



CT-3-A/C

New York State Department of Taxation and Finance

Report by a Corporation Included in a Combined Franchise Tax Return

2003 calendar-yr. filers, check box

Other filers, enter tax period:

beginning
ending

Tax Law — Article 9-A

Employer identification number	File number	Business telephone number ()		
Legal name of corporation		Trade name/DBA		
Mailing name (if different from legal name above) c/o		State or country of incorporation	Date received (for Tax Department use only)	
Number and street or PO box		Date of incorporation		
City	State	ZIP code	Foreign corporations: date began business in NYS	
NAICS business code number (see instructions)	If address above is new, check box <input type="checkbox"/>	If your name, employer identification number, address, or owner/officer information has changed, you must file Form DTF-95. If only your address has changed, you may file Form DTF-96. You can get these forms by fax, phone, or from our Web site. See the <i>Need help?</i> section of the instructions.		Audit (for Tax Department use only)
Principal business activity				

Combined parent's corporation name

Combined parent's employer identification number

Metropolitan transportation business tax (MTA surcharge)

During the tax year did you do business, employ capital, own or lease property or maintain an office in the Metropolitan Commuter Transportation District (MCTD)? Yes No

Gross payroll	Total receipts	Average value of gross assets	
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- 1 Fixed dollar minimum tax (only for the corporation filing this form; see instructions)
- 2 Corporations organized outside New York State, complete the following for capital stock issued and outstanding:

Number of par shares	Value \$	Number of no-par shares	Value \$
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Composition of prepayments (see instructions)

Member's prepayments to be credited and included in Form CT-3-A, General Business Corporation Combined Franchise Tax Return, and Form CT-3M/4M, General Business Corporation MTA Surcharge Return

	Franchise tax		MTA surcharge	
	Date paid	Amount	Date paid	Amount
3 Mandatory first installment	3.		3.	
4a Second installment from Form CT-400 ..	4a.		4a.	
4b Third installment from Form CT-400	4b.		4b.	
4c Fourth installment from Form CT-400 ..	4c.		4c.	
5 Payment with extension request	5.		5.	
6 Credit from prior years (see instructions)	6.		6.	
7 Add amount columns (enter here and include on line 107 of Form CT-3-A)	7.		7.	

Certification. Under penalties of perjury, I declare that this corporation is allowed to file on a combined basis under New York State Law and is also liable for the group tax liability, and I certify that this report and any attachments are to the best of my knowledge and belief true, correct, and complete.

Signature of authorized person		Official title	Date
Paid preparer use only	Firm's name (or yours if self-employed)	ID number	Date
	Address		Signature of individual preparing this return

Attach this report to the parent corporation's Form CT-3-A.



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Form CT-3-A/C is an individual certification that must be filed by each member of the New York State combined group except:

- A. the corporation, designated the parent, that is responsible for filing Form CT-3-A; and
- B. a foreign corporation that is not taxable in New York State.

Form CT-3-A/C is required to be filed annually and must be attached to the parent corporation's Form CT-3-A.

Reporting period

If you are a calendar-year filer, check the box in the upper right corner on the front of the form.

If you are a fiscal-year filer, complete the beginning and ending tax period boxes in the upper right corner on the front of the form.

NAICS business code number

Enter the six-digit NAICS business activity code number from your federal return.

Fixed dollar minimum tax

Each corporation (except those mentioned in A and B above) must compute its own fixed dollar minimum tax on this form. Enter this tax on line 1 of this form.

Do not pay the tax with this form. Enter the fixed dollar minimum tax on line 1 of this form and also include it on Form CT-3-A, line 83a or line 83b, whichever is applicable.

The fixed dollar minimum tax is computed as follows:

For a corporation with a gross payroll of:	Tax amounts
\$6,250,000 or more	\$ 1,500
Less than \$6,250,000 but more than \$1,000,000	\$ 425
\$1,000,000 or less but more than \$500,000	\$ 325
\$500,000 or less but more than \$250,000	\$ 225*
\$250,000 or less	\$ 100*
However, if the corporation's gross payroll, total receipts and average value of gross assets are each \$1,000 or less	\$ 800

* Foreign authorized corporations: If the total of your tax and MTA surcharge is less than \$300, you must increase your payment accordingly to satisfy the \$300 maintenance fee requirement.

To avoid an erroneous assessment or a delay of your refund, you **must** enter an amount in the *Gross payroll*, *Total receipts*, and *Average value of gross assets* boxes above line 1 on Form CT-3-A/C for each taxable member of the New York State combined group. If you do not have payroll, receipts, or assets, enter "0" in the appropriate box(es).

Line 1 — See Form CT-3-A-I, *Instructions for Forms CT-3-A, CT-3-A/ATT and CT-3-A/B*, line 74 instructions for the computation of the fixed dollar minimum tax.

Composition of prepayments

Complete this schedule only if the corporation filing this Form CT-3-A/C made separate payments or has separate credits.

Lines 3 through 7 — If you need more space, write **see attached** in this section, and attach a separate sheet showing all relevant prepayment information.

Line 6 — Include franchise tax payments credited from prior years in the *Franchise tax* column and MTA surcharge payments credited from prior years in the *MTA surcharge* column.

Line 7 — The total of the *Franchise tax* column will be carried to line 107 of Form CT-3-A. The total of the *MTA surcharge* column will be carried to line 51 of Form CT-3M/4M, filed by the parent.

Privacy notification

The Commissioner of Taxation and Finance may collect and maintain personal information pursuant to the New York State Tax Law, including but not limited to, sections 171, 171-a, 287, 308, 429, 475, 505, 697, 1096, 1142, and 1415 of that Law; and may require disclosure of social security numbers pursuant to 42 USC 405(c)(2)(C)(i).


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