



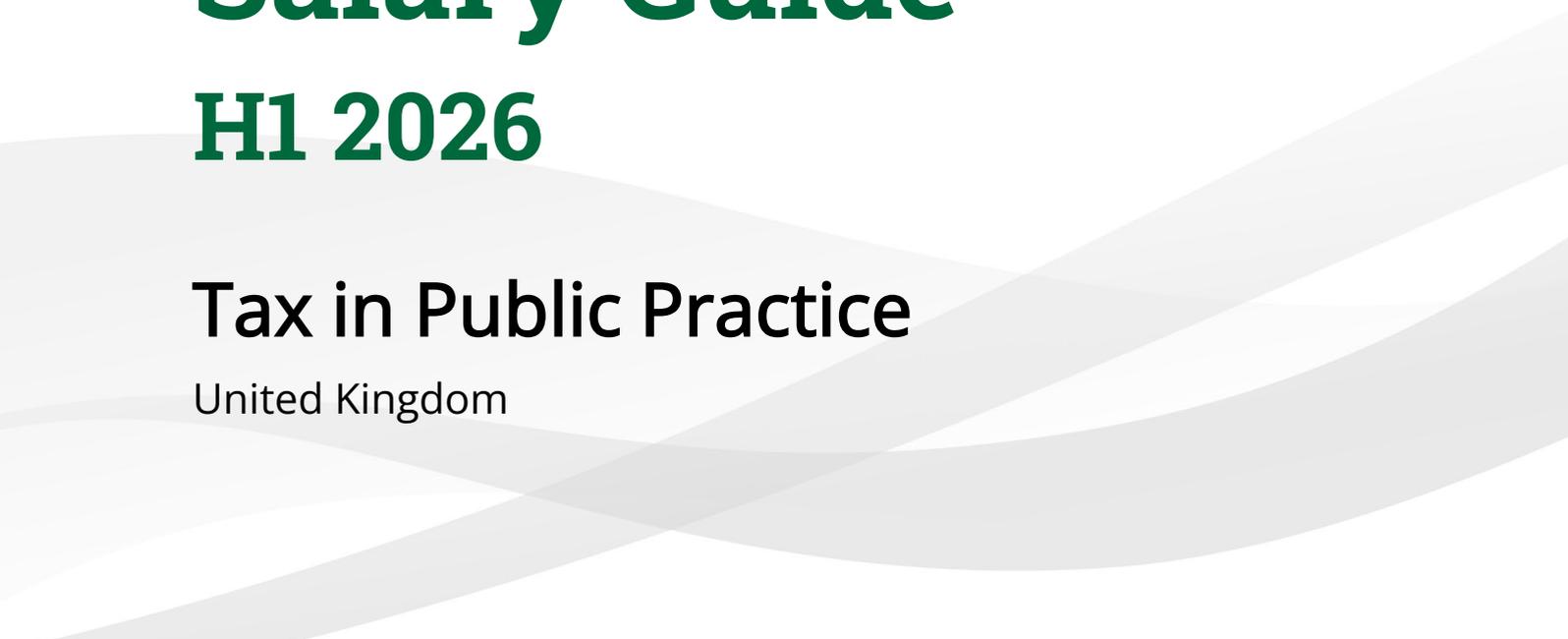
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# Salary Guide

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**Tax in Public Practice**

United Kingdom



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# Corporate Tax & Private Client Tax

London

## Corporate Tax

Job Title	Annual salary range (£)		
	Lower	Average	Upper
Partner	150K	200K	300K+
Director	120K	140K	170K
Senior Manager	80K	88K	105K
Manager	65K	75K	80K
Assistant Manager	57K	63K	68K
Qualified Senior	50K	55K	58K
Semi-Senior	30K	37K	42K
Entry Level	25K	30K	33K

## Private Client Tax

Job Title	Annual salary range (£)		
	Lower	Average	Upper
Partner	140K	200K	300K+
Director	115K	130K	160K
Senior Manager	75K	85K	98K
Manager	63K	70K	78K
Assistant Manager	57K	63K	68K
Qualified Senior	50K	55K	58K
Semi-Senior	30K	37K	42K
Entry Level	25K	30K	33K

### Notes about salary tables:

The salary given are only approximate guides. For tailored salary advice, please contact us directly.

1. 12-month base salaries are assumed.
2. All other benefits and bonuses are in addition to these figures.
3. Bonus ranges can vary significantly from company to company and will be influenced by market conditions, business and individual performances.

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## US Tax Salaries

London

### Corporate Tax

Job Title	Annual salary range (£)		
	Lower	Average	Upper
Partner	150K	200K	300K+
Director	115K	140K	170K
Senior Manager	82K	88K	105K
Manager	68K	75K	85K
Assistant Manager	60K	65K	70K
Qualified Senior	50K	55K	60K
Semi-Senior	35K	43K	48K
Entry Level	30K	32K	35K

### Private Client Tax

Job Title	Annual salary range (£)		
	Lower	Average	Upper
Partner	150K	200K	300K+
Director	110K	135K	160K
Senior Manager	80K	88K	100K
Manager	65K	75K	85K
Assistant Manager	60K	65K	70K
Qualified Senior	50K	55K	60K
Semi-Senior	35K	43K	48K
Entry Level	30K	32K	35K

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# Transfer Pricing Salaries

London

Job Title	Annual salary range (£)		
	Lower	Average	Upper
Partner	150K	200K	300K+
Director	115K	145K	170K
Senior Manager	80K	90K	110K
Manager	67K	75K	80K
Assistant Manager	57K	63K	68K
Qualified Senior	50K	55K	58K
Semi-Senior	30K	37K	42K
Entry Level	25K	30K	33K

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# M&A Tax Salaries

London

Job Title	Annual salary range (£)		
	Lower	Average	Upper
Partner	180K	230K	300K+
Director	130K	160K	180K
Senior Manager	88K	110K	130K
Manager	68K	78K	85K
Assistant Manager	57K	63K	68K
Qualified Senior	50K	55K	58K
Semi-Senior	30K	37K	42K
Entry Level	25K	30K	33K

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# VAT Salaries

London

Job Title	Annual salary range (£)		
	Lower	Average	Upper
Partner	160K	165K	180K+
Director	120K	130K	150K
Senior Manager	85K	93K	100K
Manager	67K	75K	80K
Assistant Manager	55K	58K	63K
Qualified Senior	45K	50K	55K
Semi-Senior	30K	37K	42K
Entry Level	25K	30K	33K

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## UK Tax Salaries

Essex, Kent & Home Counties

### Corporate Tax

Job Title	Annual salary range (£)		
	Lower	Average	Upper
Partner	120K	160K	250K+
Director	80K	87K	100K
Senior Manager	65K	75K	85K
Manager	55K	62K	65K
Assistant Manager	48K	53K	58K
Qualified Senior	38K	43K	50K
Semi-Senior	28K	32K	35K
Entry Level	21K	25K	28K

### Private Client Tax

Job Title	Annual salary range (£)		
	Lower	Average	Upper
Partner	110K	150K	250K+
Director	78K	85K	95K
Senior Manager	65K	70K	78K
Manager	50K	58K	63K
Assistant Manager	48K	53K	58K
Qualified Senior	38K	43K	50K
Semi-Senior	28K	32K	35K
Entry Level	21K	25K	28K

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## UK Tax Salaries

South West England

### Corporate Tax

Job Title	Annual salary range (£)		
	Lower	Average	Upper
Partner	130K	180K	280K+
Director	80K	87K	100K
Senior Manager	65K	70K	78K
Manager	55K	62K	67K
Assistant Manager	47K	52K	57K
Qualified Senior	37K	43K	49K
Semi-Senior	27K	31K	35K
Entry Level	21K	25K	28K

### Private Client Tax

Job Title	Annual salary range (£)		
	Lower	Average	Upper
Partner	120K	160K	280K+
Director	78K	85K	95K
Senior Manager	65K	70K	78K
Manager	55K	60K	65K
Assistant Manager	47K	52K	57K
Qualified Senior	37K	43K	49K
Semi-Senior	27K	31K	35K
Entry Level	21K	25K	28K

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## UK Tax Salaries

### Birmingham & Midlands

#### Corporate Tax

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	Lower	Average	Upper
Partner	140K	230K	300K+
Director	80K	87K	100K
Senior Manager	65K	70K	75K
Manager	55K	60K	65K
Assistant Manager	45K	50K	55K
Qualified Senior	36K	42K	48K
Semi-Senior	25K	30K	35K
Entry Level	20K	25K	28K

#### Private Client Tax

Job Title	Annual salary range (£)		
	Lower	Average	Upper
Partner	130k	200K	280K+
Director	75K	83K	95K
Senior Manager	63K	68K	75K
Manager	50K	55K	60K
Assistant Manager	45K	50K	55K
Qualified Senior	36K	42K	48K
Semi-Senior	25K	30K	35K
Entry Level	20K	25K	28K

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## UK Tax Salaries

### North West England

#### Corporate Tax

Job Title	Annual salary range (£)		
	Lower	Average	Upper
Partner	140K	230K	300K+
Director	80K	87K	100K
Senior Manager	68K	75K	85K
Manager	57K	62K	65K
Assistant Manager	45K	50K	55K
Qualified Senior	36K	42K	48K
Semi-Senior	25K	30K	35K
Entry Level	20K	25K	28K

#### Private Client Tax

Job Title	Annual salary range (£)		
	Lower	Average	Upper
Partner	120K	200K	280K+
Director	78K	85K	95K
Senior Manager	66K	72K	80K
Manager	50K	58K	63K
Assistant Manager	45K	50K	55K
Qualified Senior	36K	42K	48K
Semi-Senior	25K	30K	35K
Entry Level	20K	25K	28K

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## UK Tax Salaries

East Anglia

### Corporate Tax

Job Title	Annual salary range (£)		
	Lower	Average	Upper
Partner	130K	180K	280K+
Director	80K	87K	100K
Senior Manager	68K	73K	80K
Manager	55K	60K	68K
Assistant Manager	45K	50K	55K
Qualified Senior	36K	42K	48K
Semi-Senior	25K	30K	35K
Entry Level	20K	25K	28K

### Private Client Tax

Job Title	Annual salary range (£)		
	Lower	Average	Upper
Partner	120K	160K	280K+
Director	78K	85K	95K
Senior Manager	65K	70K	78K
Manager	52K	58K	65K
Assistant Manager	45K	50K	55K
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# UK Tax Salaries

Scotland

## Corporate Tax

Job Title	Annual salary range (£)		
	Lower	Average	Upper
Partner	120K	200K	280K+
Director	78K	110K	130K
Senior Manager	60K	75K	95K
Manager	46K	60K	70K
Assistant Manager	38K	48K	58K
Qualified Senior	30K	40K	50K
Semi-Senior	24K	30K	38K
Entry Level	21K	24K	28K

## Private Client Tax

Job Title	Annual salary range (£)		
	Lower	Average	Upper
Partner	100K	180K	250K+
Director	78K	100K	130K
Senior Manager	60K	70K	90K
Manager	46K	57K	65K
Assistant Manager	38K	45K	52K
Qualified Senior	30K	38K	50K
Semi-Senior	24K	28K	38K
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