

Earned Income Credit Worksheet - Form 1040, line 66a, Form 1040A, line 42a, or Form 1040EZ, line 8a

(Keep for your records)

2017

Name(s) as shown on return

Tax ID Number

1. Enter the amount from Form 1040 or Form 1040A, line 7, or Form 1040EZ, line 1 plus any nontaxable combat pay elected to be included in earned income **1.** _____

 2. If you received a taxable scholarship or fellowship grant that was not reported on a W-2 form, enter that amount here; plus any amounts received for work performed while an inmate in a penal institution; plus any amounts received as a pension or annuity from a nonqualified deferred compensation plan or a nongovernmental section 457 plan **2.** _____

 3. Subtract line 2 from line 1 **3.** _____

 4. If you were self-employed or used Schedule C or C-EZ as a statutory employee, enter the amount from the worksheet for self employed taxpayers **4.** _____

 5. Add lines 3 and 4 **5.** _____

 6. Look up the amount on **line 5** above in the **EIC Table** on pages **62-70** to find your credit. Enter the credit here. If line 6 is zero, **stop**. You **cannot** take the credit. Enter "**No**" directly to the right of Form 1040, line 66a, Form 1040A, line 38a, or Form 1040EZ, Line 8a. **6.** _____

 7. Enter your **AGI** or Form 1040EZ, line 4 **7.** _____

 8. **Is line 7 less than -**
 - \$8,350 if you do not have a qualifying child? (\$13,950 if married filing joint)
 - \$18,350 if you have at least one qualifying child? (\$23,950 if married filing joint) **Yes.** Go to line 9 now.
 No. Look up the amount on **line 7** above in the **EIC Table** to find your credit.
Enter the credit here **8.** _____

 9. **Earned income credit.**
 - If you checked "Yes" on line 8, enter the amount from line 6.
 - If you checked "No" on line 8, enter the **smaller** of line 6 or line 8 **9.** _____
- For additional information on the EIC calculation see the form instructions or IRS Publication 596.