

Direct Pay Payment System

About Direct Pay

Direct Pay is a new web-based system available on IRS.gov that allows you to pay tax bills and estimated tax payments directly from your bank account without any fees or pre-registration. With this feature, the taxpayer receives instant confirmation that the payment was submitted, and the system is available 24 hours and 7 days a week. Direct Pay also offers 30-day advance payment scheduling, payment rescheduling or cancellations, and a payment status search.

Resources:

Where to pay: https://www.irs.gov/payments/direct-pay Additional Information: https://www.irs.gov/payments/direct-pay-help

EXAMPLE STEPS TO MAKE A 2020 ESTIMATED TAX PAYMENT FOR A 1040

- 1. PICK "MAKE A PAYMENT
- 2. CHOOSE "ESTIMATED TAX"
- 3. CHOOSE "1040ES"
- 4. CHOOSE 2020 FOR THE TAX PERIOD
- 5. COMPLETE THE FIVE STEPS THAT INCLUDE PROVIDING YOUR TAX INFORMATION, VERIFYING YOUR IDENTITY, ENTERING YOUR PAYMENT INFORMATION, REVIEWING AND ELECTRONICALLY SIGNING AND RECORDING YOUR ONLINE CONFIRMATION.

Example: (Steps 2-4)

	Reason for Payment	0
	Estimated Tax	•
	Apply Payment To	0
	1040ES (for 1040, 1040A, 1040EZ)	•
	Tax Period for Payment	?
	2020	•

