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2023 Rates and Limitations

Social Security / Medicare / FUTA	2022	2023
Social Security tax wage base	\$147,000	\$160,200
Social Security tax rate	6.2%	6.2%
Medicare tax wage base	No limit	No limit
Medicare tax rate	1.45%	1.45% ¹
FUTA tax wage base	\$7,000	\$7,000
FUTA Employer tax rate	0.60%	0.60%
State & Unemployment Rates	2022	2023
PA withholding tax rate	3.07%	3.07%
PA taxable wage base, employer contributions	\$10,000	\$10,000
PA UC rate, employee withholding – no wage base cap	0.06%	0.07%
Qualified Retirement Plans	2022	2023
Defined benefit plan limit on benefits	\$245,000	\$265,000
Maximum compensation used to determine contributions	\$305,000	\$330,000
Compensation defining highly compensated employee	\$135,000	\$150,000
Compensation defining key employee (officer)	\$200,000	\$215,000
Compensation triggering Simplified Employee Pension contribution requirement	\$650	\$750
Mileage Reimbursement Rates	2022	2023
Business mileage, per mile	\$0.585/0.625*	\$0.655
Charitable mileage, per mile	\$0.14	\$0.14
Medical or moving mileage, per mile	\$0.18/0.22*	\$0.22
Business Equipment	2022	2023
Section 179 expensing limit	\$1,080,000	\$1,160,000
Phaseout threshold for Section 179	\$2,700,000	\$2,890,000
First-year bonus depreciation percentage	100%	80%



Standard deduction	2022	2023
Single (and married filing separately)	\$12,950	\$13,850
Heads of Household	\$19,400	\$20,800
Married filing jointly	\$25,900	\$27,700
Domestic exemption	2022	2023
Threshold when a domestic employer must withhold and pay FICA for babysitters, house cleaners, etc.	\$2,400	\$2,600
Annual gift tax exclusion	2022	2023
Amount you can give each recipient	\$16,000	\$17,000

Fringe benefit limitations

	2022	2023
HSA contribution limit	\$3,650 for self-only \$7,300 for families	\$3,850 for self only \$7,750 for families
FSA contribution limit	\$2,850	\$3,050
Qualified transportation benefit limit	\$280/month	\$300/month
Dependent care contribution limit	\$5,000	\$5,000

Retirement plan contribution limits for 2023

	Regular contribution	Catch-up contribution ²
Traditional and Roth IRAs	\$6,500	\$1,000
401(k)s, 403(b)s, 457s and SARSEPs ²	\$22,500	\$7,500
SIMPLEs	\$15,500	\$3,500

¹ An additional 0.9% Medicare Tax should be withheld on wages in excess of \$200,000 for any employee. Employers are not required to match this tax. ² For taxpayers age 50 or older by the end of the tax year. ³ Includes Roth versions where applicable. Note: Other factors may further limit your maximum contribution.