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Tax on Base Erosion Payments of Taxpayers With Substantial Gross Receipts

For tax year beginning _____, 20____, and ending _____, 20____

▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form8991 for instructions and the latest information.

▶ See instructions.

Name _____

Employer identification number _____

Part I Applicable Taxpayer Determination

Check box if this form is being filed by a taxpayer with which another taxpayer has been aggregated under Regs. section 1.59A-2(c)
If the above box is checked, attach a statement listing the names and EINs of all separate taxpayers taken into account in the determination of "1 person" under Regs. section 1.59A-2(c).

December 1, 2020

| | (a) | (b) | (c) |
|----|--------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| | First Preceding Tax Year | Second Preceding Tax Year | Third Preceding Tax Year |
| 1a | | | |
| b | | | |
| c | | | |
| d | | | |

1a Gross receipts of the taxpayer. See instructions

b Gross receipts from partnerships

c Gross receipts of all other persons treated as 1 person pursuant to Regs. section 1.59A-2(c)

d Gross receipts. Combine lines 1a through 1c

e Gross receipts of first, second, and third preceding tax years. Combine columns (a), (b), and (c) of line 1d **1e**

f 3-year average annual gross receipts. See instructions **1f**

g Is line 1f \$500 million or more?
 Yes. Continue to line 2.
 No. STOP here and attach this form to your tax return.

2a Base erosion tax benefit (from Schedule A, line 15, column (a-2)). **2a**

b Amount of deductions allowed under Chapter 1 of the Internal Revenue Code **2b**

c Base erosion tax benefits resulting from reductions in insurance premiums reported on Schedule A, line 8, column (a-2) **2c**

d Base erosion tax benefits resulting from reductions in gross receipts reported on Schedule A, line 10, column (a-2) **2d**

e Add lines 2c and 2d **2e**

f Total deductions for amounts paid or accrued for services to which the exception under Regs. section 1.59A-3(b)(3)(i) applies (from Schedule A, line 5b) **2f**

g Qualified derivative payments excepted by Regs. section 1.59A-6(b) **2g**

h Total deductions allowed under sections 172, 245A, and 250 for the tax year. **2h**

i Does the taxpayer elect to waive deductions in accordance with Regulations section 1.59A-3(c)(6)(i)? **2i**
 Yes. Complete Schedule B. Enter the amount from line 15 of Schedule B.
 No. Enter -0-.

j Deductions for exchange losses from section 988 transactions described in Regulations section 1.59A-2(e)(3)(ii)(D) **2j**

k Deductions for TLAC securities and foreign TLAC securities described in Regulations section 1.59A-2(e)(3)(ii)(E) **2k**

l Reinsurance losses incurred and claims payments described in Regulations section 1.59A-2(e)(3)(ii)(F) **2l**

m Combine lines 2f through 2l **2m**

n Total Deductions. Subtract line 2m from the sum of line 2b and line 2e **2n**

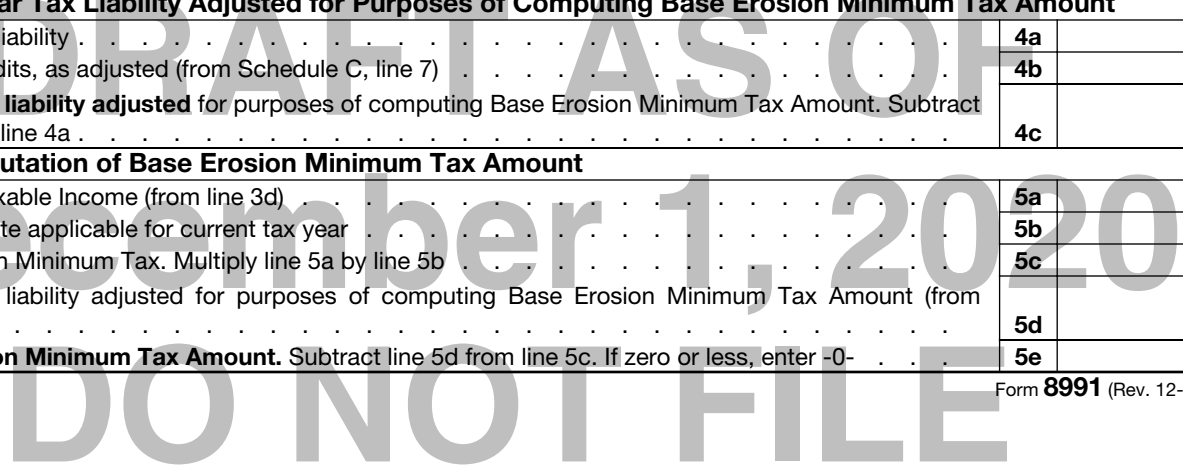
o Base Erosion Percentage. Divide line 2a by line 2n **2o** %

p Is the taxpayer's base erosion percentage on line 2o 3% or higher (2% or higher for a bank or securities dealer)?
 Yes. Continue to Part II.
 No. STOP after completing Part I and Schedule A (and, if necessary, Schedule B) and attach this form to your tax return.

| Part II Modified Taxable Income (MTI) | | |
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| 3a | Taxable income after net operating loss. See instructions | 3a |
| b | Base erosion tax benefits for the tax year from Schedule A, line 15, column (b-2) | 3b |
| c | Base erosion percentage of the net operating loss deduction allowed under section 172 for the tax year. See instructions | 3c |
| d | Modified Taxable Income. See instructions | 3d |

| Part III Regular Tax Liability Adjusted for Purposes of Computing Base Erosion Minimum Tax Amount | | |
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| 4a | Regular tax liability | 4a |
| b | Allowed credits, as adjusted (from Schedule C, line 7) | 4b |
| c | Regular tax liability adjusted for purposes of computing Base Erosion Minimum Tax Amount. Subtract line 4b from line 4a | 4c |

| Part IV Computation of Base Erosion Minimum Tax Amount | | |
|---|---|-------------|
| 5a | Modified Taxable Income (from line 3d) | 5a |
| b | BEAT Tax rate applicable for current tax year | 5b % |
| c | Base Erosion Minimum Tax. Multiply line 5a by line 5b | 5c |
| d | Regular tax liability adjusted for purposes of computing Base Erosion Minimum Tax Amount (from line 4c) | 5d |
| e | Base Erosion Minimum Tax Amount. Subtract line 5d from line 5c. If zero or less, enter -0- | 5e |



Schedule A Base Erosion Payments and Base Erosion Tax Benefits (see instructions)

Does the taxpayer elect to use financial statements per Regs. section 1.59A-3(b)(4)(i)(D) for purposes of calculating interest expense allocable to a foreign corporation's effectively connected income? Yes No

(Check all applicable boxes in columns (c), (d), and (e) below)

| Type of Base Erosion Payments | (a-1) | (a-2) | (b-1) | (b-2) | (c) | (d) | (e) |
|--|---|---|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|--|
| | Aggregate Group's Base Erosion Payments | Aggregate Group's Base Erosion Tax Benefits | Taxpayer's Base Erosion Payments | Taxpayer's Base Erosion Tax Benefits | Any 25% Owner of the Taxpayer | Person Related Under Sections 267(b) or 707(b)(1) to the Taxpayer or Any 25% Owner of the Taxpayer | Any Person Related Within the Meaning of Section 482 to the Taxpayer |
| 1 Reserved for future use | | | | | | | |
| 2 Reserved for future use | | | | | | | |
| 3 Purchase or creations of property rights for intangibles (patents, trademarks, etc.) | | | | | | | |
| 4 Rents, royalties, and license fees | | | | | | | |
| 5a Compensation/consideration paid for services NOT excepted by Regs. section 1.59A-3(b)(3)(i) | | | | | | | |
| b Compensation/consideration paid for services excepted by Regs. section 1.59A-3(b)(3)(i) \$ _____ | | | | | | | |
| 6 Interest expense | | | | | | | |
| 7 Payments for the purchase of tangible personal property | | | | | | | |
| 8 Premiums and/or other considerations paid or accrued for insurance and reinsurance as covered by Regs. section 1.59A-3(b)(1)(iii) | | | | | | | |

Schedule A **Base Erosion Payments and Base Erosion Tax Benefits** (see instructions) *(continued from page 3)*

| Type of Base Erosion Payments | (Check all applicable boxes in columns (c), (d), and (e) below) | | | | | | |
|--|---|--|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|---|
| | (a-1) Aggregate Group's Base Erosion Payments | (a-2) Aggregate Group's Base Erosion Tax Benefits | (b-1) Taxpayer's Base Erosion Payments | (b-2) Taxpayer's Base Erosion Tax Benefits | (c) Any 25% Owner of the Taxpayer | (d) Person Related Under Sections 267(b) or 707(b)(1) to the Taxpayer or Any 25% Owner of the Taxpayer | (e) Any Person Related Within the Meaning of Section 482 to the Taxpayer |
| 9a Nonqualified derivative payments | | | | | | | |
| b Qualified derivative payments excepted by Regs. section 1.59A-6(b) \$ | | | | | | | |
| 10 Payments reducing gross receipts made to surrogate foreign corporation | | | | | | | |
| 11 Other payments—specify | | | | | | | |
| 12 Combine lines 3 through 11 | | | | | | | |
| 13 Base erosion tax benefits related to payments reported on lines 3 through 11, on which tax is imposed by section 871 or 881, with respect to which tax has been withheld under section 1441 or 1442 at 30% statutory withholding tax rate | | | | | | | |
| 14 Portion of base erosion tax benefits reported on lines 3 through 11, on which tax is imposed by section 871 or 881, with respect to which tax has been withheld under section 1441 or 1442 at reduced withholding rate pursuant to income tax treaty. Multiply ratio of percentage withheld divided by 30% times tax benefit. See instructions | | | | | | | |
| 15 Total base erosion tax benefits. Subtract the sum of line 13 and line 14 from line 12. Enter the amount from column (a-2) in Part I, line 2a. Enter the amount from column (b-2) in Part II, line 3b. | | | | | | | |

Schedule B Waiver of Deductions (see instructions)

| | (a) Description of item or property to which the deduction relates | (b) Date on which, or period in which, the waived deduction was paid or accrued | (c) Provision of Code and regulations, as applicable, that allows the deduction for which this election relates | (d) Line number on the controlled group member tax return where the deduction is reported | (e) Name of foreign related party that is or will be the recipient of the payment that generates the deduction | (f) Taxpayer Identification Number of foreign related party | (g) Country of organization of the foreign related party | (h) Amount of deduction claimed for the tax year with respect to the item or property | (i) Amount of deduction being waived for the tax year with respect to the item or property |
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| 14 | Totals from attachment, if necessary | | | | | | | | |
| 15 | Total deductions waived per Regulations section 1.59A-3(c)(6)(i). Add the amounts in column (i). Enter the result here and on Part I, line 2i | | | | | | | | |

Schedule C Credits Reducing Regular Tax Liability in Computing Base Erosion Minimum Tax Amount (BEMTA)

Part I Credits Allowed Against Regular Tax (see instructions)

| | | | | |
|----------|---|----------|----------|--|
| 1 | Total credits allowed in current year. See instructions | | 1 | |
| 2 | Credits for increasing research activities from line 1c of all Parts III of Form 3800 | 2 | | |
| 3 | Total allowed credit for increasing research activities for current year. Enter the amount of research credit reported in Form 3800, Part II, line 38. See instructions | | 3 | |
| 4 | Enter smaller of Schedule C, Part II, line 11, or Part III, line 16 | | 4 | |
| 5 | Limitation of applicable section 38 credits. Multiply line 4 by 80% (0.80) | | 5 | |
| 6 | Adjustments to allowed credits. Add lines 3 and 5 | | 6 | |
| 7 | Credits allowed against regular tax in computing BEMTA. Subtract line 6 from line 1. Enter here and on Form 8991, line 4b | | 7 | |

Part II Applicable Section 38 Credits

(Only complete Parts II and III if you have allowed applicable section 38 credits.)

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|-----------|--|-----------|-----------|--|
| 8 | Low-income housing credit from lines 1d and 4d of all Parts III of Form 3800 | 8 | | |
| 9 | Renewable electricity production credit but only to extent of the renewable electricity under section 45(a) from lines 1f and 4e of all Parts III of Form 3800 | 9 | | |
| 10 | Investment credit but only to extent of energy credit property under section 48 from line 4a of all Parts III of Form 3800 | 10 | | |
| 11 | Total allowed applicable section 38 credits for current year. Enter the amount of applicable credits reported in Form 3800, Part II, line 38. See instructions | | 11 | |

Part III BEMTA Determined Without Adjustment for Applicable Section 38 Credits

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| 12 | Base erosion minimum tax (Form 8991, line 5c) | 12 | |
| 13 | Regular tax liability (Form 8991, line 4a) | 13 | |
| 14 | Subtract Schedule C, Part I, line 3, from line 1 | 14 | |
| 15 | Regular tax adjusted for credits that offset BEMTA. Subtract line 14 from line 13 | 15 | |
| 16 | Base erosion minimum tax determined without adjustment for applicable section 38 credits. Subtract line 15 from line 12; if zero or less, enter -0-. | 16 | |