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Check Eligibility

Social Security Number

* 9 numbers, no spaces or dashes

Last Name

* 1-17 letters, no spaces, dashes, or other special characters

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If Your Return Is Not Ready, Sign Up to Get an Email When It Is



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Eligibility Status

You appear to be eligible for ReadyReturn. However, we have not received your final wage information from your employer or it has not been updated in our system yet. Please check back after January 16, 2012.

Don't want to wait? You can file your return now, directly to us for free with

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If you would like to wait for ReadyReturn, we can send you an email when your return is ready. Please enter your email address below:

Email address:

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If Your Return Is Ready, You Will Need Your CSN to Access It



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Eligibility Status

You are eligible for ReadyReturn and your return is ready. To view your return, get your [Customer Service Number \(CSN\)](#) and enter it below.

CSN

* 4 numbers

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View Your ReadyReturn Information



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Review Your ReadyReturn

View Your Return

ReadyReturn uses information from your 2010 tax return and the information we received from your employer. We used the following to build your ReadyReturn:

Social Security Number	*****2785
Name & Address	JON TAXPAYER 123 MAIN STREET ANYTOWN CA 94551
Filing Status	SINGLE
Number of Dependents	0
Claimed as a Dependent	NO
Employer	ANY CORPORATION

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FORM

California Resident Income Tax Return 2011

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Fiscal year filers only: Enter month of year end: month _____ year 2012.

Your first name JON	Initial J	Last name TAXPAYER	Your SSN or ITIN 700-00-2785	P
If joint tax return, spouse's/RDP's first name	Initial	Last name	Spouse's/RDP's SSN or ITIN	AC

Address (number and street, PO Box, or PMB no.) 123 MAIN STREET		Apt. no./Ste. no.	PBA Code	A
City (If you have a foreign address, see page 7.) ANYTOWN		State CA	ZIP Code 94551	R RP

Date of Birth

Your DOB (mm/dd/yyyy) _____
 Spouse's/RDP's DOB (mm/dd/yyyy) _____

Prior Name

If you filed your 2010 tax return under a different last name, write the last name only from the 2010 tax return.

Taxpayer _____
 Spouse/RDP _____

Filing Status

1 Single
 2 Married/RDP filing jointly. (see page 3)
 3 Married/RDP filing separately. Enter spouse's/RDP's SSN or ITIN above and full name here _____
 If your California filing status is different from your federal filing status, fill in the circle here

6 If someone can claim you (or your spouse/RDP) as a dependent, fill in the circle here (see page 7) 6

► For line 7, line 8, line 9, and line 10: Multiply the amount you enter in the box by the pre-printed dollar amount for that line. **Whole dollars only**

7 **Personal:** If you filled in 1, 3, or 4 above, enter 1 in the box. If you filled in 2 or 5, enter 2, in the box. If you filled in the circle on line 6, see page 7. 7 X \$102 = \$ 102

8 **Blind:** If you (or your spouse/RDP) are visually impaired, enter 1:

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Tell Us if You Need to Make Changes



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Accept My ReadyReturn or Make Changes

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If you had any changes to your tax situation in 2011, the amount of your tax may be different than the amount shown on your ReadyReturn. You **must** revise your ReadyReturn to reflect these changes.

View the list of [possible changes](#) you can make to your ReadyReturn online.

Caution: If you need to make changes not listed, you may not be able to use ReadyReturn. Please review the [qualifications](#) before continuing.

Do you need to make changes? At least one box must be checked.

Yes, I need to make changes.

Common Changes

- Claiming the [Nonrefundable Renter's Credit](#)
- Adding or adjusting income
- Claiming additional credits
- Itemizing deductions
- Changing filing status
- Changing dependent status
- Changing number of dependents
- Making a voluntary contribution

Yes, I need to change my name or address.

No, I am ready to accept and e-file my ReadyReturn. [?](#)

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Your Old Address



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Change Name & Address

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Social Security Number	*****2785
First Name	<input type="text" value="JON"/>
Middle Initial	<input type="text"/>
Last Name	<input type="text" value="TAXPAYER"/>
Suffix	<input type="text"/>
Street Address	<input type="text" value="123 MAIN STREET"/>
Apartment Number	<input type="text"/>
City	<input type="text" value="ANYTOWN"/>
State	<input type="text" value="CA"/>
ZIP Code	<input type="text" value="94551"/>

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Enter Your Current Address

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ReadyReturn [←](#) **Change Name & Address**

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Social Security Number *****2785

First Name

Middle Initial

Last Name

Suffix

Street Address 

Apartment Number

City

State

ZIP Code 

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Get Your Refund by Direct Deposit



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Refund or Payment

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Based on the information you provided, you have a **refund** of **\$168**

Direct deposit is the fastest way to get your refund. Provide the following information to get your refund deposited into your bank account (usually in less than 1 week) or choose another refund option below.

Bank Account Information

Routing Number *

Account Number *

Please re-enter your Routing and Account Numbers

Routing Number *

Account Number *

Account Type * Checking Savings

Other Refund Options

If you want to change how you receive your refund, choose another option below.

I want to get my refund:

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Review Your Updated ReadyReturn Information



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Return Summary

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Please review this summary of your 2011 California Resident Income Tax Return before you e-file it. You may want to print this page for your reference. **Your return has not yet been filed.**

Name & Address	JON TAXPAYER 456 FIRST AVE ANYTOWN CA 94577
Social Security Number	*****2785
Filing Status	SINGLE
Number of Dependents	0
Federal Adjusted Gross Income(Wages + taxable interest + unemployment compensation)	\$33,000
California Income Adjustments - Subtractions	? \$0
Deduction Type	STANDARD
Deduction Amount	? \$3,769
Taxable Income	? \$29,231
Tax	\$784
Total Exemptions	? \$102
Total Tax	? \$682
Total Payments	? \$850
Tax Subtotal	? \$168 OVERPAID TAX

View Your Final Return



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View, Sign & Submit Return

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Step 1 of 3: View and Print Your Return

You must view and print your return before you submit it. Click the "View Return" button to view a copy of your final return in PDF format. Once you review your return, print a copy for your records, and then close the window.

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Click the "Back" button below if you need to change any information.

Please check the box:

* I have printed a copy of my return for my records.

Step 2 of 3: Sign Form FTB 8453-OL and Read the Consent Language

To e-file your return, you must:

- **Sign** Form FTB 8453-OL (printed with your return) and retain for your records. **Note:** Do not mail Form 8453-OL to FTB
- **Read** the Consent to Disclosure.

Consent to Disclosure

By transmitting my return electronically to the FTB, I consent to receiving communications electronically from the FTB relating to the status of my return, including an acknowledgment of receipt of transmission, an indication of whether or not my return is accepted, and, if rejected, the reason (s) for the rejection. By submitting my tax return electronically, I consent to the disclosure to the FTB of all information pertaining to my use of this system, including the Internet Provider address.

I am transmitting my return electronically to the Franchise Tax Board (FTB). I acknowledge that I have reviewed and printed my return for my records, printed and signed Form FTB 8453-OL, and read and agreed to the FTB "Consent to Disclosure" on this screen and, if applicable, the "Electronic Funds Withdrawal Consent". **Under penalties of perjury under the laws of the state of California, I declare that I have examined my 2011 California income tax return, including any accompanying statements and schedules, and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the information is true, correct, and complete.** By submitting my return electronically to the FTB, I declare that the above statements are true and correct.

e-file Your Return Directly to Us

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Step 3 of 3: Submit Your Return

When you are ready to e-file your return, click the "Submit" button below.

Caution: Once you click the "Submit" button, you will not be able to come back to ReadyReturn to get a copy of your return or make changes. **Please make sure your return is correct and that you have a copy for your records.**

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Get Instant Confirmation That We Received Your Return



Confirmation

Return Received

We received your 2011 California Resident Income Tax Return for processing on **01/06/2012**.

Your Declaration Control Number (DCN) is:
11001648418892

This number is your confirmation that you have successfully e-filed your return.

Please print a copy of this page for your records.

Refund Information

Account Type: Checking	Date request made: 01/06/2012
Account Number Ending: 6456	Deposit of Refund Amount: \$168

You do not need to mail anything to FTB.

Record Keeping

Keep the following documents for four years from the date the return was filed or for four years from the due date of the return, whichever is later:

- Your DCN
- A copy of your return
- All supporting documents (e.g., Form W-2, Schedule CA, etc.)

For more information, check our [frequently asked questions](#).

Let us know what you think!

Take our short, anonymous survey to tell us about your ReadyReturn experience.

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ReadyReturn ReadyReturn Survey

Thank you for using ReadyReturn to file your California income tax return. We value your opinion and hope that you will take a few minutes to complete our short survey.

1. I feel ReadyReturn:

	Yes	No	No Opinion
A Was easy to understand.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
B Made me feel less nervous about filing my tax return.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
C Kept my personal information secure.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
D Is the type of service the government should provide.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

2. Would you use ReadyReturn next year?

Yes
 No
 Don't know

3. What is your overall satisfaction using ReadyReturn?

Very Satisfied
 Satisfied
 Dissatisfied
 Very Dissatisfied

4. How long did it take you to complete your return using ReadyReturn?

Less than 15 minutes
 15 to 30 minutes
 30 minutes to 1 hour