

SOI Projects and Contacts

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Project	Primary Analysts	Frequency and Program Content
Americans Living Abroad: 1991 Program	Melissa Redmiles	This periodic study is conducted every 4 years (every 5 years, after 1991). It covers foreign income and taxes paid, and foreign tax credit shown on individual income tax returns. Data are by size of adjusted gross income and country.
Corporation Foreign Tax Credit: 1991 Program 1992 Program 1993 Program	Kimberly Veletto Bill States	This annual study provides data on foreign income and taxes paid and foreign tax credit reported on corporation income tax returns. Data are classified by industry (all years) and country (even numbered years).
Corporation Income Tax Returns: 1991 Program 1992 Program 1993 Program	Patrice Treubert Allison Clark Janice Washington Jonathan Shook Ellen Legel Victor Rehula	Basic data are produced annually and cover complete income statement, balance sheet, tax and tax credits, and detail from supporting schedules. Data are classified chiefly by industry group or asset size. (Beginning with the 1992 program, S Corporations are a separate study.)
Environmental Excise Taxes (Superfund) Study: 1992 Program 1993 Program	Sara Boroshok	The Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA) replaced the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980 (CERCLA), authorizing the collection of environmental taxes, a type of excise tax. This study, published annually, is the only source of data that provides detailed tabulations by type of chemical.
Estate Collation	Barry Johnson	This periodic study links estate tax return data for decedents and beneficiaries. Income information for beneficiaries is available both for years preceding and following the decedent's death. Information on gift tax returns is available for the last 2 years of the decedent's life. The most recent study is based on decedents who died in 1982. The next study will be for decedents who died in 1989.
Estate Tax Returns: 1992-1994 Program	Barry Johnson	This annual study includes information on gross estate and its composition, deductions and tax; and information on the age, sex and marital status of the decedents. Basic estate tax return data by year in which returns are filed are produced every year. Other statistics are available on a year-of-death basis (approximately every 3 years). The most recent study is based on decedents who died in 1989 with returns filed in 1989-91.
Exempt Organizations Business Income Tax Returns: 1990 Program 1991 Program	Peggy Riley Sara Boroshok	This annual study includes tabulations of "unrelated business" income and deductions for organizations classified as tax-exempt under the Internal Revenue Code. The data file will also be linked with the Forms 990 and 990-PF data files of tax-exempt organizations and private foundations.

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Foreign Controlled Corporations: 1990 Program 1991 Program 1992 Program	John Latzy	This annual study includes data on transactions between U.S. corporations and their foreign owners. Data are classified by country and industry.
Foreign Corporations: 1990 Program 1992 Program 1993 Program	Bill States Randy Miller Maggie Lewis	This periodic study, planned for every 2 years, provides data on activities of foreign corporations that are controlled by U.S. corporations. Data are classified by industry and country.
Foreign Recipients of U.S. Income: 1991 Program	Denise Bori	This annual study provides data by country on income paid to nonresident aliens and the amount of tax withheld for the U.S. Government.
Foreign Sales Corporations (FSC): 1992 Program	Dan Holik	These corporations replaced the Domestic International Sales Corporation, or DISC, as of January 1, 1985. Balance sheet, income statement and export-related data are tabulated annually through 1987, and then on a 4-year cycle after 1992.
Foreign Trusts: 1990 Program	Randy Miller	This periodic study, conducted every 4 years, provides data on foreign trusts that have U. S. persons as grantors, transferors or beneficiaries. Data include country where trust was created, value of transfer to the trust and the year the trust was created.
Individual Income Tax Return Public Use File	Mario Fernandez	Microdata magnetic tape files, produced annually, contain detailed information obtained from the individual statistics program, with identifiable taxpayer information omitted to make the file available for public dissemination, on a reimbursable basis. (In addition to microdata files, specific tabulations from them are produced, also on a reimbursable basis.)
Individual Income Tax Returns: 1990 Program 1991 Program 1992 Program	Michael Strudler Marty Shiley	Basic data are produced annually and cover income, deductions, tax and credits reported on individual income tax returns and associated schedules, chiefly by size of adjusted gross income.
Interest-Charge Domestic International Sales Corporations (IC-DISC): 1991 Program	Dan Holik	These corporations replaced the Domestic International Sales Corporation, or DISC, as of January 1, 1985. Balance sheet, income statement, and export-related data are tabulated annually through 1987, and then on a 4-year cycle.
Intergenerational Wealth	Barry Johnson Marvin Schwartz	This on-going study involves estate returns filed since the inception of the estate tax (1916), and focuses on changes in the concentration of wealth and the intergenerational transfer of wealth, as well as the history of the estate tax system. The asset composition, available demographic information, and an analysis of beneficiaries of estates will be emphasized.

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International Boycott Participation: 1991 Program 1992 Program	Melissa Redmiles	This study provides data on business operations of U.S. persons in boycotting countries, as well as the requests and agreements to participate in, or cooperate with, international boycotts not sanctioned by the U.S. Government.
Migration Flow and County Income Data	Sandy Byberg	Migration flow data (based on changes in individual income tax return addresses) and county or State income data are available annually on a reimbursable basis. The most recent data are for 1990-91.
Nonprofit Charitable and Other Organizations: 1990 Program 1991 Program	Cecelia Hilgert Paul Arnsberger	This annual study includes balance sheet and income statement data for organizations classified as tax-exempt under subsections 501(c)(3)-(9) of the Internal Revenue Code. Beginning with 1989, the study will include data from the new Form 990-EZ.
Nonresident Alien Estates: 1990 Program	Randy Miller	This periodic study, planned for every 4 years, provides data on estates of nonresident aliens who had more than \$60,000 of assets in the United States. The estates are subject to U.S. estate taxation on U.S. property.
Occupation Studies	Bobby Clark Dodie Riley	This periodic study, based on availability of outside funding, is designed to classify individual income tax returns by occupation and to develop a dictionary of occupation titles that can be used to enhance the economic data of many other individual income tax return studies.
Partnership Returns of Income: 1992 Program 1993 Program	Tim Wheeler Elaina Shekhter	Basic data, produced annually, cover income statement, balance sheet, and details from supporting schedules. Data are classified chiefly by industry group.
Partnership Withholding Study: 1991 Program	Kimberly Veleto	This annual study includes data on U.S. partnership payments to foreign partners. Data are classified by country and recipient type.
Personal Wealth Study: 1992 Program	Marvin Schwartz Barry Johnson	This periodic study provides data estimates of personal wealth of top wealth-holders that are generated from estate tax return data using the "estate multiplier" technique, in conjunction with both filing-year and year-of-death estate data bases. The most recent data (1989) are based on returns filed from 1989 to 1991. The 1992 program will be based on returns filed from 1992-1994.
Private Foundations: 1990 Program 1991 Program	Alicia Meckstroth	This annual study includes balance sheets and income statements. Beginning with 1989, the study will include data on non-exempt charitable trusts.

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S Corporations: 1992 Program 1993 Program	Amy Gill	Annual study data are collected for the income statement, balance sheet and from supporting schedules. Data are classified by industry group or by asset size.
Sales of Capital Assets: 1985 Program 1985-1992 Panel Study	Barbara Longton Janette Wilson	This periodic study provides detailed data on the sales of capital assets reported on Schedule D of the individual income tax return, sales of residences and personal or depreciable business property. A panel study provides the same data on capital asset transactions for a subsample of the returns in the Sales of Capital Assets basic study, over a period of years.
Sales of U.S. Real Property Interests by Foreign Persons: 1992 Program	Chris Carson	This annual study will provide data on transfers of U.S. real property interests, when these interests are acquired from foreign persons. Data include the amount realized on transfers, U.S. tax withheld and the country of foreign persons.
Sole Proprietorships: 1990 Program 1991 Program 1992 Program	Jeffrey A. Hartzok	Basic program data, produced annually, cover the business receipts, deductions and net income reported on Schedule C (for nonfarm proprietors), by industry group. Similar data from Schedule F (for farmers) are available on an occasional basis.
State Data: 1985 Program 1988 Program	Mario Fernandez	Special tabulations of selected individual income, deduction and tax data by State are produced on a reimbursable basis. (The data file for 1988 is the most recent.)
Statistical Subscription Services: Corporation Source Book	Sandy Byberg	Annual data by more detailed industry groups than are used for the regular corporation statistics are produced by asset size.
Tax-exempt Bond Issues: 1991 Program 1992 Program	Marvin Schwartz	This annual study provides information on private activity and governmental bond issues by type of property financed, size of face amount and State.
Taxpayer Usage Study: 1993 Program	Laura Prizzi	Basic data, produced annually, provide weekly frequencies of specific line entries made by taxpayers, the use of various return schedules and associated forms, and general characteristics of the individual taxpayer population for returns received during the primary filing season (January through April).
U.S. Possessions Corporations: 1989 Program	Randy Miller	This periodic study, planned for every 4 years, provides data on income statement, balance sheet, tax and "possessions tax credit" data for "qualifying" U. S. possessions corporations. (Most of these corporations are located in Puerto Rico.)

Publications & Tapes

Statistical Information Services

For questions about the availability of SOI data, other statistical services, or release dates for new publications, please contact the Statistical Information Services Office on (202) 874-0410 or FAX (202) 874-0922. As its name implies, this office is best able to answer questions about data. It is not the place to call to obtain tax forms or information about the status of an individual's tax refund or audit examination. Also, all requests from the media should be directed to the IRS Public Affairs Office on (202) 622-4000.

The following *Statistics of Income* reports and tapes can be purchased from Statistics of Income (unless otherwise indicated). Prepayment is required, with checks made payable to the IRS Accounting Section. Please write:

Acting Director
Statistics of Income (CP:S)
Internal Revenue Service
P. O. Box 2608
Washington, DC 20013-2608

Business Source Books

Corporation Source Book, 1990

Publication 1053 – Price \$175.00

This 479-page document presents detailed income statement, balance sheet, tax and selected other items, by major and minor industry groups and size of total assets. The report, which underlies the *Statistics of Income—Corporation Income Tax Returns* publication, is part of an annual series and can be purchased for \$175 (issues prior to 1982 are for sale at \$150 per year). Magnetic tape or diskette containing the tabular statistics for 1990 can be purchased for \$1,500.

Partnership Source Book, 1957-1983

Publication 1289 – Price \$30.00

This 291-page document shows key partnership data, for 1957 through 1983, by major and minor industry group. It includes a historical definition of terms section and a summary of legislative changes affecting the comparability of partnership data during that period. Tables show:

- number of partnerships;
- number of partners;
- business receipts;
- depreciation;
- taxes paid deductions;
- interest paid deductions;
- payroll deductions;
- payments to partners; and
- net income less deficit.

(A magnetic tape containing the tabular statistics for partnerships can be purchased for \$300 from the National Technical Information Service, U.S. Department of Commerce, Springfield, VA 22161.) More recent partnership data are published annually in the *SOI Bulletin*.

Sole Proprietorship Source Book, 1957-1984

Publication 1323 – Price \$95.00

This *Source Book* is a companion to that for partnerships, described above. It is a 251-page document showing key proprietorship data for 1957 through 1984; data for farm proprietorships are excluded after 1980. Each page presents statistics for a particular industry. Tables show:

- number of businesses;
- business receipts;
- depreciation;
- taxes paid deduction;
- interest paid deductions;
- payroll deductions; and
- net income less deficit.

A magnetic tape containing the tabular statistics can be purchased for \$245. As with partnerships, more recent (nonfarm) sole proprietorship data are published annually in the *SOI Bulletin*.

Compendiums

Studies of Tax-Exempt Organizations, 1974-1987

Publication 1416 – Price \$26.00

This publication presents 22 articles from *Statistics of Income* studies on tax-exempt organizations. The articles emphasize important issues within the nonprofit sector, and also include several other articles previously unpublished in the *SOI Bulletin*, as well as papers published in proceedings of the American Statistical Association and the Independent Sector Research Forum. Topics featured are:

- nonprofit charitable organizations (primarily charitable, educational and health organizations);
- private foundations and charitable trusts; and
- unrelated business income of exempt organizations.

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Studies of Tax-Exempt Organizations, 1986-1992

Publication 1416 – Price \$26.00

This is the second volume in a series of *Statistics of Income* (SOI) publications on tax-exempt, nonprofit organizations. The volume includes data covering 1986-1992 and contains 12 previously-published articles from SOI studies, including articles from the *SOI Bulletin*, as well as papers prepared for the *Journal of Nonprofit Management and Leadership*, *Trusts and Estates*, the Independent Sector Research Forum, the National Research Council's Committee on National Statistics, and the American Statistical Association.

Studies of International Income and Taxes, 1984-1988

Publication 1267 – Price \$26.00

This report presents information from 13 *Statistics of Income* studies in the international area (many of them previously published in the *SOI Bulletin*), including:

- foreign activity of U.S. corporations;
- activity of foreign corporations in the United States;
- foreign controlled U.S. corporations;
- statistics related to individuals, trusts and estates; and
- data presented by geographical area or industrial activity, as well as other classifiers.

Reimbursable Services

(Prices are dependent on the request.)

Public Use Magnetic Tape Microdata Files

This includes individual income tax returns for 1979-1990. A limited number of files for 1989 are also available on CD-ROM. (Individual income tax returns for 1966-1978 are available for sale by writing to the Center for Electronic Records (NNX) of the National Archives and Records Administration, Washington, DC 20408.) Files containing more limited data for each State are also available for 1985 and 1988. All of these files have been edited to protect the confidentiality of individual taxpayers. Files for private foundations for 1982-1983 and 1985-1989 and nonprofit charitable organizations for 1982-1983 and 1985-1989 are also available from Statis-

tics of Income. The individual, private foundation and charitable organization files are the only microdata files that can be released to the public.

Migration Data

Compilations are available showing migration patterns, from where to where, by State and county, based on year-to-year changes in the tax return address. Data are also available for selected time periods (according to the years in which returns were filed) between 1978 and 1991 and include counts of the number of individual income tax returns and personal exemptions. In addition, county income totals are available for Income Years 1982 and 1984 through 1990.

Other Unpublished Tabulations

Unpublished tabulations are also available, including detailed tables underlying those published in the *SOI Bulletin*. Special tabulations may also be produced, depending on the availability of resources.

Other Publications

The following *Statistics of Income* publications are available from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office. For copies, please use the order form following this section or write:

Superintendent of Documents
P. O. Box 371954
Pittsburgh, PA 15250-7954.

If you determine from the Government Printing Office that any of the next three items is out-of-print, please telephone the Statistical Information Services Office on (202) 874-0410, for assistance.

Statistics of Income (SOI) Bulletin

Quarterly Publication 1136, Stock No. 748-005-00000-5
Subscription price, \$25.00; Single copy price, \$13.00

Provides the earliest published financial statistics from individual and corporation income tax returns. The *Bulletin* also includes annual data on nonfarm sole proprietor-

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ships and on partnerships, as well as from periodic or special studies of particular interest to tax analysts and administrators and to economists. Historical tables include data from SOI, as well as on tax collections and refunds by type of tax.

Statistics of Income – 1990, Corporation Income Tax Returns

Publication 16, Stock No. 048-004-02322-9

Price \$19.00

This report presents more comprehensive and complete data on corporation income tax returns with accounting periods ended July 1990 through June 1991, than those published earlier in the *SOI Bulletin*.

Presents information on:

- receipts;
- deductions;
- net income;
- taxable income;
- income tax;
- tax credits;
- assets; and
- liabilities.

Data are classified by:

- industry;
- accounting period;
- size of total assets; and
- size of business receipts.

Statistics of Income – 1990, Individual Income Tax Returns

Publication 1304, Stock No. 048-004-02320-2

Price \$10.00

This report presents more comprehensive and complete data on individual income tax returns for 1990 than those published earlier in the *SOI Bulletin*.

Presents information on:

- sources of income;
- exemptions;
- itemized deductions; and
- tax computations.

Data are presented by:

- size of adjusted gross income; and
- marital status.

The following *Statistics of Income* publication is available from *Statistics of Income*. For copies, please write to the

Acting Director at the address shown at the beginning of this section.

Turning Administrative Systems Into Information Systems

Publication 1299 – Free of Charge

This report is the latest volume in a continuation of the IRS' methodology reports series which documents technological and methodological changes in *Statistics of Income* programs and other related statistical uses of administrative records. Previous volumes in the series were called *Statistics of Income and Related Administrative Record Research*. Topics featured are:

- information from tax return data;
- the 1989 Survey of Consumer Finances;
- estimation and methodological research in SOI business programs;
- sample design and weighting issues in the SOI individual program;
- some quality improvements applications;
- some technological innovations for SOI research; and
- a look to the future data needs for the Federal sector.

SOI Electronic Bulletin Board

Since June 1992, over 320 files have been added to the SOI electronic bulletin board system (BBS) and are available for access. They include data from recent *SOI Bulletin* publications for returns covering individuals, corporations, partnerships, sole proprietorships and estates. The BBS also contains files on personal wealth and international topics, such as foreign tax credits and Controlled Foreign Corporations, as well as tax collections and refunds from the IRS administrative system.

Electronic Bulletin Board Numbers:

(202) 874-9574 (Analog – Most Users)

Systems Administrator: Jim Willis (202) 874-0408

Systems Coordinator: Jim Hobbs (202) 874-0268.