



# Instructions for Form IT-230

## Separate Tax on Lump-Sum Distributions

# IT-230-I

### General Information

If you are a New York State resident, nonresident, part-year resident, estate or trust and you used federal Form 4972 to figure your federal tax on lump-sum distributions, you must use New York State Form IT-230 to figure your New York State separate tax on lump-sum distributions. You must make the same elections on Form IT-230 as you made on federal Form 4972. To make those elections, fill in the same parts of Form IT-230 that you filled in on federal Form 4972.

If you are a city of New York resident or a part-year city of New York resident, also figure your New York City separate tax on Form IT-230.

If you are a city of Yonkers resident, figure your city of Yonkers resident tax surcharge on Form IT-201, based on your New York State separate tax on lump-sum distributions. You do not have to figure a separate tax on Form IT-230.

If you and your spouse are filing a joint return and you each have received a lump-sum distribution, complete and file a separate Form IT-230 for each spouse and combine the tax shown on each form. Then transfer the combined tax from Form IT-230, Part II, Part III or Part IV, to the applicable form and line as indicated on Form IT-230.

If you are filing for a trust that shared the distribution only with other trusts, figure the tax on the entire distribution first. The trusts then share the tax in the same proportion that they shared the distribution.

**Multiple recipient of lump-sum distribution** - If you shared a lump-sum distribution from a qualified retirement plan when not all recipients were trusts, fill in the same parts of Form IT-230 that you filled in on federal Form 4972. If you used Part III or IV of Form IT-230, figure your tax on the following worksheet:

	New York State	City of New York
a Enter the amount from line 20, Part III or IV, Form IT-230 (New York City residents and part-year New York City residents use both columns.)	a	
b Enter your percentage of the total distribution	b	
c Multiply line a by the amount on line b. Enter the result here and on Form IT-201-ATT or Form IT-203-ATT, line 8 or Form IT-205, front page, line 12. For New York City residents and part-year New York City residents, also transfer line c, City of New York column, to Form IT-201-ATT or to Form IT-203-ATT, line 19 or to Form IT-205, front page, line 21	c	

**New York State nonresidents** - If lump-sum distributions are attributable to services performed wholly inside New York State, the entire distribution is subject to the New York State separate tax on lump-sum distributions.

If you received a lump-sum distribution attributable to services performed only partly in New York State, you must determine what percentage of your total compensation is New York compensation, using this formula:

$$\frac{\text{New York State compensation}^*}{\text{Total compensation}^{**}} = \text{Percentage of total compensation attributable to New York State}$$

\* Use the amounts of all such compensation included in your New York source income for the part of the taxable year immediately prior to retirement and the three taxable years preceding the retirement year.

\*\* Use the total of all such compensation included in your adjusted gross income (federal) for the part of the taxable year immediately prior to retirement and the three taxable years preceding the retirement year.

The result must be carried to four decimal places. For example, if the amount used in the computation was \$30,000 divided by \$90,000, the result would be .3333 (33.33%).

**Example:** You are a nonresident who performed services partly in New York State as an employee. You retired on July 1, 1992, and used New York State Form IT-230 to report your separate tax on lump-sum distributions. Assuming that the percentages for allocating your salary to New York State were 50% for 1989, 60% for 1990, 75% for 1991, and 40% for 1992, the percentage used to allocate your separate tax on lump-sum distributions is computed as follows:

Tax year	Total compensation	New York part
1989	\$ 40,000	(50%) \$20,000
1990	40,000	(60%) 24,000
1991	40,000	(75%) 30,000
1992 (6 months)	20,000	(40%) 8,000
	<b>Totals \$140,000</b>	<b>\$82,000</b>

$$\frac{\$ 82,000}{\$140,000} = 58.57\% \text{ (percentage of total compensation attributable to New York State)}$$

Apply the resulting percentage to the amount on Form IT-230, Part II, line 1; or Parts III and IV, line 10. If you used Part II, enter the amount allocated to New York State on the *Nonresident and Part-Year Resident Income Percentage Schedule*, line 3; *New York State Amount column* on the back page of these instructions. If you used Part III or IV of Form IT-230, enter the amount allocated to New York State on the dotted portion of line 10 and write **Allocated to NYS** next to it. Complete the balance of Parts III or IV of Form IT-230 using the allocated amount. Enter the result on Form IT-203-ATT, line 8 and write **Allocated to NYS** next to it. If you are a nonresident who filled in the multiple recipient worksheet in these instructions, apply the resulting percentage to line c of the worksheet. Enter the result on Form IT-203-ATT, line 8 and write **Allocated to NYS** next to it.

**These calculations must be shown on a schedule which you prepare and mark Lump-Sum Distribution Allocation Schedule. Attach this schedule to the back of your Form IT-230.**

**Part-Year resident** - If you used federal Form 4972, Part II - Enter on Form IT-230, Part II, line 1, the total capital gain part from federal Form 4972, Part II, line 8. Then follow the line-by-line instructions for Form IT-230, Part II. Be sure to use the *Nonresident and Part-Year Resident Income Percentage Schedule* on the back page of these instructions.

**If you used federal Form 4972, Part III or IV** - If you moved out of New York State you are subject to the New York State separate tax on the amount of the lump-sum distribution from federal Form 4972, Part III, line 10, or Part IV, line 33, (including any lump-sum distribution attributable to a future year which accrued up to the time you changed your residence) that was derived from or connected with New York sources for the resident period; plus the lump-sum distribution from federal Form 4972, Part III, line 10, or Part IV, line 33, that is derived from or connected with New York sources for the nonresident period.

If you moved into New York State you are subject to the New York State separate tax on the amount of the lump-sum distribution from federal Form 4972, Part III, line 10, or Part IV, line 33, that is derived from or connected with New York sources.

**New York City nonresidents** - A nonresident of New York City is not subject to the city separate tax on lump-sum distributions.

**Officer, employee or beneficiary of an officer or employee of New York State or the United States or political subdivisions thereof** - The following pension income is not subject to the separate tax on lump sum distributions:

- Any pension income you received from New York State and local governments in the state.
- Any pension income you received from the United States, its territories or possessions, political subdivisions of these territories or possessions, the District of Columbia or any agency or instrumentality of any of the above (including the military).

To satisfy the filing requirement, fill in Part I and only line 1 of the part(s) of Form IT-230 corresponding to federal Form 4972. Write in Part I: **From New York State or the United States or political subdivision.**

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If, in addition to a lump-sum distribution received from New York State or the United States or their political subdivisions, you are reporting a lump-sum distribution from another source on federal Form 4972, include on Form IT-230 only the portion received from the other source. Attach to Form IT-230 a statement showing the source and amount of each lump-sum distribution you reported on federal Form 4972.

**Nonresident and Part-Year Resident  
Income Percentage Schedule**

All New York State nonresidents and part-year residents, or New York State nonresident estates or trusts and part-year resident trusts who used Form IT-230, Part II must complete lines 1 through 5 below to figure the income percentage to enter on Form IT-203, line 56, and on line 6 on the back page of Form IT-203-ATT, *Worksheet for Front Page, Part II, line 15*, or Form IT-205-A, Schedule 1, line 12.

	Federal Amount	New York State Amount
1 Enter in the <i>Federal Amount</i> column the amount from Form IT-203, line 19, <i>Federal Amount</i> column, or from Form IT-205-A, Schedule 4, line 9, column a. Enter in the <i>New York State Amount</i> column the amount from Form IT-203, line 19, <i>New York State Amount</i> column, or the amount from Form IT-205-A-I income percentage worksheet, line g	1	
2 <i>Federal Amount</i> column - Enter the amount from Form IT-230, Part II, line 1. (This should be the same amount as shown on federal Form 4972, Part II, Line 8)	2	
3 * <i>New York State Amount</i> column - see instructions below	3	
4 Add lines 1, 2 and 3 and enter result here	4	
5 Income Percentage - Divide line 4, <i>NYS Amount</i> column by line 4, <i>Federal Amount</i> column. ( <i>NYS amount, line 4</i> / <i>Fed. amount, line 4</i> )	5	

To figure your income percentage, divide the Amount on line 4 in the **New York State Amount** column by the amount on line 4 in the **Federal Amount** column. Carry your result to four decimal places. If the amount on line 4 in the New York State Amount column is more than the amount on line 4 in the Federal Amount column, the income percentage will be more than 100%.

Transfer the line 5 amount to Form IT-203, line 56, and to line 6 on the back page of Form IT-203-ATT, *Worksheet for Front Page, Part II, line 15*, or to Form IT-205-A, Schedule 1, line 12. Write **Income Percentage Schedule, IT-230-I** in the margin to the right of line 56, Form IT-203; or line 12, Form IT-205-A, Schedule 1.

\* **New York State Amount column - Part-year resident** - Enter the amount of line 2 (federal capital gain part of the lump-sum distribution) that is your New York source income. The New York source income of a part-year resident is the sum of the following, with adjustments for the special accruals defined on page 3 of IT-230-I, the instructions for Form IT-203, *Nonresident and Part-Year Resident Income Tax Return*:

- 1 the amount of line 2 (federal capital gain part of the lump-sum distribution) for the period of residence, computed as if your tax year for federal income tax purposes were limited to the period of residence.
- 2 the amount of line 2 (federal capital gain part of the lump-sum distribution) that was derived from or connected with New York sources for the period that you were a nonresident. Use the instructions below to figure your capital gain part of the lump-sum distribution for the period you were a nonresident.

**Nonresident** - If your lump-sum distribution is attributable to services performed wholly in New York State, enter on line 3 the entire amount from line 2.

If you received a lump-sum distribution attributable to services performed only partly in New York State, you must determine what percentage of your total compensation is New York compensation by using the nonresident or part-year resident allocation explained on

the front page of these instructions. Apply the resulting percentage to the amount on line 2. Enter the amount allocated to New York State on line 3.

**Line Instructions**

**Part I** - All filers must answer the question in Part I. If you answered **No**, do not complete the rest of Form IT-230.

**Parts II, III and IV** - If you answered **Yes** to the question in Part I, fill in the same parts of Form IT-230 that you filled in on federal Form 4972.

**Death benefit exclusion** - The death benefit exclusion allowed on federal Form 4972 will also be allowed on Form IT-230. However, if the sum of the capital gain and/or ordinary income part of the lump-sum distribution reported for federal purposes includes a lump-sum distribution from a pension plan of a deceased employee of New York State or the United States or their political subdivisions, the exclusion allowable for New York State purposes is determined by multiplying the federal exclusion by a fraction whose numerator is the sum of the capital gain and/or ordinary income part subject to New York State separate tax, and whose denominator is the sum of the capital gain and/or ordinary income part reported for federal purposes.

**Part III, lines 12 and 18** - Use the *New York State Tax Table (Single column)* in Form IT-201 instructions for this purpose no matter what method you use to figure the tax on your other income and no matter whether you are filing Form IT-205. If you are a New York City resident or a part-year New York City resident, also use the *City of New York Tax Table (Single column)* in Form IT-201 instructions.

**Parts III and IV, line 14** - Decimals should be carried to five places and rounded to four places. Drop amounts of 4 and under (.44454 becomes .4445). Round amounts of 5 and over to the next higher number (.44456 becomes .4446).

**Part IV, lines 12 and 18** - Use the tax rate schedule below to complete Part IV, lines 12 and 18 (*New York City residents and part-year New York City residents, use both schedules*).

**Tax Rate Schedules for Part IV of Form IT-230**

**New York State Tax Rate Schedule**

If Part IV, line 11 or 17 is:

over	not over	enter on Part IV, line 12 or 18 in New York State column	
\$ 0	\$ 1,000	2% of taxable amount	
1,000	3,000	\$20 plus	3% of excess over \$1,000
3,000	5,000	80 plus	4% " " 3,000
5,000	7,000	160 plus	5% " " 5,000
7,000	9,000	260 plus	6% " " 7,000
9,000	11,000	380 plus	7% " " 9,000
11,000	13,500	520 plus	8% " " 11,000
13,500	16,000	720 plus	9% " " 13,500
16,000	18,500	945 plus	10% " " 16,000
18,500	21,000	1,195 plus	11% " " 18,500
21,000	23,500	1,470 plus	12% " " 21,000
23,500	26,000	1,770 plus	13% " " 23,500
26,000		2,095 plus	13.5% " " 26,000

**City of New York Tax Rate Schedule**

If Part IV, line 11 or 17 is:

over	not over	enter on Part IV, line 12 or 18 in City of New York column	
\$ 0	\$ 1,000	0.9% of taxable amount	
1,000	3,000	\$ 9 plus	1.4% of excess over \$1,000
3,000	5,000	37 plus	1.8% " " 3,000
5,000	7,000	73 plus	2.0% " " 5,000
7,000	9,000	113 plus	2.3% " " 7,000
9,000	11,000	159 plus	2.5% " " 9,000
11,000	13,000	209 plus	2.7% " " 11,000
13,000	15,000	263 plus	2.9% " " 13,000
15,000	17,000	321 plus	3.1% " " 15,000
17,000	19,000	383 plus	3.3% " " 17,000
19,000	21,000	449 plus	3.5% " " 19,000
21,000	23,000	519 plus	3.8% " " 21,000
23,000	25,000	595 plus	4.0% " " 23,000
25,000		675 plus	4.3% " " 25,000