



# Interest on early payments and overpayments of tax 2022

Interest rates for interest we pay on early payments, overpayments, and delay in paying your refund for 2021–22.

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## When we pay interest on early payments and overpayments

We pay interest on certain early payments, overpayments of tax and where there is a delay in refunding amounts from a running balance account.

The interest rate arrangements apply to individuals, taxable trusts, companies and superannuation funds.

Interest is only payable if it is 50c or more.

We pay interest where:

- you make an early payment
- you overpay tax
- there is a delay in paying your refund.

## Interest rates for 2021–22

The rate we use in calculating your interest is set by law and is reviewed every quarter.

For information on current quarterly interest rates, see [Credit interest rates and calculation](#).

## Interest rates used for calculation of early payments, overpayments, and delayed refunds (2021–22)

Period	Interest rate (% pa)
1 July 2021 to 30 September 2021	0.04
1 October 2021 to 31 December 2021	0.01
1 January 2022 to 31 March 2022	0.04
1 April 2022 to 30 June 2022	0.07

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