

e-File Rate: Individual Income Tax Returns

As a strategic measure specifically articulated in the *Internal Revenue Service Restructuring and Reform Act of 1998*, the rate of electronic filing for individual tax returns is an important gauge of progress in the advancement of electronic tax administration. Increased electronic filing reduces the number of returns submitted with errors and also saves on IRS processing costs. The target value is for 90 percent of all individual income tax returns to be filed electronically by the year 2017.

