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| <u>।॥</u> Tax Brackets - 2015 | | | |
|-------------------------------|----------------|------------|------------|
| | Filing Status | | |
| | Single Married | | rried |
| | | Jointly | Separately |
| 10% | <\$9,225 | <\$18,450 | <\$9,225 |
| 15% | \$37,450 | \$74,900 | \$37,450 |
| 25% | \$90,750 | \$151,200 | \$75,600 |
| 28% | \$189,300 | \$230,450 | \$115,225 |
| 33% | \$411,500 | \$411,500 | \$205,750 |
| 35% | \$413,200 | \$464,850 | \$232,425 |
| 39.6% | >\$413,200 | >\$464,850 | >\$232,425 |

The IRS will publish the official 2015 tax tables in January 2016. The source for this table was an article published by TaxFoundation.org and reitterated in Forbes.

| <u>m</u> Brea | kpoints (A-Shares) | | |
|---------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------|
| \$ | Growth Funds | Bond Funds | Other |
| | Sales Charge (GDC) | Sales Charge (GDC) | Sales Charge (GDC) |
| < \$25k | 5.75% (5.0%) | 2.50% (2.0%) | 3.75% (3.0%) |
| \$50k | 5.0% (4.25%) | 2.50% (2.0%) | 3.75% (3.0%) |
| \$100k | 4.5% (3.75%) | 2.50% (2.0%) | 3.75% (3.0%) |
| \$250k | 3.5% (2.75%) | 2.50% (2.0%) | 3.50% (2.75%) |
| \$500k | 2.5% (2.0%) | 2.0% (1.6%) | 2.50% (2.0%) |
| \$750k | 2.0% (1.6%) | 2.0% ^(1.6%) | 2.00% (1.6%) |
| \$1m | 1.5% (1.2%) | 1.5% (1.2%) | 1.50% (1.2%) |
| ≥\$1m | 0.0% (1.0%) | 0.0% (1.0%) | 0.0% (1.0%) |

Obviously, breakpoints are different with each fund company. These are specifically American Funds breakpoints.

| Tax Due (\$) | | |
|--------------|-------------|-------------|
| Single | Married | |
| | Joint | Separate |
| Max \$ | Max \$ | Max \$ |
| \$922.50 | \$1,845 | \$922.50 |
| \$5,156.25 | \$10,312.50 | \$5,156.25 |
| \$18,481.25 | \$29,387.50 | \$14,693.75 |
| \$46,075.25 | \$51,577.50 | \$25,788.75 |
| \$119,401.25 | \$111,324 | \$55,662 |
| \$119,996.25 | \$129,996 | \$64,998.25 |
| | | |

This shows the tax liability at the max income for each bracket.

| Roth IRA Income Limits (2015) | | |
|--|-------------------------------|------------------|
| | Mod. AGI | Contribution |
| | <\$183,000 | up to the limit |
| Married* | ≥\$183,000 & <\$193,000 | a reduced amount |
| | ≥\$193,000 | \$0 |
| | <\$116,000 | up to the limit |
| Single | ≥\$116,000 & <\$131,000 | a reduced amount |
| | ≥\$131,000 | \$0 |
| I only included "Married Filing Jointly" numbers hereI'll add "Married | | |

Filing Separately" soon.

Also, for those that exceed the income limit, the backdoor Roth IRA.



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IRS Exemptions/Deductions

Standard Tax Deduction

| Filing Status | Deduction Amount |
|------------------------|------------------|
| Single | \$6,300 |
| Married Filing Jointly | \$12,600 |
| Head of Household | \$9,250 |
| Personal Exemption | \$4,000 |

Alternative Minimum Tax

| Filing Status | Exemption Amount |
|---------------------------|------------------|
| Single | \$53,600 |
| Married Filing Jointly | \$83,400 |
| Married Filing Separately | \$41,700 |

| Misc IRS Limits | | |
|---|----------|--|
| Social Security Earned Income Limit below FRAcalc | \$15,720 | |
| Social Security Earned Income Limit above FRAcalc | \$41,880 | |
| Simple IRA Contrib Limit | \$12,500 | |
| Simple IRA Catchup* | \$2,500 | |
| 403(b) Contrib Llmit | \$18,000 | |
| 403(b) Catchup* | \$6,000 | |
| Gift Tax | \$14,000 | |
| *Catchup age is ≥ 50 years old. All numbers are as of May 2015. | | |



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