
ESTIMATED REVENUE FROM AN ALASKA STATE SALES TAX

The table shows the estimated revenue from an Alaska statewide sales tax with no exemptions and with estimated average exemptions for various tax rates from 1 to 8 percent.

Tax Rate	Estimated Revenue in \$ Millions, with no Exemptions	Per Capita Revenue	Estimated Revenue in \$ Millions, with Exemptions	Per Capita Revenue
1%	110	\$173.70	75	\$118.40
2%	220	\$347.40	150	\$236.90
3%	330	\$521.10	225	\$355.30
4%	440	\$694.80	300	\$473.70
5%	550	\$868.60	375	\$592.10
6%	660	\$1,042.10	450	\$710.60
7%	770	\$1,215.80	525	\$828.90
8%	880	\$1,389.50	600	\$947.40

Source: Developed by the authors from Alaska Department of Revenue, Tax Division, *Revenue Book, Fall 2002*, at <http://www.tax.alaska.gov/programs/documentviewer/viewer.aspx?831f>; U.S. Census Bureau, *Annual Estimates of the Resident Population for the United States, Regions, States, and Puerto Rico: April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2009*, at <http://www.census.gov/popest/states/NST-ann-est.html>. In part, based on the Alaska Department of Revenue and Office of Management and Budget revenue estimates from 1 percent statewide sales tax in 2002 of \$150 million a year for every 1 percent of an Alaska statewide sales tax on retail goods and services, assuming no exemptions, and \$115 million a year for a 1 percent statewide sales tax if foods, shelter, and medical goods and services were exempted.