

**SCHEDULE C  
(Form 1040)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service (99)

**Profit or Loss From Business  
(Sole Proprietorship)**

► **Information about Schedule C and its separate instructions is at [www.irs.gov/schedulec](http://www.irs.gov/schedulec).**  
► **Attach to Form 1040, 1040NR, or 1041; partnerships generally must file Form 1065.**

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**20XX**  
Attachment  
Sequence No. **09**

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| <b>Name of proprietor</b>   | <b>Social security number (SSN)</b>  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| <b>A</b> Principal business or profession, including product or service (see instructions)  | <b>B</b> Enter code from instructions<br><table border="1" style="width:100%; height: 20px; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width:10%;"></td> <td style="width:10%;"></td> <td style="width:10%;"></td> <td style="width:10%;"></td> <td style="width:10%;"></td> <td style="width:10%;"></td> <td style="width:10%;"></td> <td style="width:10%;"></td> <td style="width:10%;"></td> <td style="width:10%;"></td> </tr> </table>           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| <b>C</b> Business name. If no separate business name, leave blank.  | <b>D</b> Employer ID number (EIN), (see instr.)<br><table border="1" style="width:100%; height: 20px; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width:10%;"></td> <td style="width:10%;"></td> <td style="width:10%;"></td> <td style="width:10%;"></td> <td style="width:10%;"></td> <td style="width:10%;"></td> <td style="width:10%;"></td> <td style="width:10%;"></td> <td style="width:10%;"></td> <td style="width:10%;"></td> </tr> </table> |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| <b>E</b> Business address (including suite or room no.) ►<br>City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| <b>F</b> Accounting method: (1) <input type="checkbox"/> Cash (2) <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual (3) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) ►   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| <b>G</b> Did you "materially participate" in the operation of this business during 2016? If "No," see instructions for limit on losses . . . <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| <b>H</b> If you started or acquired this business during 2016, check here . . . <input type="checkbox"/>  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| <b>I</b> Did you make any payments in 2016 that would require you to file Form(s) 1099? (see instructions) . . . <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No                             |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| <b>J</b> If "Yes," did you or will you file required Forms 1099? . . . <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

**Part I Income**

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|---|----------|--|--|
| <b>1</b> Gross receipts or sales. See instructions for line 1 and check the box if this income was reported to you on Form W-2 and the "Statutory employee" box on that form was checked . . . <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>1</b> |  |  |
| <b>2</b> Returns and allowances . . . . .   | <b>2</b> |  |  |
| <b>3</b> Subtract line 2 from line 1 . . . . .  | <b>3</b> |  |  |
| <b>4</b> Cost of goods sold (from line 42) . . . . .  | <b>4</b> |  |  |
| <b>5</b> <b>Gross profit.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3 . . . . .   | <b>5</b> |  |  |
| <b>6</b> Other income, including federal and state gasoline or fuel tax credit or refund (see instructions) . . . . .   | <b>6</b> |  |  |
| <b>7</b> <b>Gross income.</b> Add lines 5 and 6 . . . . .   | <b>7</b> |  |  |

**Part II Expenses.** Enter expenses for business use of your home **only** on line 30.

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|---|------------|--|--|--|------------|--|--|
| <b>8</b> Advertising . . . . .  | <b>8</b>   |  |  | <b>18</b> Office expense (see instructions) . . . . .                    | <b>18</b>  |  |  |
| <b>9</b> Car and truck expenses (see instructions) . . . . .  | <b>9</b>   |  |  | <b>19</b> Pension and profit-sharing plans . . . . .                     | <b>19</b>  |  |  |
| <b>10</b> Commissions and fees . . . . .  | <b>10</b>  |  |  | <b>20</b> Rent or lease (see instructions):                              |            |  |  |
| <b>11</b> Contract labor (see instructions) . . . . .   | <b>11</b>  |  |  | <b>a</b> Vehicles, machinery, and equipment . . . . .                    | <b>20a</b> |  |  |
| <b>12</b> Depletion . . . . .   | <b>12</b>  |  |  | <b>b</b> Other business property . . . . .                               | <b>20b</b> |  |  |
| <b>13</b> Depreciation and section 179 expense deduction (not included in Part III) (see instructions) . . . . .  | <b>13</b>  |  |  | <b>21</b> Repairs and maintenance . . . . .                              | <b>21</b>  |  |  |
| <b>14</b> Employee benefit programs (other than on line 19) . . . . .   | <b>14</b>  |  |  | <b>22</b> Supplies (not included in Part III) . . . . .                  | <b>22</b>  |  |  |
| <b>15</b> Insurance (other than health) . . . . .   | <b>15</b>  |  |  | <b>23</b> Taxes and licenses . . . . .                                   | <b>23</b>  |  |  |
| <b>16</b> Interest:   |            |  |  | <b>24</b> Travel, meals, and entertainment:                              |            |  |  |
| <b>a</b> Mortgage (paid to banks, etc.) . . . . .   | <b>16a</b> |  |  | <b>a</b> Travel . . . . .  | <b>24a</b> |  |  |
| <b>b</b> Other . . . . .  | <b>16b</b> |  |  | <b>b</b> Deductible meals and entertainment (see instructions) . . . . . | <b>24b</b> |  |  |
| <b>17</b> Legal and professional services . . . . .   | <b>17</b>  |  |  | <b>25</b> Utilities . . . . .  | <b>25</b>  |  |  |
| <b>28</b> <b>Total expenses</b> before expenses for business use of home. Add lines 8 through 27a . . . . .   | <b>28</b>  |  |  | <b>26</b> Wages (less employment credits) . . . . .                      | <b>26</b>  |  |  |
| <b>29</b> Tentative profit or (loss). Subtract line 28 from line 7 . . . . .  | <b>29</b>  |  |  | <b>27a</b> Other expenses (from line 48) . . . . .                       | <b>27a</b> |  |  |
| <b>30</b> Expenses for business use of your home. Do not report these expenses elsewhere. Attach Form 8829 unless using the simplified method (see instructions).<br><b>Simplified method filers only:</b> enter the total square footage of: (a) your home: _____ and (b) the part of your home used for business: _____. Use the Simplified Method Worksheet in the instructions to figure the amount to enter on line 30 . . . . .   | <b>30</b>  |  |  | <b>27b</b> <b>Reserved for future use</b> . . . . .                      | <b>27b</b> |  |  |
| <b>31</b> <b>Net profit or (loss).</b> Subtract line 30 from line 29.<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If a profit, enter on both <b>Form 1040, line 12</b> (or <b>Form 1040NR, line 13</b>) and on <b>Schedule SE, line 2</b>. (If you checked the box on line 1, see instructions). Estates and trusts, enter on <b>Form 1041, line 3</b>.</li> <li>• If a loss, you <b>must</b> go to line 32.</li> </ul>   | <b>31</b>  |  |  |  |            |  |  |
| <b>32</b> If you have a loss, check the box that describes your investment in this activity (see instructions).<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If you checked 32a, enter the loss on both <b>Form 1040, line 12</b>, (or <b>Form 1040NR, line 13</b>) and on <b>Schedule SE, line 2</b>. (If you checked the box on line 1, see the line 31 instructions). Estates and trusts, enter on <b>Form 1041, line 3</b>.</li> <li>• If you checked 32b, you <b>must</b> attach <b>Form 6198</b>. Your loss may be limited.</li> </ul> |            |  |  | <b>32a</b> <input type="checkbox"/> All investment is at risk.           |            |  |  |
|   |            |  |  | <b>32b</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Some investment is not at risk.      |            |  |  |

**Part III Cost of Goods Sold** (see instructions)

**33** Method(s) used to value closing inventory:    **a**  Cost    **b**  Lower of cost or market    **c**  Other (attach explanation)

**34** Was there any change in determining quantities, costs, or valuations between opening and closing inventory?  
If "Yes," attach explanation . . . . .  **Yes**     **No**

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| <b>35</b> Inventory at beginning of year. If different from last year's closing inventory, attach explanation . . . . . | <b>35</b> |  |  |
| <b>36</b> Purchases less cost of items withdrawn for personal use . . . . .   | <b>36</b> |  |  |
| <b>37</b> Cost of labor. Do not include any amounts paid to yourself . . . . .  | <b>37</b> |  |  |
| <b>38</b> Materials and supplies . . . . .  | <b>38</b> |  |  |
| <b>39</b> Other costs . . . . .   | <b>39</b> |  |  |
| <b>40</b> Add lines 35 through 39 . . . . .   | <b>40</b> |  |  |
| <b>41</b> Inventory at end of year . . . . .  | <b>41</b> |  |  |
| <b>42</b> <b>Cost of goods sold.</b> Subtract line 41 from line 40. Enter the result here and on line 4 . . . . .       | <b>42</b> |  |  |

**Part IV Information on Your Vehicle.** Complete this part **only** if you are claiming car or truck expenses on line 9 and are not required to file Form 4562 for this business. See the instructions for line 13 to find out if you must file Form 4562.

**43** When did you place your vehicle in service for business purposes? (month, day, year)    ▶    /    /

**44** Of the total number of miles you drove your vehicle during 2016, enter the number of miles you used your vehicle for:

**a** Business    **b** Commuting (see instructions)    **c** Other

**45** Was your vehicle available for personal use during off-duty hours? . . . . .  **Yes**     **No**

**46** Do you (or your spouse) have another vehicle available for personal use?. . . . .  **Yes**     **No**

**47a** Do you have evidence to support your deduction? . . . . .  **Yes**     **No**

**b** If "Yes," is the evidence written? . . . . .  **Yes**     **No**

**Part V Other Expenses.** List below business expenses not included on lines 8–26 or line 30.

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**48** **Total other expenses.** Enter here and on line 27a . . . . . **48**