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All corporations—except for insurance corporations—and all partnerships can file using the General Index of Financial Information (GIFI). For more information, see page 5 of this guide.

This guide provides general information and explains how to use the GIFI and the GIFI-Short.

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General Index of Financial Information (GIFI)

You have to include financial statement information when you file a T2 Corporation Income Tax Return or a T5013 Partnership Information Return. The GIFI is an extensive list of financial statement items where each item has a unique code (for example, cash is 1001). When you use the GIFI, do not submit your financial statements with your return and schedules. If we need your traditional financial statements, we will ask for them.

You can find a complete listing of GIFI items and their codes in Appendix A on page 11.

When to use the GIFI

Use the GIFI to submit your financial statement information for both paper and Internet-filed returns. For more information about our Internet filing service for corporations, go to canada.ca/corporation-internet, and for partnerships, go to canada.ca/taxes-iref.

Filing your returns using My Business Account or Represent a Client

You can file corporation returns online using the “Transmit a return” service or partnership returns using the “File a return” service in:

- My Business Account at canada.ca/my-cra-business-account, if you are the business owner
- Represent a Client at canada.ca/taxes-representatives, if you are an authorized representative or employee

How to use the GIFI

The GIFI is available as part of the T2 tax return preparation software programs certified by the Canada Revenue Agency (CRA). It is also available as part of the T5013 partnership information return preparation software programs. The GIFI is included in some utility programs that allow you to import information from an accounting software program to a return preparation program. If you do not use return preparation software, see “Introduction to the GIFI-Short” on page 10, “GIFI schedules for corporations” on page 5, or “GIFI schedules for partnerships” on page 6. Once you choose a GIFI code for each item you report on your financial statements, only the item code and amount will be included on your return.

The level of detail needed with the GIFI

We need the same level of detail with the GIFI and GIFI-Short as we needed from traditional financial statements. For example, if your financial statements include 40 items such as cash, accounts receivable, total assets, sales, cost of sales, income taxes, and net income after taxes, we expect that same number of GIFI codes. We need as many GIFI codes as it takes to represent your balance sheet and income statement in their entirety. Do **not** report **only** subtotals and totals.

Note

Although you need to keep the working papers used to show the accounts or sub-accounts that make up a financial statement item, do **not** submit them when filing your return.

Examples

Report prepaid expenses as a current asset on line 1483 – Other current assets. If you are using the GIFI-Short, use line 1480.

Report machinery fuel and lubricant expenses on line 9281 – Other expenses. If you are using the GIFI-Short, use line 9270.

If machinery fuel and lubricant expenses are related to farming activity, report them on line 9764 – Machinery fuel, or on line 9760 – Machinery expenses.

Submitting notes to the financial statements

Submit any notes to your financial statements with your GIFI or GIFI-Short information.

If you file a T2 Corporation Income Tax Return electronically, include the notes in text format with your transmission. Your software package should enable you to transfer the notes to the file you are transmitting, without rekeying. You do **not** have to file paper notes to financial statements if you file that year’s T2 return electronically.

If you file a T5013 Partnership Information Return electronically, do **not** send the paper copy of the notes to your tax centre. If we need the notes to your financial statements, we will ask for them.

If you file a paper T2 Corporation Income Tax Return or T5013 Partnership Information Return, include a paper copy of your notes.

For an example on how to report the information from the notes using the GIFI, see page 9.

Introduction to GIFI schedules

Schedules T2SCH100, Balance Sheet Information, T2SCH101, Opening Balance Sheet Information, and T2SCH125, Income Statement Information, provide spaces in column format for you to write your GIFI field codes and corresponding amounts. Schedule T2SCH141, General Index of Financial Information (GIFI) – Additional Information, is for providing the additional information.

Those who are eligible to use the GIFI-Short and have chosen to do so, must use the Form T1178. See “Using the GIFI-Short” below.

If you file a T5013 return, you should use the GIFI schedules for partnerships. Schedules T5013 SCH 100, Balance Sheet Information, and T5013 SCH 125, Income Statement Information, provide spaces in column format for you to write your GIFI field codes and corresponding amounts. Schedule T5013 SCH 141, General Index of Financial Information (GIFI) - Additional Information, is for providing the additional information.

Where to get a copy of the GIFI form, guide, and schedules

The GIFI form, guide, and schedules are available at canada.ca/cra-forms.

General information for corporations

Using the GIFI

All corporations (except for insurance corporations) can file using the GIFI.

Using the GIFI-Short

If your corporation does not use return preparation software, and has both gross revenue and assets of less than one million dollars each, you may use the paper version of Form T1178, General Index of Financial Information – Short. Insurance corporations are not eligible. For more information, see “Using the GIFI-Short (T1178)” on page 10.

Insurance corporations

The GIFI and GIFI-Short do not currently meet the reporting needs of insurance corporations involved in underwriting (life insurers, deposit insurers, or property and casualty insurers). The GIFI does not include items specific to the insurance industry. You should continue to send a copy of your financial statements with your T2 return and schedules. If you file your return electronically, you can attach your financial statements when you file.

Non-resident corporations

You can use the GIFI and the GIFI-Short when you report in unconsolidated Canadian funds. Non-resident corporations cannot report in a functional currency. Do **not** use the GIFI or the GIFI-Short if you are filing under section 115 only because you disposed of taxable Canadian property or because you are a treaty-based exempt corporation.

Inactive corporations

If your corporation is inactive (you answered **yes** at line 280 of the T2 return), but you have balance sheet or income statement information to report, you can use the GIFI to file this information.

First year after incorporation

You may be filing for the first year after incorporation. If so, complete two balance sheets: an opening and a closing. If you are not using a software package approved by us to complete this information, write “opening” in the top right-hand corner of the appropriate balance sheet.

If you are using the T1178, please tick the appropriate box to identify your opening balance sheet. The box is located on the right-hand corner of page 1 of the T1178.

If you are using the GIFI schedules, Schedule T2SCH100, Balance Sheet Information, is for the closing balance sheet

information and Schedule T2SCH101, Opening Balance Sheet Information, is for the opening balance sheet information.

Deferred expense statements

You may be involved in exploration and development that has not yet generated significant sales revenue and you may have capitalized deferred expenditures. If so, do **not** use the GIFI to itemize these expenditures. You should report the aggregate deferred expenditures as balance sheet information. As well, you have to report “0” in the required fields on your income statement information (see “Validity check items” on page 7).

Reporting in Canadian funds

Report your financial statement information in Canadian funds even if you are a Canadian branch of a foreign corporation. You can report in a functional currency if you are an eligible corporation that has filed Form T1296, Election, or Revocation of an Election, to Report in a Functional Currency, and elected to file in a functional currency under section 261.

Reporting negative amounts

If you are using a software package, it will show you how to mark items as negative amounts. If you do not use a software package, you should mark negative amounts using brackets or a minus sign.

Reporting in dollars

Report your financial statement amounts in actual dollars; do **not** report cents. For example, report cash of \$10,500.75 as 10501 under item 1001 – Cash (item 1000 for those using the GIFI-Short). Do **not** report amounts in thousands or millions of dollars.

Note

You can report in a functional currency if you are an eligible corporation that has filed Form T1296 and elected to file in a functional currency under section 261.

Reporting unconsolidated financial statement information

Report your financial statement information for each legal entity (unconsolidated). Include all unincorporated branches or divisions within that legal corporate entity.

Reporting multiple lines of business

You may have multiple lines of business. For more information on how to report this type of situation using the GIFI, see Appendix B on page 30.

GIFI schedules for corporations

If you file a T2 return without using return preparation software or Form T1178, you can use the GIFI schedules.

T2SCH100, Balance Sheet Information

Schedule 100 shows the corporation's financial position at the end of the tax year.

T2SCH101, Opening Balance Sheet Information

Schedule 101 shows the corporation's opening balance sheet information for the first return of a new corporation.

T2SCH125, Income Statement Information

Schedule 125 shows the income generated and the expenses incurred by the corporation during the tax year.

T2SCH140, Summary Statement

If you are submitting supplementary income statements, you will also need to complete and file Schedule 140. This schedule is at the bottom of page 2 of Schedule 125.

T2SCH141, GIF I – Additional Information

Schedule 141 is a set of questions designed to determine who is primarily involved with the financial information, the extent of their involvement or that of the person filling out the form, and whether they expressed any reservations. It also identifies the type of information contained in the notes to the financial statements and provides more information about the person who prepared the T2 return.

Include any notes to the financial statements and the auditor or accountant's report, if they were prepared. You have to include this information even if you are filing your return using tax preparation software.

General information for partnerships

Using the GIF I

All partnerships filing a T5013 Partnership Information Return can file using the GIF I.

Reporting negative amounts

You should mark negative amounts using brackets or a minus sign.

Reporting in Canadian funds

Report your financial statement information in Canadian funds even if you are a Canadian branch of a foreign partnership.

When a corporate member of the partnership has elected to report in a functional currency, the partnership has to use the same functional currency when preparing the information slip for this corporate partner.

If a partnership has one member who has elected a functional currency and another who has not, or has elected another functional currency, the partnership is required to prepare the T5013 information slips, Statement of Partnership Income, for the partners who made an election under section 261 in their elected functional currency.

Reporting in dollars

Report your financial statement amounts in actual dollars. Do **not** report cents. For example, report cash of \$10,500.75 as 10501 under item 1001 – Cash. Do **not** report amounts in thousands or millions of dollars.

Reporting multiple lines of business

You may have multiple lines of business. For information on how to report for such a situation using the GIF I, see Appendix B on page 30.

Inactive partnerships

If your partnership is inactive (you answered **yes** at line 280 of the T5013 FIN), but you have balance sheet or income statement information to report, you can use the GIF I to file this information. An inactive (non-operating) partnership can still have income or expenses in a year. It may pay a monthly service charge to maintain a bank account or it may earn interest or dividends from income-producing assets it held. It may also have received income that was shown as receivable in the previous year.

GIF I schedules for partnerships

Each partnership should include complete financial statement information for the fiscal period of the return using the GIF I schedules for partnerships.

T5013 SCH 100, Balance Sheet Information

The T5013 Partnership Information Return should include the T5013 SCH 100 showing the partnership's financial position at the end of the fiscal period.

T5013 SCH 125, Income Statement Information

The T5013 Partnership Information Return should include the T5013 SCH 125 showing the income generated and expenses incurred by the partnership during the fiscal period.

T5013 SCH 140, Summary Statement

If you are submitting supplementary income statements, you will also need to complete and file the T5013 SCH 140. This schedule is at the bottom of page 2 of the T5013 SCH 125.

T5013 SCH 141, GIF I – Additional Information

The T5013 SCH 141 has questions designed to determine who is primarily involved with the financial information and the extent of their involvement or that of the person filling out the form. It also identifies the type of information contained in the notes to the financial statements and provides more information about the person who prepared the T5013 return. If the notes were prepared, include them as well as the auditor or accountant's report to the financial statements unless you are filing a T5013 Partnership Information Return electronically. If you are filing electronically, do **not** send the paper copy of the notes to your tax centre. If we need the notes to the financial statements, we will ask for them.

Using the GIFI

1. Select the items usually reported on your balance sheet from items in the 1000 to 3849 range.
2. Select the items usually reported on your income statement from items in the 7000 to 9970 range.

Note

Items 9370 to 9899 relate specifically to farming income and expenses.

3. Select the items usually reported in your extraordinary items and income taxes from items in the 9975 to 9999 range.

Validity check items

The GIFI information has to balance. We use the following rules to check the information you provide:

- total assets = total liabilities + total equity (partners' capital for partnerships)
- total revenue – total expenses = net non-farming income
- total farm revenue – total farm expenses = net farm income

You have to provide certain line items so that we can check the above equations. Each GIFI **must** include the following items:

Balance sheet

Item 2599 – Total assets

Item 3499 – Total liabilities

Item 3620 – Total shareholder equity (corporations only)

or

Item 3575 – Total partners' capital (partnerships only)

Non-farming income and expenses

Item 8299 – Total revenue

Item 9368 – Total expenses

and/or

Farming income and expenses

Item 9659 – Total farm revenue

Item 9898 – Total farm expenses

When reporting a breakdown of retained earnings (corporations only)

Item 3849 – Retained earnings/deficit – End

Extraordinary items and income taxes

Item 9999 – Net income/loss after taxes and extraordinary items

The amount of a required item may be nil. If so, enter "0."

Note

These codes must be included along with all the other GIFI codes needed to represent your balance sheet and income statement in their entirety.

For examples of how to use the GIFI for corporations and partnerships, see page 35.

How to select GIFI items

The GIFI consists of items you find on a balance sheet and on an income statement. The balance sheet section consists of items pertaining to assets, liabilities, and equity for corporations or partners' capital for partnerships. Items specific to retained earnings for corporations are included in this area as well. The income statement section consists of items you find under revenue, cost of sales, and expenses. Due to the specific reporting needs of the agriculture industry, we have provided a separate section for farming revenue and expenses. A section for extraordinary items and income taxes can be found after the farming section. For a complete listing of GIFI items, see Appendix A on page 11.

We have further divided the GIFI into blocks of items within these sections. The item at the start of each block is highlighted in bold. The highlighted item represents the generic term for items within the block. You may not find the item that is an exact match to the item on your financial statements. If that is the case, use the generic item.

Note

The generic item at the start of each block does **not** represent the total of the items in the block.

Assuming that you will prepare the GIFI from your own financial statements, use the following process when you select GIFI items:

1. Select an exact match from the GIFI items on your financial statements.
2. If you cannot find an exact match, select the most appropriate item.
3. If you cannot find an appropriate item, select the generic item.

Example

8760 Business taxes, licences, and memberships

8761 Memberships

8762 Business taxes

8763 Franchise fees

8764 Government fees

If your income statement usually shows an account for "business charges" you could use item 8760 to report this amount.

Reporting an amount that combines two or more items

An amount in your financial statement information may combine two or more GIFI items. To report this amount, determine which item is the greater or greatest amount and choose the most appropriate GIFI item.

Example

Cash and term deposits

If **cash** is the greater amount, report under GIFI item 1001 – Cash.

If **term deposits** is the greater amount, report under GIFI item 1181 – Canadian term deposits.

Example

Rent, taxes, and insurance

You could report this under item 8911 – Real estate rental, under item 8762 – Business taxes, or under item 8690 – Insurance, depending on which amount is the greatest.

Completing the GIFI – Additional Information

The GIFI – Additional Information is included with the GIFI in all CRA-approved software packages. Complete the GIFI – Additional Information when you use the GIFI to report your financial statement information. You need to complete all parts of the GIFI – Additional information that apply and include it with your T2 return along with your other GIFI schedules. You can see examples of a completed Schedule 141 for a corporation and for a partnership on pages 39 and 41.

Part 1 – Information on the person primarily involved with the financial information

Answer these three questions about the person who is primarily involved with the financial information. Indicate whether that person can be identified, whether that person has a professional designation in accounting, and whether that person is connected to the corporation or the partnership by ticking either the **yes** or **no** box for each question.

Part 2 – Type of involvement

Choose one or more options that represent your involvement and that of the person referred to in Part 1.

Part 3 – Reservations

If you selected option 300 or 301 in Part 2 – Type of involvement, answer question 099 “Has the person referred to in Part 1 expressed a reservation?”.

Part 4 – Other information

Answer questions 101 to 108.

If you answer **yes** to question 108 of the T5013 Schedule 141, answer question 109.

If you answer **yes** to question 200, answer questions 210 to 236, as applicable.

If you answer **yes** to question 265, you have to maintain a separate reconciliation.

Part 5 – Information on the person who prepared the T2 return

If the person who prepared the T2 return has a professional designation in accounting but is not the person identified in Part 1, choose all of the options that apply in Part 5.

Notes to the financial statements

You may have prepared notes to the financial statements. If so, include them with the GIFI.

- If you file a T2 return electronically, you have to include the notes with your transmission. Your software package should enable you to transfer the notes to the file you are transmitting, without re-keying. You do **not** have to file paper financial statements or notes to financial statements if you file that year’s T2 return electronically.
- If you file your T5013 return electronically, keep your notes in case we ask for them later. If you file a paper T5013 return, include your notes.

Notes

You cannot include tables and graphs in the notes if you are filing a T2 return electronically. You have to convert this type of information to plain text.

Report on the GIFI breakdowns of items such as capital assets or investments shown in the notes.

Example

Your balance sheet shows fixed assets of \$31,500, with a breakdown found in the notes.

	Cost	Accumulated amortization	Net amount
Land	\$ 10,000		\$ 10,000
Buildings	20,000	\$ 3,000	17,000
Furniture and fixtures	<u>5,000</u>	<u>500</u>	<u>4,500</u>
Total	\$ 35,000	\$ 3,500	\$ 31,500

Using the GIFI, report the information from the notes as follows:

GIFI Code	Item	Amount
1600	Land	10,000
1680	Buildings	20,000
1681	Accumulated amortization of buildings	(3,000)
1787	Furniture and fixtures	5,000
1788	Accumulated amortization of furniture and fixtures	(500)
2008	Total tangible capital assets	35,000
2009	Total accumulated amortization of tangible capital assets	(3,500)

Using the GIFI-Short (T1178)

Introduction to the GIFI-Short

The GIFI-Short is intended for corporations only. If your corporation does not use return preparation software, and has both gross revenue and assets of less than one million dollars each, use Form T1178, General Index of Financial Information – Short. You can choose from about 100 commonly used balance sheet and income statement items. A separate selection of income statement items that can be used by farming corporations is also included.

Completing the GIFI-Short (T1178)

- 1) Enter all balance sheet items relating to assets, liabilities, shareholder equity, and statement of retained earnings (deficit) on page 1 of Form T1178.
- 2) Enter all income statement items relating to revenues, cost of sales and operating expenses of a non-farming operation on page 3 of Form T1178.
- 3) Enter all income statement items relating to revenues and expenses of a farming operation on page 4 of Form T1178.

Note

Corporations involved in both farming and non-farming activities can select items from both statements.

- 4) Enter your extraordinary items and income tax items on page 4 of Form T1178.
- 5) Complete the GIFI – Additional Information on page 5 of Form T1178. See “Completing the GIFI – Additional Information” on this page.

Required items

There are some line items with an asterisk (*) that always need an entry. These line items are used to verify that information was received and recorded correctly.

Reporting an amount that combines two or more items

An amount in your financial statement information may combine two or more items. To report this amount, determine which item is the greater or greatest amount and use the appropriate line item.

Example

Rent and property taxes

If rent is the greater amount, report it at line 8910 – Rental.

If the taxes are the greater amount, report it at line 9180 – Property taxes.

Completing the GIFI – Additional Information

The GIFI – Additional Information is a short set of questions designed to determine who is primarily involved with the financial information and the extent of their

involvement or that of the person filling out the form. It also identifies whether any reservations were expressed and other information relating to the financial statements. You need to complete all parts of the GIFI – Additional information that apply and include it with your T2 return along with your other GIFI schedules.

Part 1 – Information on the person primarily involved with the financial information

Answer these three questions about the person who is primarily involved with the financial information. Indicate whether the person can be identified, whether the person has a professional designation in accounting, and whether the person is connected to the corporation by ticking the **yes** box or **no** box for each question.

Part 2 – Type of involvement

Choose one or more options that represent your involvement and that of the person referred to in Part 1.

Part 3 – Reservations

If you selected option 300 or 301 in Part 2 – Type of involvement, answer question 099 “Has the person referred to in Part 1 expressed a reservation?”.

Part 4 – Other information

Answer questions 101 to 108.

Part 5 – Information on the person who prepared the T2 return

If the person who prepared the T2 return has a professional designation in accounting but is not the person identified in Part 1, choose all of the options that apply in Part 5.

Items found on GIFI-Short

Consult Appendix A on page 11 if you need more information about certain lines found on Form T1178.

Appendix A – Complete listing of the GIFI items

The following is a complete list of GIFI items. Some of them include more detail about the type of information you could report in the item. Some items are intended for corporations only or for partnerships only. Some items apply only to certain industry sectors or types of business.

If you are eligible and have chosen to use the GIFI-Short, pay special attention to descriptions beginning with “GIFI-Short.” If a line appearing on Form T1178 does not have a “GIFI-Short” description in this appendix, the regular GIFI definition applies.

Note

The generic items highlighted in bold at the start of each block do not represent a total of the items in the block. They are the generic items to use if the specific items in the block are not an exact match to the item on your financial statement.

Example

1001 Cash

Use this item to report bank drafts, bank notes, cheques, coins, currency, money orders, postal notes, and post-dated cheques, as well as cash.

9012 Road costs

Use this item to report snow removal as well as road costs.

Balance Sheet Information

Assets

Current assets

1000 Cash and deposits

GIFI-Short:

Include all amounts under items 1001 to 1007.

- 1001 Cash
bank drafts, bank notes, cheques, coins, currency, money orders, postal notes, and post-dated cheques
- 1002 Deposits in Canadian banks and institutions – Canadian currency
- 1003 Deposits in Canadian banks and institutions – Foreign currency
- 1004 Deposits in foreign banks – Canadian currency
- 1005 Deposits in foreign banks – Foreign currency
- 1006 Credit union central deposits
(credit unions only)
- 1007 Other cash-like instruments
gold bullion and silver bullion

1060 Accounts receivable

claims, dividends, royalties, and subsidies receivable

GIFI-Short:

Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 1062, 1064, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069 and 1071, as well as claims, dividends, royalties, and subsidies receivable.

- 1061 **Allowance for doubtful accounts**
GIFI-Short:
Include all amounts under items 1063, 1065, 1070 and 1072.
- 1062 Trade accounts receivable
- 1063 Allowance for doubtful trade accounts receivable
- 1064 Trade accounts receivable from related parties
- 1065 Allowance for doubtful trade accounts receivable from related parties
- 1066 Taxes receivable
GST/HST, income tax refunds, and tax credits receivable
- 1067 Interest receivable
- 1068 Holdbacks receivable
- 1069 Leases receivable
- 1070 Allowance for doubtful amounts contained in leases receivable
- 1071 Accounts receivable from employees
- 1072 Allowance for doubtful accounts receivable from employees
- 1073 Amounts receivable from members of NPOs
This item is intended for corporations that are non-profit organizations to report amounts receivable from members.
- 1120 **Inventories**
GIFI-Short:
Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 1121 to 1127.
- 1121 Inventory of goods for sale
finished goods
- 1122 Inventory parts and supplies
- 1123 Inventory properties
This item is intended for companies whose primary activities are real estate, subdivision, or construction, and who have real estate held for sale.
- 1124 Inventory of aggregates
- 1125 Work in progress
goods in process
- 1126 Raw materials
includes amounts reported under inventories as raw materials usually found in the manufacturing sector
- 1127 Inventory of securities
This item is intended for companies such as brokers, stockbrokers, financial institutions, and investment companies that hold securities for sale.
- 1180 **Short-term investments**
short-term marketable securities
GIFI-Short:
Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 1181 to 1187, as well as short term investment in joint ventures or partnerships.
- 1181 Canadian term deposits
short-term bearer deposit notes, collateral deposits, and guaranteed investment certificates
- 1182 Canadian shares

- 1183 Canadian bonds
bond coupons, bond deposits, corporate bonds,
government bonds, and debentures shown current
- 1184 Canadian treasury bills
- 1185 Securities purchased under resale agreements
includes amounts reported as securities purchased
under resale agreements found in returns filed by
financial institutions, investments companies and
brokers
- 1186 Other short-term Canadian investments
- 1187 Short-term foreign investments
all types of foreign investment shown current

1240 Loans and notes receivable

GIFI-Short:

Include all amounts here that would have
otherwise been reported under items 1241 to 1244
as well as amounts due from joint venture or
partnerships.

- 1241 Demand loans receivable
amounts such as call loans, day loans, and demand
loans
- 1242 Other loans receivable
- 1243 Notes receivable
- 1244 Mortgages receivable

Items 1300 to 1303 – (corporations only)
current amounts due from shareholders/directors, such as
advances, loans, and notes

1300 Due from shareholder(s)/director(s)

GIFI-Short:

Include all amounts here that would have
otherwise been reported under items 1301 to 1303.

- 1301 Due from individual shareholder(s)
- 1302 Due from corporate shareholder(s)
due from parent company
- 1303 Due from director(s)

Items 1310 to 1314 – (partnerships only)
current advances/loans/notes between the partners and
the partnership

1310 Due from member(s)/general partner(s)

- 1311 Due from limited partners
- 1312 Due from members that are partnerships
- 1313 Due from general partners
- 1314 Due from specified members who are not limited
partners

1360 Investment in joint venture(s)/partnership(s)
current investment or equity in joint venture(s),
partnership(s), and syndicate(s)

1380 Due from joint venture(s)/partnership(s)
current amounts due from joint
venture(s)/partnership(s), or syndicate(s), such as
advances, loans, and notes

Items 1400 to 1403 – “Related parties” can refer to affiliate,
associated, and subsidiary corporations.

Note

Current investment in a parent company should be
reported under item 1400; however, item 1302 should be
used for current amounts due from a parent company.

1400 Due from/investment in related parties

GIFI-Short:

A current investment in a parent company should
be reported at line 1400, and a current amount due
from a parent company should be reported at
line 1300.

Include all amounts here that would have
otherwise been reported under items 1401 to 1403.

- 1401 Demand notes from related parties
amounts due from related parties such as call
loans, day loans, and demand loans
- 1402 Interest receivable from related parties
- 1403 Loans/advances due from related parties

1460 Customers’ liability under acceptances

This item is for financial institutions – any amount
reported under this item should be equal to the
amount reported in Liabilities under item 2940 –
Bankers acceptances.

1480 Other current assets

GIFI-Short:

Include all amounts here that would have
otherwise been reported under items 1481 to 1486.

- 1481 Future (deferred) income taxes (corporations only)
income taxes applicable to future years, and
reserve for income taxes, shown current
- 1482 Accrued investment income
- 1483 Taxes recoverable/refundable
- 1484 Prepaid expenses
- 1485 Drilling advances
for mining, quarrying, and oil and gas industries
- 1486 Security/tender deposits

1599 Total current assets

Capital assets

Items 1600 to 2179 – Capital assets – Throughout the GIFI,
depreciation is referred to as amortization of tangible
assets, depletion is referred to as amortization of natural
resource assets, and amortization is referred to as
amortization of intangible assets.

Items 1600 to 2009 – Tangible capital assets – Item 2008 –
Total tangible capital assets, represents the sum of all
tangible capital assets reported, and item 2009 – Total
accumulated amortization of tangible capital assets,
represents the sum of all the accumulated amortization of
the tangible capital assets reported, within items 1600
to 1922.

When reporting this breakdown, do not show the net final
amount of the tangible capital assets on the GIFI. However,
if your financial statements show an amount, for example
fixed assets (net), for which there is no breakdown, report it
under item 2008 – Total tangible capital assets.

1600 Land

GIFI-Short:

Include all amounts here that would have
otherwise been reported under items 1601
and 1602.

- 1601 Land improvements
landscaping
- 1602 Accumulated amortization of land improvements

Items 1620 to 1633 – Depletable assets are assets that will be written off in later periods as they are used up. These items generally apply only to the resource or manufacturing industries.

- 1620 Depletable assets**
costs for mine-stripping, well drilling, and waste removal
- GIFI-Short:**
Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 1622, 1624, 1626, 1628, 1630 and 1632, as well as cost for mine-stripping, well-drilling, waste removal and gravel pits.
- 1621 Accumulated amortization of depletable assets**
- GIFI-Short:**
Include the accumulated depreciation or amortization of any of the items reported at line 1620.
- 1622 Petroleum and natural gas properties
- 1623 Accumulated amortization of petroleum and natural gas properties
- 1624 Mining properties
- 1625 Accumulated amortization of mining properties
- 1626 Deferred exploration and development charges
- 1627 Accumulated amortization of deferred exploration and development charges
- 1628 Quarries
- 1629 Accumulated amortization of quarries
- 1630 Gravel pits
- 1631 Accumulated amortization of gravel pits
- 1632 Timber limits
- 1633 Accumulated amortization of timber limits
- 1680 Buildings**
- GIFI-Short:**
Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 1682 and 1684.
- 1681 Accumulated amortization of buildings**
- GIFI-Short:**
Include the accumulated depreciation or amortization of any of the items reported at line 1680.
- Items 1682 and 1683** – for resource or manufacturing industries
- 1682 Manufacturing and processing plant
- 1683 Accumulated amortization of manufacturing and processing plant
- 1684 Buildings under construction
- 1740 Machinery, equipment, furniture, and fixtures**
- GIFI-Short:**
Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 1742, 1744, 1746, 1748, 1750, 1752, 1754, 1756, 1758, 1760, 1762,

1764, 1766, 1768, 1770, 1772, 1774, 1776, 1778, 1780, 1782, 1783 and 1785.

1741 Accumulated amortization of machinery, equipment, furniture, and fixtures

GIFI-Short:

Include the accumulated depreciation or amortization of any of the items reported at line 1740.

- 1742 Motor vehicles
- 1743 Accumulated amortization of motor vehicles
- 1744 Tools and dies
- 1745 Accumulated amortization of tools and dies
- 1746 Construction and excavating equipment
- 1747 Accumulated amortization of construction and excavating equipment

Items 1748 and 1749 – for the forestry and logging industry

- 1748 Forestry and logging equipment
- 1749 Accumulated amortization of forestry and logging equipment

Items 1750 and 1751 – for the fishing industry

- 1750 Fishing gear and nets
sonar equipment
- 1751 Accumulated amortization of fishing gear and nets

Items 1752 to 1757 – for resource industries

- 1752 Mining equipment
- 1753 Accumulated amortization of mining equipment
- 1754 Oil and gas systems
pipelines and distribution systems
- 1755 Accumulated amortization of oil and gas systems
- 1756 Production equipment for resource industries
- 1757 Accumulated amortization of production equipment for resource industries
- 1758 Production equipment for other than resource industries
- 1759 Accumulated amortization of production equipment for other than resource industries

Items 1760 and 1761 – for resource industries

- 1760 Exploration equipment
- 1761 Accumulated amortization of exploration equipment
- 1762 Shipping equipment
- 1763 Accumulated amortization of shipping equipment
- 1764 Ships and boats
- 1765 Accumulated amortization of ships and boats
- 1766 Aircraft
- 1767 Accumulated amortization of aircraft
- 1768 Signs
- 1769 Accumulated amortization of signs
- 1770 Small tools
- 1771 Accumulated amortization of small tools
- 1772 Radio and communication equipment
- 1773 Accumulated amortization of radio and communication equipment
- 1774 Computer equipment/software
- 1775 Accumulated amortization of computer equipment/software

Items 1776 and 1777 – for the arts, entertainment and recreation industry

- 1776 Musical instruments
- 1777 Accumulated amortization of musical instruments

Items 1778 to 1781 – for information and cultural industry

- 1778 Satellites
- 1779 Accumulated amortization of satellites
- 1780 Earth stations
- 1781 Accumulated amortization of earth stations
- 1782 Machinery and equipment under construction
- 1783 Transportation equipment
- 1784 Accumulated amortization of transportation equipment
- 1785 Other machinery and equipment
- 1786 Accumulated amortization of other machinery and equipment
- *1787 Furniture and fixtures
- 1788 Accumulated amortization of furniture and fixtures

GIFI-Short:

Include the accumulated depreciation or amortization of any of the items on line 1787.

- 1900 Other tangible capital assets**
art, books, chinaware, cutlery, utensils, uniforms, culverts, dams, golf courses, grain elevators, grandstands, swimming pools, towers, and trailer parks

GIFI-Short:

Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 1902, 1904, 1906, 1908, 1910, 1912, 1914, 1916, 1918, 1920 and 1921.

- 1901 Accumulated amortization of other tangible capital assets**

GIFI-Short:

Include the accumulated depreciation or amortization of any of the items on line 1900.

Note

Do not reduce amounts on lines 1900 and 1901 by government grants and investment tax credits. Report the net amount on line 3320.

Items 1902 and 1903 – for the forestry and logging industry

- 1902 Logging roads
- 1903 Accumulated amortization of logging roads
- 1904 Asphalt and parking areas
- 1905 Accumulated amortization of asphalt and parking areas
- 1906 Wharves
docks, float walks, and marinas
- 1907 Accumulated amortization of wharves
- 1908 Fences
- 1909 Accumulated amortization of fences
- 1910 Capital leases – Buildings
- 1911 Accumulated amortization of capital leases – Buildings
- 1912 Capital leases – Equipment
- 1913 Accumulated amortization of capital leases – Equipment

- 1914 Capital leases – Vehicles
- 1915 Accumulated amortization of capital leases – Vehicles
- 1916 Capital leases – Others
rented signs
- 1917 Accumulated amortization of capital leases – Others
- 1918 Leasehold improvements
- 1919 Accumulated amortization of leasehold improvements
- 1920 Other capital assets under construction
- 1921 Campsites
- 1922 Accumulated amortization of campsites
- 2008 Total tangible capital assets**
- 2009 Total accumulated amortization of tangible capital assets**

Items 2010 to 2179 – Intangible capital assets – Item 2178 – Total intangible capital assets, represents the sum of all intangible capital assets reported, and item 2179 – Total accumulated amortization of intangible capital assets, represents the sum of all the accumulated amortization of the intangible capital assets reported, within items 2010 to 2077. When reporting this breakdown, the net final amount of the intangible capital assets is not to be shown anywhere on the GIFI. However, if your financial statements show an amount for “intangibles” for which there is no breakdown, this item could be reported under Item 2178 – Total intangible capital assets.

- 2010 Intangible assets**
concessions, formulas, franchises, and organization costs

GIFI-Short:

Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 2012, 2014, 2016, 2018, 2020, 2022, 2024 and 2026, as well as concessions, formulas, franchises and organization costs.

- 2011 Accumulated amortization of intangible assets**

GIFI-Short:

Include the accumulated amortization of any items reported at line 2010.

- 2012 Goodwill
- 2013 Accumulated amortization of goodwill
applies to tax years before 2002
- 2014 Quota
- 2015 Accumulated amortization of quota
- 2016 Licences
- 2017 Accumulated amortization of licences
- 2018 Incorporation costs (corporations only)
- 2019 Accumulated amortization of incorporation costs (corporations only)
- 2020 Trademarks/patents
- 2021 Accumulated amortization of trademarks/patents
- 2022 Customer lists
- 2023 Accumulated amortization of customer lists
- 2024 Rights
- 2025 Accumulated amortization of rights
- 2026 Research and development
- 2027 Accumulated amortization of research and development

Items 2070 to 2077 – for resource industries**2070 Resource rights****2071 Accumulated amortization of resource rights**

2072 Timber rights

2073 Accumulated amortization of timber rights

2074 Mining rights

2075 Accumulated amortization of mining rights

2076 Oil and gas rights

2077 Accumulated amortization of oil and gas rights

2178 Total intangible capital assets**2179 Total accumulated amortization of intangible capital assets****Long-term assets****Items 2180 to 2183 – (corporations only)**

long-term amounts due from shareholder(s)/director(s), such as advances, loans, and notes

2180 Due from shareholder(s)/director(s)**GIFI-Short:**

Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 2181 to 2183.

2181 Due from individual shareholder(s)

2182 Due from corporate shareholder(s)
due from parent company

2183 Due from director(s)

2190 Due from members

advances, loans, and notes to members of co-operatives or credit unions. For cooperatives and credit unions.

2200 Investment in joint venture(s)/partnership(s)

long-term investment or equity in joint venture(s), partnership(s), and syndicate(s)

Items 2210 to 2214 – (partnerships only)

long-term advances/loans/notes between the partners and the partnership

2210 Due from member(s)/general partner(s)

2211 Due from limited partners

2212 Due from members that are partnerships

2213 Due from general partners

2214 Due from specified members who are not limited partners

2220 Due from joint venture(s)/partnership(s)

long-term amounts due from joint venture(s)/partnership(s), or syndicate(s), such as advances, loans, and notes

Items 2240 to 2250 – “Related parties” can refer to affiliate, associated, and subsidiary corporations.**Note**

Long-term investment in a parent company must be reported under the appropriate item in this block; however, item 2182 – Due from corporate shareholder(s), must be used for long-term amounts due from a parent company.

2240 Due from/investment in related parties**GIFI-Short:**

Related parties can refer to affiliate, associated, and subsidiary corporations.

Note

Long term investment in a parent company must be reported on line 2240, and long term amount due from a parent company must be reported on line 2180.

Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 2241 to 2250.

2241 Due from/investment in Canadian related parties

2242 Shares in Canadian related corporations

2243 Loans/advances to Canadian related corporations

2244 Investment in Canadian related corporations at cost

2245 Investment in Canadian related corporations at equity

2246 Due from/investment in foreign related parties

2247 Shares in foreign related corporations

2248 Loans/advances to foreign related corporations

2249 Investment in foreign related corporations at cost

2250 Investment in foreign related corporations at equity

2280 Investment in co-tenancy
investment in co-ownerships**2300 Long-term investments****GIFI-Short:**

Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 2301 to 2311.

2301 Foreign shares

2302 Other types of foreign investments
foreign investments in joint ventures, partnerships, bonds, and debentures

2303 Canadian shares

2304 Government of Canada debt

Government of Canada long-term bonds and debentures

2305 Canadian, provincial, and municipal government debt

2306 Canadian corporate bonds and debentures
long-term bond coupons and bond deposits**Items 2307 to 2310 – for finance and insurance or management of companies industries**

2307 Debt securities

2308 Equity securities

2309 Securities purchased under resale agreements

2310 Central credit union shares

2311 Other Canadian long-term investments

Items 2360 to 2364 – for businesses that provide long-term loans such as those in the finance and insurance industries**2360 Long-term loans**
advances and notes shown long-term**GIFI-Short:**

Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 2361 to 2364.

2361 Mortgages

2362 Personal and credit card loans

2363 Business and government loans

2364 Line of credit

- 2420 Other long-term assets**
investment tax credits, stock exchange seats, and utilities deposits
- GIFI-Short:**
Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 2421 to 2427.
- 2421 Future (deferred) income taxes (corporations only) income taxes applicable to future years, and reserve for income taxes, shown long-term
- 2422 Deferred pension charges
- 2423 Deferred unrealized exchange losses
- 2424 Other deferred items /charges
debt discount and expense, deferred development costs, deferred finance charges, deferred organization expense, lease inducements, tenant inducements, and cost on incomplete contracts
- 2425 Accumulated amortization of deferred charges
- 2426 Reserve fund
- 2427 Cash surrender value of life insurance
- 2589 Total long-term assets**
- 2590 Assets held in trust**
trust fund, trust assets, or funds held in escrow – Corporations such as collection agencies, funeral homes, insurance agencies, real estate agencies, travel agencies, and travel wholesalers must use this item. An amount reported under this item must have a balancing amount reported under item 3470 – Amounts held in trust, in the liabilities section.
- 2599 Total assets**
This item represents the total of all current, capital, long-term assets, and assets held in trust and **must** be reported (see “Validity check items” on page 7).

Liabilities

Current liabilities

- 2600 Bank overdraft**
bank indebtedness
- 2620 Amounts payable and accrued liabilities**
accrued liabilities, agreements payable, claims payable, rent payable, and utilities payable
- GIFI-Short:**
Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 2621 to 2629, as well as agreements, claims, rent and utilities payable.
- 2621 Trade payables
- 2622 Trade payables to related parties
- 2623 Holdbacks payable
- 2624 Wages payable
- 2625 Management fees payable
- 2626 Bonuses payable
- 2627 Employee deductions payable
payroll deductions for employee benefits such as employment insurance, Canada Pension Plan, Quebec Parental Insurance Plan, group insurance, and pension plans
- 2628 Withholding taxes payable

- 2629 Interest payable
accrued interest payable
- 2630 Amounts payable to members of NPOs
This item is for corporations that are non-profit organizations to report amounts payable to members.
- 2680 Taxes payable**
capital taxes, foreign taxes, GST/HST, current income taxes, logging taxes, sales taxes, and tax credits payable
- 2700 Short-term debt**
corporate loans, demand loans, loans from foreign banks, and notes payable shown short-term
- GIFI-Short:**
Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 2701 to 2706, 2840, as well as corporate or demand loans, and loans from Canadian or foreign banks.
- 2701 Loans from Canadian banks
- Items 2702 to 2704 – for finance and insurance or management of companies industries**
- 2702 Liability for securities sold short
- 2703 Liability for securities sold under repurchase agreements
- 2704 Gold and silver certificates
- 2705 Cheques and other items in transit
- 2706 Lien notes
- 2707 Credit card loans
- Include purchases made on your credit card for the purpose of earning business income.
- 2770 Deferred income**
deferred capital or book gain, unearned income, unearned interest, unearned service charges, and unrealized foreign exchange gain shown current
- Items 2780 to 2783 – (corporations only)**
current amounts due to shareholder(s)/director(s), such as advances, loans, and notes
- 2780 Due to shareholder(s)/director(s)**
- GIFI-Short:**
Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 2781 to 2789.
- 2781 Due to individual shareholder(s)
- 2782 Due to corporate shareholder(s)
due to parent company
- 2783 Due to director(s)
- Items 2790 to 2794 – (partnerships only)**
current advances/loans/notes between the partnership and the partners
- 2790 Due to member(s)/general partner(s)**
- 2791 Due to limited partners
- 2792 Due to members that are partnerships
- 2793 Due to general partners
- 2794 Due to specified members who are not limited partners
- 2840 Due to joint venture(s)/partnership(s)**
current amounts due to joint

venture(s)/partnership(s), and syndicate(s) such as advances, loans, and notes

Items 2860 to 2863 – “Related parties” can refer to affiliate, associated, and subsidiary corporations.

2860 Due to related parties

GIFI-Short:

Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 2861 to 2863.

2861 Demand notes due to related parties

2862 Interest payable to related parties

2863 Advances due to related parties

***2920 Current portion of long-term liability**

2940 Bankers’ acceptances

for financial institutions – any amount reported under this item should be equal to the amount reported in Assets under item 1460 – Customers’ liability under acceptances. For investment, finance, insurance, real estate and management of companies industries.

2960 Other current liabilities

progress payments shown current

GIFI-Short:

Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 2961 to 2966, as well as deferred income and unearned income shown current.

2961 Deposits received
bids, contract deposits, rental deposits, tenders,
and security deposits

2962 Dividends payable

2963 Future (deferred) income taxes (corporations only)
income taxes applicable to future years and reserve
for income taxes shown current

2964 Reserves for guarantees, warranties, or indemnities

2965 General provisions/reserves
contingent liabilities, provision for losses on loans,
and pension reserves shown current

2966 Crew shares
amounts reported as crew shares in the fishing
industry

3139 Total current liabilities

Long-term liabilities

3140 Long-term debt

GIFI-Short:

Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 3141 to 3149, as well as advances; loans or notes shown long term, due to joint ventures or partnerships; liability for securities sold short, liability for securities sold under repurchase agreements, and lien notes.

3141 Mortgages

3142 Farm Credit Corporation loan

3143 Chartered bank loan

3144 Credit Union/Caisse Populaire loan

3145 Provincial or territorial government loan

3146 Supply company loan

3147 Private loan

3148 Central, league, and federation loans
for finance and insurance industries

3149 Line of credit

Items 3150 and 3151 – for investment, finance, insurance, real-estate and management of companies industries

3150 Liability for securities sold short

3151 Liability for securities sold under repurchase
agreements

3152 Lien notes

3200 Deposit liabilities of financial institutions

This item applies to financial institutions and represents deposits made by customers. For investment, finance, insurance, real estate and management of companies industries.

3210 Bonds and debentures

3220 Deferred income

deferred capital or book gain, unearned income, unearned interest, unearned service charges, and unrealized foreign exchange gain shown long-term

3240 Future (deferred) income taxes (corporations only)
income taxes applicable to future years and reserve
for income taxes shown long-term

Items 3260 to 3263 – (corporations only)
long-term amounts due to shareholder(s)/director(s), such
as advances, loans, and notes

3260 Due to shareholder(s)/director(s)

GIFI-Short:

Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 3261 to 3263.

3261 Due to individual shareholder(s)

3262 Due to corporate shareholder(s)

due to parent company

3263 Due to director(s)

3270 Due to members

advances, loans, and notes from members of
co-operatives or credit unions

3280 Due to joint venture(s)/partnership(s)

long-term amounts due to joint
venture(s)/partnership(s), and syndicate(s) such as
advances, loans, and notes

Items 3291 to 3295 – (partnerships only)
long-term advances/loans/notes between the partnership
and the partners

3291 Due to member(s)/general partner(s)

3292 Due to limited partners

3293 Due to members that are partnerships

3294 Due to general partners

3295 Due to specified members who are not limited
partners

Items 3300 to 3302 – “Related parties” can refer to affiliate, associated, and subsidiary corporations.

3300 Due to related parties

	GIFI-Short: Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 3301 and 3302.		profits and a share of the voting power in shareholder elections.
3301	Amounts owing to related Canadian parties	3520	Preferred shares
3302	Amounts owing to related foreign parties		GIFI-Short: Include stock whose holders are guaranteed priority in the payment of dividends.
3320	Other long-term liabilities minority shareholder interest and other deferred credits shown long-term	3540	Contributed and other surplus
	GIFI-Short: Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 3321 to 3328.		GIFI-Short: Include all amounts here that would have otherwise appeared under items 3541 to 3543.
3321	Long-term obligations/commitments/capital leases	3541	Contributed surplus capital donations, capital grants, and paid-in surplus
3322	Reserves for guarantees, warranties, or indemnities	3542	Appraisal surplus excess of appraisal value over cost, revaluation account, and revaluation surplus
3323	Provision for site restoration dismantlement and abandonment costs, future removal, and site restoration costs. For resource industries.	3543	General reserve general reserves, inventory reserves, mortgage reserves, and security reserves
3324	Contributions to qualifying environmental trust environmental trust, mine reclamation, and reclamation of waste disposal sites. For resource industries.	3570	Head office account home office account and head office investment
3325	General provisions/reserves contingent liabilities, provision for losses on loans, and pension reserves shown long-term	3580	Accumulated other comprehensive income This item is intended for use by corporations and partnerships using either the pre-changeover accounting standards (Part V of the CICA Accounting Handbook) or International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) (Part I of the CICA Accounting Handbook) when preparing their financial statements. Report the accumulated balance of all components of other comprehensive income. This includes revenues, expenses, gains, and losses that are recognized in comprehensive income, but are not included in net income.
3326	Preference shares restated (corporations only) This item applies to preferred shares that have been restated as a liability and reported as a long-term liability.		
3327	Member allocations (corporations only) allocation to members of credit unions and co-operatives		
3328	Deferred revenue from incomplete contracts intended for contractors using the completion method of reporting revenue to report deferred revenue from incomplete contracts	3600	Retained earnings/deficit
3450	Total long-term liabilities	3620	Total shareholder equity This item represents the sum of all shareholder equity amounts and must be reported (see "Validity check items" on page 7).
3460	Subordinated debt		
3470	Amounts held in trust trust fund, trust liabilities, or funds held in escrow – Corporations such as collection agencies, funeral homes, insurance agencies, real estate agencies, travel agencies, and travel wholesalers would use this item. An amount reported under this item should have a balancing amount reported in item 2590 – Assets held in trust, in the assets section.	3640	Total liabilities and shareholder equity
3499	Total liabilities This item represents the total of all current and long-term liabilities and must be reported (see "Validity check items" on page 7).		Partners' Capital (partnerships only)
		3540	Contributed and other surplus
		3541	Contributed surplus capital donations, capital grants, and paid-in surplus
		3542	Appraisal surplus excess of appraisal value over cost, revaluation account, and revaluation surplus
		3543	General reserve general reserves, inventory reserves, mortgage reserves, and security reserves
		3570	Head office account home office account and head office investment
		3580	Accumulated other comprehensive income For corporations and partnerships using either the pre-changeover accounting standards (Part V of the CICA Accounting Handbook) or the
Equity (corporations only)			
3500	Common shares		
	GIFI-Short: Include stock other than preferred stock which entitles the owner to a share of the corporation's		

International Financial Reporting Standard (IFRS) (Part I of the CICA Accounting Handbook) when preparing their financial statements. Report the accumulated balance of all components of other comprehensive income. This includes revenues, expenses, gains, and losses that are recognized in comprehensive income, but are not included in net income.

- 3545 Net income/loss**
Any amount reported under this item should be equal to the amount reported under item 9999 – Net income/loss after extraordinary items.
Exception: If there is an amount reported under item 9998, item 3545 should be equal to item 9999 plus or minus 9998.
- 3546 Prior period adjustments**
- 3547 Currency adjustments**
- 3548 Unusual revenue items**
- 3550 Total net income/loss**
- 3551 General partners' capital beginning balance**
- 3552 General partners' net income (loss)**
- 3553 General partners' drawings**
- 3554 General partners' contributions during the fiscal period**
- 3560 General partners' capital ending balance**
- 3561 Limited partners' capital beginning balance**
- 3562 Limited partners' net income (loss)**
- 3563 Limited partners' drawings**
- 3564 Limited partners' contribution during the fiscal period**
- 3571 Limited partners' capital ending balance**
- 3575 Total partners' capital**
This item is the sum of all partner capital amounts and **must** be reported (see "Validity check items" on page 7).
- 3585 Total liabilities and partners' capital**

Retained Earnings Information (corporations only)

Retained earnings/deficit

- 3660 Retained earnings/deficit – Start**
- 3680 Net income/loss**
Any amount reported under this item should be equal to the amount reported under item 9999 – Net income/loss after taxes and extraordinary items. Exception: If there is an amount reported under item 9998, item 3680 should be equal to item 9999 plus or minus item 9998.
- 3700 Dividends declared**
liquidating dividends, premium paid on redemption of shares, and stock dividends declared on shares

GIFI-Short:

Also include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 3701 and 3702.

- 3701 Cash dividends**
- 3702 Patronage dividends**
- 3720 Prior period adjustments**

- 3740 Other items affecting retained earnings**
dividends credited to investment account –
If you choose to report dividends received in retained earnings rather than on the income statement, add the dividend back on Schedule 1, Net income (loss) for income tax purposes.

GIFI-Short:

Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 3741 to 3744, as well as prior period adjustments.

- 3741 Share redemptions**
- 3742 Special reserves (corporations and co-ops only)**
- 3743 Currency adjustments**
- 3744 Unusual revenue items**
- 3745 Interfund transfer**
This item is intended for corporations that are non-profit organizations to report fund amounts transferred to/from retained earnings from/to the income statement.
- 3849 Retained earnings/deficit – End**
This item represents the sum of all retained earnings amounts and **must** be reported if you are reporting retained earnings (see "Validity check items" on page 7). An amount reported under this item should be the same amount reported under item 3600 – Retained earnings/deficit.

Income Statement Information

- 0001 Operating name**
Complete this section if the operating name is different from the corporation's or partnership's name (for example, 111111 Ontario Ltd., operating as Maggie's Muffins).
- 0002 Description of the operation**
Complete the description of the operation when reporting more than one income statement, and the activity is different from the major business activity. See Appendix B of this guide for more information on reporting multiple lines of business.
- 0003 Sequence number**
For more than one income statement, use sequence numbers for each statement: number 01 for the income statement relating to the main activity, with supplementary income statements numbered consecutively from 02.

Other comprehensive income

Items 7000 to 7020 – For corporations and partnerships using the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS). Other comprehensive income includes revenues, expenses, gains, and losses that are recognized in

comprehensive income, but not included in net income.
Line 9998 – “Total other comprehensive income” is the sum of the following items:

- 7000 Revaluation surplus**
change in carrying amount surplus as a result of revaluation of property, plant and equipment, and intangible assets
- 7002 Defined benefit gains/losses**
actuarial gains and losses on defined benefit plans recognized in the period in which they occur
- 7004 Foreign operation translation gains/losses**
gains and losses arising from translating the financial statements of a foreign operation
- 7006 Equity instruments gains/losses**
subsequent changes in the fair market value of an investment in an equity instrument that is not held for trading
- 7008 Cash flow hedge effective portion gains/losses**
effective portion of gains and losses on hedging instruments in a cash flow hedge
- 7010 Income tax relating to components of other comprehensive income** (corporations only)
tax relating to each component of other comprehensive income if reported before tax
- 7020 Miscellaneous other comprehensive income**
gains and losses relating to other comprehensive income not included in lines 7000 to 7008

Revenue

- 8000 Trade sales of goods and services**
For corporations or partnerships who are not involved in the resource industry (items 8040 to 8053) or the fishing industry (items 8160 to 8166), but whose main source of income is the sale of a product or service. Amounts may be reported net of discounts allowed on sales, sales rebates, volume discounts, returns, and allowances.
- 8020 Sales of goods and services to related parties**
See the explanation for item 8000 above.
- 8030 Interdivisional sales**

Items 8040 to 8053 – for resource industries

- 8040 Sales from resource properties**
- 8041 Petroleum and natural gas sales
- 8042 Petroleum and natural gas sales to related parties
- 8043 Gas marketing
- 8044 Processing revenue
- 8045 Pipeline revenue
- 8046 Seismic sales
- 8047 Mining revenue
- 8048 Coal revenue
- 8049 Oil sands revenue
- 8050 Royalty income
- 8051 Oil and gas partnership/joint venture income/loss
- 8052 Mining partnership/joint venture income/loss
- 8053 Other production revenue
well operating fees and sulphur revenue

8089 Total sales of goods and services

8090 Investment revenue

GIFI-Short:

Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 8091 to 8094.

- 8091 Interest from foreign sources
This item may be reported as gross of withholding taxes; withholding taxes would then be reported under item 9283 – Withholding taxes.
 - 8092 Interest from Canadian bonds and debentures
 - 8093 Interest from Canadian mortgage loans
 - 8094 Interest from other Canadian sources
finance income, guaranteed investment certificates interest, interest on overpaid taxes, and loan interest
 - 8095 Dividend income
- GIFI-Short:**
Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 8096 and 8097.
- 8096 Dividends from Canadian sources
 - 8097 Dividends from foreign sources
may be reported gross of withholding taxes; withholding taxes would then be reported under item 9283 – Withholding taxes

Items 8100 to 8103 – for finance and insurance industries

- 8100 Interest income** (financial institutions)
- 8101 Loan interest
- 8102 Securities interest
- 8103 Deposits with banks’ interest
- 8120 Commission revenue**
commissions earned on the sale of products or services by businesses such as advertising agencies, brokers, insurance agents, lottery ticket sales, sales representatives, and travel agencies. Some corporations or partnerships may present sales and cost of sale on their income statement, with commission earned being the net amount. Report only the commission on the GIFI. Compensation could also be reported under this item (for example, compensation for collecting sales tax).

Example

Lottery ticket sales	\$40,000
Cost of lottery tickets	<u>25,000</u>
Commission	\$15,000

This would be reported as:
Item 8120 – Commission revenue 15,000

GIFI-Short:

Also include all amounts under item 8121.

- 8121 Commission income on real estate transactions
- 8140 Rental revenue**
revenue from the rental of boats, hotel or motel rooms, machinery or equipment, and storage lockers

GIFI-Short:

Also include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 8141 to 8150.

- 8141 Real estate rental revenue
amounts received as income from renting or leasing apartments, commercial buildings, land, office space, residential housing, and shopping centres. This item may also be used to report income from investments in co-tenancies and co-ownerships.
- 8142 Film rental revenue
- 8150 **Vehicle leasing** – for the automotive equipment rental and leasing sector – long-term vehicle leasing and short-term vehicle leasing

Items 8160 to 8166 – for the fishing industry

8160 Fishing revenue**GIFI-Short:**

Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 8161 to 8166.

- 8161 Fish products
- 8162 Other marine products
amounts received from the sale of flippers, herring roe, herring scales, Irish moss, kelp, seal meat, and seaweed
- 8163 Fishing grants, credits, and rebates
- 8164 Fishing subsidies
- 8165 Compensation for loss of fishing income or property
amounts received from The Atlantic Groundfish Strategy (TAGS) or insurance proceeds
- 8166 Shareperson income

Items 8210 to 8212 – Realized gains/losses on disposal of assets – These items represent the net amount of proceeds over net book value on the disposal or sale of an asset.

Note

Losses on disposal/sale of assets shown as an expense should be reported under these items as a negative.

- 8210 **Realized gains/losses on disposal of assets**
gain/loss or profit/loss on disposal/sale of capital assets

GIFI-Short:

Also include amounts under items 8211 and 8212, as well as book gains or losses, gain or loss on disposal of fixed assets, and recaptured depreciation.

- 8211 Realized gains/losses on sale of investments
profit/loss on disposal of investments or marketable securities
- 8212 Realized gains/losses on sale of resource properties

Items 8220 to 8224 – for non-profit organizations

- 8220 **NPO amounts received**
- 8221 Membership fees
- 8222 Assessments
- 8223 Gifts
- 8224 Gross sales and revenues from organizational activities

GIFI-Short:

Use field 8220 to report NPOs' amounts received other than 8221 to 8224.

Items 8230 to 8250 – Other revenue – This block of items is for secondary sources of income. Although there are items in this block that are often main sources of income, item 8000 – Trade sales of goods and services, should still be used to report the main income.

Example

A corporation or partnership whose main source of revenue is consulting fees would choose item 8000 – Trade sales of goods and services, to report this income.

However, if the corporation's or partnership's main source of income is from architectural design, but there is secondary income from consulting, the architectural income would be reported under item 8000 and the consulting income under item 8241 – Consulting fees.

8230 Other revenue

gains on settlement of a debt and miscellaneous revenue

GIFI-Short:

Also include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 8231, 8233, 8236, 8238 to 8241 and 8243 to 8250.

- 8231 Foreign exchange gains/losses
amortization of deferred exchange gains and losses and realized gains and losses on foreign currency
- 8232 Income/loss of subsidiaries/affiliates
for corporations or partnerships that report investment in subsidiary corporations on the equity basis
- 8233 Income/loss of other divisions
- 8234 Income/loss of joint ventures
for corporations or partnerships that report investments in joint ventures on the equity basis
- 8235 Income/loss of partnerships
for corporations or partnerships that report investments in partnerships on the equity basis

Note

A loss on foreign exchange, subsidiaries/affiliates, other divisions, joint ventures, or partnerships shown as an expense should be reported under the appropriate item (items 8231 to 8235) as a negative.

- 8236 Realization of deferred revenues
realization of interest income, realization of instalment payments, and realization of service charges
- *8237 Royalty income other than resource
royalty income or royalty fees from computer programs, copyrights, motion pictures, and patents

* Corporations, including non-profit organizations, can use this item to report royalties received.

- 8238 Alberta royalty tax credits
- 8239 Management and administration fees
- 8240 Telecommunications revenue
- 8241 Consulting fees

*8242 Subsidies and grants
government assistance and subsidy payments (for
non-fishing corporations), federal, provincial,
territorial, or municipal grants received

* Corporations, including non-profit organizations,
and partnerships can use this item to report
federal, provincial, territorial, or municipal grants
received.

If COVID-19 related assistance is received, include
it under item 8242.

8243 Sale of by-products
secondary income earned by a garage selling
discarded oil or tires to be used for other than the
intended use, or a restaurant selling discarded
food as pig feed

Items 8244 to 8246 – for finance and insurance industries.

8244 Deposit services

8245 Credit services

8246 Card services

8247 Patronage dividends

8248 Insurance recoveries
life insurance proceeds on the death of insured
executives

8249 Expense recoveries

8250 Bad debt recoveries

8299 Total revenue

This item represents the sum of all revenue
amounts and **must** be reported if there is no
farming revenue (see “Validity check items” on
page 7).

Cost of sales

8300 Opening inventory

GIFI-Short:

Include all amounts here that would have
otherwise been reported under items 8301 to 8303.

8301 Opening inventory – Finished goods

8302 Opening inventory – Raw materials

8303 Opening inventory – Goods in process
opening inventory – work in progress

8320 Purchases/cost of materials

cost of merchandise sold, fuel and purchased
power, manufacturing supplies used, materials
and merchandise purchased. The amounts related
to this item may be reported net of discounts
earned on purchases.

8340 Direct wages

commissions, labour, production wages, and
supervision when shown in cost of sales

8350 Benefits on direct wages

8360 Trades and sub-contracts

contract labour, custom work, sub-contract labour,
and outside labour

8370 Production costs other than resource

Items 8400 to 8441 – for resources industries

8400 Resource production costs

gas processing, oil and gas operating expenses, oil
and gas production, milling, smelting, and refining

8401 Pipeline operations

8402 Drilling

8403 Site restoration costs
future removal costs

8404 Gross overriding royalty

8405 Freehold royalties

8406 Other producing properties rental
freehold lease rentals and freehold delay rentals

8407 Prospect/geological
digital processing, geochemical work, geophysical
work, gravity meters, magnetic playbacks,
seismographs, staking, and velocity surveys

8408 Well operating, fuel and equipment

8409 Well abandonment and dry holes

8410 Other lease rentals

8411 Exploration expenses
aerial surveys

8412 Development expenses
stripping costs

8435 Crown charges

8436 Crown royalties

8437 Crown lease rentals

8438 Freehold mineral tax

8439 Mining taxes

8440 Oil sand leases

8441 Saskatchewan resource surcharge

8450 Other direct costs

GIFI-Short:

Include all amounts here that would have
otherwise been reported under items 8451 to 8461.

8451 Equipment hire and operation

Items 8452 to 8455 – for the forestry and logging industry

8452 Log yard
barker, bucking, clipper, log sorting, and sawing

8453 Forestry costs
cutting, firefighting supplies, scaling, and
silviculture

8454 Logging road costs
road clearing, ploughing, and grating

8455 Stumpage costs

8456 Royalty costs
royalties paid to holders of copyrights, movies,
patents, performing rights, and trademarks, found
in cost of sales

8457 Freight-in and duty
customs and excise duty

8458 Inventory write-down
revaluation of inventory and inventory
adjustments

8459 Direct cost amortization of tangible assets
amortization of leasehold improvements and
amounts referred to as depreciation shown in cost
of sales

8460 Direct cost amortization of natural resource assets
amounts referred to as depletion shown in cost of
sales

8461	Overhead expenses allocated to cost of sales amounts reported under cost of sales that are normally considered operating expenses		
8500	Closing inventory GIFI-Short: Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 8501 to 8503.	8621	Group insurance benefits medical, dental, and life insurance plans
8501	Closing inventory – Finished goods	8622	Employer's portion of employee benefits Canada Pension Plan, company pension plan, employment insurance, Quebec Parental Insurance Plan, and Workers' Compensation
8502	Closing inventory – Raw materials	8623	Contributions to deferred income plans contributions to a registered pension plan, a deferred profit sharing plan, an employee profit sharing plan, and a registered supplementary unemployment benefit plan
8503	Closing inventory – Goods in process closing inventory – work in progress		
8518	Cost of sales This item represents the sum of all cost of sales amounts.	8650	Amortization of natural resource assets amounts referred to as depletion
8519	Gross profit/loss This item represents the net amount of item 8089 – Total sales of goods and services, less item 8518 – Cost of sales. It may also be referred to as gross margin.	8670	Amortization of tangible assets amortization of leasehold improvements and amounts referred to as depreciation
Operating expenses		8690	Insurance bonding, fire insurance, liability insurance, premium expenses, property insurance, and vehicle insurance
8520	Advertising and promotion GIFI-Short: Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 8521 to 8524.	8691	Life insurance on executives insurance policies where the beneficiary is the corporation rather than the estate of the executive
8521	Advertising catalogues, media expenses, and publications	8710	Interest and bank charges finance charges, bank charges, and interest payments on capital leases
8522	Donations charitable donations, donations to the Crown, and political donations		GIFI-Short: Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 8711 to 8717.
8523	Meals and entertainment tickets (such as theatre, concert and athletic events.)	8711	Interest on short-term debt
8524	Promotion booths, demonstrations/presentations, displays, prospectus, samples, and seminars (given)	8712	Interest on bonds and debentures amortization of bond discounts
8570	Amortization of intangible assets amortization of intangible assets such as deferred charges, goodwill (before 2002), patents, franchises, copyrights, trademarks, organization costs, and research and development costs	8713	Interest on mortgages amortization of mortgage discount or expense
8571	Goodwill impairment loss applies to 2002 and later tax years	8714	Interest on long-term debt
8590	Bad debt expense allowance for bad debts, allowance/provision for doubtful accounts, bad debt, bad debt written-off, provision for bad debts, and reserve for bad debt	8715	Bank charges
8610	Loan losses for loans, mortgages, and other loan-type amounts written off	8716	Credit card charges interest on credit cards
8611	Provision for loan losses provision/allowance for loan, mortgage, or credit losses	8717	Collection and credit costs
8620	Employee benefits association dues, clothing allowance, lodging, payroll deductions/levies/taxes, and room and board	Items 8740 to 8742 – for finance and insurance industries	
		8740	Interest paid (financial institutions)
		8741	Interest paid on deposits
		8742	Interest paid on bonds and debentures
		8760	Business taxes, licences, and memberships municipal taxes and land transfer taxes, beverage licences, business charges, motor vehicle licences, motor vehicle registration permits, and trade licences
			GIFI-Short: Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 8761 to 8764.
		8761	Memberships dues and subscriptions
		8762	Business taxes business tax, provincial capital tax (excluding

	Nova Scotia tax on large corporations), bridge tolls, gross receipt tax, health and education tax, hospital tax, permits, road tolls, and taxes on leases	8912	Occupancy costs
8763	Franchise fees	8913	Condominium fees
8764	Government fees	8914	Equipment rental rental expenses for computer equipment, film, office machines, and road and construction equipment
8790	Nova Scotia tax on large corporations	8915	Motor vehicle rentals
8810	Office expenses	8916	Moorage (boat) dock and wharf space
	GIFI-Short: Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 8811 to 8813.	8917	Storage rental expense for garages and warehouses
8811	Office stationery and supplies	8918	Quota rental forestry and logging quota rental expenses
8812	Office utilities utility expenses related to an office such as electricity, gas, heating, hydro, and telephone	8960	Repairs and maintenance aircraft repairs and maintenance
8813	Data processing word processing		GIFI-Short: Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 8961 to 8964.
8860	Professional fees engineering fees, professional services, and surveyor fees	8961	Repairs and maintenance – Buildings premises upkeep
	GIFI-Short: Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 8861 to 8877.	8962	Repairs and maintenance – Vehicles
8861	Legal fees lawyer and notary fees	8963	Repairs and maintenance – Boats
8862	Accounting fees bookkeeping	8964	Repairs and maintenance – Machinery and equipment gas and power line repairs and maintenance
8863	Consulting fees	9010	Other repairs and maintenance janitorial services, landscaping, and yard maintenance
8864	Architect fees architectural design and illustration fees, and landscape architect fees	9011	Machine shop expense
8865	Appraisal fees real estate and jewellery appraisal, and financial valuation services	9012	Road costs snow removal costs
8866	Laboratory fees	9013	Security alarm system and surveillance equipment repairs and maintenance
8867	Medical fees	9014	Garbage removal
8868	Veterinary fees breeding fees	9060	Salaries and wages amounts not found in cost of sales such as administrative salaries, casual labour, cost of living allowance, down time, fees to employees, minimum wage levies, payroll remuneration, severance pay, supervision, and vacation pay
8869	Brokerage fees		GIFI-Short: Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 9061 to 9066.
8870	Transfer fees land and property transfer fees	9061	Commissions
8871	Management and administration fees	9062	Crew share for the fishing industry
8872	Refining and assay	9063	Bonuses incentive compensation
8873	Registrar and transfer agent fees	9064	Directors fees
8874	Restructuring costs reorganization costs	9065	Management salaries officers' salaries
8875	Security commission fees	9066	Employee salaries office salaries
8876	Training expense animal training, management training, and staff development	9110	Sub-contracts contract labour, contract work, custom work, and hired labour
8877	Studio and recording		
8910	Rental rental expenses for arena, boat/vessel/ship, coal and lumberyards, railway sidings, safety deposit box/vaults, and parking charges		
	GIFI-Short: Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 8911 to 8918.		
8911	Real estate rental apartment, building, land, and office rentals		

9130	Supplies medical supplies, veterinary drugs and supplies, wrapping and packing supplies	9278	Royalty expenses – Non-resident amounts reported as non-resource royalties paid to non-residents such as copyrights, movies, patents, performing rights, and trademarks
9131	Small tools	9279	Dumping charges
9132	Shop expense	9280	Land fill fees
9133	Uniforms	9281	Vehicle expenses automobile expenses, gas, motor vehicle fuel, tires, and vehicle washing
9134	Laundry dry-cleaning	9282	Research and development
9135	Food and catering	9283	Withholding taxes
9136	Fishing gear	9284	General and administrative expenses marketing and administration, office and general expenses, selling and administrative expenses
9137	Nets and traps	9285	Interdivisional expenses
9138	Salt, bait, and ice	9286	Interfund transfer This item is for corporations or partnerships including non-profit organizations to report fund amounts transferred to or from the income statement, from or to retained earnings.
9139	Camp supplies		
9150	Computer-related expenses GIFI-Short: Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 9151 and 9152.	9367	Total operating expenses This item represents the sum of all operating expense amounts.
9151	Upgrade updates to computer software	9368	Total expenses This item must be reported if there are no farming expenses (see “Validity check items” on page 7). Any amount reported under this item should be equal to the amount reported under item 8518 – Cost of sales, plus the amount reported under item 9367 – Total operating expenses.
9152	Internet		
9180	Property taxes municipal and realty taxes	9369	Net non-farming income The amount reported should be equal to the amount reported under item 8299 – Total revenue, minus the amount reported under item 9368 – Total expenses.
9200	Travel expenses airfare, hotel rooms, travel allowance, travel, and accommodations		
9201	Meetings and conventions seminars attended		
9220	Utilities		
9221	Electricity hydro		
9222	Water		
9223	Heat		
9224	Fuel costs coal, diesel, fuel, natural gas, oil, and propane for heating and cooking		
9225	Telephone and telecommunications cellular telephone, fax machine, and pager		
9270	Other expenses GIFI-Short: Include all amounts here that would have otherwise been reported under items 9200 to 9285.		
9271	Cash over/short	0001	Operating name Complete this section if your operating name is different from the corporation’s name (for example, 111111 Ontario Ltd., operating as Maggie’s Muffins).
9272	Reimbursement of parent company expense (corporations only) portion of expenses owing to parent	0002	Description of the operation You must complete the description of the operation when you are reporting more than one income statement, and the activity is different than the major business activity. For more information on reporting multiple lines of business, see page 30 of this guide.
9273	Selling expenses		
9274	Shipping and warehouse expense		
9275	Delivery, freight and express courier, customs, delivery and installation, distribution, ferry charges, freight and cartage, freight and duty, shipping and transportation		
9276	Warranty expenses guarantee costs		
9277	Royalty expenses – Resident amounts reported as non-resource royalties paid to Canadian residents such as copyrights, movies, patents, performing rights, and trademarks		

Farming Income Statement Information

Cash vs. Accrual

As a farming corporation or partnership, you may choose to report your income using the cash method rather than the accrual method. If you are involved in more than one business activity, only your farming business can use the cash method.

- 0001 Operating name**
Complete this section if your operating name is different from the corporation’s name (for example, 111111 Ontario Ltd., operating as Maggie’s Muffins).
- 0002 Description of the operation**
You must complete the description of the operation when you are reporting more than one income statement, and the activity is different than the major business activity. For more information on reporting multiple lines of business, see page 30 of this guide.

- 9606 Rental income
building, land, machine, and pasture rental
- 9607 Interest income
- 9608 Dividend income
- 9609 Gains/losses on disposal of assets
book gains/losses, gain/loss on disposal of fixed
assets, profit/loss on disposal of fixed assets,
profit/loss on sale of investments, and recaptured
depreciation

Note

Losses on disposal/sale of assets shown as a farm
expense should be reported under this item as a
negative.

- 9610 Gravel
- 9611 Trucking
- 9612 Resale of commodities purchased
- 9613 Leases (such as gas, oil, well, and surface)
- 9614 Machine rentals
- 9615 Farming partnership income/loss
- 9616 Farming joint venture income/loss
- 9617 Custom feeding
- 9650 Non-farming income**
If you are not using items 8000 to 8299, use this
item to report any non-farming income of a
farming corporation.
- 9659 Total farm revenue**
This item represents the sum of all farm revenue
amounts plus any amount under item 9650 and
must be reported if there are no amounts under
any of items 8000 to 8299 (see “Validity check
items” on page 7).

Farming expenses

Cost of Sales – The farming income and expense section of
the GIFI does not include an item for cost of sales. If a
farming corporation has cost of sales with no breakdown,
this should be reported under the most appropriate farm
expense item.

Example

A cost of sales that consists mainly of hog purchases would
be reported under item 9712 – Livestock purchases.

- 9660 Crop expenses**
water purchases or water rights for irrigation, seed
cleaning, and crop supplies
- GIFI-Short:**
Include all amounts here that would have
otherwise been reported under items 9661 to 9664.
- 9661 Containers, twine, and baling wire
- 9662 Fertilizers and lime
chemicals
- 9663 Pesticides
fungicides, herbicides, and insecticides
- 9664 Seeds and plants
- 9710 Livestock expenses**
Dairy Herd Improvement Association animal
grading, dairy, or livestock supplies

GIFI-Short:

Include all amounts here that would have
otherwise been reported under items 9711 to 9714.

- 9711 Feed, supplements, straw, and bedding
purchased dairy rations and forage
- 9712 Livestock purchases
- 9713 Veterinary fees, medicine, and breeding fees
artificial insemination, disease testing, embryo
transplants, neutering, semen, spaying, and stud
service
- 9714 Minerals and salts
- 9760 Machinery expenses**
- GIFI-Short:**
Include all amounts here that would have
otherwise been reported under items 9761 to 9765.
- 9761 Machinery insurance
- 9762 Machinery licences
- 9763 Machinery repairs
- 9764 Machinery fuel
lubricants
- 9765 Machinery lease
- 9790 General farm expenses**
milk testing, negative farm support payments, and
silage preservation
- GIFI-Short:**
Include all amounts here that would have
otherwise been reported under items 9793, 9796,
9797, 9800, 9802, 9803, 9806, 9817, 9821, 9822, 9823,
9825, 9826, 9827, 9830, 9831, and 9836.
- 9791 Amortization of tangible assets
amortization of leasehold improvements and
amounts referred to as depreciation
- 9792 Advertising, marketing costs, and promotion
- 9793 Bad debt
allowance for bad debts, allowance/provision for
doubtful accounts, bad debt, bad debt written-off,
provision for bad debts, and reserve for bad debt
- 9794 Benefits related to employee salaries
contributions to deferred income plans
(DPSP/EPSP/RPP), employer's portion of
employee benefits (CPP/EI/QPIP/WCB), group
insurance benefits (dental/life/medical plans),
payroll deductions, and lodging/room and board
- 9795 Building repairs and maintenance
- 9796 Clearing, levelling, and draining land
expenses from building a road, digging/drilling a
water well, installing land drainage, ploughing
land, and bringing public utilities to the farm
- 9797 Crop insurance, Revenue Protection Program, and
stabilization premiums
- 9798 Custom or contract work
egg cleaning/grading/sorting/spraying, cheese
aging, and contract harvesting/combining/crop
dusting
- 9799 Electricity
- 9800 Fence repairs and maintenance
- 9801 Freight and trucking
delivery and distribution costs and shipping

9802 Heating fuel and curing fuel
coal, oil, natural gas, and fuel for curing
tobacco/crop drying/greenhouses

9803 Insurance program overpayment recapture

9804 Other insurance premiums
farm insurance, private crop insurance, livestock
insurance, and business interruption insurance
premiums

9805 Interest and bank charges
finance charges, interest on a farm loan, interest on
long-term debt, and interest on a mortgage

9806 Marketing board fees

9807 Memberships/subscription fees
association fees

9808 Office expenses
farm-related office expenses such as
accounting/receipt books, invoices, and stationery

9809 Professional fees
amounts reported as farm-related expenses such as
accounting/bookkeeping fees, data processing
costs, and legal fees

9810 Property taxes
land, municipal, and realty taxes

9811 Rent – Land and buildings

9812 Rent – Machinery

GIFI-Short:
Include all amounts under item 9813.

9813 Other rental expenses

9814 Salaries and wages

GIFI-Short:
Include all amounts here that would have
otherwise been reported under items 9815 and
9816, as well as salaries and wages paid to spouse.

9815 Salaries and wages other than for spouse or
dependants
salaries for farmhand and self

9816 Salaries and wages paid to dependants

9817 Selling costs

9818 Supplies

9819 Motor vehicle expenses
automobile expenses, gas, motor vehicle fuel,
propane, tires, vehicle repairs and maintenance,
and vehicle washing

9820 Small tools

9821 Soil testing

9822 Storage/drying

9823 Licences/permits

9824 Telephone

9825 Quota rental (tobacco, dairy)

9826 Gravel

9827 Purchases of commodities resold

9828 Salaries and wages paid to spouse

9829 Motor vehicle interest and leasing costs

9830 Prepared feed

9831 Custom feed

9832 Amortization of intangible assets

GIFI-Short:
Include all amounts under item 9833.

9833 Amortization of milk quota

9834 Travel expenses

9835 Capital/business taxes

9836 Commissions and levies

9850 Non-farming expenses

If you are not using items 8300 to 9368, use this
item to report any non-farming expenses of a
farming corporation.

9870 Net inventory adjustment

This item may be used to report the farm's opening
inventory less its closing inventory.

Note

If the closing inventory is greater than the opening
inventory, this item should be reported as a negative.

9898 Total farm expenses

This item represents the sum of all farm expense
amounts including any amount under item 9850
and **must** be reported if there are no amounts
under any of items 8300 to 9368 (see "Validity
check items" on page 7).

9899 Net farm income

The amount reported should be equal to the
amount reported under item 9659 – Total farm
revenue, minus the amount reported under
item 9898 – Total farm expenses.

9970 Net income/loss before taxes and extraordinary items

This item represents the sum of item 9369 – Net
non-farming income, and item 9899 – Net farm
income. For partnerships, this item is called **Net
income/loss before extraordinary items**.

Extraordinary items and income taxes

9975 Extraordinary item(s)

This item includes gains/losses resulting from
events that:

- are not expected to occur regularly over a period
of years
- do not typify normal business activities
- do not depend primarily on decisions or
determinations by management

Examples include the expropriation of a
corporation's or partnership's land and buildings
for a highway, the destruction of a large portion of
a wheat crop by a tornado, and an explosion in a
nuclear reactor resulting in high-level radioactive
emission.

9976 Legal settlements

settlement of royalties

9980 Unrealized gains/losses

unrealized gains/losses resulting from the
adjustment of book values on the revaluation of
assets

- 9985 Unusual items**
asset valuation adjustments such as write-downs and write-offs to net realizable values, items to be scrapped, and gains/losses from discontinued operations or wind-up of subsidiaries/affiliates. This item represents unusual and non-recurring items that do not meet the criteria set out for extraordinary gains/losses.
- 9990 Current income taxes** (corporations only)
Canadian income taxes, federal income/large corporation tax, previous year adjustment to federal income/large corporation tax, and provincial and territorial income taxes
- 9995 Future (deferred) income tax provision** (corporations only)
Canadian income taxes deferred, provision for deferred income taxes, and provision for future income taxes
- 9998 Total-other comprehensive income**
This item is intended for use by corporations and partnerships using either the pre-changeover accounting standards (Part V of the CICA Accounting Handbook) or the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) (Part I of the CICA Accounting Handbook) when preparing their financial statements. It represents the sum of:
Item 7000 – Revaluation surplus
Item 7002 – Defined benefit gains/losses
Item 7004 – Foreign operation translation gains/losses
Item 7006 – Equity instruments gains/losses
Item 7008 – Cash flow hedge effective portion gains/losses
Item 7010 – Income tax relating to components of other comprehensive income
Item 7020 – Miscellaneous other comprehensive income
- 9999 Net income/loss after taxes and extraordinary items**
For partnerships this item is called **Net income/loss after extraordinary items**. This item represents the net amount of the following items:
Item 9970 – Net income/loss before taxes and extraordinary items
Item 9975 – Extraordinary item(s)
Item 9976 – Legal settlements
Item 9980 – Unrealized gains/losses
Item 9985 – Unusual items
Item 9990 – Current income taxes
Item 9995 – Future (deferred) income tax provision
Item 9998 – Total of other comprehensive income
Item 9999 **must** be reported (see “Validity check items” on page 7).

Appendix B – Reporting multiple lines of business

Some corporations and partnerships, such as those involved in a business that receives income from different sources, choose to file a supplementary income statement for each operation. You can use the GIFI to report the information from the supplementary statements.

You may receive rental income from several properties and may choose to complete a supplementary income statement for each of the properties; or, as a manufacturer, you may also have a retail outlet and choose to submit a supplementary income statement for the retail activity.

Another situation in which you may choose to submit a supplementary income statement is to report amounts broken down in the notes, such as rental loss.

Completing the main and supplementary income statements

You have to provide an operating name for each statement, except the summary statement (see the last paragraph of this section), unless it is the same as the corporation's or partnership's legal name.

You have to provide a description of the operation if it is different from the main activity.

Each statement needs a sequence number. The income statement relating to the main activity must have sequence number 01. The supplementary income statements would be numbered consecutively from 02.

A GIFI item can be reported on more than one statement. See "Using the same GIFI item on different statements" on this page.

Each statement should report items up to item 9970 – Net income/loss before taxes and extraordinary items. Do **not** report any extraordinary items or income taxes (items 9975 to 9999) on the main or supplementary income statements.

Note

The main income statement (Sequence 01) should not include the net amounts for the information that you have included on the supplementary statements. As a result, some total lines and perhaps gross profit will be different from what is shown on the financial statements.

You have to provide a summary statement that reports the following: the sum of all amounts under item 9970 on each income statement, any amounts reported under items 9975 to 9998 (representing the extraordinary items and income taxes), and the amount under item 9999 (representing net income/loss after taxes and extraordinary items).

Using the same GIFI item on different statements

You can report the same GIFI items, which appear for the main activity, on your supplementary income statements. However, any amount you report on a supplementary income statement should **not** be included in the amount you report on the main income statement for the same item.

Example

A corporation that prepares multiple income statements may choose to report item 8622 – Employer's portion of employee benefits, on each of its statements. The example following this section shows an amount for item 8622 on each of the statements. Note that the amount reported under item 8622 on Sequence 01 (main activity), does not include the amounts reported under item 8622 on the supplementary income statements.

Example – Multiple lines of business

The following example represents the statements of a corporation whose main activity is manufacturing but is also involved in retail and equipment rental.

Part 1 shows the corporation's main income statement, which includes the net amounts for each of the supplementary income statements.

Part 2 shows how to report this type of information using the GIFI and how to balance your financial information. Note that the CRA would only receive the name, description of operations, and sequence number with the GIFI code and amount.

Example

Multiple lines of business – Part 1

Main Income Statement

Revenue	
Sales	1,500,000
Other revenue	1,500
Foreign exchange	4,200
Investment	5,630
Buy-it-Here (net)	152,850
Rent-a-Thing (net)	<u>311,630</u>
	1,975,810
Cost of sales	<u>725,000</u>
	1,250,810
Expenses	
Advertising	2,000
CPP	7,100
Depreciation	128,000
Insurance	30,000
Interest on mortgages	140,900
Bank charges	12,700
Capital taxes	6,600
Office	5,800
Legal fees	5,900
Consulting	4,100
Management fees	2,600
Parking	230
Repairs and maintenance	44,000
Janitorial services	3,000
Salaries and wages	282,000
Supplies	14,500
Property taxes	42,000
Utilities	54,000
Telephone	4,500
Automobile expenses	11,700
Miscellaneous expenses	<u>30,100</u>
	831,730
Net income before taxes	419,080
Unrealized gain (loss)	51,930
Income taxes	9,000
Net income after taxes	462,010

Supplementary statement – Buy-It-Here

Revenue	
Sales	275,000
Cost of sales	<u>95,500</u>
Gross profit	179,500
Operating expenses	
Advertising	750
Medical plan	400
CPP	1,200
Repairs and maintenance	300
Salaries and wages	21,000
Supplies	1,800
Utilities	<u>1,200</u>
	26,650
Net income	152,850

Supplementary Statement – Rent-a-Thing

Revenue	
Equipment rental	350,000
Expenses	
Medical plan	570
CPP	1,500
Repairs and maintenance	800
Salaries and wages	30,000
Supplies	<u>5,500</u>
	38,370
Net income	311,630

Part 2

0001 Operating Name: Manufacture-It-Now
0002 Description of the operation: manufacturing
0003 Sequence number: 01

Revenue	Amount
8000 Trade sales of goods and services	1,500,000
8230 Other revenue	1,500
8231 Foreign exchange gains/losses	4,200
8090 Investment revenue	5,630
8299 Total revenue	1,511,330
8518 Cost of sales	725,000
8519* Gross profit/loss	775,000

Operating expenses	Amount
8521 Advertising	2,000
8622 Employer's portion of employee benefits	7,100
8670 Amortization of tangible assets	128,000
8690 Insurance	30,000
8713 Interest on mortgages	140,900
8715 Bank charges	12,700
8762 Business taxes	6,600
8810 Office expenses	5,800
8861 Legal fees	5,900
8863 Consulting fees	4,100
8871 Management and administration fees	2,600
8910 Rental	230
8960 Repairs and maintenance	44,000
9010 Other repairs and maintenance	3,000
9060 Salaries and wages	282,000
9130 Supplies	14,500
9180 Property taxes	42,000
9220 Utilities	54,000
9225 Telephone and telecommunications	4,500
9281 Vehicle expenses	11,700
9270 Other expenses	30,100
9367 Total operating expenses	831,730
9368** Total expenses	1,556,730
9369*** Net non-farming income	(45,400)
9970 Net income/loss before taxes and extraordinary items	(45,400)

* 8519 = 8000 – 8518

** 9368 = 8518 + 9367

*** 9369 = 8299 – 9368

0001 Operating Name: Buy-It-Here
0002 Description of the operation: retail
0003 Sequence number: 02

Revenue	Amount
8000 Trade sales of goods and services	275,000
8299 Total revenue	275,000
8518 Cost of sales	95,500
8519* Gross profit/loss	179,500

Operating expenses	Amount
8521 Advertising	750
8621 Group insurance benefits	400
8622 Employer's portion of employee benefits	1,200
8960 Repairs and maintenance	300
9060 Salaries and wages	21,000
9130 Supplies	1,800
9180 Property taxes	42,000
9220 Utilities	1,200
9367 Total operating expenses	26,650
9368** Total expenses	122,150
9369*** Net non-farming income	152,850
9970 Net income/loss before taxes and extraordinary items	152,850

* 8519 = 8000 – 8518

** 9368 = 8518 + 9367

*** 9369 = 8299 – 9368

0001 Operating Name: Rent-A-Thing
0002 Description of the operation: equipment rental
0003 Sequence number: 03

Revenue	Amount
8140 Rental revenue	350,000
8299 Total revenue	350,000

Operating expenses	Amount
8621 Group insurance benefits	570
8622 Employer's portion of employee benefits	1,500
8960 Repairs and maintenance	800
9060 Salaries and wages	30,000
9130 Supplies	5,500
9367 Total operating expenses	38,370
9368 Total expenses	38,370
9369* Net non-farming income	311,630
9970 Net income/loss before taxes and extraordinary items	311,630

* 9369 = 8299 – 9368

Summary Statement

Revenue	Amount
9970 Net income/loss before taxes and extraordinary items – All operations	419,080
9980 Unrealized gains/losses	51,930
9990 Current income taxes	9,000
9999* Net income/loss after taxes and extraordinary items	462,010

* 9999 = 9970 + 9980 – 9990

Appendix C – Non-profit organizations

This appendix is intended to help corporations that are non-profit organizations (NPOs) use the GIFI to report their financial statement information.

Example 1 – GIFI

Table A shows NPO terminology and the equivalent GIFI terminology. Table B provides specific NPO terms and the suggested equivalent GIFI item.

Table A

NPO terminology	Equivalent GIFI terminology
Members' equity	Shareholder equity
Owners' equity	
Fund balances	
Net assets	
Reserves	
Balance at end of year/General surplus	Retained earnings/deficit
Operating fund	
General fund	
Statement of revenue and expenditures	Income statement
Statement of income and surplus	
Statement of receipts and disbursements	
Statement of operations	
Excess of revenues over expenses (expenses over revenues)	Net non-farming income

Table B

NPO term		Equivalent GIFI item
Assets and liabilities		
Cash	1001	Cash
Amounts receivable from other than members	1060	Accounts receivable
Amounts receivable from members	1073	Amounts receivable from members of NPOs
Inventory	1120	Inventories
Short-term investments	1180	Short-term investments
Prepaid expenses	1484	Prepaid expenses
Fixed assets	2008	Total tangible capital assets
Long-term investments	2300	Long-term investments
Total assets	2599	Total assets
Amounts owing to other than members	2620	Amounts payable and accrued liabilities
Amounts owing to members	2630	Amounts payable to members of NPOs
Total liabilities	3499	Total liabilities
Amounts received		
Interest received	8090	Investment revenue
Dividends received	8095	Dividend income
Rentals received	8140	Rental revenue
Proceeds of disposition of capital property	8210	Realized gains/losses on disposal of assets
Membership dues or fees	8221	Membership fees
Assessments received	8222	Assessments
Gifts	8223	Gifts
Gross sales and revenues from organizational activities	8224	Gross sales and revenues from organizational activities
Royalties received	8237	Royalty income other than resource
Federal, provincial, or municipal grants received	8242	Subsidies and grants
Total receipts	8299	Total revenue
Transfer(s) to/from fund(s)		
Shown in retained earnings	3745	Interfund transfer
Shown on income statement	9286	Interfund transfer

Example 2 – GIFI-Short

Table A shows some NPO terminology and the equivalent GIFI terminology. Table B provides specific NPO terms and the suggested equivalent GIFI item.

Table A

NPO terminology	Equivalent GIFI terminology
Members' equity	Shareholder equity
Owners' equity	
Fund balances	
Net assets	
Reserves	
Balance at end of year/General surplus	Retained earnings
Operating fund	
General fund	
Statement of revenue and expenditures	Income statement
Statement of income and surplus	
Statement of receipts and disbursements	
Statement of operations	
Excess of revenues over expenses (expenses over revenues)	Net non-farming income

Table B

NPO term		Equivalent GIFI item
Assets and liabilities		
Cash	1000	Cash and deposits
Amounts receivable from other than members	1060	Accounts receivable
Amounts receivable from members	1073	Amounts receivable from members of NPOs
Inventory	1120	Inventories
Short-term investments	1180	Short-term investments
Prepaid expenses	1480	Other current assets
Fixed assets	2008	Total tangible capital assets
Long-term investments	2300	Long-term investments
Total assets	2599	Total assets
Amounts owing to other than members	2620	Amounts payable and accrued liabilities
Amounts owing to members	2630	Amounts payable to members of NPOs
Total liabilities	3499	Total liabilities
Amounts received		
Interest received	8090	Investment revenue
Dividends received	8095	Dividend income
Rentals received	8140	Rental revenue
Proceeds of disposition of capital property	8210	Realized gains/losses on disposal of assets
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Assessments received	8222	Assessments
Gifts	8223	Gifts
Gross sales and revenues from organizational activities	8224	Gross sales and revenues from organizational activities
Royalties received	8237	Royalty income other than resource
Federal, provincial, or municipal grants received	8242	Subsidies and grants
Total receipts	8299	Total revenue
Transfer(s) to/from fund(s)		
Shown in retained earnings	3745	Interfund transfer
Shown on income statement	9286	Interfund transfer

Appendix D – Examples of using the GIFI

The following examples represent a typical set of financial statements for a corporation and for a partnership. The first two columns show the item and the amount reported on the financial statement; the third and fourth columns show the corresponding GIFI code and name.

Note

These examples are only a guideline. They are not meant to dictate what to put on your statements or how to file.

Example 1 – Financial statements for a corporation

Item description	(\$ Amount)	GIFI code and name	
Balance Sheet			
Assets			
Cash	2,540	1001	Cash
Accounts receivable (net of allowance for doubtful accounts of \$25)	331*		
	356	1060	Accounts receivable
	(25)	1061	Allowance for doubtful accounts
Inventory	8,947	1120	Inventories
Prepaid expenses	<u>1,813</u>	1484	Prepaid expenses
	13,631	1599	Total current assets
Fixed assets (note 2)	49,803*		
Office furniture and equipment	9,793	1787	Furniture and fixtures
Accumulated amortization of office furniture and equipment	(4,010)	1788	Accumulated amortization of furniture and fixtures
Computer equipment	3,174	1774	Computer equipment/software
Accumulated amortization of computer equipment	(1,852)	1775	Accumulated amortization of computer equipment/software
Computer software	3,665	1774	Computer equipment/software
Accumulated equipment of computer software	(3,665)	1775	Accumulated amortization of computer equipment/software
Machinery and equipment	37,981	1740	Machinery, equipment, furniture and fixtures
Accumulated amortization of machinery and equipment	(16,072)	1741	Accumulated amortization of machinery, equipment, furniture and fixtures
Leasehold improvements	41,577	1918	Leasehold improvements
Accumulated amortization of leasehold improvements	(20,788)	1919	Accumulated amortization of leasehold improvements
Total cost	96,190	2008	Total tangible capital assets
Total accumulated amortization	(46,387)	2009	Total accumulated amortization of tangible capital assets
Investment (note 3)	<u>1,000</u>	2242	Shares in Canadian related corporations
	64,434	2599	Total assets

* Use the GIFI to report the breakdown of these amounts, rather than the net amount.

Liabilities

Bank indebtedness	5,000	2600	Bank overdraft
Accounts payable	6,797	2621	Trade payables
Current portion of bank loan liability	<u>5,104</u>	2920	Current portion of long-term liability
	16,901	3139	Total current liabilities
Bank loan	64,634	3143	Chartered bank loan
Due to shareholders, unsecured with no fixed terms	<u>29,900</u>	3260	Due to shareholder(s)/director(s)
	94,534	3450	Total long-term liabilities
	111,435	3499	Total liabilities

Item description	(\$ Amount)	GIFI code and name	
Equity			
1500 common shares	1,500	3500	Common shares
Deficit	<u>(48,501)</u>	3600	Retained earnings/deficit
	(47,001)	3620	Total shareholder equity

Statement of Income and Retained Earnings

Revenue

Professional services	191,396	8000	Trade sales of goods and services
		8299	Total revenue

Expenses

Advertising	675	8521	Advertising
Amortization	15,708	8670	Amortization of tangible assets
Association dues	1,575	8761	Memberships
Bank charges and interest	8,564	8710	Interest and bank charges
Business taxes	5,789	8762	Business taxes
Insurance and licences	3,988	8690	Insurance*
Office	3,137	8810	Office expenses
Professional fees	975	8860	Professional fees
Rent	45,703	8911	Real estate rental
Repairs and maintenance	1,255	8960	Repairs and maintenance
Supplies	37,591	9130	Supplies
Telephone and utilities	5,512	9225	Telephone and telecommunications*
Travel and education	360	9200	Travel expenses*
Wages and benefits	<u>55,118</u>	9060	Salaries and wages*
	185,950	9368	Total expenses
Net income before taxes	5,446	9369	Net non-farming income
Income taxes	1,400	9990	Current income taxes
Net income (loss)	4,046	9999	Net income/loss after taxes and extraordinary items

Retained earnings

Net income (loss)	4,046	3680	Net income/loss
Deficit, beginning of year	(52,547)	3660	Retained earnings/deficit – Start
Deficit, end of year	(48,501)	3849	Retained earnings/deficit – End

* First item in two-item amount is greater (see “Reporting an amount that combines two or more items” on page 7).

Notes to financial statements

Note 1. Basis of presentation

The financial statements have been prepared by management in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in Canada and using historic cost as the basis of presentation.

Note 2. Fixed assets

	Cost	Accumulated amortization	Net
Office furniture and equipment	9,793	4,010	5,783
Computer equipment	3,174	1,852	1,322
Computer software	3,665	3,665	
Machinery and equipment	37,981	16,072	21,909
Leasehold improvements	<u>41,577</u>	<u>20,788</u>	<u>20,789</u>
Total	96,190	46,387	49,803

Note 3. The investment is stated at cost and consists of shares in a Canadian affiliated corporation.

Example 2 – Financial statements for a partnership

Item description	(\$)	Amount	GIFI code and name
Balance Sheet			
Assets			
Cash	2,540	1001	Cash
Accounts receivable	331	1060	Accounts receivable
Inventory	8,947	1120	Inventories
Prepaid expenses	<u>1,813</u>	1484	Prepaid expenses
	13,631	1599	Total current assets
Fixed assets (note 2)	49,803*		
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Leasehold improvements	41,577	1918	Leasehold improvements
Accumulated amortization of leasehold improvements	(20,788)	1919	Accumulated amortization of leasehold improvements
Total cost	96,190	2008	Total tangible capital assets
Total accumulated amortization	(46,387)	2009	Total accumulated amortization of tangible capital assets
Investment	<u>1,000</u>	2300	Long-term investments
	64,434	2599	Total assets
* Use the GIFI to report the breakdown of these amounts, rather than the net amount.			
Liabilities			
Bank indebtedness	5,000	2600	Bank overdraft
Accounts payable	3,000	2621	Trade payables
Current portion of bank loan liability	<u>1,900</u>	2920	Current portion of long-term liability
	9,900	3139	Total current liabilities
Bank loan	4,634	3143	Chartered bank loan
Due to members with no fixed terms	<u>29,900</u>	3291	Due to member(s)/general partner(s)
	34,534	3450	Total long-term liabilities
	44,434	3499	Total liabilities
Partners' Capital			
General partners' capital	20,000	3560	General partners' capital ending balance
Total partners' capital	<u>20,000</u>	3575	Total partners' capital
Total liabilities and partners' capital	64,434	3585	Total liabilities and partners' capital

Item description	(\$ Amount	GIFI code and name	
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Statement of Income

Revenue

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Insurance and licences	3,988	8690	Insurance
Office	3,137	8810	Office expenses
Professional fees	975	8860	Professional fees
Rent	45,703	8911	Real estate rental
Repairs and maintenance	1,255	8960	Repairs and maintenance
Supplies	37,591	9130	Supplies
Telephone and utilities	5,512	9225	Telephone and telecommunications
Travel and education	360	9200	Travel expenses
Wages and benefits	<u>55,118</u>	9060	Salaries and wages
	185,950	9368	Total expenses
Net income (loss)	5,446	9999	Net income/loss after extraordinary items

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Note 1. Basis of presentation

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Total	96,190	46,387	49,803

Example 3 – Completed GIFI – Additional Information for a corporation

Part 1 – Information on the person primarily involved with the financial information

Can you identify the person* specified in the heading of Part 1? **111** Yes ☒ No ☐

If you answered **no**, go to Part 2.

Does that person have a professional designation in accounting? **095** Yes ☒ No ☐

Is that person connected** with the corporation? **097** Yes ☐ No ☒

* A person primarily involved with the financial information is a person who has more than a 50% involvement in preparing the financial information that the T2 return is based on. For example, if three persons prepared the financial information by doing respectively 30%, 30%, and 40% of the work, answer **yes** at line 111 and complete Part 1 by referring only to the third person.

** A person connected with a corporation can be: (i) a shareholder of the corporation who owns more than 10% of the common shares; (ii) a director, an officer, or an employee of the corporation; or (iii) a person not dealing at arm's length with the corporation.

Part 2 – Type of involvement

Choose one or more of the following options that represent your involvement and that of the person referred to in Part 1:

Completed an auditor's report **300** ☐

Completed a review engagement report **301** ☐

Conducted a compilation engagement **302** ☒

Provided accounting services **303** ☐

Provided bookkeeping services **304** ☐

Other (please specify) **305** _____

Part 3 – Reservations

If you selected option 300 or 301 in Part 2 above, answer the following question:

Has the person referred to in Part 1 expressed a reservation? **099** Yes ☐ No ☐

Part 4 – Other information

Were notes to the financial statements prepared? **101** Yes ☒ No ☐

Did the corporation have any subsequent events? **104** Yes ☐ No ☒

Did the corporation re-evaluate its assets during the tax year? **105** Yes ☐ No ☒

Did the corporation have any contingent liabilities during the tax year? **106** Yes ☐ No ☒

Did the corporation have any commitments during the tax year? **107** Yes ☐ No ☒

Does the corporation have investments in joint venture(s) or partnership(s)? **108** Yes ☐ No ☒

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Part 4 – Other information (continued)

Impairment and fair value changes

In any of the following assets, was an amount recognized in net income or other comprehensive income (OCI) as a result of an impairment loss in the tax year, a reversal of an impairment loss recognized in a previous tax year, or a change in fair value during the tax year?

200 Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, enter the amount recognized:

	In net income Increase (decrease)	In OCI Increase (decrease)
Property, plant, and equipment	210 _____	211 _____
Intangible assets	215 _____	216 _____
Investment property	220 _____	
Biological assets	225 _____	
Financial instruments	230 _____	231 _____
Other	235 _____	236 _____

Financial instruments

Did the corporation derecognize any financial instrument(s) during the tax year (other than trade receivables)?

250 Yes ☐ No ☒

Did the corporation apply hedge accounting during the tax year?

255 Yes ☐ No ☒

Did the corporation discontinue hedge accounting during the tax year?

260 Yes ☐ No ☒

Adjustments to opening equity

Was an amount included in the opening balance of retained earnings or equity, in order to correct an error, to recognize a change in accounting policy, or to adopt a new accounting standard in the current tax year?

265 Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, you have to maintain a separate reconciliation.

Part 5 – Information on the person who prepared the T2 return

If the person who prepared the T2 return has a professional designation in accounting but is not the person identified in Part 1, choose all of the following options that apply:

- Prepared the T2 return and the financial information contained therein **310** ☒
- The client provided the financial statements **311** ☐
- The client provided a trial balance **312** ☐
- The client provided a general ledger **313** ☐
- Other (please specify) **314** _____

Example 4 – Completed GIFI – Additional Information for a partnership

Part 1 – Information on the person primarily involved with the financial information

Can you identify the person,* specified in the heading of Part 1? **111** Yes ☒ No ☐

If you answered **no**, go to Part 2.

Does that person have a professional designation in accounting? **095** Yes ☒ No ☐

Is that person connected** with the partnership? **097** Yes ☐ No ☒

* A person primarily involved with the financial information is a person who has more than a 50% involvement in preparing the financial information that the partnership information return is based on. For example, if three persons prepared the financial information by doing respectively 30%, 30%, and 40% of the work, answer **no** at line 111. If they did respectively 10%, 20%, and 70% of the work, answer **yes** at line 111 and complete Part 1 by referring only to the third person.

** A person connected with a partnership can be: (i) a member of the partnership who owns more than 10% of the partnership units; (ii) an employee of the partnership; or (iii) a person not dealing at arm's length with the partnership.

Part 2 – Type of involvement

Choose one or more of the following options that represent your involvement and that of the person referred to in Part 1:

Completed an auditor's report **300** ☐

Completed a review engagement report **301** ☒

Conducted a compilation engagement **302** ☐

Provided accounting services **303** ☐

Provided bookkeeping services **304** ☐

Other **305** ☐

If other, please specify **306** _____

Part 3 – Reservations

If you selected option **300** or **301** in Part 2 above, answer the following question:

Has the person referred to in Part 1 expressed a reservation? **099** Yes ☐ No ☒

Part 4 – Other information

Were notes to the financial statements prepared? **101** Yes ☒ No ☐

Did the partnership have any subsequent events? **104** Yes ☐ No ☒

Did the partnership re-evaluate its assets during the fiscal period? **105** Yes ☐ No ☒

Did the partnership have any contingent liabilities during the fiscal period? **106** Yes ☐ No ☒

Did the partnership have any commitments during the fiscal period? **107** Yes ☒ No ☐

Does the partnership have investments in joint ventures? If **yes**, complete question 109 below **108** Yes ☐ No ☒

Is the partnership filing joint venture(s) financial statements? **109** Yes ☐ No ☐

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Part 4 – Other information (continued)**Impairment and fair value changes**

In any of the following assets, was an amount recognized in net income or other comprehensive income as a result of an impairment loss in the fiscal period, a reversal of an impairment loss recognized in a previous fiscal period, or a change in fair value during the fiscal period?

200 Yes ☐ No ☒

If **yes**, enter the amount recognized:

In net income Increase (decrease)

Property, plant, and equipment **210** _____

Intangible assets **215** _____

Investment property **220** _____

Biological assets **225** _____

Financial instruments **230** _____

Other **235** _____

In other comprehensive income Increase (decrease)

Property, plant, and equipment **211** _____

Intangible assets **216** _____

Financial instruments **231** _____

Other **236** _____

Financial Instruments

Did the partnership derecognize any financial instrument(s) during the fiscal period (other than trade receivables)? **250** Yes ☐ No ☒

Did the partnership apply hedge accounting during the fiscal period? **255** Yes ☐ No ☒

Did the partnership discontinue hedge accounting during the fiscal period? **260** Yes ☐ No ☒

Adjustments to opening partners' capital

Was an amount included in the opening balance of partners' capital, in order to correct an error, to recognize a change in accounting policy, or to adopt a new accounting standard in the current fiscal period?

265 Yes ☐ No ☒

If **yes**, you have to maintain a separate reconciliation.

Part 5 – Information on the person who prepared the partnership information return

If the person who prepared the partnership information return has a professional designation in accounting but is not the person identified in Part 1, choose all of the following options that apply:

Prepared the partnership information return and the financial information contained therein **310** ☒

The client provided the financial statements **311** ☐

The client provided a trial balance **312** ☐

The client provided a general ledger **313** ☐

Other **314** ☐

If other, please specify **315** _____

See the privacy notice on your return.

Digital services

Handle your business taxes online

My Business Account lets you view and manage your business taxes online.

Use My Business Account throughout the year to:

- make a payment online to the CRA with My Payment, create a pre-authorized debit (PAD) agreement, or create a QR code to pay in person at Canada Post
- file a return, view the status of filed returns, and view return balances
- submit documents to the CRA
- manage authorized representatives and authorization requests
- register to receive email notifications and to view mail from the CRA in My Business Account
- manage addresses, direct deposit information, program account names, operating names, phone numbers, and business numbers in your profile
- view and pay account balances
- calculate and pay instalment payments
- calculate a future balance
- transfer payments and immediately view the updated balance
- view closing balances (for example, non-capital loss balances)
- make an online request regarding your account and view answers to common enquiries
- track the progress of certain files you have submitted to the CRA
- submit an audit enquiry
- request relief of penalties and interest
- manage multi-factor authentication settings

To sign in to or register for the CRA's digital services, go to:

- My Business Account at **canada.ca/my-cra-business-account**, if you are a business owner
- Represent a Client at **canada.ca/taxes-representatives**, if you are an authorized representative

For more information, go to **canada.ca/taxes-business-online**.

Receive your CRA mail online

Register for email notifications to find out when CRA mail, like your notice of assessment, is available in My Business Account.

For more information, go to **canada.ca/cra-business-email-notifications**.

Create a pre-authorized debit agreement from your Canadian chequing account

A pre-authorized debit (PAD) is a secure online self-service payment option for individuals and businesses to pay their taxes. A PAD lets you authorize withdrawals from your Canadian chequing account to pay the CRA. You can set the payment dates and amounts of your PAD agreement using the CRA's secure My Business Account service at **canada.ca/my-cra-business-account**. PADs are flexible and managed by you. You can use My Business Account to view your account history and modify, cancel, or skip a payment. For more information, go to **canada.ca/pay-authorized-debit**.

Electronic payments

Make your payment using:

- your Canadian financial institution's online or telephone banking services
- the CRA's My Payment service at **canada.ca/cra-my-payment**
- your credit card, Interac e-transfer, or PayPal through one of the CRA's third-party service providers
- pre-authorized debit (PAD) at **canada.ca/my-cra-business-account**

For more information, go to **canada.ca/payments**.

Direct deposit

Direct deposit is a fast, convenient, and secure way to receive your CRA payments directly in your account at a financial institution in Canada. For more information and ways to enrol, go to **canada.ca/cra-direct-deposit** or contact your financial institution.

For more information

If you need help

If you need more information after reading this guide, go to canada.ca/taxes or call 1-800-959-5525.

For more information about filing your T2 Corporation Income Tax Return, see Guide T4012, T2 Corporation – Income Tax Guide. For corporation internet filing, go to canada.ca/corporation-internet.

For more information about filing your T5013 Partnership Information Return, see Guide T4068, Guide for the Partnership Information Return (T5013 Forms).

Forms and publications

The CRA encourages you to file your return electronically. If you need a paper version of the CRA's forms and publications, go to canada.ca/cra-forms-publications or call one of the following numbers:

- 1-800-959-5525, from Canada and the United States
- 613-940-8497, from outside Canada and the United States. The CRA only accepts collect calls made through a telephone operator. After your call is accepted by an automated response, you may hear a beep and notice a normal connection delay. This service operates in Eastern Standard Time and is open Monday to Friday from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm and Saturday from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm.

Electronic mailing lists

The CRA can send you an email when new information on a subject of interest to you is available on the website. To subscribe to the electronic mailing lists, go to canada.ca/cra-email-lists.

Tax Information Phone Service (TIPS)

For tax information by telephone, use the CRA's automated service, TIPS, by calling 1-800-267-6999.

Teletypewriter (TTY) users

If you use a TTY for a hearing or speech impairment, call 1-800-665-0354.

If you use an **operator-assisted relay service**, call the CRA's regular telephone numbers instead of the TTY number.

Formal disputes (objections and appeals)

You can file a formal dispute or objection if you think the CRA misinterpreted the facts of your tax situation or applied the tax law incorrectly.

For more information, go to canada.ca/cra-file-objection.

Service complaints

You can expect to be treated fairly under clear and established rules, and get a high level of service each time you deal with the CRA. For more information about the Taxpayer Bill of Rights, go to canada.ca/taxpayer-rights.

You may provide compliments or suggestions, and if you are not satisfied with the service you received:

1. Try to resolve the matter with the employee you have been dealing with or call the telephone number provided in the correspondence you received from the CRA. If you do not have contact information for the CRA, go to canada.ca/cra-contact
2. If you have not been able to resolve your service-related issue, you can ask to discuss the matter with the employee's supervisor
3. If the problem is still not resolved, you can file a service-related complaint by filling out Form RC193, Service Feedback. For more information and to learn how to file a complaint, go to canada.ca/cra-service-feedback

If you are not satisfied with how the CRA has handled your service-related complaint, you can submit a complaint to the Office of the Taxpayers' Ombudsperson.

Reprisal complaints

If you have received a response regarding a previously submitted service complaint or a formal review of a CRA decision and feel you were not treated impartially by a CRA employee, you can submit a reprisal complaint by filling out Form RC459, Reprisal Complaint.

For more information, go to canada.ca/cra-reprisal-complaints.

Due dates

When a due date falls on a Saturday, Sunday, or public holiday recognized by the CRA, your payment is considered on time if the CRA receives it on or before the next business day.

For more information, go to canada.ca/important-dates-corporations.

Cancel or waive penalties and interest

The CRA administers legislation, commonly called taxpayer relief provisions, that allows the CRA's discretion to cancel or waive penalties and interest when taxpayers cannot meet their tax obligations due to circumstances beyond their control.

The CRA's discretion to grant relief is limited to any period that ends within 10 calendar years before the year in which a relief request is made.

For penalties, the CRA will consider your request only if it relates to a tax year or fiscal period ending in any of the 10 calendar years before the year in which you make your request. For example, your request made in 2023 must relate to a penalty for a tax year or fiscal period ending in 2013 or later.

For interest on a balance owing for any tax year or fiscal period, the CRA will consider only the amounts that accrued during the 10 calendar years before the year in which you make your request. For example, your request made in 2023 must relate to interest that accrued in 2013 or later.

- Taxpayer relief requests can be made online using the CRA's My Account, My Business Account (MyBA), or Represent a Client digital services:
- **My Account:** After signing in, select "Accounts and payments," then "Request relief of penalties and interest."
- **MyBA or Represent a Client:** After signing in, on the MyBA overview page, select the appropriate program from the navigation menu, then select the correct account. Finally, select "Request relief of penalties and interest" under the "Request" heading.

You can also fill out Form RC4288, Request for Taxpayer Relief - Cancel or Waive Penalties and Interest, and send it with one of the following ways:

- online with My Account: select "Submit documents" under the "Correspondence" section
- online with MyBA or Represent a Client: select "Submit documents" from the banner at the top of the page
- by mail to the designated office, as shown on the last page of the form, based on your place of residence

For information on the "Submit Documents online" service, go to canada.ca/cra-submit-documents-online.

For more details on the required supporting documents, relief from penalties and interest, and other related forms and publications, go to canada.ca/penalty-interest-relief.