

**AFR RATES FOR MAY 2015**

## Section 1274.--Determination of Issue Price in the Case of Certain Debt Instruments Issued for Property

(Also Sections 42, 280G, 382, 412, 467, 468, 482, 483, 642, 807, 846, 1288, 7520, 7872.)

## Rev. Rul. 2015-8

This revenue ruling provides various prescribed rates for federal income tax purposes for May 2015 (the current month). Table 1 contains the short-term, mid-term, and long-term applicable federal rates (AFR) for the current month for purposes of section 1274(d) of the Internal Revenue Code. Table 2 contains the short-term, mid-term, and long-term adjusted applicable federal rates (adjusted AFR) for the current month for purposes of section 1288(b). Table 3 sets forth the adjusted federal long-term rate and the long-term tax-exempt rate described in section 382(f). Table 4 contains the appropriate percentages for determining the low-income housing credit described in section 42(b)(1) for buildings placed in service during the current month. However, under section 42(b)(2), the applicable percentage for non-federally subsidized new buildings placed in service after July 30, 2008, with respect to housing credit dollar amount allocations made before January 1, 2015 shall not be less than 9%. Finally, Table 5 contains the federal rate for determining the present value of an annuity, an interest for life or for a term of years, or a remainder or a reversionary interest for purposes of section 7520.

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REV. RUL. 2015-8 TABLE 1

Applicable Federal Rates (AFR) for May 2015

	<u>Annual</u>	<u>Period for Compounding</u>		<u>Monthly</u>
		<u>Semiannual</u>	<u>Quarterly</u>	
<u>Short-term</u>				
AFR	.43%	.43%	.43%	.43%
110% AFR	.47%	.47%	.47%	.47%
120% AFR	.52%	.52%	.52%	.52%
130% AFR	.56%	.56%	.56%	.56%
<u>Mid-term</u>				
AFR	1.53%	1.52%	1.52%	1.52%
110% AFR	1.68%	1.67%	1.67%	1.66%
120% AFR	1.83%	1.82%	1.82%	1.81%
130% AFR	1.99%	1.98%	1.98%	1.97%
150% AFR	2.29%	2.28%	2.27%	2.27%
175% AFR	2.68%	2.66%	2.65%	2.65%
<u>Long-term</u>				
AFR	2.30%	2.29%	2.28%	2.28%
110% AFR	2.54%	2.52%	2.51%	2.51%
120% AFR	2.77%	2.75%	2.74%	2.73%
130% AFR	3.00%	2.98%	2.97%	2.96%

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## REV. RUL. 2015-8 TABLE 2

### Adjusted AFR for May 2015

	<u>Period for Compounding</u>			
	<u>Annual</u>	<u>Semiannual</u>	<u>Quarterly</u>	<u>Monthly</u>
Short-term adjusted AFR	.43%	.43%	.43%	.43%
Mid-term adjusted AFR	1.43%	1.42%	1.42%	1.42%
Long-term adjusted AFR	2.30%	2.29%	2.28%	2.28%

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## REV. RUL. 2015-8 TABLE 3

### Rates Under Section 382 for May 2015

Adjusted federal long-term rate for the current month	2.30%
Long-term tax-exempt rate for ownership changes during the current month (the highest of the adjusted federal long-term rates for the current month and the prior two months.)	2.47%

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Appropriate Percentages Under Section 42(b)(1) for May 2015

Note: Under section 42(b)(2), the applicable percentage for non-federally subsidized new buildings placed in service after July 30, 2008, with respect to housing credit dollar amount allocations made before January 1, 2015 shall not be less than 9%.

Appropriate percentage for the 70% present value low-income housing credit	7.44%
Appropriate percentage for the 30% present value low-income housing credit	3.19%

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## REV. RUL. 2015-8 TABLE 5

Rate Under Section 7520 for May 2015

Applicable federal rate for determining the present value of an annuity, an interest for life or a term of years, or a remainder or reversionary interest	1.8%
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