



2024 Cost of Living Adjustments



On November 1, 2023, the Internal Revenue Service issued Notice 2023-75, providing for the following 2024 cost-of-living dollar limits:

LIMIT	2024	2023
<p>Defined Benefit Plans</p> <p>The lesser of the maximum dollar limitation for annual benefits under defined benefit plans under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 415(b)(1)(A) or 100% of the participant's average compensation for his high 3 years.</p>	\$275,000	\$265,000
<p>Defined Contribution Plan 415 Dollar Limit</p> <p>The lesser of the dollar limitation for annual additions under defined contribution plans under IRC Section 415(c)(1)(A) or 100% of compensation.</p>	\$69,000	\$66,000
<p>401(k)/403(b)/Existing SARSEP Elective Deferral Limit</p> <p>All elective deferrals (including designated Roth contributions) in a tax year made by a participant to 401(k), 403(b) tax deferred annuity, simplified employee pension, and SIMPLE retirement plans are aggregated under IRC Section 402(g).</p>	\$23,000	\$22,500
<p>457 Deferral Limits</p> <p>The lesser of the limitation on vested contributions to 457 plans under IRC Section 457(e)(15) or 100% of includible compensation.</p>	\$23,000	\$22,500
<p>403(b) Limit, Including 15 Years of Service Catch-up</p> <p>The maximum available 402(g) elective deferral limit plus the special catch-up election for employees participating in a 403(b) tax deferred annuity who have had at least 15 years of service with an educational organization, hospital, home health agency, health and welfare service agency, church or convention or association of churches.</p> <p><i>Note: The additional 403(b) special catch-up of up to \$3,000 per year cannot exceed cumulatively \$15,000 over the lifetime of the 403(b) participant.</i></p>	\$26,000	\$25,500



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LIMIT**2024****2023****457 Catch-up Limit**

The special catch-up election for employees participating in an eligible 457 deferred compensation plan who have elected the special catch-up available in the three years prior to the year of normal retirement age. The annual additional amount available under a Special 457 Catch-up for an eligible participant is the lesser of (1) twice the current deferral limit, or (2) the sum of the current deferral limit plus the underutilized amount from prior years.

\$46,000

\$45,000

Note: The participant in a governmental 457(b) plan may make catch-up contributions in a year equal to the greater of (1) the amount permitted under the age 50+ catch-up, or (2) the amount permitted under the 457 catch-up.

Age 50+ Catch-up Limits (401(k), 403(b), and Governmental 457(b) Plans)

The special catch-up available under IRC Section 414(v) for individuals at least 50 years old in 2023 and make eligible pre-tax contributions to 401(k), 403(b), and governmental 457 plans.

\$7,500

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Important note with respect to participants who reached a threshold of 3121(a) wages in the prior year (2023) by the employer sponsoring a 401(k), 403(b), or governmental 457(b) plan (the “Wage Threshold”): SECURE 2.0 requires that Age 50+ catch-ups made by participants that have met the Wage Threshold can be made only as Roth contributions in the current year. The IRS announced that it will delay the enforcement of this requirement for Age 50+ contributions made prior to 2026.

N/A

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IRA Annual Contribution Limit

Total annual contributions may be made by individual, aggregating all traditional and Roth IRAs they own.

\$7,000

\$6,500

Note: Federal individual income tax filing status and adjusted gross income determine the deductibility of annual contributions to a traditional IRA and eligibility to contribute to a Roth IRA.

Age 50+ Catch-up Limit (IRAs)

The special catch-up available under IRC Section 219(b) for individuals at least 50 years old.

\$1,000

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Definition of Key Employee

The compensation threshold used for determining key employees under IRC Section 416(i)(1)(A)(i).

\$220,000

\$215,000

Definition of Highly Compensated Employees

The compensation threshold used for determining highly compensated employees under IRC Section 414(q)(1)(B).

\$155,000

\$150,000

LIMIT	2024	2023
Compensation Limit		
The annual limit of compensation that may be taken into account for contribution purposes in accordance with IRC Section 401(a)(17).	\$345,000	\$330,000
The annual limit of compensation that may be taken into account for contribution purposes in accordance with IRC Section 401(a)(17) (certain governmental plan participants who first became participants in that governmental plan before the 1996 plan year).	\$505,000	\$490,000
Adjusted Gross Income Limit for Saver's Credit		
The highest adjusted gross income (based on federal income tax filing status) taken into account for eligibility for the Saver's Credit under IRC Section 25B.	\$76,500 (joint)	\$73,000 (joint)
	\$38,250 (single)	\$36,500 (single)
	\$57,375 (head of household)	\$54,750 (head of household)
SIMPLE Retirement Accounts		
Annual contribution limit for employee deferrals to a SIMPLE retirement plan described in IRC Section 408(p)(2) or 401(k)(11).	\$16,000	\$15,500
The special catch-up is available for individuals who are at least 50 years old in 2024 and make eligible pre-tax contributions to a SIMPLE plan described in IRC Section 408(p)(2) or 401(k)(11).	\$3,500	\$3,500
Compensation for SEPs		
Compensation taken into account to determine eligibility for simplified employee pensions (SEPs).	\$750	\$750

On October 12, 2023, the Social Security Administration released its cost-of-living information for 2024:

	2024	2023
Taxable Wage Base		
Maximum amount of earnings subject to payroll tax.	\$168,600	\$160,200