State and local tax shares of family income

Total Taxes
Share of family income

- Sales & Excise Taxes
Share of family income

- Personal Income Taxes
Share of family income

- Property Taxes
Share of family income

Note: All figures and charts show 2024 tax law in Idaho, presented at 2023 income levels. Senior taxpayers are excluded for reasons detailed in the methodology. Our analysis includes nearly all (99.7 percent) state and local tax revenue collected in Idaho. As seen in Appendix D, recent legislative changes have increased the regressive tilt of Idaho’s tax system. The top 40 percent of earners received the largest tax cuts, ranging from 0.7 to 0.8 percent of income, and the state moved 2 spots in the ITEP Inequality Index rankings, from 36th to 38th most regressive.
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**Sales & Excise Taxes**

- General Sales–Individuals: 5.7% of $14,500 = $838.50
- Other Sales & Excise–Ind.: 3.9% of $37,300 = $1,474.70
- Sales & Excise–Business: 3.8% of $62,400 = $2,371.20

**Property Taxes**

- Home, Rent, Car–Individuals: 3.3% of $14,500 = $478.50
- Other Property Taxes: 2.4% of $37,300 = $903.20

**Income Taxes**

- Personal Income Taxes: 0.3% of $14,500 = $43.50
- Corporate Income Taxes: 1.5% of $14,500 = $217.50

**Other Taxes**

- 0.2% of $14,500 = $29.00

**TOTAL TAXES**

- 9.5% of $14,500 = $1,362.25
- 7.8% of $37,300 = $2,904.60
- 8.4% of $62,400 = $5,253.60
- 8.6% of $103,100 = $8,838.60
- 8.4% of $157,800 = $13,162.80
- 7.3% of $315,600 = $23,099.80
- 6.4% of $741,500 = $48,008.60

**ITEP Tax Inequality Index**

ITEP’s Tax Inequality Index measures the effects of each state’s tax system on income inequality. According to this measure, Idaho has the 36th most regressive state and local tax system in the country. Income disparities are larger in Idaho after state and local taxes are collected than before. (See Appendix B for state-by-state rankings and the report methodology for additional detail.)

**Tax features driving the data in Idaho**

- **Progressive:**
  - Refundable income tax credit to offset the impact of its sales tax on groceries
  - Requires combined reporting for the corporate income tax; some foreign tax haven income is partially taxed through GILTI inclusion
  - Provides a Child Tax Credit (CTC)

- **Progressive:**
  - Property tax homestead exemption

- **Regressive:**
  - No property tax “circuit breaker” credit for low-income, non-senior taxpayers
  - Nonrefundable Child Tax Credit (CTC) is limited in reach
  - State and local sales tax bases include groceries
  - Does not levy a tax on estates or inheritances
  - Personal income tax uses a flat rate
  - No Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC)