TD 60 - Capital Gains: Can the value of a taxpayer's labour be included in the cost base of an asset constructed or created by the taxpayer?

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CGT Determination Number 60

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Determination

1. No. Where an asset is constructed or created by the taxpayer, no value can be attributed to that labour for inclusion in the cost base of the asset.

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