

The following table provides a summary the most common limitations that impact qualified retirement plans and IRAs. To learn more about how these limits affect you and your plan participants, please contact us.

Plan/IRA Limit	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010
Maximum Deferral – 401(k), 403(b) & 457(b)	18,500	18,000	18,000	18,000	17,500	17,500	16,500	16,500	16,500
Catch-Up Contribution – 401(k), 403(b) & 457(b)	6,000	6,000	6,000	6,000	5,500	5,500	5,500	5,500	5,500
DC Plans - Maximum Annual Contribution	55,000	54,000	53,000	53,000	52,000	51,000	49,000	49,000	49,000
DB Plans – Maximum Annual Benefit	220,000	215,000	210,000	210,000	210,000	205,000	195,000	195,000	195,000
Maximum Plan Compensation	275,000	270,000	265,000	265,000	260,000	255,000	245,000	245,000	245,000
Highly Compensated Employees	120,000	120,000	120,000	120,000	115,000	115,000	115,000	110,000	110,000
Key Employee Status for Officers	175,000	175,000	170,000	170,000	170,000	165,000	165,000	160,000	160,000
Key Employee Status for 1% Owners	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000
Social Security Taxable Wage Base	128,700	127,200	118,500	118,500	117,000	110,100	110,100	106,800	106,800
Maximum Contribution for SIMPLE	12,500	12,500	12,500	12,500	12,000	11,500	11,500	11,500	11,500
Catch-Up Contributions for SIMPLE	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	2,500	2,500	2,500	2,500	2,500
Individual Retirement Account (IRA) Limit	5,500	5,500	5,500	5,500	5,500	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000
IRA Catch-Up	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000

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