

PENNSYLVANIA COMPENSATION RATING BUREAU  
F CLASS FILING

Tax Multiplier

Enclosed is a calculation of the tax multiplier for use in retrospective rating associated with F Class coverages.

**CALCULATION OF TAX MULTIPLIER FOR USE IN RETROSPECTIVE RATING PLANS  
(U.S.L. & H.W. Act Coverages)**

**Expense Provisions for U.S.L. & H.W. Classes**

Losses	58.22
Loss Adjustment Expense	7.78
Loss & Loss Adjustment	66.00
Premium Discount	9.94
Acquisition	8.29
General Expenses	3.13
Profit and Contingencies	(5.66)
Taxes	2.32
Security Fund	1.00
Uncollectible Premium	0.50
Federal Assessment	14.48
	34.00

If

- T = Tax multiplier
- E = Expense provision in rates (General, Acquisition, and Profit), less premium discount
- L = Loss provision in rates
- C = Loss conversion factor
- B = Assessments made on premiums
- A = Assessments made on losses (adjusted so as not to collect profit and general expense dollars on the extra premium generated by the assessments)

Using average discount (Schedules X & Y combined) this yields:

$$E = (0.0418) = \frac{ACQ}{0.0829} + \frac{GEN}{0.0313} + \frac{PROFIT}{(0.0566)} - \frac{PREM DISC}{0.0994}$$

$$A = 0.2626 = 0.2488 \times \frac{1 - 0.0418 - 0.0382}{1 - 0.0111 - 0.0382}$$

Then

$$T = \frac{E + L(1 + C + A)}{E + L(1 + C)} \times \frac{1}{1 - B}$$

$$T = \frac{-0.0418 + 0.5822(1 + 0.1337 + 0.2626)}{-0.0418 + 0.5822(1 + 0.1337)} \times \frac{1}{1 - 0.0382} = 1.2968$$