

Taxation of Non resident

NON RESIDENT [Sec. 2(30)]: -

'Non-Resident' means a person who is not a "resident".

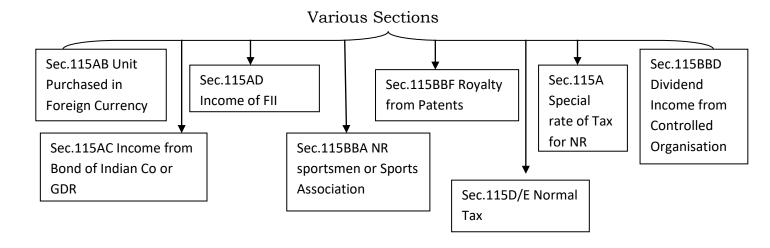
This will be the case where **none of the two basic conditions of Sec.** 6 is satisfied are satisfied.

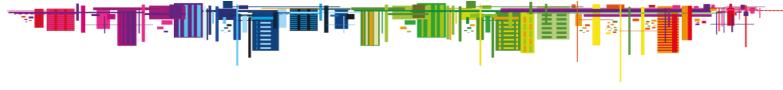
Individual	If he do not satisfy Sec.6(1)	
HUF/other	If Control and management is wholly situated outside	
person	India	
Company	Foreign co and POEM situated outside India	

115C: Definitions

- 1. **Non Resident Indian:** An individual being a citizen of India or PIO who is not a resident
- 2. **Investment Income**: means any interest income derived from a foreign exchange asset
- 3. LTCG: means gains on transfer of a foreign exchange asset
- 4. "Foreign Exchange asset" means any of the following assets, namely:—
 - shares in an Indian company;
 - debentures issued by a Public Limited Company
 - deposits with a Public Limited Indian company
 - any security of the Central Government
 - such other assets as the Central Government notify.

Foreign Exchange Assets





Income from salaries Earned By NR [Sec 9(1) (ii) and (iii)]

which is earned in or India & Include

which is payable by the Government of India to a citizen of India for services rendered outside India.

- 1. Services rendered in India and
- 2. Leave Salary Which forms part of contract.

Special Provisions for NRI Sec. 115 D [Notes]/E [Tax rate]

Type of income	Rate of tax	
1. Interest Income	20%	
2. LTCG on transfer of foreign exchange asset	10%	
3. Other Income	Normal Slab Rate	

Note:

- 1. Indexation benefit not available.
- 2. No deduction under Chapter VI-A. If income include other income as well deduction shall be available out of that income to that extent.
- 3. Computation as per first proviso to sec 48 i.e. in foreign currency.

Capital Gain on transfer of foreign exchange asset Sec. 115 F Conditions

LTCG on Foreign exchange assets shall be Exempt if Net consideration is utilised for acquiring other foreign exchange assets within 6 months from the date of transfer

= CG x AI/ Net Consideration

If new Assets are transferred within 3 years from the date of acquisition then Cg exempt shall be Taxable.

Exemption from Filling ROI Sec. 115 G

It is not necessary for NRI to furnish return of Income Under Sec. 139 (1)

- ✓ Total income Include only Interest income LTCG or both.
- ✓ TDS already deducted.

Benefit to continue even after assessee become resident Sec 115H

• NRI who becomes Resident, may file a declaration in writing requesting A.O. for continuing benefits .



Above Provision not to apply if the assessee so chooses Sec. 115 I

NRI may elect not to be governed by the above for any AY by furnishing of declaration. In such a case the income for that AY will be computed under the normal provisions.

SPECIAL PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO NON RESIDENTS

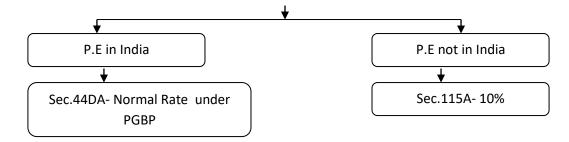
Special rates of tax Sec. 115 A

Type of income	Rate of tax
Dividend other than in Sec. 1150	
Interest on foreign currency Loan received from Government of India or any Indian concern for money borrowed in foreign currency	20%
Income from UTI of Mutual Funds	
Interest received from an <u>infrastructure debt fund</u> referred to in Sec 10(47)	5%
Interest on Rupee denominated bond 194LC/ 194LD/ 194LBA	5%
Indian company (between 01/07/12 to 01/07/17) by way of loan or Long term Bonds	5%
Royalty & fees for Technical Services (other than Sec.44DA)	10%

Note:

- Rate of tax is to be enhanced by Applicable surcharge and Education Cess.
- No Deduction under Chapter VIA allowed
- No Deduction from Sect 28 to 44C or Sec 57 allowed against such incomes
- Chapter VI provision (Set off and carry forward of losses are applicable). Hence losses of current year and b/f losses can be set off against income of section 115A.
- Unabsorbed depreciation (CY and PY) cannot be set off.

Royalty fees, Technical Services



• Special rates of tax Sec. 115 AB Income /LTCG arising from Units purchased in Foreign Currency

Type of income	Rate of tax
Income of an overseas financial corporation from	
units purchased in foreign currency or	10%
LTCG arising there from	

Note:

- o No deduction under Chapter VIA
- o No indexation (Second proviso to sec 48)
- o Chapter VI: losses can be set off.
- o LTCG on units of equity oriented funds are exempt u/s 10(38) provided STT has been paid on sale of such security.
- o STCG on units of equity oriented funds are Taxable u/s 111A @15%

Defination:

"overseas financial organisation" means any fund, institution, association or body, whether incorporated or not, established outside India.

Sec. 115 AC Income from Bond/GDR purchased in foreign Currency or Capital Gains arising therefrom.

Type of income	Rate of tax
Interest on bonds or GDR of	
1. Indian company (FCCB) or	
2. Government and purchased in foreign currency or	10%
3. Dividend on GDRs or	1070
4. Long term Capital gain arising from the transfer of	
the above bonds or GDRs.	

Balance income shall be chargeable at normal rate.

Note:

- No deduction under Chapter VIA. <u>However if other income is also considered</u> then deduction to that extent is available.
- No indexation.
- No Deduction from Sect 28 to 44C or Sec 57 allowed against such incomes
- Chapter VI: losses can be set off.
- Sec 47 GDR transferred by one NR to another NR outside India is not a transfer(Listed Entity), However if shares are not listed then exemption is not available.



• If these bonds are covered u/s 194LD/194LC/LB then tax rate is 5%.

♦ Special rates of tax Sec. 115 ACA

Type of income	Rate of tax
Resident employee of an Indian company or its subsidiary company engaged in specified knowledge based industry or service	10%
Income from dividends on GDR (non 1150) of a Indian Co company or long term Capital gain arising from the transfer of such GDRs (purchased in foreign currency)	1070

Note:

- o No deduction under Chapter VIA
- No indexation nor computation in foreign currency (First and second proviso to sec 48)

Special rates of tax Sec. 115 AD Income of FII from security or capital gains from there transfer.

Type of income	Rate of tax
Income in respect of securities (other than units u/s 115 AB) received by a FII as special by the Government	
✓ Long term capital gain	10%
✓ STCG	30%
Interest Income in respect of Security (other than units referred in Sec,115AB and other than on security	20%

Note:

- o For other Income normal rate of Tax is applicable.
- o There is no condition that the securities should be purchased in foreign currency.
- o No deductions for u/s 28 to 44C and 57
- o No benefit of indexation.
- o Chapter VI: losses can be set off.
- o Unabsorbed depreciation cant be setoff because it is covered u/s32.
- o LTCG on sale of Units on which STT is paid it is exempt u/s 10(38)

♦ Special rates of tax Sec. 115 BBA & Sec. 194E

Type of income	Rate of tax
Income of NR sportsman & Sports Association	
✓ For participation in any game in India	
✓ Received by way of advertisement	
✓ For contribution of articles relating to any game	20%
Income of non resident sports association by way of guarantee	2070
money	
Income of non resident, foreign citizen entertainer for performance in India	

Note:

- No deductions available.
- In case tax has been deducted at source and no other income then no need to file the return.

Special rates of tax Sec. 115 BBD

Type of income	Rate of tax
Income of Indian Company only by way of Dividend from specified foreign company	15%

Note:

- No deductions available in computing the above income.
- Specified foreign company means a foreign company in which the Indian Company holds 26% or more in nominal value of the equity capital.

Sec.115BBG Income from transfer of Carbon Credit				
Assessee	Assessee All Assessee			
Rate of Tax	10%			

Shortcut for NR Taxation

Sec.	Assessee	Income	Tax	Exemption
			Rate [+ Sur(if any) + Cess]	from Furnishing
115A (1)(a)	NR/FC	 dividends other than dividends referred to in section 115-O Interest received from Government or an Indian concern on monies borrowed 	20%	Yes subject to note 1
	NR/FC	interest received from an infrastructure debt fund referred to in 10[47]	5%	Yes subject to note 1
	NR/FC	Interest u/s 194LC/LD/LBA and other conditions are satisfied	5%	Yes subject to note 1
115A [1][a] [iiab]	NR/FII/QI B	Interest if the following condition are satisfied-Acquire rupee denominated Bond of Indian Company or Govt Between 01.06.2013 to 30.06.2017	5%	Yes subject to note 1
115A [1][a] [iiac]	FC/NR	Distributed income being Interest u/s 115UA	5%	-Do-
115Å [1][b]	FC/NR	 Income by way of royalty or fees for technical services other than income referred to in sub-section (1) of section 44DA received from ✓ Government or ✓ an Indian concern in pursuance of an agreement made by the foreign company with Government or the Indian [Note 2-5] 	Agreem ent 1961- 76= 50% From 1st april,76 = 10%	NO
115A CA	I(R) Employed in Indian Co Engaged in Special	Dividend on GDR LTCG on GDR GDR should be Issued	10%	NA

	knowledge based industry	under ESOP and purchased in foreign		
	[Note 6]	company		
115B BD	Indian Co	Dividends declared, distributed or paid by a specified foreign company	15%	N.A.
		"specified foreign company" means a foreign company in which the Indian company holds twenty-six per cent or more in nominal value of the equity share capital of the company.		
112	NR[not FC]	LTCG in unlisted co/share of PVT CO	10%	No
115AB	Overseas Financial Organisat-ion	LTCG on transfer of Units of UTI/MF u/s 10(23D) purchased in foreign Currency	10%	No
115AC	NR	 ✓ Interest on FCCB Bonds of Indian Co. ✓ Interest o Bonds/ GDR of Public Sector Co or Notified company ✓ LTCG on above 	10%	Yes subject to note 1
115AD	Notified FII	Income from Securities STCG u/s 111A STCG not covered u/s 111A LTCG on securities Securities exclude units covered u/s 115AB	20% 15% 30% 10%	No
115BBA	NR Sportsmen/Sp orts Ass/Entertain er	Games/Advertisment/Articles	20%	NO
115C to 115I	NR (I)	 Income from foreign Exchange Assets LTCG on transfer of a 	20% 10%	Yes Note 1