT } \\ & \text { Due } \end{aligned}$ | Total Due (ACT + CT <br> - Repay) | Repayments |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Negative | No. | 7,864 | 34,399 | 2,682 | 8,274 | 798 | 5,851 | 6,396 | 5,643 | 235 | 7,624 | 1,907 |
| or Nil | Amnt.(fm) | 2,162.6 | Neg | 150.7 | 2,012.3 | 1,138.3 | 1,539.2 | 439.8 | 297.3 | 11.7 | 288.2 | 20.9 |
| £1. | No. | 15,360 | 15,452 | 412 | 15,452 | 158 | 15,030 | 15,047 | 14,510 | 66 | 15,029 | 510 |
| £25,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 283.1 | 124.3 | 8.1 | 159.5 | 16.9 | 150.0 | 40.1 | 35.2 | 1.3 | 28.8 | 7.7 |
| £25,001 - | No. | 4,034 | 4,048 | 216 | 4,048 | 61 | 3,970 | 3,975 | 3,803 | 40 | 3,967 | 164 |
| £50,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 237.5 | 145.6 | 3.8 | 162.6 | 6.7 | 155.4 | 40.6 | 33.5 | 0.1 | 29.4 | 4.2 |
| £50,001 - | No. | 2,104 | 2,110 | 140 | 2,110 | 49 | 2,059 | 2,061 | 1,975 | 30 | 2,070 | 93 |
| £75,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 173.0 | 129.7 | 2.1 | 138.8 | 3.9 | 133.1 | 35.3 | 28.3 | 0.2 | 25.8 | 2.7 |
| £75,001 - | No. | 1,328 | 1,332 | 93 | 1,332 | 31 | 1,299 | 1,300 | 1,264 | 15 | 1,302 | 36 |
| £100,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 156.0 | 115.5 | 1.4 | 121.2 | 0.9 | 116.0 | 31.1 | 24.9 | 0.1 | 23.3 | 1.7 |
| £100,001 - | No. | 2,458 | 2,466 | 239 | 2,466 | 68 | 2,367 | 2,374 | 2,313 | 48 | 2,377 | 62 |
| £200,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 455.2 | 347.4 | 4.4 | 370.7 | 6.7 | 345.6 | 95.0 | 71.5 | 0.6 | 69.1 | 3.0 |
| £200,001 - | No. | 1,094 | 1,095 | 123 | 1,095 | 38 | 1,055 | 1,060 | 1,040 | 35 | 1,059 | 19 |
| £300,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 365.1 | 268.5 | 3.4 | 286.6 | 5.9 | 264.0 | 75.1 | 56.9 | 0.2 | 56.0 | 1.2 |
| £300,001 - | No. | 538 | 539 | 62 | 539 | 25 | 519 | 520 | 512 | 9 | 521 | 9 |
| £400,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 237.2 | 188.0 | 1.3 | 195.7 | 2.0 | 178.8 | 50.3 | 36.9 | Neg | 36.1 | 0.8 |
| £400,001 - | No. | 374 | 375 | 55 | 375 | 16 | 357 | 357 | 351 | 18 | 356 | 5 |
| £500,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 206.1 | 167.3 | 2.5 | 174.0 | 0.6 | 157.7 | 44.6 | 31.1 | 0.6 | 31.1 | 0.6 |
| £500,001 - | No. | 242 | 244 | 33 | 244 | 12 | 233 | 233 | 229 | 11 | 232 | 3 |
| £600,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 166.2 | 133.1 | 1.3 | 141.5 | 3.3 | 126.3 | 35.7 | 26.5 | Neg | 25.9 | 0.7 |
| £600,001 - | No. | 185 | 185 | 28 | 185 | 5 | 173 | 174 | 172 | 8 | 174 | 2 |
| £700,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 146.7 | 119.7 | 0.6 | 124.5 | 0.3 | 111.0 | 31.6 | 20.9 | Neg | 20.9 | Neg |
| £700,001. | No. | 161 | 161 | 19 | 161 | 10 | 153 | 155 | 149 | 8 | 155 | 6 |
| £800,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 146.5 | 120.5 | 1.0 | 125.1 | 1.1 | 113.0 | 32.0 | 20.2 | 0.4 | 18.2 | 2.4 |
| £800,001 - | No. | 135 | 135 | 15 | 135 | 6 | 126 | 126 | 123 | 9 | 124 | 1 |
| £900,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 151.7 | 114.0 | 0.2 | 117.6 | 0.6 | 104.4 | 29.6 | 20.3 | 0.7 | 21.0 | Neg |
| £900,001 - | No. | 97 | 97 | 12 | 97 | 1 | 95 | 95 | 94 | 4 | 95 | 0 |
| £1,000,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 111.4 | 92.3 | 0.4 | 93.9 | Neg | 88.1 | 25.0 | 16.3 | 0.2 | 16.5 | Neg |
| £1,000,001 - | No. | 988 | 989 | 123 | 989 | 33 | 930 | 932 | 915 | 45 | 928 | 11 |
| £5,000,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 2,628.1 | 2,179.7 | 8.7 | 2,342.2 | 58.2 | 2,024.6 | 571.9 | 327.0 | 9.0 | 332.5 | 3.5 |
| £5,000,001 - | No. | 209 | 209 | 24 | 209 | 9 | 199 | 200 | 199 | 15 | 200 | 1 |
| £10,000,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 1,655.9 | 1,457.7 | 6.7 | 1,563.8 | 44.1 | 1,329.5 | 376.6 | 175.1 | 2.9 | 177.9 | Neg |
| Over | No. | 301 | 303 | 46 | 303 | 15 | 294 | 294 | 292 | 16 | 293 | 1 |
| £10,000,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 15,680.4 | 15,570.5 | 28.0 | 16,282.0 | 406.4 | 13,862.8 | 3,935.1 | 1,684.6 | 29.1 | 1,713.8 | Neg |
| All Cases | No. | 37,472 | 64,139 | 4,322 | 38,014 | 1,335 | 34,710 | 35,299 | 33,584 | 612 | 36,506 | 2,830 |
|  | Amnt.(fm) | 24,962.7 | 21,273.7 | 224.6 | 24,411.9 | 1,696.0 | 20,799.6 | 5,889.5 | 2,906.5 | 57.4 | 2,914.5 | 49.5 |

"Neg" means negligible - where amount did not round up to $£ 0.1$ million

## CORPORATION TAX STATISTICS, 1999-2000

Table CTS2 - Distribution of selected allowances, reliefs and deductions.

| Range of <br> Net Case <br> 1 Income |  | Capital Allowances |  |  | Deductions <br> From Total <br>  <br> gains | Manufacting <br> Relief | Double <br> Taxation Relief | Other <br> Tax Relief | With- <br> holding <br> Tax <br> Credit | Income <br> Tax <br> Credit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Machinery \& Plant | Buildings |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Negative | No. | 12,902 | 1,394 | 6,255 | 3,752 | 9 | 161 | 59 | 613 | 3,478 |
| or Nil | Amnt.(fm) | 3,110.0 | 89.1 | 984.9 | 473.1 | 2.6 | 75.9 | 40.7 | 17.3 | 22.1 |
| £1. | No. | 10,947 | 632 | 2,474 | 721 | 1,513 | 33 | 19 | 652 | 1,960 |
| £25,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 95.0 | 5.9 | 54.5 | 9.5 | 2.7 | Neg | Neg | 8.9 | 0.9 |
| £25,001 - | No. | 3,201 | 265 | 363 | 206 | 713 | 17 | 9 | 244 | 844 |
| £50,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 74.7 | 2.6 | 12.2 | 7.1 | 4.2 | 0.4 | Neg | 6.0 | 0.7 |
| £50,001 - | No. | 1,708 | 185 | 147 | 125 | 457 | 12 | 14 | 153 | 518 |
| £75,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 32.1 | 4.3 | 5.4 | 5.6 | 4.5 | Neg | 0.2 | 4.5 | 0.6 |
| £75,001 - | No. | 1,094 | 125 | 79 | 94 | 314 | 1 | 7 | 86 | 375 |
| £100,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 26.3 | 1.8 | 10.5 | 5.2 | 4.3 | Neg | Neg | 2.9 | 0.5 |
| £100,001 - | No. | 2,038 | 309 | 138 | 268 | 762 | 28 | 9 | 151 | 742 |
| £200,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 88.1 | 6.8 | 11.5 | 25.0 | 17.5 | 1.2 | 0.2 | 6.2 | 0.9 |
| £200,001 - | No. | 878 | 170 | 52 | 151 | 396 | 16 | 5 | 53 | 315 |
| £300,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 75.4 | 7.7 | 11.1 | 22.6 | 15.4 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 2.7 | 0.5 |
| £300,001 - | No. | 448 | 99 | 39 | 100 | 209 | 11 | 4 | 21 | 164 |
| £400,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 37.9 | 4.9 | 7.1 | 16.9 | 11.8 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 1.5 | 0.4 |
| £400,001 - | No. | 295 | 68 | 20 | 72 | 162 | 7 | 1 | 20 | 116 |
| £500,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 32.4 | 1.9 | 4.3 | 16.2 | 11.6 | Neg | 0.1 | 1.2 | 0.7 |
| £500,001 - | No. | 197 | 50 | 10 | 57 | 103 | 8 | 2 | 10 | 60 |
| £600,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 30.3 | 1.5 | 6.7 | 15.2 | 8.1 | Neg | 0.2 | 1.3 | 0.2 |
| £600,001 - | No. | 143 | 43 | 11 | 31 | 88 | 6 | 1 | 4 | 55 |
| £700,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 23.0 | 1.2 | 1.5 | 13.5 | 9.4 | 0.2 | Neg | 0.3 | 0.6 |
| £700,001 - | No. | 128 | 46 | 10 | 37 | 89 | 7 | 4 | 6 | 49 |
| £800,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 21.8 | 2.5 | 2.7 | 12.1 | 10.4 | Neg | 0.1 | 2.7 | 0.3 |
| £800,001 - | No. | 114 | 27 | 4 | 31 | 57 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 37 |
| £900,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 35.9 | 0.6 | 0.8 | 13.2 | 8.0 | 0.2 | Neg | Neg | 0.1 |
| £900,001 - | No. | 77 | 13 | 5 | 17 | 54 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 22 |
| £1,000,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 17.7 | 0.3 | 0.6 | 5.8 | 8.0 | Neg | 0.2 | 0.1 | Neg |
| £1,000,001 | No. | 710 | 243 | 58 | 278 | 583 | 73 | 11 | 40 | 180 |
| £5,000,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 395.9 | 19.9 | 183.1 | 317.6 | 214.1 | 6.9 | 8.4 | 6.2 | 2.8 |
| £5,000,001 | No. | 145 | 49 | 4 | 66 | 155 | 33 | 7 | 5 | 34 |
| £10,000,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 177.3 | 19.7 | 12.0 | 234.3 | 179.6 | 11.7 | 2.6 | 1.2 | 0.5 |
| Over | No. | 224 | 99 | 13 | 107 | 249 | 52 | 16 | 15 | 36 |
| £10,000,000 | Amnt.(fm) | 1,557.6 | 63.3 | 44.0 | 2,419.3 | 2,101.4 | 37.5 | 62.7 | 1.0 | 9.9 |
| All Cases | No. | 35,249 | 3,817 | 9,682 | 6,113 | 5,913 | 469 | 170 | 2,078 | 8,985 |
|  | Amnt.(fm) | 5,831.5 | 234.0 | 1,352.9 | 3,612.3 | 2,613.5 | 134.8 | 116.1 | 63.8 | 41.6 |

"Neg" means negligible - where amount did not round up to $£ 0.1$ million.

Table CTS3
Corporation Tax for Accounting Periods Ended in 1999/2000


Table CTS3 (Contd.)
Corporation Tax for Accounting Periods Ended in 1999/2000

| G. | Low Rate of Tax for First $£ 100,000$ of profits | 25.0\% |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| H. | Average Standard Rate of Tax | 28.0\% |  |
| I. | Corporation Tax | 5,854.6 |  |
| J. | Income Tax Payable Under Deduction | 26.9 |  |
| K. | Gross tax due (incl. surcharges) | 5,889.5 |  |
| Plus <br> Plus <br> Plus | Manufacturing Relief <br> Double Tax Relief <br> Other Tax Reliefs <br> Advance Corporation Tax (Total) | $\begin{array}{r} 2,613.5 \\ 134.8 \\ 116.1 \\ 65.5 \end{array}$ |  |
| Equals L. | Total Reliefs | 2,929.8 |  |
| M. | Tax less Reliefs | 2,967.5 |  |
| Plus Plus | Credit for fees withholding tax Income Tax Credit Investment Income Credits | $\begin{array}{r} 63.8 \\ 41.6 \\ 5.0 \end{array}$ |  |
| Equals N . | Total Credits | 110.4 |  |
| 0. | Net Tax payable Of which; <br> Positive payments Repayments | $\begin{array}{r} 2,857.1 \\ 2,906.5 \\ -49.5 \end{array}$ | (M.-0.) |
| P. | Current ACT | 57.4 |  |
| Q. | Overall Tax (including ACT,WHT and IT) Of which; <br> Positive payments <br> Repayments | $\begin{array}{r} 3,019.9 \\ 3,069.4 \\ -49.5 \end{array}$ | (0.+P.) |

## Capital Gains Tax

- Table CGT1 Exchequer Receipt and Net Receipt
- Table CGT2 Capital Gains Tax Assessments

Capital Gains Tax was introduced in the Capital Gains Tax Act of 1975.
Capital gains tax is chargeable on the gains arising on the disposal of assets other than that part of a gain which arose in the period prior to 6 April, 1974. Capital gains tax is also chargeable on the transfer of assets abroad in certain circumstances. Any form of property (other than Irish currency) including an interest in property (as, for example, a lease) is an asset for capital gains tax purposes.

The charge arises to a chargeable person when the asset is disposed of. The tax is charged by reference to a year of assessment, that is, the year ending on 5 April. Self Assessment for capital gains tax for both individuals and companies was introduced with effect from the year of assessment 1990-91.

The rates of tax have varied since the introduction of the tax. For the year 2000-2001 a rate of tax of 20\% applies to the great majority of disposals and which applies irrespective of the length of period of ownership of the asset.

Chargeable gains of companies other than those arising from the disposal of development land are, in general, charged to corporation tax and not capital gains tax. These chargeable gains will, in effect, be taxed at the equivalent of the rate of capital gains tax - see above.

Various exemptions and reliefs from capital gains tax are provided. Details of these and a more detailed outline of this tax are to be found in "Leaflet No. 3", an explanatory leaflet which is available from the Office of the Revenue Commissioners, Direct Taxes Policy, Legislation \& Statistics Division, Dublin Castle, Dublin 2.

## Table CGT1

## Capital Gains Tax

## Exchequer Receipt and Net Receipt

|  | Exchequer Receipt | Net Receipt |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| 1995 | $£ 44,541,000$ | $£ 44,471,256$ |
|  | $€ 56,555,404$ | $€ 56,466,847$ |
| 1996 | $£ 83,492,000$ | $£ 83,735,258$ |
|  | $€ 106,012,972$ | $€ 106,321,846$ |
| 1997 | $£ 132,575,000$ | $£ 132,377,215$ |
|  | $€ 168,335,526$ | $€ 168,084,391$ |
| 1998 | $£ 193,145,000$ | $£ 193,081,896$ |
|  | $€ 245,243,561$ | $€ 245,163,436$ |
| 1999 | $£ 356,127,000$ | $£ 356,139,909$ |
|  | $€ 452,188,013$ | $€ 452,204,404$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 0 0}$ | $£ 609,179,000$ | $£ 609,183,865$ |
|  | $€ 773,497,773$ | $€ 773,503,950$ |

Net Receipt: Capital Gains Tax


## Table CGT2

## Capital Gains Tax - Assessments

The following table contains figures relating to capital gains tax assessments raised for the years of assessment ending between 5 April, 1994 and 5 April, 2000

| Year | No. of Assessments | Net Tax Payable |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
|  |  | $£$ million |
| $1994-95$ | 4,840 | 72.4 |
| $1995-96$ | 6,437 | 76.1 |
| $1996-97$ | 8,129 | 133.5 |
| $1997-98$ | 15,560 | 199.9 |
| $1998-99$ | 18,974 | 351.1 |
| $\mathbf{1 9 9 9 - 0 0}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 , 8 8 9}$ | $\mathbf{4 2 3 . 0}$ |

## Note

The figures in the above table are subject to adjustments in respect of discharges and repayments still to be made.
The numbers of assessments for each year are likely to increase over time as tax returns are received and processed. This applies especially to the most recent year shown in the table.

## VALUE-ADDED TAX

- Table VAT1. Budget Estimate, Exchequer Receipt and Net Receipt
- Table VAT2. Analysis of Net Receipts by Tax Rates
- Table VAT3. Number of Registrations
- Table VAT4. Registrations by trade sector

VAT is a tax on supplies and importation of most goods and services. Supplies are taxed at all stages of production and distribution. Persons supplying taxable goods or services within the State in the course or furtherance of business are required to register and account for tax if their turnover is in excess of certain limits. Persons whose turnover does not exceed the appropriate limit may register or not, as they choose.

With the formation of the Single Market, liability for VAT also arises for traders and non-taxable entities (e.g. local authorities) in relation to goods acquired in other Member States. In practice, no VAT is payable in the Member State of purchase, but a liability to Irish VAT arises when the goods are brought into the State.

Goods imported from outside the EU are liable to tax on importation at the rate applying to the supply of the same goods within the State. Registered persons who satisfy certain conditions may defer payment of tax at importation to the 15th day of the month following importation.

Registered persons are liable for tax on all taxable goods and services supplied by them within the State. In the case of transactions with other registered persons, invoices showing the tax separately must be issued. Cumulative taxation is avoided by allowing registered persons to deduct the tax borne or payable on their purchases and imports from the tax payable on their supplies. Deduction is allowed in respect of all purchases (including acquisitions from other Member States ) and imports, for the purposes of a taxable business, with a few exceptions, mainly motor cars, petrol, meals and entertainment. Export sales (i.e. outside the EU) are zero rated.

Certain traders who are primarily engaged in making supplies of goods to VAT-registered persons in other Member States or exporting goods to non-EU countries can avail of a facility whereby most supplies (including intra-Community acquisitions and imports ) made to them can be zero rated.

The usual taxable period for VAT is two calendar months. Returns for each two-month period are due between the 10th and 19th of the month following the taxable period. There is provision whereby certain traders may be allowed to make their VAT returns on an annual basis. Also in certain circumstances, where a trader is in a permanent repayment situation, he/ she may be eligible to make returns on a monthly basis. The rates of VAT at the beginning of 2000 were zero, 10 per cent, 12.5 per cent and 21 per cent, with a rate of 4.0 per cent applied to livestock, live greyhounds and to the hire of horses. The 4.0 per cent rate was increased to 4.2 per cent with effect from 1 March, 2000.

The rates of VAT which have applied from the introduction of the tax to the end of 2000 are as follows:-

| Date | $\begin{gathered} \text { Zero } \\ \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Special } \\ \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Low } \\ \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Standard } \\ & \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { High } \\ \% \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1.11.'72 | 0 | 11.11 (a) | 5.26 | 16.37 | 30.26 |
| 3.9.'73 | 0 | 11.11 (a) | 6.75 | 19.5 | 36.75 |
| 1.3.'76 | 0 |  | 10 | 20 | 35\&40 (b) |
| 1.3.'79 | 0 | - | 10 | 20 | - |
| 1.5.'80 | 0 | - | 10 | 25 | - |
| 1.9.'81 | 0 | - | 15 | 25 | - |
| 1.5.'82 | 0 | - | 18 | 30 | - |
| 1.3.'83 | 0 | - | 23 | 35 | - |
| 1.5.'83 | 0 | 5,18 (d) | 23 | 35 | - |
| 1.5.'84 | 0 | 5, 8, 18 (d) | 23 | 35 | - |
| 1.3.'85 | 0 | 2.2 (c) | 10 (d) | 23 (e) | - |
| 1.3.'86 | 0 | 2.4 (c) | 10 | 25 | - |
| 1.5.'87 | 0 | 1.7 (c) | 10 | 25 | - |
| 1.3.'88 | 0 | 1.4 (c), 5 (f) | 10 | 25 | - |
| 1.3.'89 | 0 | 2 (c), 5 (f) | 10 | 25 | - |
| 1.3.'90 | 0 | 2.3 (c) | 10 | 23 | - |
| 1.3.'91 | 0 | 2.3 | $10 \& 12.5$ (g) | 21 | - |
| 1.3.'92 | 0 | 2.7 | 10, 12.5 \& 16 (h) | 21 | - |
| 1.3.'93 | 0 | 2.5 | 12.5 (i) | 21 | - |
| 1.3.'94 | 0 | 2.5 | 12.5 | 21 | - |
| 1.3.'95 | 0 | 2.5 | 12.5 | 21 | - |
| 1.3.'96 | 0 | 2.8 | 12.5 | 21 | - |
| 1.3.'97 | 0 | 3.3 | 12.5 | 21 | - |
| 1.3.'98 | 0 | 3.6 | 12.5 | 21 | - |
| 1.3.'99 | 0 | 4.0 | 12.5 | 21 | - |
| 1.3.'00 | 0 | 4.2 | 12.5 | 21 | - |

## Notes

(a) The rate of 11.11 per cent applied only to dances: they were liable at the low rate from 1.3.76 to 28.2.85 and at the standard rate thereafter.
(b) Goods previously liable at the high rates have been liable at the low or standard rates since 1.3.79. This reduction in VAT charges was effected in conjunction with an increase in excise duty.
(c) These rates applied to livestock only. Prior to the introduction of the 2.2 per cent rate, the 23 per cent rate had applied to livestock but only on part of the consideration for supplies; this had resulted in an effective rate of 2.0 per cent.
(d) The 10 per cent rate introduced in 1985 applied almost entirely to goods and services previously liable at the 5, 8 and 18 per cent rates.
(e) The standard rate of 23 per cent introduced in 1985 applied to almost all goods and services previously liable at the 23 and 35 per cent rates.
(f) The 5 per cent rate applied to electricity only. This rate was increased to 10 per cent from 1 March, 1990.
(g) The 12.5 per cent rate introduced in 1991 applied to electricity and telecommunication services and certain other goods and services previously liable at the 10 per cent rate.
(h) The 16 per cent rate introduced in 1992 applied to telecommunications, adult clothing and footwear and certain goods and services previously liable at the 12.5 per cent rate.
(i) The 10 per cent and the 16 per cent rates were abolished on 1 March,1993. However, in the case of sales of domestic dwellings, lettings of holiday accommodation and short-term hiring of cars, the 10 per rate continued to apply, where a fixed charge agreement or contract had been entered into before 25 February, 1993.

Table VAT1.


## Notes:

1. *The 1996 Budget Estimate includes $£ 119$ ( $€ 151$ ) million Advance December VAT abolished in the Budget, therefore not collected. "Real" Target $=£ 3,003(€ 3,813)$ million.
2. The figure of $£ 5,880.9$ ( $€ 7,467.2$ ) million includes an amount of $£ 46.9$ ( $€ 59.6$ ) million due in respect of imports in December, 1999, payment of which was received in J anuary, 2000, and excludes an amount of $£ 62.1$ ( $€ 78.8$ ) million due in respect of imports in December, 2000 payment of which was deferred until J anuary, 2001.

Table VAT2.
Analysis of Net Receipts by VAT Rates

| Rate of <br> VAT | Payable <br> on Sales | Paid at <br> Importation | Total | Deductible | Net Paid <br> (adjusted) |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | ---: |
| Flat Rate | $£ m$ | 35 | - | 35 | 116 | -81 |
|  | $€ m$ | 44 | - | 44 | 147 | -103 |
| Low | $£ m$ | 2,559 | 68 | 2,627 | 770 | 1,857 |
|  | $€ m$ | 3,249 | 86 | 3,336 | 978 | 2,358 |
| Standard | $£ m$ | 12,076 | 779 | 12,855 | 8,750 | 4,105 |
|  | $€ \mathrm{~m}$ | 15,333 | 989 | 16,322 | 11,110 | 5,212 |
| TOTALS | $£ m$ | $\mathbf{1 4 , 6 7 0}$ | $\mathbf{8 4 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 5 , 5 1 7}$ | $\mathbf{9 , 6 3 6}$ | $\mathbf{5 , 8 8 1}$ |
|  | $€ \mathrm{~m}$ | $\mathbf{1 8 , 6 2 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 0 7 5}$ | $\mathbf{1 9 , 7 0 2}$ | $\mathbf{1 2 , 2 3 5}$ | $\mathbf{7 , 4 6 7}$ |

## Note:

The figures shown above are estimates derived from Trading Details supplied by VAT registered Traders.

Table VAT3.
Number of registrations

| Registrations effective on 31.12 .99 | 178,570 |
| :--- | ---: |
| New registrations in 2000 | 19,061 |
| 2000 | 197,631 |
| Registrations effective on 31.12 .00 | 19549 |

## Table VAT4.

This table reflects trade classifications of traders which are based on the descriptions of economic activities contained in the General Industrial Classification of Economic Activities within the European communities known as NACE. This classification is subject to an ongoing process of update and revision to reflect changes in economic activities and provides a more reliable basis for sector analysis than the system based solely on trade classification at the time of registration which was used before 1998.

Registrations by Trade Sector

| Accommodation (including Camping, Holiday Homes, Hotels, Guest Houses) ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 2,457 | 2,583 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Catering (including Canteens, Contract Caterers, Restaurants) | 4,578 | 4,867 |
| Publicans... | 7,050 | 7,181 |
| Other Entertainment (including Amusement Arcades, Ballrooms, Betting Premises, Cinemas, |  |  |
| Night Clubs, Performers, Radio + TV Services) ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 1,366 | 1,498 |
| Construction (including Builders, Civil Engineering + Related Trades) ... | 31,547 | 37,242 |
| Energy Industry \& Water Supply ... ... | 248 | 264 |
| Communications | 312 | 413 |
| Financial Services (including Banking, Credit Unions, Insurance) ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 920 | 1,044 |
| Finance Agents (including Actuaries, Assessors, Brokers, Loss Adjustors, Accountants, Auctioneers, Developers, Estate Agents) | 7,698 | 8,894 |
| Other Professionals (including Advertising, Architects, Barristers, Solicitors, Legal Agents, Press) | 22,965 | 26,229 |
| Other Agents (including Building Materials, Clothing, Food, Furniture) | 1,700 | 1,842 |
| Agriculture | 8,304 | 8,958 |
| Fishing ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 746 | 782 |
| Forestry | 528 | 555 |
| Food Manufacturing | 2,191 | 2,358 |
| Drinks \& Tobacco Manufacturing ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 162 | 165 |
| Clothing Manufacturing ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 770 | 790 |
| Footwear Manufacturing... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 39 | 47 |
| Textile + Leather Industry | 505 | 505 |
| Engineering Manufacturing (including Chemical, Electrical Components, Metal) | 8,407 | 9,062 |
| Furniture Manufacturing | 1,791 | 1,950 |
| Other Manufacturing (including Books, Printing, Timber Processing) | 4,027 | 4,283 |
| Transport Services... | 7,435 | 8,013 |
| Repairs of Vehicles | 4,156 | 4,358 |
| Repairs of Other Goods | 1,496 | 1,615 |
| Wholesale Distribution | 10,388 | 10,768 |
| Chemists + Pharmacies | 1,339 | 1,372 |
| Electrical Goods Retailers | 2,600 | 2,708 |
| Fuel Retailers (including Filling Stations) ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 2,877 | 2,952 |
| Household Fittings Retailers ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 392 | 405 |
| Motor Vehicle Sales | 2,405 | 2,412 |
| Off Licences ... | 333 | 424 |
| Other Retailers ... | 15,289 | 15,411 |
| Other Services | 16,714 | 20,806 |
| Miscellaneous | 4,835 | 2,526 |
| Total | 178,570 | 195,282 |

## Sheriff and Solicitor Enforcement

- Table ENF1 Value by Taxhead of Certificates issued to Sheriffs in 2000
- Table ENF2 Details of Judgements Registered


## ENFORCEMENT BY SHERIFFS

## (Notes on Table ENF1)

1. The greater part of enforcement activity consists of the issue of certificates to Sheriffs under Section 962 of the Taxes Consolidation Act, 1997. In the course of 2000, the number of certificates issued was 16,199 with a face value of $£ 188 \mathrm{~m}(€ 239 \mathrm{~m})$.
2. Since 1 November 1998, Sheriff Certificates are consolidated and may include more than one taxhead on each referral.
3. The face value of the certificates can reflect a high degree of estimation - where a taxpayer fails to respond to earlier demands for returns, the liability referred to the sheriff is estimated by Revenue.
4. The total value of payments made directly to Sheriffs in 2000 was $£ 54 \mathrm{~m}(€ 69 \mathrm{~m})$.

## JUDGEMENTS REGISTERED BY THE COLLECTOR-GENERAL

## (Notes on Table ENF2)

1. In the course of 2000, the number of judgements registered by the Collector-General in respect of tax and interest was 349 , with a face value of $£ 10.8 \mathrm{~m}(€ 13.7 \mathrm{~m}$ )
2. The number of cases referred for enforcement by court proceedings in 2000 was 4,714 . J udgements are not obtained in all cases where proceedings are taken, as payment can be made before judgement stage is reached. Similarly, not all judgements are registered. Payment can be made after judgement is obtained, in which case registration of that judgement is not then effected.
3. The total amount collected as a result of Solicitor enforcement in 2000 was $£ 26 \mathrm{~m}(€ 33 \mathrm{~m})$.

## Table ENF1

Value by Taxhead of Certificates Issued To Sheriffs in 2000

| Tax Type | Value |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| $\mathbf{£ m}$ | €m |  |
| PAYE/ PRSI. | 78 m | 99 m |
| Value Added Tax. | 62 m | 79 m |
| Income Tax. | 31 m | 39.5 m |
| Corporation Tax. | 15 m | 19 m |
| Capital Gains Tax. | 2 m | 2.5 m |
| Total | $\mathbf{1 8 8 m}$ | $\mathbf{2 3 9 m}$ |

Table ENF2

Details of Judgements Registered

| Range Of Value | Ltd. Co's | Individual | Total |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less Than $£ 2,000$ <br> $€ 2,539$ | 2 | 24 | 26 |
| $£ 2,000-£ 5,000$ <br> $€ 2,539-€ 6,349$ | 6 | 53 | 59 |
| $£ 5,000-£ 10,000$ <br> $€ 6,349-€ 12,697$ <br> $£ 10,000-£ 20,000$ <br> $€ 12,697-€ 25,395$ | 7 | 57 | 64 |
| $£ 20,000-£ 50,000$ <br> $€ 25,395-€ 63,487$ <br> $£ 50,000-£ 100,000$ <br> $€ 63,487-€ 126,974$ <br> $>£ 100,000$ <br> $>€ 126,974$ | 5 | 57 | 62 |
| Total | 7 | 63 | 72 |


[^0]:    * This rate applies to LPG for non automotive use. With effect from 1 July 1991, there is a partial rebate on LPG used in horticultural production.

[^1]:    - See notes following

[^2]:    - See notes following

[^3]:    - See notes following

