Publication 6186-A

Calendar Year Return Projections for the United States and IRS Campuses

Publication 6186 is updated annually to provide U.S.- and campus-level Calendar Year (CY) projections by major tax return categories. It also includes exam class projections for selected return categories. Publication 6186-A serves as a one-sheet companion to Publication 6186, presenting the main takeaways from the publication.

Publication 6186 at a Glance

Provides projected tax return volumes for about

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IRS tax forms

Maps the projected tax return volumes to

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IRS processing campuses
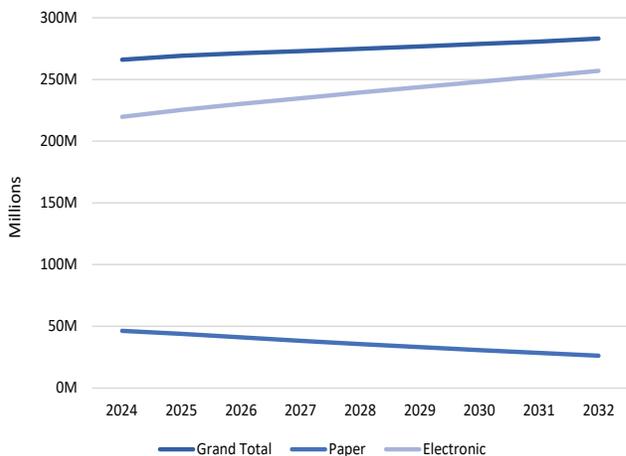
Presents projected exam class volumes for

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tax return categories

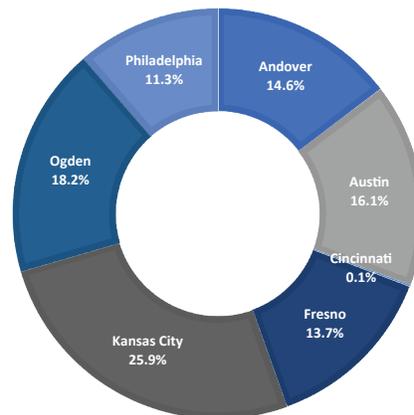## Key Highlights From the 2025 Update

- In CY 2024, approximately 82.6% of all tax returns were filed electronically. This share is expected to rise to 83.7% in CY 2025, reaching 90.7% by CY 2032.

- Individual income tax returns made up about 60.3% of all returns processed in CY 2024. This percentage is expected to remain consistent in future CYs.

- Approximately 93.3% of individual returns were filed electronically in CY 2024. This percentage is projected to increase to 93.9% in CY 2025, reaching 97.0% by CY 2032.

- The Kansas City campus processed the largest share of returns in CY 2024, accounting for 25.9% of all returns.

- The Cincinnati campus processed the smallest share of returns in CY 2024, accounting for 0.1% of all returns.

Projected Tax Return Volumes for the United States: CY 2025 to CY 2032

Note: CY 2024 represents actual returns
Source: Internal Revenue Service, Statistics of Income Division, 2025 Publication 6186

Percentage of Tax Returns Processed by Seven IRS Campuses in CY 2024

Philadelphia 11.3%
Andover 14.6%
Ogden 18.2%
Austin 16.1%
Cincinnati 0.1%
Kansas City 25.9%
Fresno 13.7%

Note: Detail does not add to 100% due to rounding.
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Projections
of Federal Tax Return Filings