

6 Support Scenarios Can Be Shown Side-by-Side-Annual, Monthly or Weekly Numbers Available

**SUMMARY OF ALIMONY/CHILD SUPPORT ALTERNATIVE CASES FOR 2011**

Last Name: Smith

	1 Guideline Child Support		2 GL CS+Alim=Mom Budget		3 Sup Mix Share Savings	
	John	Mary	John	Mary	John	Mary
1 Cash Income	97,500	33,000	97,500	33,000	97,500	33,000
2 Children Residing With	0	2	0	2	0	2
3 Child Support	(21,000)	21,000	(21,000)	21,000	(8,000)	8,000
4 Alimony	0	0	(1,039)	1,039	(22,000)	22,000
5 Non-Taxable Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0
6 Cash to Meet Living Expenses	52,922	54,295	52,174	55,200	53,310	56,917
7 Total Cash for Both		107,217		107,374		110,227
8 Budget Cash	42,000	55,200	42,000	55,200	42,000	55,200
9 Over/Under Budget	10,922	(905)	10,174	0	11,310	1,717
10 Share Cash	49.4%	50.6%	48.6%	51.4%	48.4%	51.6%
11 Filing Status	Single	Hd Hsld	Single	Hd Hsld	Single	Hd Hsld
12 No. of Children Age 17 & Over	0	0	0	0	0	0
13 No. of Children Under 17	0	2	0	2	2	0
14 Marginal Federal + State Tax %	28.0%	10.0%	28.0%	10.0%	25.0%	15.0%
15 Federal + State Tax	17,533	(1,990)	17,242	(1,856)	8,145	4,388
16 Total Taxes for Both		15,543		15,386		12,533
17 Tax Savings Exemptions for Children + Under 17 Child Credit	0	2,898	0	2,949	3,850	0
18 Tax Changes from Alimony	0	0	291	(134)	6,550	(3,480)

**Comments:**

In Case 3, support mix is changed to increase spousal support and reduce child support. In addition, child dependency exemptions and Under Age 17 Child Tax Credit are allocated to John to increase tax savings (line 17). Tax savings are maximized in Case 3 and the software makes alimony analysis simple so user can quickly determine how to share alimony tax savings between parties.

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