Timeline of Availability of the 2012 IRS Data Retrieval Tool

AVAILABILITY OF 2012 IRS DRT / REQUEST FOR TAX RETURN TRANSCRIPTS

TAX FILING STATUS	IRS DRT AVAILABLE	IRS TAX TRANSCRIPT REQUEST
	Tax Return Filed Electronically	**Tax Return Filed by Paper**
At the time your tax return was submitted to IRS, ***you have no amount owed or you expect a refund.***	Generally tax returns are accepted by the ***IRS within a day or two of the return having been electronically filed*** with the IRS. In most cases, IRS DRT is available and an IRS Tax Return Transcript may be requested ***within 2-3 weeks after the return has been accepted*** by the IRS/	Generally tax returns are accepted by the IRS ***when the tax return is received by the IRS***. In most cases, IRS DRT is available and an IRS Tax Return Transcript may be requested ***within 8-11 weeks after the tax return has been accepted*** by the IRS.
Have an amount owed when tax return filed and you ***pay the full amount due at the time of filing.***	Generally tax returns are ***accepted by the IRS within a day or two of the return having been electronically filed*** with the IRS. In most cases, IRS DRT is available and an IRS Tax Return Transcript may be requested within ***2-3 weeks after the return has been accepted by the IRS***.	IRS will ***process the tax return in June.*** In most cases, IRS DRT is available and an IRS Tax Return Transcript may be requested within ***2-3 weeks after the tax return has been processed*** by the IRS.
Have an amount owed and subsequent to submitting your tax return to the IRS (after taxes filed), you ***pay the full amount due.***	Generally tax returns are accepted by the IRS ***within a day or two of the return having been electronically filed*** with the IRS. In most cases, IRS DRT is available and an IRS Tax Return Transcript may be requested ***within 3-4 weeks after the full payment is made.***	IRS will process the tax return ***in June.*** In most cases, IRS DRT is available and an IRS Tax Return Transcript may be requested ***within 2-3 weeks after the tax return has been processed*** by the IRS.
At the time your tax return was submitted to the IRS, *you have an amount owed* and ***have not paid this in full.***	Generally tax returns are accepted by the IRS within a day or two of the return having been electronically filed with the IRS. However, IRS will ***not process the return until May.*** In most cases, IRS DRT is available may be requested within ***2-3 weeks after the return has been processed in May.***	IRS will process the tax return ***in June.*** In most cases an IRS Tax Return Transcript may be requested ***within 2-3 weeks after the tax return has been processed*** by the IRS.

Tax Filers can expect to receive their IRS Transcript:

If requested **online**: **5-10** business days after request submitted

If requested **by phone**: **5-10** business days after request submitted

If requested **by paper***: **30** calendar days from the time the IRS receives and process the signed request.

*(IRS Form 4506-T or IRS Form 4506T-EZ)