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## 2019 Defined Contribution Plan and IRA Limits 10-Year Summary

Type of Limitation	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010
401(k) Elective Deferrals	\$19,000	\$18,500	\$18,000	\$18,000	\$18,000	\$17,500	\$17,500	\$17,000	\$16,500	\$16,500
Catch-Up Contribution Limit (age 50 and older)	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$5,500	\$5,500	\$5,500	\$5,500	\$5,500
Defined Contribution Annual Additions (415 Limit) <sup>1</sup>	\$56,000	\$55,000	\$54,000	\$53,000	\$53,000	\$52,000	\$51,000	\$50,000	\$49,000	\$49,000
Annual Compensation Limit	\$280,000	\$275,000	\$270,000	\$265,000	\$265,000	\$260,000	\$255,000	\$250,000	\$245,000	\$245,000
Highly Compensated Employee	\$125,000	\$120,000	\$120,000	\$120,000	\$120,000	\$115,000	\$115,000	\$115,000	\$110,000	\$110,000
Key Employee Officer Threshold	\$180,000	\$175,000	\$175,000	\$170,000	\$170,000	\$170,000	\$165,000	\$165,000	\$160,000	\$160,000
Social Security Taxable Wage Base	\$132,900	\$128,400	\$127,200	\$118,500	\$118,500	\$117,000	\$113,700	\$110,100	\$106,800	\$106,800
IRA Limit	\$6,000	\$5,500	\$5,500	\$5,500	\$5,500	\$5,500	\$5,500	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$5,000
IRA Catch-Up (age 50 and older)	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000
Roth IRA Limit	\$6,000	\$5,500	\$5,500	\$5,500	\$5,500	\$5,500	\$5,500	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$5,000
SIMPLE 401(k)/IRA Limit	\$13,000	\$12,500	\$12,500	\$12,500	\$12,500	\$12,000	\$12,000	\$11,500	\$11,500	\$11,500
SIMPLE 401(k)/IRA Catch-Up Limit (age 50 and older)	\$3,000	\$3,000	\$3,000	\$3,000	\$3,000	\$2,500	\$2,500	\$2,500	\$2,500	\$2,500

<sup>1</sup>For limitation years ending in the calendar year (fiscal year plans)