

Tax Identification Numbers (TINs)

If you're a tax resident outside of the UK and not sure where to find your TIN, this table lists the format of these numbers and which documents show them for a range of countries.

Country	TIN format	Where to find it
Austria	999/9999 (7 characters) 99-999/9999 (9 characters)	Tax assessments
Belgium	99999999999 (11 characters)	ID card Social Security card Residence card & car register certificate for foreign residents in Belgium
Bulgaria	9999999999 (10 characters)	Passport ID card Driving licence
Croatia	99999999999 (11 characters)	Certificate of Personal Identification Number Income tax return
Cyprus	99999999A (9 characters)	Official revenue documents TIN certificate
Czech Republic	999999/999 (9 characters) 999999/9999 (10 characters)	Passport ID card Driving licence
Denmark	999999-9999 (10 characters)	Passport Health insurance card Driving licence
Estonia	99999999999 (11 characters)	Passport ID card Driving licence
Finland	999999(+/-/A)999(A/9) (11 characters)	Passport ID card Driving licence
France	99 99 999 999 999 A	Tax Documents
Germany	999999999999 (Old - 12 characters) 99999999999 (New - 11 characters)	Tax assessments ID number letter
Gibraltar	999999 (6 characters)	PAYE allowance certificate Social Security Number card
Greece	999999999 (9 characters)	Tax completeness status document Tax refund status document
Guernsey	GY - 99 - 99 - 99 - A (9 characters)	Social Security Number card Payslip P60 Tax return (identical to a UK National Insurance Number except always begins GY)

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Hungary	9999999999 (10 characters)	Hungarian TIN card ID card Driving licence
Ireland	9999999A(W) (8/9 characters)	Tax return form
Italy	AAAAAA99A99A999A (16 characters)	Health card TIN card
Isle of Man	MA - 99 - 99 - 99 - A (9 characters)	National Insurance Number card Payslip P60 Tax return (identical to a UK National Insurance Number except always begins MA)
Jersey	JY - 99 - 99 - 99 - A (9 characters)	Social Security Number card Payslip P60 Tax return (identical to a UK National Insurance Number except always begins JY)
Latvia	DDMMYY999999 (DOB + 5 characters)	Passport ID card Driving licence
Lithuania	99999999999 (11 characters)	Passport ID card Driving licence
Luxembourg	Does not issue TINs	N/A
Malta	9999999L (8 characters) 999999999 (9 characters, non-Maltese nationals)	Passport ID card
Netherlands	999999999 (9 characters)	Passport ID card Driving licence
Poland	99999999999 (11 characters PESEL No) 9999999999 (10 characters TIN)	PESEL – Passport & ID card Official documents from local tax offices
Portugal	999999999 (9 characters)	TIN card ID card
Romania	9999999999999 (13 characters)	Passport ID card Driving licence
Slovakia	DD.MM.YYYY (Date of Birth)	Passport ID card
Slovenia	99999999 (8 characters)	Certificate of entry into tax register Certificate of residence
Spain	99999999A (9 characters) OR (X/Y/M/L/K)9999999A (9 characters)	ID card Driving licence
Sweden	999999(+/-)9999 (11 characters)	Passport ID card Driving licence
USA	999-99-9999 (9 characters)	Social Security card Individual Taxpayer Identification Number card IRS documents addressed to you