

## IRS Payments through *DIRECT PAY*

### For Personal 1040 Tax Return Series Payments ONLY

IRS Direct Pay is an online service that allows you to pay IRS tax bills directly from your checking or savings account. Instant payment confirmation is received once the payment has been made.

The types of payments that can be made:

- Installment Agreement
- Tax Return
- Estimated tax
- Proposed Tax Assessment
- Extension
- Amended Return
- Other (1040 Only)

This service is located directly on the IRS website ([www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov)) under the *Payments* tab and then by selecting the link to *Direct Pay*. Information needed to use this service includes providing your tax information, verifying your identity (which includes entering a valid social security number and using information from a prior tax return. In step 2 of the process you can choose which year you want the IRS to use), payment information, and creating an electronic signature.

### Additional information regarding this service:

- There is no cost for this service
- The IRS will not retain bank information once the payment is received
- You do not have to pre-register to use this service
- You can set up a future payment of up to 30 days in advance
- Only one payment is allowed at one time
- Can make payment towards tax bills during the last 20 years

RS Direct Pay was tested for optimal use with the following browser and operating system combinations: IE 8 on Windows XP, IE 9 on Windows 7, Chrome 31 (or higher) on Windows 7, Firefox 25 (or higher) on Windows 7, IE 11 on Windows 7, and Safari 7 on iOS. If you use some other combination, you can likely still use IRS Direct Pay, but if not [other payment options are available](#).

Source: [www.irs.gov/Payments](http://www.irs.gov/Payments)

\*This information should be used as a guideline. Specific questions regarding this “Biz Facts” should be directed to a Business by Design tax professional.