

TAXABLE VS. TAX-ADVANTAGED SAVINGS

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INTRODUCTION

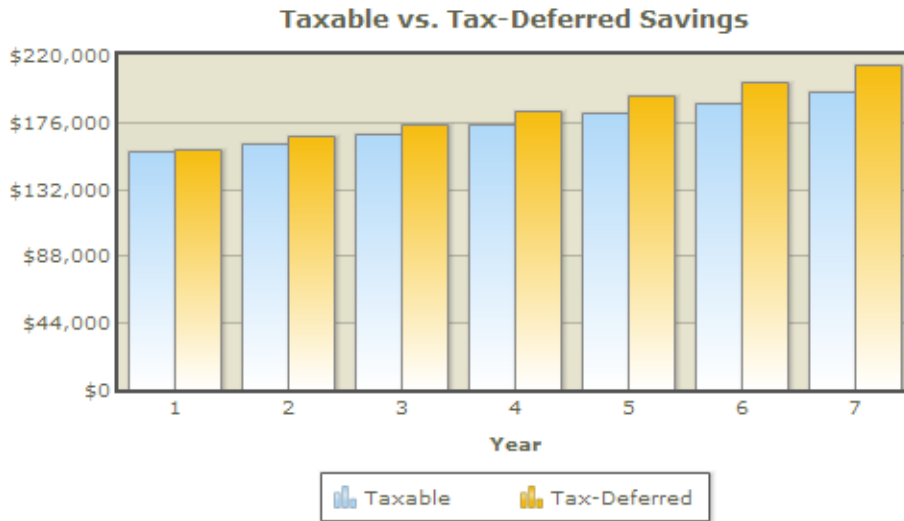
Tax-deferral can have a dramatic effect on the growth of an investment. Use this calculator to determine the future value of an investment being subject to income tax each year versus deferring the tax until withdrawal.

SUMMARY OF INPUT

Starting balance	\$150,000
Number of years for the analysis	7
Annual rate of return	5.10%
Tax rate	25.00%

ANALYSIS

It appears that by saving in a tax-deferred vehicle you would accumulate \$212,476 (\$196,857 after taxes on the earnings) vs. \$195,076 in a taxable savings account.



Year	Taxable				Tax-Deferred		
	Beginning Balance	Return @ 5.10%	Taxes @ 25.00%	Ending Balance	Beginning Balance	Return @ 5.10%	Ending Balance
1	\$150,000	\$7,650	\$1,912	\$155,738	\$150,000	\$7,650	\$157,650

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2	155,738	7,943	1,986	161,694	157,650	8,040	165,690
3	161,694	8,246	2,062	167,879	165,690	8,450	174,140
4	167,879	8,562	2,140	174,301	174,140	8,881	183,022
5	174,301	8,889	2,222	180,968	183,022	9,334	192,356
6	180,968	9,229	2,307	187,890	192,356	9,810	202,166
7	187,890	9,582	2,396	195,076	202,166	10,310	212,476

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