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# Claiming tax entitlements in Denmark

*Everything you need to know about filing a tax return*



## Do I need to file a tax return in Denmark?

The answer to this question depends on your personal circumstances. Most employees in Denmark are required to file a tax return. Even if you're not obliged to file a tax return, by not doing so you risk missing out on your tax refund. The average Danish tax refund is €1,200.

Meanwhile, there are also many circumstances under which you will be required to file, such as:

- You pay taxes in Denmark
- You are self-employed
- You earn rental income
- You have non-Danish sourced income

## Who can claim a tax refund in Denmark?

As a general rule you'll be due a refund in the following circumstances:

- You were employed on a limited-term contract in Denmark
- You paid for food and accommodation while working there
- You kept your residence in your home country while working in Denmark

## What is the average Danish tax refund?

The average Danish tax refund a [Taxback customer receives is €1,200!](#)

So it is definitely worth checking what you're owed.

## Can I claim any expenses against my employment income?

Yes. However, in order to be eligible for tax relief, expenses must be "wholly, exclusively, and necessarily" incurred for the employment.

You may be entitled to accommodation and food expenses if:

- Your employment is temporary
- Your place of employment changes (different buildings, for instance)
- Because of the distance between your job and home, you are unable to stay at home



## What documents do I need in order to claim a tax refund?

To file your Danish claim, we will need the following:

- Årsopgørelse
- Employment Contracts from all employers
- Permanent Address Registration
- Completed tax pack
- A copy of your ID

## What is an Årsopgørelse?

Your Årsopgørelse is the official government document you get from the Danish tax office by May of the following year. It outlines all your earnings, how much you've been taxed and any tax deductions that you have. If you don't have it, it's no problem – our document retrieval team can source it out for you.



## Why use Taxback?

Simply put, when you [apply with Taxback](#), you are guaranteed to receive your maximum Danish tax refund.

We will guide you through the process of filing your tax return – handling all of the tricky tax paperwork for you – and ensure you claim every tax relief you're due.

We will also transfer your refund straight to your bank account.

## How far back can I claim a refund?

You can claim your tax refund from the past three tax years

## How does the process work?

Taxback is a truly global company.

Our team consists of 250 employees located in 35 offices in 20 countries around the world.

When you register with Taxback, your Account Manager (located in our call centres in either Ireland or Bulgaria) will contact you to begin the process of filing your tax return and retrieving your refund.

Taxback is also ISO27001 certified – verification that our organisation meets the most stringent quality standards.

## How much does it cost?

We charge 12.5% per tax year (+ handling fee), subject to a minimum fee of €62.50 (+ handling fee).

Learn more about [Taxback fees here](#).

## Is there a fee if no tax refund is due?

**No!**

Taxback offers a no-refund-no-fee service, meaning if you aren't owed a refund, you will not be charged.

