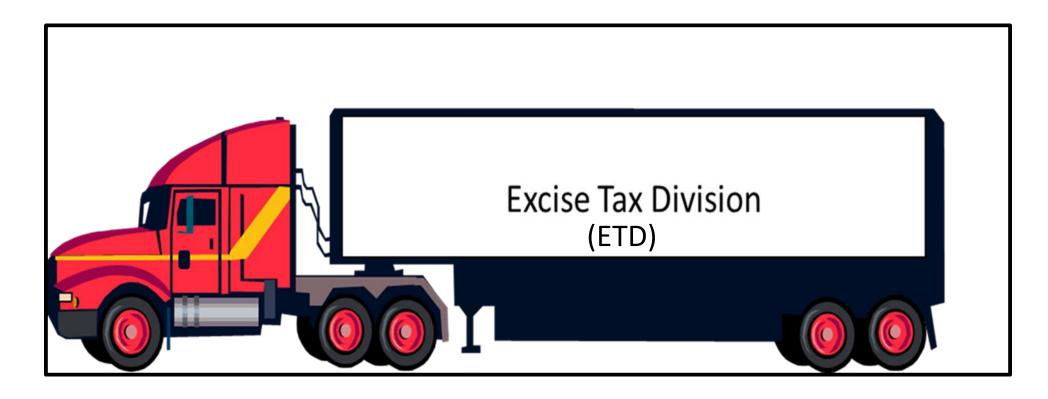


Motor Carrier IFTA/Intrastate eFile





IFTA/Intrastate eFile Topics Presented

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- ➤ When to eFile
- ➤ Where to eFile
- ➤ First Time User/Initial Access Set-up
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- ➤ User Management
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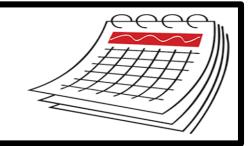


IFTA/Intrastate eFile The Benefits

- ➤ User friendly, easy to use and available 24/7
 - Log into the eFile application anytime
- ➤ Paperless filing
 - Return is submitted electronically
 - Provides the ability to view and print previously filed returns
- ➤ No manual calculations
 - Any tax or refund due is calculated automatically
- ➤ Convenient payment options
 - Credit/Debit card
 - Bank Draft
- Immediate acknowledgement of return, credential, and payment submission



IFTA/Intrastate eFile When to eFile



- ➤ Whenever you want; the eFile application is available 24/7
- ➤ Below is a friendly reminder of when you should log into and use the eFile application:

A Friendly Reminder

<u>Recommended</u> Quarterly Tax Filing 1st Quarter: April 1st – April 30th

2nd Quarter: July 1st – July 31st

3rd Quarter: October 1st – October 31st

4th Quarter: January 1st – January 31st

Renewal Season September 1st – December 31st

Additional Decals Anytime 24/7

Record Keeping Anytime 24/7

Password Management Passwords will never expire



IFTA/Intrastate eFile First Time User/Initial Access Set-Up



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- 1. Go the Department's website at www.ncdor.gov and select the tab Taxes & Forms.
- 2. Select the link for Motor Carrier Tax (IFTA / IN).
- When you are ready to begin, select <u>File and Pay by Motor Carrier (IFTA /IN) efile</u> in the blue box under "Ready to file your taxes?"
- 4. Once you have read the welcome information, click Submit to continue.
- On the Login screen, select the link for <u>"First Time User / Initial Access Setup"</u> and click the Submit button.
- 6. Your will need the NCDOR ID and Access Code Information shown at the bottom of this letter to establish your online account. Follow the instructions. You have 180 days from the date of this letter to establish your online account; otherwise, the access code will expire. If your access code expires, you will need to contact the Department to have your access code reset.

For assistance with using the online filing and payment system, a User Manual is available on the Department's website. Select Taxes and Forms, then select Motor Carrier Tax (IFTA/IN), and click on IFTA/Intrastate eFile User Manual. If you have any questions, please call the Department of Revenue at (877) 308-9092 (toll-free).

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After your IFTA/IN account has been established:

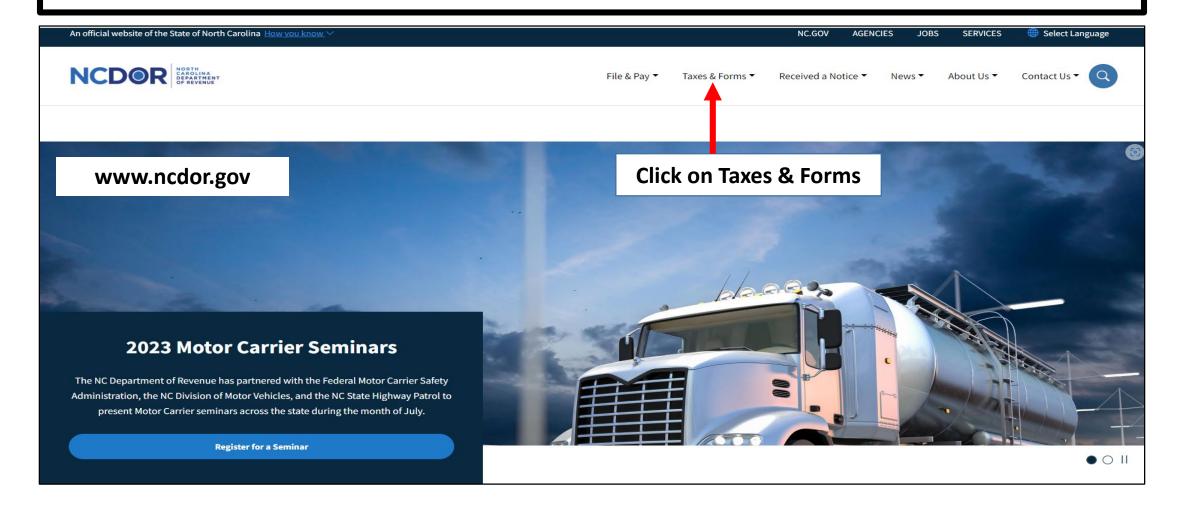
- You will receive an access code letter
- Providing step-by-step Instructions
- Along with your NCDOR ID
- And access code

Password Requirements:

- At least 8 characters long
- Needs to be lower case letters and numbers mixed in

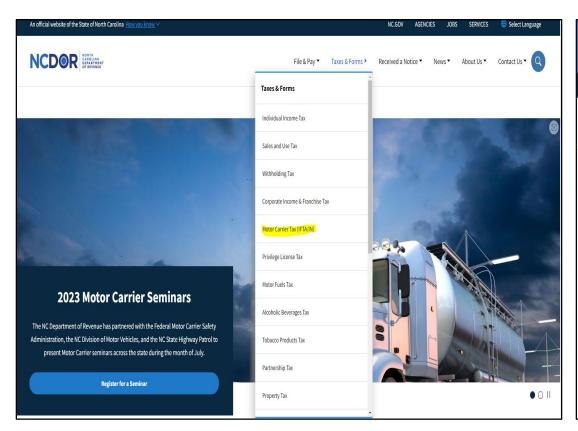


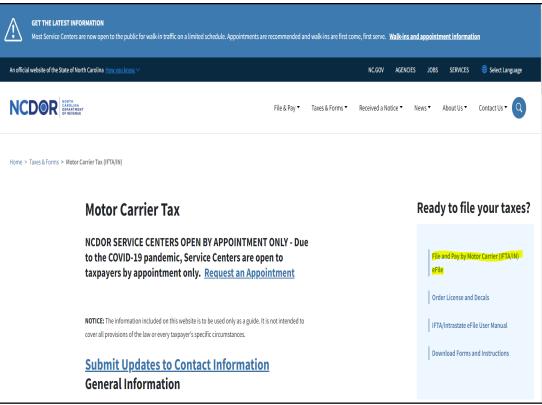
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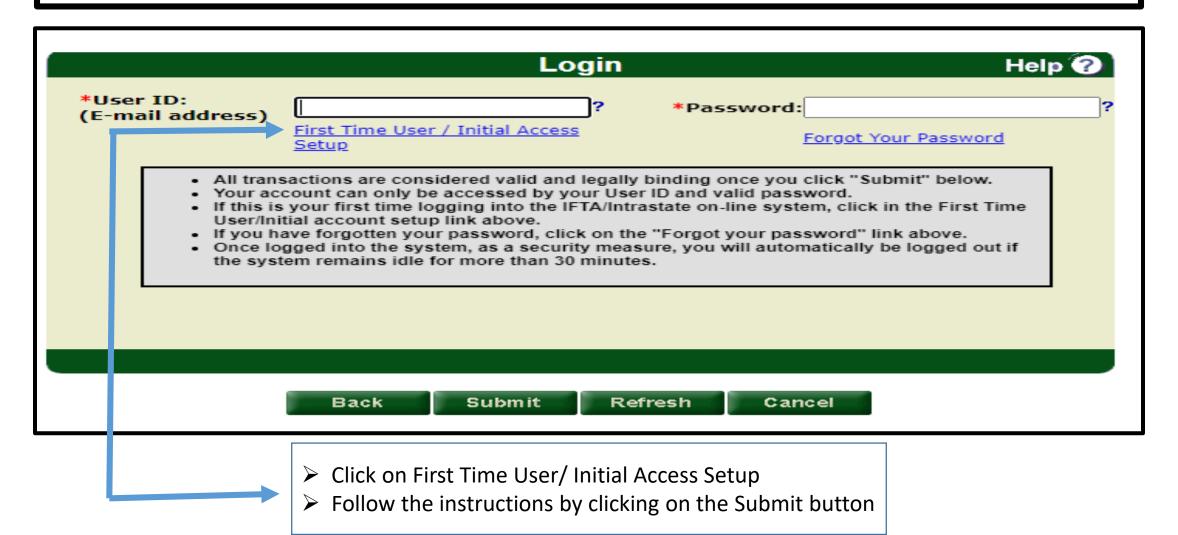
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Click on File and Pay by Motor Carrier (IFTA/IN) eFile

*Note: Request an Appointment by Email

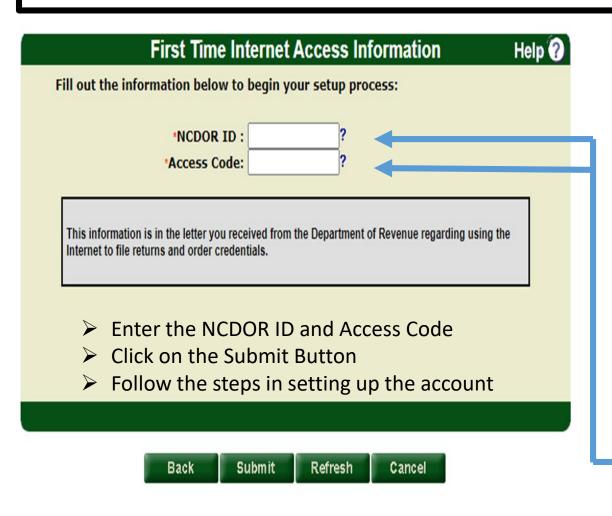


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IFTA/Intrastate eFile Password Management:

Password Management Tips

- ➤ Use the 'Forgot your Password' link
 - The 'Forgot your Password' link provides you with a passphrase, a hint, to help you remember your password.
- ➤ Keep your password a secret
 - Do not share your password with other users.
 - If someone else needs access to your account, add them to your account as a third party user. This allows you and the other user to have separate login credentials for the same account



IFTA/Intrastate eFile User Management:

User Management Tips

Grant someone else access to your account

- ■Go to 'User Management' to add a third-party user or a reporting service to your account.
- ■This allows you to give account access to other users without having to share your user ID and/or password information.
- ■The third-party user or a reporting service will have their own separate user ID and password credentials, which will give them access to your online IFTA/Intrastate account.

Remove a user from your account

- •Go to 'User Management' to remove a third-party user or a reporting service from your account.
- ■Once the user is removed, they will no longer have access to your online IFTA/Intrastate account.



Types of Error Messages & Error Codes

- Login Error Message
- Tax Return Error Messages
- Payment Error Codes



This is how and where the error message displays

Move cursor (mouse) over stop sign to see the detailed error message.



Types of Error Messages & Error Codes

*User ID:		
OSCI ID.	*	
(E-mail address)	Password:	
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Email Address does not exist in our system, or it's inactive. Check the Email Address.

- Verify you are using the exact email address used to set up your account.
- If you do not know the email address or are not sure if you have an active account, contact us toll-free at 877-308-9092.

Authorization failed, please check the Email Address and Password.

- Verify you are using the correct email address and password
- If you cannot remember your password, use the "Forget Your Password" option to view your password reminder.
- ➤ If you are unable to recall your password, contact us toll-free 877-308-9092.

Your Email Address is locked out of the 30 minutes due to repeated login failures.

- Close out the browser for a full 30 minutes, then attempt to log in again.
- ➤ If you cannot recall your User ID and/or password, contact us toll-free at 877-308-9092.



Tax Return Error Messages: Schedule A & Schedule B

- Schedule A Error MPG High/ Low Range
- Schedule B Error Sum of Total Miles for all Jurisdictions Schedule A is greater than Schedule B
- Schedule B Error Sum of Total Miles for all Jurisdictions Schedule B is greater than Schedule A
- Schedule B Error Sum of Total Gallons Purchased for all Jurisdictions Schedule B is greater than Schedule A
- Schedule B Error Net Zero



Return Error Messages: Schedule A – MPG High/Low Range

Schedule A MPG Error

Fuel Tax Type

Total Miles Traveled

Total Gallons

(Miles Per Gallon)

Diesel

1000

550

1.82

*MPG (1.82) is out of range. Verify your total miles and gallons

Click on submit to continue

The miles per gallon (MPG) figure will be used to determine the gallons of fuel consumed in each jurisdiction.

Acceptable MPG Range is 3 - 15



Move cursor over the stop sign to see the detailed error message!



Total Miles Traveled divided by Total Gallons equal MPG



Return Error Messages: Schedule B – Fuel Tax Computation (Schedule B)

Total Miles Schedule A is Greater than Total Miles Schedule B Error

Fuel Type Code
Diesel

Total Mile Traveled
1000

Total Gallons
100

The Sum of Total Miles for all jurisdictions in Schedule A is greater than the Total Miles Traveled in entered in Schedule B

Jurisdiction	Total Miles	Taxable Miles	Gallons Purchased
NC	400	400	50
SC	500	500	50





Move cursor over the stop sign to see the detailed error message!

Schedule A Total Miles MUST EQUAL Schedule B Total Miles Traveled



Return Error Messages: Schedule B – Fuel Tax Computation (Schedule B)

Total Miles Schedule B is Greater than Total Miles Schedule A Error

Fuel Type Code Total Mile Traveled Total Gallons
Diesel 1000 100

The Sum of Total Miles for all jurisdictions in Schedule B is greater than the Total Miles Traveled in entered in Schedule A

JurisdictionTotal MilesTaxable MilesGallons PurchasedNC60050SC50050





Schedule A Total Miles MUST EQUAL Schedule B Total Miles Traveled



Return Error Messages: Schedule B – Fuel Tax Computation (Schedule B)

Total Gallons Purchased Schedule B is Greater than Total Gallons Purchased Schedule A Error

Fuel Type Code	Total Mile Traveled	Total Gallons	
Diesel	1000	100	

The Sum of Total Gallons for all jurisdictions in Schedule B is greater than the Total Miles Traveled in entered in Schedule A

Jurisdiction	Total Miles	Taxable Miles	Gallons Purchased
NC	500	500	75
SC	500	500	50



Move cursor over the stop sign to see the detailed error message!



Schedule A Total Gallons needs to be equal or must be greater than Schedule B Total Gallons Purchased



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Schedule B – Fuel Tax Computation (Schedule B)

Total Gallons Purchased Schedule A is Greater than Total Gallons Purchased Schedule B

Fuel Type Code Total Mile Traveled Total Gallons

Diesel 1000 100

<u>The Sum of Total Gallons for all jurisdictions in Schedule A is greater</u> than the Total Miles Traveled in entered in Schedule B - ACCEPTABLE

JurisdictionTotal MilesTaxable MilesGallons PurchasedNC5005004050050050

Schedule A Total Gallons <u>needs to be equal or must be</u> <u>greater than</u> Schedule B Total Gallons Purchased



Return Error Messages: Schedule B – Fuel Tax Computation (Schedule B)

Schedule B - Net Zero Error

Fuel Type CodeTotal Mile TraveledTotal GallonsMPGDiesel1000100

A net Zero return is disallowed.

(A net Zero return is one filed where

taxable gallons reported = tax paid gallons reported)

Jurisdiction	Total Miles	Taxable Miles	(Taxable Gallons)	Taxpaid Gallons	Net Taxable Gallons
NC	550	550	55	55	0
SC	350	350	35	40	-5
GA	100	100	10	5	5

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Taxable Gallons minus Taxpaid Gallons EQUALS Net Taxable Gallons EQUALS Net Zero





Payment Error Codes

Error Code	Reason	How to Resolve?	
4	Error	 Contact the banking institution and verify if a debit block exists on the account. If a debit block does exist, provide the banking institution with NCDOR's debit block number: 9044030460 If the error code message includes a reference #, call the number displayed and provide it to the agent. 	
5	Declined	1. Try a different payment type or method.	
6	Verification Failed	 Verify the zip code entered on the payment screen is the zip code that appears on the credit/debit card or bank statement. Contact the issuing card agency to verify the zip code used. 	
18	Undefined_Item	 Verify the credit card number entered on the payment screen matches the card number on the credit card. Verify all required fields are complete. Verify all required fields do not contain invalid characters . 	



IFTA/Intrastate eFile Let's Wrap it Up!

- > Using the Motor Carrier IFTA/Intrastate eFile application is easy to use
 - No paper returns to file, no manual calculations, convenient payment options and provides immediate acknowledgement of successful transmission
- \triangleright Log in at anytime and remember that the application is available 24/7
- ➤ Easily accessible through our <u>www.ncdor.gov</u> website by going to Taxes and Forms-> Motor Carrier (IFTA/IN) -> Ready to file your taxes? > File and Pay by Motor Carrier (IFTA/IN) eFile > Submit
- > Use the 'User management' option to 'Add a User' and 'Remove a User'
- > Error messages and codes are easy to work through by:
 - Login Verifying you are using the correct email address and/or password
 - Return Verifying schedule A total miles and total gallons are correct / Verifying what was entered on schedule B equals what was entered on schedule A
 - Payment Verifying that the zip code entered on the payment screen matches the zip code on the billing statement and the card number entered matches the card number displayed on the debit/credit card



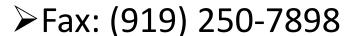
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Questions?

