# Schedule A (Form 940) for 2020:

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## **Multi-State Employer and Credit Reduction Information**

Department of the Treasury — Internal Revenue Service

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Employer identification number (EIN	
Name (not your trade name)	

See the instructions on page 2. File this schedule with Form 940.

Place an "X" in the box of EVERY state in which you had to pay state unemployment tax this year. For the U.S. Virgin Islands, enter the FUTA taxable wages and the reduction rate (see page 2). Multiply the FUTA taxable wages by the reduction rate and enter the credit reduction amount. Don't include in the *FUTA Taxable Wages* box wages that were excluded from state unemployment tax (see the instructions for Step 2). If any states don't apply to you, leave them blank.

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Po	ostal eviation	FUTA Taxable Wages	Reduction Rate	Credit Reduction	Po Abbr	ostal eviation	FUTA Taxable Wages	Reduction Rate	Credit Reduction	
	AK	-				NC				
	AL	•				ND	•		•	
	AR	•		•		NE	•		•	
	AZ	•				NH	-		-	
	CA	•				NJ			-	
	CO	•				NM			-	
	CT					NV			-	
	DC					NY			-	
	DE					ОН			-	
	FL					ОК	-		-	
	GA					OR	-		-	
	HI					PA			•	
	IA					RI			•	
	ID					sc			•	
	IL					SD	•		•	
	IN	•				TN	•		•	
	KS	-				TX	•		•	
	KY	-				UT	•		•	
	LA	-				VA			•	
	MA	-				VT			•	
	MD	-				WA			•	
	ME	•				WI	•			
	MI	•				WV				
	MN	•				WY				
	МО	•				PR				
	MS	•				VI				
	МТ									

## **Instructions for Schedule A (Form 940) for 2020:**

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#### Specific Instructions: Completing Schedule A

Step 1. Place an "X" in the box of every state (including the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands) in which you had to pay state unemployment taxes this year, even if the state's credit reduction rate is zero.

**Note:** Make sure that you have applied for a state reporting number for your business. If you don't have an unemployment account in a state in which you paid wages, contact the state unemployment agency to receive one. For a list of state unemployment agencies, visit the U.S. Department of Labor's website at <a href="https://oui.doleta.gov/unemploy/agencies.asp">https://oui.doleta.gov/unemploy/agencies.asp</a>.

The table below provides the two-letter postal abbreviations used on Schedule A.

State	Postal Abbreviation	State	Postal Abbreviation
Alabama	AL	Montana	MT
Alaska	AK	Nebraska	NE
Arizona	AZ	Nevada	NV
Arkansas	AR	New Hampshire	NH
California	CA	New Jersey	NJ
Colorado	CO	New Mexico	NM
Connecticut	CT	New York	NY
Delaware	DE	North Carolina	NC
District of Columbia	ı DC	North Dakota	ND
Florida	FL	Ohio	ОН
Georgia	GA	Oklahoma	OK
Hawaii	HI	Oregon	OR
Idaho	ID	Pennsylvania	PA
Illinois	IL	Rhode Island	RI
Indiana	IN	South Carolina	SC
Iowa	IA	South Dakota	SD
Kansas	KS	Tennessee	TN
Kentucky	KY	Texas	TX
Louisiana	LA	Utah	UT
Maine	ME	Vermont	VT
Maryland	MD	Virginia	VA
Massachusetts	MA	Washington	WA
Michigan	MI	West Virginia	WV
Minnesota	MN	Wisconsin	WI
Mississippi	MS	Wyoming	WY
Missouri	MO	Puerto Rico	PR
		U.S. Virgin Islands	VI

**Credit reduction state.** For 2020, the U.S. Virgin Islands (USVI) is the only credit reduction state. The credit reduction rate is 0.03 (3.0%).

# Step 2. You're subject to credit reduction if you paid FUTA taxable wages that were also subject to state unemployment taxes in the USVI.

In the FUTA Taxable Wages box, enter the total FUTA taxable wages that you paid in the USVI. (The FUTA wage base for all states is \$7,000.) However, don't include in the FUTA Taxable Wages box wages that were excluded from state unemployment tax. For example, if you paid \$5,000 in FUTA taxable wages in the USVI but \$1,000 of those wages were excluded from state unemployment tax, report \$4,000 in the FUTA Taxable Wages box.

**Note:** Don't enter your state unemployment wages in the *FUTA Taxable Wages* box.

Enter the reduction rate and then multiply the total FUTA taxable wages by the reduction rate.

Enter your total in the *Credit Reduction* box at the end of the line.

#### Step 3. Total credit reduction

To calculate the total credit reduction, add up all of the *Credit Reduction* boxes and enter the amount in the *Total Credit Reduction* box.

Then enter the total credit reduction on Form 940, line 11.

#### Example 1

You paid \$20,000 in wages to each of three employees in State A. State A is subject to credit reduction at a rate of 0.03 (3.0%). Because you paid wages in a state that is subject to credit reduction, you must complete Schedule A and file it with Form 940.

Total payments to all employees in State A					\$60,000
Payments exempt from FUTA tax (see the Instructions for Form 940)					. \$0
Total payments made to each employee in excess of \$7,000 $(3 \times (\$20,000 - \$7,000))$ .					\$39,000
Total FUTA taxable wages you paid in State the FUTA Taxable Wages box (\$60,000 - \$0					\$21,000
Credit reduction rate for State A					. 0.03
Total credit reduction for State A (\$21,000 x	0.03	3)			\$630.00



Don't include in the FUTA Taxable Wages box wages in excess of the \$7,000 wage base for each employee subject to state unemployment insurance in the credit reduction state. The credit reduction applies only

to FUTA taxable wages that were also subject to state unemployment tax.

In this case, you would write \$630.00 in the *Total Credit Reduction* box and then enter that amount on Form 940, line 11.

#### Example 2

You paid \$48,000 (\$4,000 a month) in wages to Mary Smith and no payments were exempt from FUTA tax. Mary worked in State B (not subject to credit reduction) in January and then transferred to State C (subject to credit reduction) on February 1. Because you paid wages in more than one state, you must complete Schedule A and file it with Form 940.

The total payments in State B that aren't exempt from FUTA tax are \$4,000. Since this payment to Mary doesn't exceed the \$7,000 FUTA wage base, the total FUTA taxable wages paid in State B are \$4,000.

The total payments in State C that aren't exempt from FUTA tax are \$44,000. However, \$4,000 of FUTA taxable wages was paid in State B with respect to Mary. Therefore, the total FUTA taxable wages with respect to Mary in State C are \$3,000 (\$7,000 (FUTA wage base) - \$4,000 (total FUTA taxable wages paid in State B)). Enter \$3,000 in the FUTA Taxable Wages box, multiply it by the Reduction Rate, and then enter the result in the Credit Reduction box.

Attach Schedule A to Form 940 when you file your return.