

DIFFERENCE BETWEEN SECTION 24 AND SECTION 80EEA OF INCOME TAX ACT, 1961

Terms and conditions	Sec 24 (b)	Sec 80EEA
Tax deductions	Applicable for multiple home buyers	Only for first time home buyers
Interest exemption	Interest paid on multiple properties	Interest paid on home loan only for affordable housing
Property value	No specification	Maximum upto Rs.45 Lakhs
Carpet area – metro cities	No specification	Not to exceed 645 sq ft or 60 sq meters
Carpet area – non metro cities	No specification	Not to exceed 968 sq ft or 90 sq meters
Interest claim	Upto 2 Lakhs in a financial year	Upto 1.5 Lakhs per year (over and above Sec 24 (b)
Loan period	Loan can be taken any time	Loans to be sanctioned between April 1, 2019 and March 31, 2021
Loan source	Banks / NBFCs or personal source	Only Banks / NBFCs