



**Form 355A
Domestic Business or Manufacturing
Corporation Excise Return**

1999
Massachusetts
Department of Revenue

Registration	For calendar year 1999 or taxable period beginning		1999 and ending		
	Name of corporation ▶ _____		Federal business code ▶ _____	Federal Identification number (FID) ▶ _____	
	Principal business address _____		City/Town _____	State _____	Zip _____
	Principal business address in Massachusetts _____		City/Town _____	State _____	Zip _____
	1. ▶ Is corporation participating in the filing of U.S. consolidated return? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (Enter name and FID of common parent corporation below.) <input type="checkbox"/> No ▶ _____		2. ▶ Is corporation participating in the filing of Mass. combined return? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (If "Yes," do not file this form — see instructions.) <input type="checkbox"/> No		
	3. Date of charter in Mass.: _____	4. Kind of business: <input type="checkbox"/> R&D <input type="checkbox"/> Classified Manufacturing	5. Corporation's books in care of: _____	6. ▶ Check if corp is a Regulated Investment Company: <input type="checkbox"/> RIC	
	7. Average number of employees: in Mass.: _____ Everywhere: _____	8. ▶ Check applicable box: <input type="checkbox"/> R&D <input type="checkbox"/> Classified Manufacturing	9. ▶ Last year audited by IRS _____ Adjustments reported to Mass.? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No (attach explanation)	10. IRS forms filed: <input type="checkbox"/> 1120 <input type="checkbox"/> 1120-A <input type="checkbox"/> 851 <input type="checkbox"/> 5471 <input type="checkbox"/> 4255	
	11. ▶ <input type="checkbox"/> Requesting alternative apportionment (attach Form AA-1)		13. ▶ Check appropriate box: (a) <input type="checkbox"/> new business (b) <input type="checkbox"/> business terminated (c) <input type="checkbox"/> business has predecessor (d) <input type="checkbox"/> business has successor. If (c) or (d) is checked, enter name, address, state of incorporation and FID of such other business organization _____		
	12. ▶ Check applicable box (attach Form F-2): <input type="checkbox"/> Defense corporation electing single sales factor apportionment <input type="checkbox"/> Section 38 manufacturer <input type="checkbox"/> Mutual Fund Service Corporation				

Excise	1. Taxable Mass. tangible property, if applicable (Schedule C, line 4) ▶ \$ _____ x .0026 = _____ ▶ 1	
	2. Taxable net worth, if applicable (Schedule D, line 23) ▶ \$ _____ x .0026 = _____ ▶ 2	
	3. Mass Schedule E, line 19 ▶ \$ _____ x .095 = _____ ▶ 3	
	4. Excise before credits. <i>Add lines 1 or 2, whichever applies, to line 3</i> ▶ 4	
Credits	5. Economic Opportunity Area Credit (Schedule H, line 25B) ▶ 5	
	6. Property Tax Credit for new facility in poverty area (Schedule H, line 13B) ▶ 6	
	7. 3% credit for certain new or expanded investments (Schedule H, line 18B) ▶ 7	
	8. Vanpool Credit (Schedule H, line 14B) ▶ 8	
	9. Credit carryover (Sch. H, total of lines 15B, 16B, 17B, 19B, 20B, 21B, 22B, 23B, 24B & 26B) ▶ 9	
	10. Research Credit (Schedule RC, line 26; or RC-A, line 30) ▶ 10	
	11. Harbor Maintenance Tax Credit (Schedule HM, line 12) ▶ 11	
	12. Full Employment Credit (Schedule FEC, line 21) ▶ 12	
	13. Brownfields Credit (Schedule BC, line 8) ▶ 13	
	14. Total credits. <i>Add lines 5 through 13</i> ▶ 14	
Tax	15. Excise after credits. <i>Subtract line 14 from line 4</i> ▶ 15	
	16. Minimum excise (cannot be prorated) ▶ 16	456
	17. Excise due before voluntary contribution (line 15 or line 16, whichever is greater) ▶ 17	
	18. Voluntary contribution for endangered wildlife conservation. ▶ 18	
	19. Credit Recapture. ITC ▶ \$ _____; EOA ▶ \$ _____. Attach Schedule H-2; see instructions. Total ▶ 19	
	20. Excise due plus voluntary contribution and recapture. <i>Add lines 17, 18 and 19</i> ▶ 20	
Refund/Tax Due	21. 1998 overpayment applied to your 1999 estimated tax ▶ 21	
	22. 1999 Massachusetts estimated tax payments (do not include amount in line 21) ▶ 22	
	23. Payments made with extension ▶ 23	
	24. Amount overpaid. <i>Subtract line 20 from the total of lines 21, 22 and 23</i> ▶ 24	
	25. Amount overpaid to be credited to 2000 estimated tax ▶ 25	
	26. Amount overpaid to be refunded. <i>Subtract line 25 from line 24</i> ▶ 26	
	27. Balance Due. <i>Subtract the total of lines 21, 22 and 23 from line 20</i> Balance due ▶ 27	
	28. M-2220 penalty ▶ \$ _____; Late file/pay penalties ▶ \$ _____ Total penalty ▶ 28	
	29. Interest on unpaid balance. ▶ 29	
	30. Total payment due at time of filing. <i>Make remittance payable to: Commonwealth of Massachusetts</i> Total due ▶ 30	

Use whole dollar method

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Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than taxpayer) is based on all information of which he/she has knowledge.			
Signature of appropriate officer (see instructions)	Date	Social Security number	Title
Individual or firm signature of preparer	Date	Employer ID number	Address

If you are signing as an authorized delegate of the appropriate officer, check here and attach Mass. Form M-2848, Power of Attorney.
Mail to: Massachusetts Department of Revenue, PO Box 7005, Boston, MA 02204.

Assets	A. Original cost	B. Accumulated depreciation & amortization	C. Net book value
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Tangible assets within Massachusetts

1. Capital assets in Massachusetts:

a Buildings ▶ 1a	\$		\$
b Land ▶ 1b			
c Motor vehicles and trailers ▶ 1c			
d Machinery taxed locally ▶ 1d			
e Machinery not taxed locally ▶ 1e			
f Equipment ▶ 1f			
g Fixtures ▶ 1g			
h Leasehold improvements taxed locally ▶ 1h			
i Leaseholds and improvements not taxed locally ▶ 1i			
j Other fixed assets (attach schedule) ▶ 1j			
k Construction in progress ▶ 1k			

l Total Capital Assets in Massachusetts ▶ 1l

2. Inventories in Massachusetts:

a General merchandise ▶ 2a			
b Exempt goods (attach schedule) ▶ 2b			

3. Supplies in Massachusetts ▶ 3

4. Total tangible assets in Massachusetts ▶ 4			
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Tangible assets outside of Massachusetts

5. Capital assets outside of Massachusetts:

a Buildings and other depreciable assets ▶ 5a			
b Land ▶ 5b			

6. Leaseholds/leasehold improvements outside Massachusetts ▶ 6

7. Total capital assets outside Massachusetts ▶ 7			
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8. Inventories outside Massachusetts ▶ 8			
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9. Supplies outside Massachusetts ▶ 9			
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10. Total tangible assets outside of Massachusetts ▶ 10			
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11. Total tangible assets. <i>Add lines 4 and 10</i> ▶ 11			
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12. Investments (capital stock investments and equity contributions **only**):

a Massachusetts subsidiary corporations 80% or more owned (attach schedule) ▶ 12a			
b Massachusetts corporations less than 80% owned ▶ 12b			
c Other investments (attach schedule) ▶ 12c			

13. Notes receivable ▶ 13	\$	Reserve	\$	
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14. Accounts receivable ▶ 14	\$	Reserve	\$	
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15. Intercompany receivables (attach schedule) ▶ 15			
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16. Cash ▶ 16			
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17. Other assets (attach schedule) ▶ 17			
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18. Total assets ▶ 18			\$
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Liabilities and Capital

19. Mortgages on:

a Massachusetts tangible property taxed locally ▶ 19a			\$
b Massachusetts tangible property not taxed locally ▶ 19b			
c Tangible property located outside Massachusetts ▶ 19c			

20. Bonds and other funded debt ▶ 20			
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21. Accounts payable \$ _____ Notes payable \$ _____ ▶ 21			
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22. Notes payable to stockholders \$ _____ and affiliates \$ _____ ▶ 22			
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23. Miscellaneous current liabilities (attach schedule) ▶ 23			
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24. Taxes accrued (attach schedule) ▶ 24			
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25. Miscellaneous accrued liabilities (attach schedule) ▶ 25			
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26. Total liabilities ▶ 26			
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27. Capital stock:

	Par	Shares issued	Amount	
a Common ▶ 27a			\$	
b Preferred ▶ 27b				
c Total capital stock issued ▶ 27c				

28. Paid-in or capital surplus (attach reconciliation)	28	
29. Surplus reserves (attach schedule)	29	
30. a Retained earnings 30a	\$	
b Undistributed S corporation net income 30b		
c Total 30c		
31. Treasury stock (attach schedule)	31	
32. Total liabilities and capital	32	\$

Schedule B. Tangible or Intangible Property Corporation Classification

Note: Enter all values as net book values from Schedule A, column C. See instructions; see DD 99-1 and TIR 99-3.

1. Total Massachusetts tangible property (Schedule A, line 4)	1	\$
2. Massachusetts real estate (Schedule A, lines 1a and 1b)	2	\$
3. Massachusetts motor vehicles and trailers (Schedule A, line 1c)	3	
4. Massachusetts machinery taxed locally. Manufacturing corporations enter "0" (Schedule A, line 1d)	4	
5. Massachusetts leasehold improvements taxed locally (Schedule A, line 1h)	5	
6. Massachusetts tangible property subject to local taxation. <i>Add lines 2, 3, 4 and 5</i>	▶ 6	
7. Massachusetts tangible property not subject to local taxation. <i>Subtract line 6 from line 1</i>	7	\$
8. Total assets (Schedule A, line 18)	8	\$
9. Massachusetts tangible property subject to local taxation (line 6 above)	9	
10. Total assets not subject to Massachusetts local taxation. <i>Subtract line 9 from line 8</i>	10	\$
11. Income apportionment percentage (Schedule F, line 5)	11	%
12. Allocated assets not subject to local taxation. <i>Multiply line 10 by line 11</i>	▶ 12	\$
13. Domestic tangible property percentage. <i>Divide line 7 by line 12</i>	▶ 13	%
14. Investments only in foreign corporations not doing business in Massachusetts. See instructions	▶ 14	
15. Assets subject to allocation. <i>Subtract line 14 from line 10</i>	15	\$
16. Income apportionment percentage (Schedule F, line 5)	16	%
17. Allocated assets. <i>Multiply line 15 by line 16</i>	▶ 17	\$
18. Foreign tangible property percentage. <i>Divide line 7 by line 17</i>	▶ 18	%
19. Enter line 13 or line 18. See instructions	19	%

Note: If line 19 is 10% or more, complete Schedule C. If line 19 is less than 10%, complete Schedule D.

Schedule C. Tangible Property Corporation — Value of Taxable Massachusetts Tangible Property

Note: Complete this schedule only if Schedule B, line 19 is 10% or more. Enter all values as net book values from Schedule A, column C.

1. Total Massachusetts tangible property (Schedule A, line 4)	1	\$
2. Exempt Massachusetts tangible property:		
a Massachusetts real estate (Schedule A, lines 1a and 1b) 2a		\$
b Massachusetts motor vehicles and trailers (Schedule A, line 1c) 2b		
c Massachusetts machinery taxed locally (Schedule A, line 1d)* 2c		
d Massachusetts leasehold improvements taxed locally (Schedule A, line 1h) 2d		
e Exempt goods (Schedule A, line 2b) 2e		
f Certified Massachusetts industrial waste/air treatment facilities 2f		
g Certified Massachusetts solar or wind power deduction 2g		
3. Total exempt Massachusetts tangible property. <i>Add lines 2a through 2g</i>	3	
4. Taxable Massachusetts tangible property. <i>Subtract line 3 from line 1. Do not enter less than "0"</i>	4	\$

(Enter line 4 as line 1 and enter zero as line 2 in the Computation of Excise)

***Manufacturing corporations enter zero in line 2c above.**

Corporate Disclosure Schedule. Massachusetts requires all corporations to complete the following items.

1. Enter the amount for Charitable Contributions (U.S. Form 1120 or 1120-A, line 19)	▶ \$
2. Enter the amount of the deduction for federal research expenses (included in U.S. 1120 or 1120-A) allowed under IRC sec. 174, plus the credit for research allowed by IRC sec. 41	▶ \$

Enter in line 3a the amounts of any accelerated depreciation (ACRS, MACRS, or others) allowed as a federal deduction for the taxable year. In line 3b, enter depreciation for property included in line 3a determined by using generally accepted accounting principles.

	Equipment	Rental housing	Buildings (other than rental housing)	Pollution control facilities
3a. Enter any accelerated depreciation taken federally for	▶ \$	▶ \$	▶ \$	▶ \$
3b. Depreciation calculated according to generally accepted accounting principles	▶ \$	▶ \$	▶ \$	▶ \$
3c. <i>Subtract line 3b from line 3a. Enter result here</i>	\$	\$	\$	\$

Schedule D. Intangible Property Corporation — Value of Net Worth Allocated to Massachusetts

(Complete this schedule only if Schedule B, line 19 is less than 10%). **Note:** Enter all values as net book values from Schedule A, column C

1. Total assets (Schedule A, line 18)	1	\$	
2. Total liabilities (Schedule A, line 26)	2	\$	
3. Mass. tangible property subject to local taxation (Schedule B, line 6)	3	\$	
4. Less any mortgages thereon (Schedule A, line 19a). Enter result	4	\$	
5. Investments in and advances to subsidiaries which are 80% or more owned	5	\$	
6. Deductions from total assets. <i>Add lines 2, 4 and 5</i>	6	\$	
7. Allocable net worth, domestic corporation. <i>Subtract line 6 from line 1. Do not enter less than "0"</i>	7	\$	
8. Income apportionment percentage (Schedule F, line 5)	8		%
9. Taxable net worth, domestic calculation. <i>Multiply line 7 by line 8</i>	9	\$	
10. Total tangible assets (Schedule A, line 11)	10	\$	
11. Total intangible assets. <i>Subtract line 10 from line 1</i>	11	\$	
12. Investments in and advances to subsidiaries which are 80% or more owned	12		
13. <i>Subtract line 12 from line 11</i>	13	\$	
14. Income apportionment percentage (Schedule F, line 5)	14		%
15. Intangible assets allocable to Massachusetts. <i>Multiply line 13 by line 14</i>	15	\$	
16. Massachusetts tangible property not subject to local taxation (Schedule B, line 7)	16		
17. <i>Add line 15 and line 16</i>	17	\$	
18. Net worth ratio. <i>Divide line 17 by line 1</i>	18		%
19. Total assets (line 1 above)	19	\$	
20. Total liabilities (line 2 above)	20		
21. Net worth. <i>Subtract line 20 from line 19. Do not enter less than "0"</i>	21		
22. Taxable net worth, foreign calculation. <i>Multiply line 18 by line 21</i>	22	\$	
23. Enter the smaller of line 9 or line 22. Enter line 23 as line 2 and enter "0" on page 1, line 1 of the Computation of Excise	23	\$	

Schedule E-1. Dividends Deduction

1. Total dividends (U.S. Form 1120, Schedule C, line 19)	1	\$	
2. Dividends from Massachusetts corporate trusts (attach schedule)	2	\$	
3. Dividends from non-wholly-owned DISCs (attach schedule)	3		
4. Dividends, if less than 15% of voting stock owned:			
a. On common stock	4a		
b. On preferred stock	4b		
5. Total taxable dividends. <i>Add lines 2 through 4</i>	5		
6. Dividends eligible for deduction. <i>Subtract line 5 from line 1</i>	6		
7. Dividends deduction.* <i>Multiply line 6 by .95. Enter here and in Schedule E, line 11</i>	7	\$	

*Attach schedule showing payers, amounts and % of voting stock owned by class of stock.

Schedule E. Taxable Income

An exact copy of all pages of U.S. Form 1120 or 1120-A as filed must be attached to this return with applicable schedules and forms required to substantiate the Massachusetts excise. Any changes or amendments to any U.S. amount must be explained in detail. Any return filed without the copy of such U.S. information attached is an incomplete return and is subject to assessment penalties. Mutual fund service corporations, see instructions.

1. Gross receipts or sales (from U.S. Form 1120, line 1c or U.S. Form 1120-A, line 1c)	▶ 1	\$	
2. Gross profit (from U.S. Form 1120, line 3, or U.S. Form 1120-A, line 3)	▶ 2		
3. Other deductions (from U.S. Form 1120, line 26, or U.S. Form 1120-A, line 22)	▶ 3		
4. Net income as shown on line 28, U.S. Form 1120. See instructions for DISCs	▶ 4	\$	
5. Subtract from line 4 any allowable U.S. wage credit; enter result here (see Schedule E instructions)	▶ 5	\$	
6. State and municipal bond interest not included in U.S. net income	▶ 6		
7. Foreign, state or local income, franchise, excise or capital stock taxes deducted from U.S. net income	▶ 7		
8. Other adjustments (include expenses relating to research and development; attach schedule; see instructions)	▶ 8		
9. <i>Combine lines 5, 6, 7 and 8</i>	▶ 9	\$	
10. Abandoned Building Renovation deduction. Total cost \$_____ x .10 =	▶ 10	\$	
11. Dividends deduction (Schedule E-1, line 7)	▶ 11		
12. Subtotal. <i>Subtract lines 10 and 11 from line 9. If a loss, skip to line 19 and enter "0"</i>	▶ 12		
13. Loss carryover (Schedule E-2, line 8 or line 13, whichever applies)	▶ 13		
14. Income subject to apportionment. <i>Subtract line 13 from line 12</i>	▶ 14	\$	
15. Income apportionment percentage. (Schedule F, line 5 or 100%, whichever applies)	▶ 15		%
16. <i>Multiply line 14 (even if loss) by line 15</i>	▶ 16	\$	
17. Certified Massachusetts solar or wind power deduction	▶ 17	\$	
18. 25% of wages paid to eligible poverty area employees (from Schedule I-1, line 3)	▶ 18	\$	
19. Income taxable in Massachusetts. <i>Subtract total of lines 17 and 18 from line 16</i>	▶ 19	\$	

(Enter line 19 as line 3 in Computation of Excise. If loss, enter zero.)