

Complete this form to calculate your Manitoba book publishing tax credit for individuals. If you are completing a return for a corporation, use Schedule 389 of the T2 return. You can claim this credit if you were a resident of Manitoba at the end of the year, and met the following conditions:

- your primary business activity is publishing books;
- you have published at **least two** eligible books within the two-year period ending at the end of the year. "Eligible book" is defined in subsection 10.4(3) of the *Manitoba Income Tax Act*; and
- at least 25% of the total salaries and wages that were paid in the year by you, were paid to employees who were residents of Manitoba on December 31, 2015.

If you are filing electronically, keep all your documents in case we ask to see them at a later date. **If you are filing a paper return, attach this form.**

Part 1 – Identification	Tax year ▶ 2015
Name (print)	Social insurance number
Address (print)	
Business name (if applicable)	

Part 2 – Book publishing labour costs

Book publishing labour costs are reasonable costs paid in 2015 for the publication of hardcover, paperback or electronic books, such as editing, design, research or project management, creating artwork or developing a prototype of the book. They include **salaries and wages** that were paid in 2015 to your employees who were resident in Manitoba on December 31, 2015, and contracted Manitoba labour costs or services (**costs do not include marketing, promotion, legal and accounting costs and any part of a salary, wage, or fee that is determined by reference to profits or revenues**).

Enter the total salaries and wages paid in 2015. 1

Enter the total contracted Manitoba labour costs or services paid in 2015. 2

Applicable rate 3

Multiply line 2 by line 3. 4

Allowable amount 5

Add lines 1 and 4. 6

Enter the total number of pages that make up the eligible books that were published in 2015. 7

Enter the total number of pages that make up the books published in 2015. 8

Amount from line 5 9

Number of pages from line 6 10

Number of pages from line 7 11

Total book publishing labour costs 12

Part 3 – Book publishing tax credit for 2015

Enter the amount from line 8. 13

Enter the total non-refundable monetary advances paid to authors in 2015. 14

Add lines 13 and 14. 15

Applicable rate 16

Multiply line 15 by line 16. 17

(maximum \$100,000) 18

Eligible printing costs: If the eligible book you printed in 2015 contains at least 30% post-consumer waste paper, you are eligible to claim a printing bonus based on reasonable costs of printing, assembling and binding.

Enter the total eligible printing costs paid in 2015. 19

Applicable rate 20

Multiply line 19 by line 20. 21

Printing bonus 22

Add lines 17 and 21. 23

Enter the result on line 67 of Form MB479, *Manitoba Credits*. 24

Total Manitoba book publishing tax credit 25