

Rev. Proc. 2017-29

## SECTION 1. PURPOSE

This revenue procedure provides: (1) tables of limitations on depreciation deductions for owners of passenger automobiles first placed in service by the taxpayer during calendar year 2017, including separate tables of limitations on depreciation deductions for trucks and vans; and (2) tables of amounts that must be included in income by lessees of passenger automobiles first leased by the taxpayer during calendar year 2017, including a separate table of inclusion amounts for lessees of trucks and vans. The tables detailing these depreciation limitations and lessee inclusion amounts reflect the automobile price inflation adjustments required by § 280F(d)(7).

## SECTION 2. BACKGROUND

.01 For owners of passenger automobiles, § 280F(a) imposes dollar limitations on the depreciation deduction for the year the taxpayer places the passenger automobile in service and for each succeeding year. For passenger automobiles placed in service after 1988, § 280F(d)(7) requires the Internal Revenue Service to increase the amounts allowable as depreciation deductions by a price inflation adjustment amount. The method of calculating this price inflation amount for trucks and vans placed in service in or after calendar year 2003 uses a different CPI "automobile component" (the "new trucks" component) than that used in the price inflation amount calculation for other passenger automobiles (the "new cars" component), resulting in somewhat higher depreciation deductions for trucks and vans. This change reflects the higher rate of price inflation for trucks and vans since 1988.

.02 Section 168(k)(1) provides that, in the case of qualified property, the depreciation deduction allowed under § 167(a) for the taxable year in which the property is placed in service includes an allowance equal to 50 percent of the property's adjusted basis (hereinafter, referred to as "§ 168(k) additional first year depreciation deduction"). The § 168(k) additional first year depreciation deduction generally applies to qualified property placed in service before January 1, 2020. Section 168(k)(2)(F)(i) and (iii) increases the first year depreciation allowed under § 280F(a)(1)(A)(i) by \$8,000 for passenger automobiles placed in service by the taxpayer before January 1, 2018, and to which the § 168(k) additional first year depreciation deduction applies.

.03 Tables 1 through 4 of this revenue procedure provide depreciation limitations for passenger automobiles placed in service during calendar year 2017. Table 1 (passenger automobiles that are not trucks or vans) and Table 2 (trucks and vans) provide depreciation limitations for passenger automobiles for which the § 168(k) additional first year depreciation deduction applies. Table 3 (passenger automobiles that are not trucks or vans) and Table 4 (trucks and vans) provide depreciation limitations for passenger automobiles for which the § 168(k) additional first year depreciation deduction applies. Table 3 (passenger automobiles that are not trucks or vans) and Table 4 (trucks and vans) provide depreciation limitations for passenger automobiles for which the § 168(k) additional first year depreciation deduction does not apply. The § 168(k) additional first year depreciation deduction does not apply for 2017 if the taxpayer: (1) acquired the passenger automobile used; (2) did not use the passenger automobile during 2017 more than 50 percent for business purposes; (3) elected out of the § 168(k) additional first year depreciation deduction pursuant to § 168(k)(7); or (4) elected to increase the alternative minimum tax (AMT) credit limitation under § 53, instead of claiming the § 168(k) additional first year depreciation deduction, for qualified property placed in service

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during 2017 pursuant to 168(k)(4).

.04 Section 280F(c)(2) requires a reduction in the deduction allowed to the lessee of a leased passenger automobile. The reduction must be substantially equivalent to the limitations on the depreciation deductions imposed on owners of passenger automobiles. Under § 1.280F-7(a) of the Income Tax Regulations, this reduction requires a lessee to include in gross income an amount determined by applying a formula to the amount obtained from a table. Table 5 applies to lessees of passenger automobiles that are not trucks and vans and Table 6 applies to lessees of trucks and vans. Each table shows inclusion amounts for a range of fair market values for each taxable year after the passenger automobile is first leased.

#### SECTION 3. SCOPE

.01 The limitations on depreciation deductions in section 4.01(2) of this revenue procedure apply to passenger automobiles (other than leased passenger automobiles) that are placed in service by the taxpayer in calendar year 2017, and continue to apply for each taxable year that the passenger automobile remains in service.

.02 The tables in section 4.02 of this revenue procedure apply to leased passenger automobiles for which the lease term begins during calendar year 2017. Lessees of these passenger automobiles must use these tables to determine the inclusion amount for each taxable year during which the passenger automobile is leased. See Rev. Proc. 2012-23, 2012-14 I.R.B. 712, for passenger automobiles first leased during calendar year 2012; Rev. Proc. 2013-21, 2013-12 I.R.B. 660, for passenger automobiles first leased during calendar year 2013; Rev. Proc. 2014-21, 2014-11 I.R.B. 641, as amplified and modified by section 4.03 of Rev. Proc. 2015-19, 2015-8 I.R.B. 656, for

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passenger automobiles first leased during calendar year 2014; Rev. Proc. 2015-19, as amplified and modified by section 4.03 of Rev. Proc. 2016-23, 2016-16 I.R.B. 581, for passenger automobiles first leased during calendar year 2015, and Rev. Proc. 2016-23 for passenger automobiles first leased during calendar year 2016.

#### SECTION 4. APPLICATION

#### .01 Limitations on Depreciation Deductions for Certain Automobiles.

(1) Amount of the inflation adjustment.

#### (a) Passenger automobiles (other than trucks or vans). Under

§ 280F(d)(7)(B)(i), the automobile price inflation adjustment for any calendar year is the percentage (if any) by which the CPI automobile component for October of the preceding calendar year exceeds the CPI automobile component for October 1987. Section 280F(d)(7)(B)(ii) defines the term "CPI automobile component" as the automobile component of the Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers published by the Department of Labor. The new car component of the CPI was 115.2 for October 1987 and 143.032 for October 2016. The October 2016 index exceeded the October 1987 index by 27.832. Therefore, the automobile price inflation adjustment for 2017 for passenger automobiles (other than trucks and vans) is 24.2 percent (27.832/115.2 x 100%). The dollar limitations in  $\S$  280F(a) are multiplied by a factor of 0.242, and the resulting increases, after rounding to the nearest \$100, are added to the 1988 limitations to give the depreciation limitations applicable to passenger automobiles (other than trucks and vans) for calendar year 2017. This adjustment applies to all passenger automobiles (other than trucks and vans) that are first placed in service in calendar year 2017.

(b) <u>Trucks and vans</u>. To determine the dollar limitations for trucks and vans first placed in service during calendar year 2017, the Service uses the new truck component of the CPI instead of the new car component. The new truck component of the CPI was 112.4 for October 1987 and 156.189 for October 2016. The October 2016 index exceeded the October 1987 index by 43.789. Therefore, the automobile price inflation adjustment for 2017 for trucks and vans is 39.0 percent (43.789/112.4 x 100%). The dollar limitations in § 280F(a) are multiplied by a factor of 0.390, and the resulting increases, after rounding to the nearest \$100, are added to the 1988 limitations to give the depreciation limitations applicable to trucks and vans. This adjustment applies to all trucks and vans that are first placed in service in calendar year 2017.

(2) <u>Amount of the limitation</u>. Tables 1 and 2 contain the dollar amount of the depreciation limitation for each taxable year for passenger automobiles a taxpayer places in service in calendar year 2017. Use Table 1 for a passenger automobile (other than a truck or van), and Table 2 for a truck or van, placed in service in calendar year 2017 for which the § 168(k) additional first year depreciation deduction applies. Use Table 3 for a passenger automobile (other than a truck or van, placed in service in calendar year 2017 for which the § 168(k) additional first year depreciation deduction applies. Use Table 3 for a passenger automobile (other than a truck or van), and Table 4 for a truck or van, placed in service in calendar year 2017 for which the § 168(k) additional first year depreciation deduction does not apply.

# REV. PROC. 2017-29 TABLE 1

DEPRECIATION LIMITATIONS FOR PASSENGER AUTOMOBILES (THAT ARE NOT TRUCKS OR VANS) PLACED IN SERVICE IN CALENDAR YEAR 2017 FOR WHICH THE § 168(k) ADDITIONAL FIRST YEAR DEPRECIATION DEDUCTION APPLIES

> <u>Tax Year</u> 1st Tax Year

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2nd Tax Year	\$ 5,100
3rd Tax Year	\$ 3,050
Each Succeeding Year	\$ 1,875

### REV. PROC. 2017-29 TABLE 2

DEPRECIATION LIMITATIONS FOR TRUCKS AND VANS PLACED IN SERVICE IN CALENDAR YEAR 2017 FOR WHICH THE § 168(k) ADDITIONAL FIRST YEAR DEPRECIATION DEDUCTION APPLIES

<u>Tax Year</u>	<u>Amount</u>
1st Tax Year	\$ 11,560
2nd Tax Year	\$ 5,700
3rd Tax Year	\$ 3,450
Each Succeeding Year	\$ 2,075

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DEPRECIATION LIMITATIONS FO (THAT ARE NOT TRUCKS OR VANS) PLA 2017 FOR WHICH THE § 168(k) ADDIT DEDUCTION DOE	CED IN SERVICE IN CALENDAR YEAR
<u>Tax Year</u>	<u>Amount</u>
1st Tax Year	\$ 3,160
2nd Tax Year	\$ 5,100
3rd Tax Year	\$ 3,050
Each Succeeding Year	\$ 1.875

### REV. PROC. 2017-29 TABLE 4

DEPRECIATION LIMITATIONS FOR TRUCKS AND VANS PLACED IN SERVICE IN CALENDAR YEAR 2017 FOR WHICH THE § 168(k) ADDITIONAL FIRST YEAR DEPRECIATION DEDUCTION DOES NOT APPLY

Tax Year	Amount
1st Tax Year	\$ 3,560
2nd Tax Year	\$ 5,700
3rd Tax Year	\$ 3,450
Each Succeeding Year	\$ 2,075

.02 Inclusions in Income of Lessees of Passenger Automobiles.

A taxpayer must follow the procedures in § 1.280F-7(a) for determining the

inclusion amounts for passenger automobiles first leased in calendar year 2017. In

applying these procedures, lessees of passenger automobiles other than trucks and vans should use Table 5 of this revenue procedure, while lessees of trucks and vans should use Table 6 of this revenue procedure.

REV. PROC. 2017-29 TABLE 5 DOLLAR AMOUNTS FOR PASSENGER AUTOMOBILES (THAT ARE NOT TRUCKS OR VANS) WITH A LEASE TERM BEGINNING IN CALENDAR YEAR 2017						
Fair Marke Passenger			Tax	Year During L	ease	
Over	Not Over	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup> & later
\$19,000 19,500 20,000 21,000 21,000 21,500 22,000 23,000 24,000 25,000 26,000 27,000 28,000 29,000 30,000 31,000 31,000 32,000 33,000 34,000 35,000 36,000 37,000 38,000 39,000 40,000	\$19,500 20,000 20,500 21,000 21,500 22,000 23,000 24,000 25,000 26,000 27,000 26,000 27,000 28,000 30,000 31,000 31,000 32,000 33,000 34,000 35,000 36,000 37,000 38,000 39,000 40,000 41,000	6 7 8 9 10 11 12 14 16 18 19 21 23 25 27 29 30 32 34 36 38 40 41 43 45	14 16 18 20 21 23 27 31 34 38 43 47 51 55 58 62 67 71 75 79 82 86 91 95 99	20 23 26 28 32 35 39 45 52 58 63 69 75 80 87 93 99 104 110 116 123 129 134 140 146	23 27 30 35 38 42 47 54 61 68 75 82 89 97 104 111 118 126 133 140 147 154 161 168 175	27 31 35 39 44 47 53 62 70 78 87 95 103 112 120 128 136 144 152 160 169 177 186 194 202
41,000 42,000 43,000 44,000 45,000	42,000 43,000 44,000 45,000 46,000	47 49 50 52 54	103 106 111 115 119	152 159 164 170 176	182 189 197 204 211	202 210 218 226 234 243

## REV. PROC. 2017-29 TABLE 5

### DOLLAR AMOUNTS FOR PASSENGER AUTOMOBILES (THAT ARE NOT TRUCKS OR VANS) WITH A LEASE TERM BEGINNING IN CALENDAR YEAR 2017

Fair Market Value of Passenger Automobile		Tax Year During Lease				
Over	Not Over	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup> & later
190,000	200,000	326	718	1,064	1,277	1,473
200,000	210,000	345	757	1,124	1,348	1,556
210,000	220,000	363	797	1,184	1,419	1,638
220,000	230,000	381	837	1,244	1,490	1,721
230,000	240,000	399	878	1,302	1,562	1,803
240,000	and over	418	917	1,362	1,633	1,885

# REV. PROC. 2017-29 TABLE 6

### DOLLAR AMOUNTS FOR TRUCKS AND VANS WITH A LEASE TERM BEGINNING IN CALENDAR YEAR 2017

Fair Market Value of Truck or Van		Tax Year During Lease				
Over	Not Over	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup> & later
\$19,500	\$20,000	4	8	11	13	16
20,000	20,500	4	10	14	17	20
20,500	21,000	5	12	17	21	23
21,000	21,500	6	14	20	24	28
21,500	22,000	7	16	23	28	32
22,000	23,000	9	19	27	33	38
23,000	24,000	10	23	34	40	46
24,000	25,000	12	27	39	48	54
25,000	26,000	14	31	45	55	62
26,000	27,000	16	35	51	62	71
27,000	28,000	18	39	57	69	79
28,000	29,000	19	43	63	76	88
29,000	30,000	21	47	69	83	96
30,000	31,000	23	51	75	90	104
31,000	32,000	25	55	81	97	112
32,000	33,000	27	59	87	104	120
33,000	34,000	29	63	93	111	129
34,000	35,000	30	67	99	119	136
35,000	36,000	32	71	105	126	145
36,000	37,000	34	75	111	133	153
37,000	38,000	36	79	117	140	161
38,000	39,000	38	83	122	148	169

REV. PROC. 2017-29 TABLE 6 DOLLAR AMOUNTS FOR TRUCKS AND VANS WITH A LEASE TERM BEGINNING IN CALENDAR YEAR 2017						
Fair Market Value of Truck or Van		Tax Year During Lease				
Over	Not Over	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup> & later
39,000	40,000	40	87	128	155	177
40,000	41,000	41	91	135	161	186
41,000	42,000	43	95	141	168	194
42,000	43,000	45	99	146	176	203
43,000	44,000	47	103	152	183	211
44,000	45,000	49	107	158	190	219
45,000	46,000	50	111	165	196	228
46,000	47,000	52	115	170	204	236
47,000	48,000	54	119	176	211	244
48,000	49,000	56	123	182	218	252
49,000	50,000	58	127	188	225	261
50,000	51,000	60	131	194	232	269
51,000	52,000	61	135	200	240	277
52,000	53,000	63	139	206	247	285
53,000	54,000	65	143	212	254	293
54,000	55,000	67	140	212	261	301
55,000	56,000	69	151	224	268	309
56,000	57,000	70	155	230	275	318
57,000	58,000	70	159	236	282	326
58,000	59,000	74	163	230	289	335
59,000 59,000	60,000	74	167	242	209	343
60,000	62,000	70	173	240	308	355
62,000	64,000	82	181	269	300	372
64,000	66,000	86	189	209	336	388
	68,000	90	109	280	350	404
66,000 68,000	70,000	90 93	205	304	365	404 420
70,000	70,000 72,000	93 97	203	304	303	420
70,000	72,000 74,000	97 101	213	328	393	453
•	•	101	221	320 340	393 407	433
74,000	76,000	104			407 421	
76,000	78,000		237	352		487
78,000	80,000	111	245	364	436	503
80,000	85,000	118	259	384	461	532
85,000	90,000	127	279	414	497	573
90,000	95,000	136	299	444	532	614
95,000	100,000	145	319	474	567	656
100,000	110,000	159	349	518	621	717
110,000	120,000	177	389	578	692	800
120,000	130,000	195	429	637	764	882

# REV. PROC. 2017-29 TABLE 6 DOLLAR AMOUNTS FOR TRUCKS AND VANS WITH A LEASE TERM BEGINNING IN CALENDAR YEAR 2017

Fair Market Value of Truck or Van		Tax Year During Lease				
Over	Not Over	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup> & later
130,000	140,000	213	470	696	835	964
140,000	150,000	232	509	756	906	1,047
150,000	160,000	250	549	816	977	1,129
160,000	170,000	268	589	875	1,049	1,211
170,000	180,000	286	630	934	1,120	1,293
180,000	190,000	305	669	994	1,191	1,376
190,000	200,000	323	709	1,054	1,262	1,458
200,000	210,000	341	750	1,112	1,334	1,540
210,000	220,000	359	790	1,172	1,405	1,623
220,000	230,000	377	830	1,231	1,477	1,705
230,000	240,000	396	870	1,290	1,548	1,787
240,000	and over	414	910	1,350	1,619	1,870

# SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE

This revenue procedure applies to passenger automobiles that a taxpayer first

places in service or first leases during calendar year 2017.

## SECTION 6. DRAFTING INFORMATION

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