

**Table T05-0240. Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC)
Number of Returns and Amount Reported By Filing Status, 2005 ¹**

Cash Income Class (thousands of 2005 dollars) ^{2,3}	All Returns					Married Filing Joint Returns					Single and Head of Household Returns ²				
	Number		Reported Credit		Average Credit (\$)	Returns		Reported Credit		Average Credit (\$)	Returns		Reported Credit		Average Credit (\$)
	Number (thousands)	Percent Of Total	Amount (\$ millions)	Percent Of Total		Number (thousands)	Percent Of Total	Amount (\$ millions)	Percent Of Total		Number (thousands)	Percent Of Total	Amount (\$ millions)	Percent Of Total	
Less than 10	5,176	23.7	6,002.2	14.3	1,160	485	8.9	794.4	7.1	1,638	4,691	28.6	5,207.9	17.0	1,110
10-20	6,912	31.6	19,216.3	45.9	2,780	1,352	24.8	4,281.9	38.1	3,167	5,560	33.9	14,934.4	48.7	2,686
20-30	5,734	26.2	12,503.9	29.8	2,181	1,649	30.3	4,077.5	36.2	2,472	4,085	24.9	8,426.4	27.5	2,063
30-40	3,422	15.7	3,516.9	8.4	1,028	1,599	29.4	1,734.8	15.4	1,085	1,822	11.1	1,782.1	5.8	978
40-50	422	1.9	422.7	1.0	1,002	254	4.7	202.8	1.8	798	168	1.0	219.9	0.7	1,310
50-75	97	0.4	131.7	0.3	1,361	54	1.0	76.0	0.7	1,404	43	0.3	55.7	0.2	1,306
75-100	13	0.1	10.8	0.0	829	6	0.1	5.5	0.0	874	7	0.0	5.2	0.0	787
100-200	4	0.0	3.9	0.0	1,092	2	0.0	0.9	0.0	550	2	0.0	3.0	0.0	1,539
200-500	4	0.0	8.3	0.0	2,220	2	0.0	5.4	0.0	2,237	1	0.0	2.9	0.0	2,190
500-1,000	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4,400	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4,400	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	N/A
More than 1,000	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2,148	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2,148	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	N/A
All	21,850	100.0	41,907.0	100.0	1,918	5,444	100.0	11,249.2	100.0	2,066	16,406	100.0	30,657.7	100.0	1,869

Source: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model (version 0305-2).

(1) Calendar year. Current law.

(2) Tax units with negative cash income are excluded from the lowest income class but are included in the totals. For a description of cash income, see <http://www.taxpolicycenter.org/TaxModel/income.cfm>

(3) Includes both filing and non-filing units. Tax units that are dependents of other taxpayers are excluded from the analysis.