

Instructions

Vendor collection credit

The New York State vendor collection credit **does not apply** to sales reported on this schedule.

General instructions

Vendors located in New York State who are registered to collect New Jersey sales tax under the New Jersey/New York reciprocal tax agreement must file Form ST-810.4, *Quarterly Schedule NJ for Part-Quarterly (Monthly) Filers*, in addition to any other applicable New York State schedules.

Complete Form ST-810.4 and attach it to your Form ST-810, *New York State and Local Quarterly Sales and Use Tax Return for Part-Quarterly (Monthly) Filers*. Send only one check or money order payable to **New York State Sales Tax** for the total amount due for both New Jersey (line 13 of this schedule) and New York State (Form ST-810, Step 8). You must file the return, all attached schedules, and payment of the taxes due by the due date shown on Form ST-810 for the reporting period.

You may obtain additional instructions for the collection of New Jersey sales tax from the New York State Department of Taxation and Finance (see *Need help?* on Form ST-810-I, *Instructions for Form ST-810*).

Specific instructions

Change of address or business information — If you need to update your **sales tax mailing address**, you can now do so online. Visit our Web site at www.nystax.gov and look for the change my address option for further instructions. Otherwise, call the Sales Tax Information Center (see *Need help?* on Form ST-810-I) or enter your correct address on this form. You may also use Form DTF-96, *Report of Address Change for Business Tax Accounts*, to update your mailing address, physical address, or designated preparer or filing service address. If you need to change additional information such as the name, ID number, physical address, owner/officer information, business activity, or paid preparer address (as well as your address), complete and send in Form DTF-95, *Business Tax Account Update*. You can get these forms from our Web site, by fax, or by phone. See *Need help?* on Form ST-810-I. As a multistate filer, you should place an **M** next to the form number on Forms DTF-95 or DTF-96 to indicate your multistate filing status.

Gross sales and services — Enter the amount of gross sales and services as reported on Form ST-810, Step 1, box 1 (see instructions for Form ST-810, box 1).

No New Jersey sales — If you had no deliveries of goods or services into New Jersey and made no purchases subject to use tax in New Jersey, mark an **X** in the appropriate box. Sign and date this schedule and attach it to your Form ST-810.

Line instructions

Line 1 — New Jersey gross sales — Enter total receipts from all deliveries of goods and services to New Jersey that occurred during the reporting period covered by the schedule. You must report gross sales on the accrual basis and not as collections are made. Include receipts from all sales, rentals, and the use of tangible personal property; all sales of services; and all sales of prepared foods. You must also include exempt transactions.

Line 2 — New Jersey deductions — Enter the total deductions (exempt transactions) from New Jersey gross sales. These deductions include:

- **Exempt sales of tangible personal property** — Total sales of tangible personal property that are specifically exempt from New Jersey sales tax (for example, sales of grocery foods and clothing).
- **Exempt sales of services** — Public Law 2006, c. 44 extends the base of the sales and use tax by extending the tax to **several new services**, and limiting some exclusions and exemptions. For further information refer to the New Jersey Division of Taxation Web site at www.state.nj.us/treasury/taxation.
- **Sales covered by certificates** — Receipts from sales of property or services, other than sales of property or services covered above, upon which no tax was collected because the purchaser presented a properly completed exemption certificate. See the instructions on the certificate about its proper use.
- **Returned goods** — Total sales price of merchandise returned by customers on which New Jersey sales tax was collected. Include only the amounts refunded or credited to the customer. Do not include the sales tax collected on this returned merchandise, amounts for returned merchandise that were not subject to sales tax, or amounts that have not been included in reported New Jersey gross sales on any return or Form ST-810.4.
- **Capital improvements** — Public Law 2006, c. 44 extends the base of the sales and use tax by extending the tax to **several new services**, and limiting some exclusions and exemptions.

As a result, labor charges for floor covering installation and landscaping services, which are defined in the law, are now subject to sales tax. For further information refer to the New Jersey Division of Taxation Web site at www.state.nj.us/treasury/taxation.

Line 3 — New Jersey taxable sales — Subtract line 2 from line 1. This is the amount of sales subject to New Jersey sales tax.

Line 4 — New Jersey sales tax rate — Use the tax rate of 7% to compute the New Jersey sales tax due.

Line 5 — New Jersey sales tax computed — Multiply the amount on line 3 by 7%. Enter the result on line 5.

Line 6 — New Jersey sales tax collected — Enter the amount of New Jersey sales tax that you collected during the reporting period.

Line 7 — New Jersey sales tax — Enter the amount from line 5 or line 6, whichever is larger.

Line 8 — New Jersey use tax due — Use line 8 to report use tax on the market value of any tangible personal property or service used in New Jersey during the quarter that is not specifically exempted from the New Jersey sales tax, but upon which you have paid no New Jersey sales tax.

Line 9 — Total New Jersey tax due — Add lines 7 and 8.

Line 10 — Monthly payments — Enter the amount of the payments submitted with Form ST-809.4 for the first and second months of the quarter.

Line 11 — Net New Jersey tax due — Subtract line 10 from line 9. If this amount is an overpayment, you may not carry the credit forward to your next Form ST-810.4 or use the amount to offset the tax you owe New York State. You must pay the full amount of tax owed New York State and apply for a refund from New Jersey for the amount of overpayment shown on Form ST-810.4 by sending a letter to:

NEW JERSEY SALES TAX
PO BOX 273
TRENTON NJ 08646-0273

Line 12 — New Jersey late filing charge — Enter any interest and penalty due. Any vendor who fails to file a Form ST-810.4 or pay the tax due by the due date will be subject to interest and penalty charges as specified under the New Jersey Sales Tax Law as follows:

Interest charges

The annual interest rate is 3% above the average predominant prime rate. Interest is imposed each month or a fraction thereof on the unpaid balance of tax from the original due date to the date of payment. At the end of each calendar year any tax, penalties and interest remaining due will become part of the balance on which interest will be charged.

Penalty charges

A late filing penalty will be assessed at the rate of 5% per month or fraction thereof of the total tax liability, not to exceed 25% of such tax liability, plus \$100 for each month or fraction thereof that such return is delinquent.

A late payment penalty will be assessed at the rate of 5% of the balance of tax paid late.

Line 13 — Total New Jersey amount due — Add lines 11 and 12. This is the amount you must pay in addition to the amount due New York State shown on Form ST-810, *Step 8*. Send one check or money order payable to **New York State Sales Tax** for the total amount due.

Do not transfer the New Jersey amount due to Form ST-810.

Overpayments

If the total New Jersey tax you have paid is greater than the amount you owe, do not subtract the overpayment from the New York State tax due. You must pay the full amount of tax owed New York State and apply for a refund from New Jersey for the amount of overpayment shown on Form ST-810.4. You may do so by sending a letter to: New Jersey Sales Tax, PO Box 273, Trenton NJ 08646-0273.

Under no circumstances may you offset an overpayment to one state against the tax due the other state.

Signature

Sign and date this schedule; attach it to your Form ST-810 and mail both forms (with any other schedules you are required to file) to:

NYS SALES TAX PROCESSING
RECIPROCAL TAX AGREEMENT
PO BOX 15173
ALBANY NY 12212-5173

See form ST-810 for the due date.

Need help? and Privacy notification

See Form ST-810-I, *Instructions for Form ST-810*.
