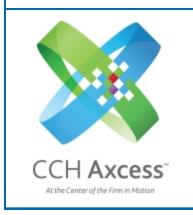
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Product information can be accessed by visiting Customer Support online: CCH Axcess Product Support.

In addition to product and account information, the Customer Support site offers answers to our most frequently asked questions, forms release status, Knowledge Base articles, training videos, and operating systems compatibility for each CCH Axcess™ module. Access to these features is available 24/7.

The following Web site provides important information about the features and updates included in all CCH Axcess Tax releases: Release Notes.

Visit the <u>Application Status</u> Web page to view the current status of our CCH Axcess applications. The Application Status Web page is updated every 15 minutes.

Go to Contact Us to find Support calendars, as well as options to enter Web tickets for assistance.

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CCH Axcess™ Tax Release Notes inform you of the enhancements and updates that were made to Tax products and systems with the current release.

Information provided in the Release Notes include the following:

- Contact and Support information
- Updates to Tax technology (such as, electronic filing updates, Organizer, Pro Forma/roll forward, and technology enhancements)
- Updates made to Tax products (such as, form additions and updates, changes in diagnostics, and changes caused by regulatory updates)

To access a list of CCH Axcess[™] Tax Release Notes for the current year and for prior years, visit the <u>Release</u> Notes page on our Customer Support site.

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Tax Updates

Issues Addressed

We have addressed many specific issues with paper and electronic filing states. Please see the Release Notes for this information.

Individual, Partnership, Corporation, and Fiduciary

California. The California FTB released a new version of Forms 540, 540NR and 541 on Friday, March 17, 2017. The required changes are reflected on the forms and in the electronic files.

S Corporation

Missouri Department of Revenue has revised Form MO-7004, Application for Extension to File, to allow use by S Corporations. Form MO-7004 is available for processing.

Electronic Filing

Approved Products Available on this Release

The following state product is approved and available on this release:

Partnership

California Magnetic Media

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Federal

Estimate Reminder Letter. Web payment paragraphs for the 4th quarter estimate were updated. Paragraph 2558 will be issued when a website address is available and will not be issued when a website address is not available.

Filing Instructions. Special instructions are given for electronically filed 1040NR returns.

Transmittal Letter. The keyword [Form ref] in paragraph 30303 has changed to [Federal or State Form Name].

Kansas City Transmittal Letter and Filing Instructions. When only a spouse return is prepared, Letter and Filing Instructions indicate electronic filing, when it is requested.

IRS Notice 2017-21 for high cost housing limitations allows individuals to apply the higher limitation published in this notice to their 2016 taxable year for Form 2555 purposes. The higher limitations for the following cities have been implemented into the calculation:

- Angola Luanda
- Argentina Buenos Aires
- Australia Melbourne, Perth, Sydney
- Austria Vienna
- The Bahamas Grand Bahama Island, Nassau
- Bahrain Bahrain
- Barbados Barbados
- Bermuda Bermuda
- Brazil Rio de Janeiro, Sao Paulo
- Canada Calgary, Montreal, Ottawa, Quebec, Toronto, Vancouver
- Chile Santiago
- China Beijing, Hong Kong, Shanghai
- Colombia Bogota, all cities other than Bogota
- Costa Rica San Jose
- Democratic Republic of Congo Kinshasa
- Denmark Copenhagen
- Dominican Republic Santo Domingo
- Ecuador Guayaquil, Quito
- El Salvador San Salvador
- Estonia Tallinn
- France All cities other than Garches, Le Havre, Lyon, Marseille, Montpellier, Paris, Sevres, Suresnes, and Versailles
- Germany Bonn, Cologne, Giessen, Wahn

- Ghana Accra
- Guatemala Guatemala City
- Guinea Conakry
- Guyana Georgetown
- Hungary Budapest
- India Mumbai, New Delhi
- Indonesia Jakarta
- Israel Tel Aviv
- Italy Genoa, Gioia Tauro, La Spezia, Naples, Vicenza
- Jamaica Kingston
- Japan Atsugi, Camp Zama, Chiba-Ken, Fussa, Gifu, Haneda, Kanagawa-Ken, Komaki, Machidi-Shi, Nagoya, Okinawa Prefecture, Osaka-Kobe, Sagamihara, Saitama-Ken, Sasebo, Tachikawa, Tokyo, Tokyo-to, Yokohama, Yokosuka, Yokota
- Kazakhstan Almaty
- Korea Camp Colbern, Camp Market, Camp Mercer, K-16, Kimpo Airfield, Munsan, Osan AB, Pyongtaek, Seoul, Suwon, Taegu, Tongduchon
- Kuwait Kuwait City, all cities other than Kuwait City
- Macedonia Skopje
- Malaysia Kuala Lumpur, all cities other than Kuala Lumpur
- Malta Malta
- Mexico Mazatlan, Merida, Mexico City, Monterrey, all cities other than Ciudad Juarez, Cuernavaca, Guadalajara, Hermosillo, Matamoros, Mazatlan, Merida, Metapa, Mexico City, Monterrey, Nogales, Nuevo Laredo, Reynosa, Tapachula, Tijuana, Tuxtla Gutierrez, and Veracruz
- Mozambique Maputo
- Namibia Windhoek
- Netherlands Amsterdam, Aruba, Schiphol
- Netherlands Antilles Curacao
- New Zealand Auckland, Christchurch, Wellington
- Nicaragua Managua
- Nigeria Abuja
- Norway Oslo
- Oman Muscat
- Panama Panama City
- Paraguay Asuncion
- Peru Lima
- Philippines Manila
- Qatar Al Udeid (in All Cities), Doha, all cities other than Doha
- Russia Moscow, Saint Petersburg, Sakhalin Island, Vladivostok, Yekaterinburg
- Rwanda Kigali
- Saudi Arabia Jeddah, Riyadh
- South Africa Pretoria
- Spain Barcelona

- Suriname Paramaribo
- Switzerland Zurich, all cities other than Bern, Geneva, and Zurich
- Taiwan Taipei
- Tanzania Dar Es Salaam
- Thailand Bangkok
- Trinidad and Tobago Port of Spain
- Turkey Izmir-Cigli, Yamanlar
- Ukraine Kiev
- United Arab Emirates Abu Dhabi, Dubai
- United Kingdom Basingstoke, Bath, Bracknell, Cambridge, Caversham, Cheltenham,
 Farnborough, Gibraltar, High Wycombe, Reading, Southampton, Surrey
- Venezuela Caracas
- Vietnam Hanoi, Ho Chi Minh City

QEPD Worksheet. A spouse QEPD worksheet prints when there are multiple payments from qualified education programs for the taxpayer.

Schedule A. The income used in determining the optional state and local sales tax deduction does not include an IRA rollover.

California

California has updated Form 540/540NR to change the Line 419 description from "Child Victims of Human Trafficking Fund" to "Reserved."

Iowa

Form 126, Line 29, calculates to 100% if Iowa source income is less than 1,000 and there is no lump sum tax or alternative minimum tax.

Maryland

Credit for taxes paid includes New York City, Yonkers, and New York MTA taxes from New York Form IT-203, Lines 51, 52c, and 53.

Massachusetts

The 2-year comparison for Massachusetts includes the credit for taxes paid to other jurisdictions amount from Form 1, Line 30, and Form 1NR/PY, Line 34.

Ohio

Preparer calculated late payment interest, penalty, and late filing penalty for the School District return input is on the Ohio > School District (SD100) > Underpayments > School District Late Payment Interest and Penalty section.

The Balance Due/Refund Amount feature reports correctly for married filing jointly returns and the Ohio resident return summary prints beside the federal return summary.

Ohio RITA Electronic Filing

RITA Form 37. Adjustments were made to the calculation of Schedule K on Page 3 of Form 37. When a taxpayer has more than one W-2 and one W-2 is under withheld and the other over withheld, the calculation now excludes amounts over withheld. Withholdings in excess of the tax on a wage item no longer appear on Form 37, Page 1, Section A for a nonresident work city nor are they included on Page 2, Line 4A. A claim for reimbursement of excess withholding for a nonresident city may be made by filing Form 10A that is available on the RITA website (www.ritaohio.com). A refund of excess withholding may not be claimed on Form 37.

Oregon

OR-WFHDC, Line 25 percentage, matches the Oregon Department of Revenue's website calculation (https://revenueonline.dor.oregon.gov/tap/_/#1) when adjusted gross income is less than the midpoint of each income bracket.

Pennsylvania

Schedule D transactions are reported on Schedule F, Line 11, when it is indicated that the proceeds were reinvested in the business.

Schedule RK-1, Line 5, includes royalties to match Schedule E, Line 22 calculation.

Wisconsin

1NPR, Line 71, can be calculated for part-year residents in addition to full year residents.

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Federal

The Industrial Recovery Tax Credit (Code 824) is now available.

The Notice to partners required under the IRS Notice 2005-32 statement is now generated by selecting the option in Partners > General Options > Schedule K-1 Print Options > Line 12 - Print notice to partners required under IRS Notice 2005-32.

Arkansas Electronic Filing

The electronic file correctly includes the federal ID number of a grantor trust composite member.

California

Form 540NR, Line 419, is obsolete and is marked as Reserved.

California Magnetic Media Filing

California magnetic media is now available. To activate it, select "Magnetic Media" in the Federal > General > Electronic Filing > State Electronic Filing Options > California Paperless Schedule K-1 or Electronic Return > Magnetic Media or Electronic Filing Qualification field.

Oklahoma

The "% Depletion Limited to Net Income" column on Schedule of Mineral Interest Properties is now limited to net income.

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Indiana

Form IT-20, Schedule PIC, prints when applicable.

The instructions for Form IT-20 list a due date of April 18, 2017, but IN regulations put the return due date 30 days after the Federal due date, which would be May 15 this year. The letters and instructions reflect April 18, 2017, as the due date. However, interest and penalties for late filing/payment are calculated from May 15, 2017, as is expected by Indiana.

Louisiana

The franchise tax beginning date now shows 02/28/17, if the fiscal year beginning date is 02/29/16.

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Louisiana

DPAD is now included in Line 23 deductions on Form CIFT-620 Schedule D.

Missouri

Form MO-7004 was reinstated by the taxing authority when filing Form MO-1120S. Use Federal > Other > Extensions > State/City Extensions to generate Form MO-7004 when Form MO-1120S is present in the return.

Oklahoma

Form 504-C. The paid preparer signature now prints in the paid preparer box.

Form 512-S, Page 3. The intangible drilling costs are no longer included twice under the federal column amounts.

Oregon

Form OR-19-AF. If the continuation name is present in the return, it is added to the first and last name, instead of replacing the first and last name.

Wisconsin

Form 5S, Page 6, Line 10, no longer shows an adjustment when an adjustment is not present on Schedule 5K, Line 2, Column C.

Schedule 5K, Line 17d. An input override was added to Wisconsin > Income/Deductions > Distributive Share Income and Deductions section to override the amount on the statement if the federal and Wisconsin amounts have the same gain on the sale of assets that have taken Section 179.

Schedule MA-M, Lines 15a, 15e, and 16 are now blank when Line 11 is negative.

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Minnesota Custom Filing Instructions will only produce instructions for making a payment when the tax balance due is greater than zero.

New Mexico

Form IT-205-A, New York Adjusted Gross Income Worksheet, Line E, no longer adds back income taxes, municipal bond interest, or US interest for nonresident returns.

Form FID-1 now generates for Grantor returns with passthrough withholding.

New York

The nonresident or part-year resident Form IT-182 input flows to Worksheet 5 only if there are rental real estate activities and other passive activities, and only a portion of the losses are allowed.

New York Electronic Filing

The New York extension letter now reflects the last four digits of the account number.

New York 204LL Electronic Filing

Forms IT-204-LL with temporary ID numbers containing a dash now export without issue.

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Massachusetts

Form M-706 is updated for revisions posted by Massachusetts.