

State and Local General Sales Tax Deduction Worksheet - Line 5a

(Keep for your records)

2020

Name(s) as shown on return

Tax ID Number

Before you begin: See the instructions for line 1 of the worksheet if you:

- Lived in more than one state during 2020, or
- Had any **nontaxable** income in 2020.

1. Enter your **state** general sales taxes from the 2020 Optional State Sales Tax Table 1. _____

Next. If, for all of 2020, you lived only in Connecticut, the District of Columbia, Indiana, Kentucky, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, New Jersey, or Rhode Island, skip lines 2 through 5, enter -0- on line 6, and go to line 7. Otherwise, go to line 2.

2. Did you live in Alaska, Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Georgia, Illinois, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, New York, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Utah, or Virginia in 2020?

- ☐ **No.** Enter -0-.
- ☐ **Yes.** Enter your base **local** general sales taxes from the 2020
Optional Local Sales Tax Tables. 2. _____

3. Did your locality impose a **local** general sales tax in 2020? Residents of California and Nevada, see the instructions for line 3 of the worksheet.

- ☐ **No.** Skip lines 3 through 5, enter -0- on line 6, and go to line 7.
- ☐ **Yes.** Enter your **local** general sales tax rate, but omit the percentage sign.
For example, if your local general sales tax rate was 2.5%, enter 2.5. If your
local general sales tax rate changed or you lived in more than one locality in
the same state during 2020, see the instructions for line 3 of the worksheet 3. _____

4. Did you enter -0- on line 2?

- ☐ **No.** Skip lines 4 and 5 and go to line 6.
- ☐ **Yes.** Enter your **state** general sales tax rate (shown in the table heading for
your state), but omit the percentage sign. For example, if your state general
sales tax rate is 6%, enter 6.0 4. _____

5. Divide line 3 by line 4. Enter the result as a decimal (rounded to at least three
places) 5. _____

6. Did you enter -0- on line 2?

- ☐ **No.** Multiply line 2 by line 3.
- ☐ **Yes.** Multiply line 1 by line 5. If you lived in more than one locality
in the same state during 2020, see the instructions for line 6 of the
worksheet. 6. _____

7. Enter your state and local general sales taxes paid on specified items, if any. See the instructions for
line 7 of the worksheet 7. _____

8. **Deduction for general sales taxes.** Add lines 1, 6, and 7. Enter the result here and the total
from all your state and local general sales tax deduction worksheets, if you completed more
than one, on Schedule A, line 5a.

Be sure to check the **box** on that line 8. _____

Optional Sales Tax Table Computation

State:

Income:				
Family Size:*				
Amount from table:				
Days:				
Deduction:				

* "Over 5" is the maximum number in family size for the optional sales tax tables in Schedule A Instructions. Returns with a family size of 6 or more will display a "6" on this line.