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Item	All single females	Under 25 years	25-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and older
Number of consumer units (in thousands) ¹	21,554	1,494	2,123	1,283	2,046	4,122	10,486
Consumer unit characteristics:							
Income before taxes	\$35,530	\$18,497	\$46,944	\$55,187	\$45,656	\$43,397	\$28,172
Income after taxes	31,857	16,846	40,639	46,734	39,247	37,126	26,884
Age of reference person	60.2	21.0	29.0	38.9	50.1	60.1	76.6
Average number in consumer unit:							
People	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
Children under 18	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Adults 65 and older5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	1.0
Earners5	.9	.9	.9	.8	.7	.2
Vehicles	1.0	.5	.9	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.0
Percent distribution:							
Reference person:							
Women	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Housing tenure:							
Homeowner	54	5	19	45	48	59	69
With mortgage	22	3	16	38	35	27	19
Without mortgage	32	1	3	7	13	31	50
Renter	46	95	81	55	52	41	31
Race of reference person:							
Black or African-American	17	19	28	25	24	16	12
White, Asian, and all other races	83	81	72	75	76	84	88
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:							
Hispanic or Latino	8	8	11	12	11	9	6
Not Hispanic or Latino	92	92	89	88	89	91	94
Education of reference person:							
Elementary (1-8)	2	(²)	(²)	(³)	2	2	4
High school (9-12)	31	19	13	19	30	29	40
College	66	81	87	80	68	69	57
Never attended and other	(³)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(³)	(²)	(³)
At least one vehicle owned or leased	77	45	81	81	78	86	77
Average annual expenditures	\$37,100	\$25,020	\$40,727	\$55,063	\$41,202	\$39,042	\$34,037
Food							
Food at home	4,250	4,025	4,935	5,458	4,418	4,203	3,927
Cereals and bakery products	2,780	1,997	2,598	3,087	2,710	2,828	2,882
Cereals and cereal products	354	273	293	354	340	362	379
Bakery products	98	86	88	113	106	90	102
Bakery products	255	187	206	241	235	272	276
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	523	353	433	574	520	548	551
Beef	125	100	80	150	111	130	137
Pork	100	77	63	95	87	113	109
Other meats	69	43	54	69	67	75	73
Poultry	98	75	94	103	125	93	99
Fish and seafood	93	431	103	121	84	97	95
Eggs	38	28	39	35	46	39	39
Dairy products	279	177	241	292	279	283	300
Fresh milk and cream	80	49	65	73	90	84	84
Other dairy products	200	128	176	220	189	198	216
Fruits and vegetables	570	412	536	582	528	581	602
Fresh fruits	211	155	185	232	208	209	222
Fresh vegetables	181	115	180	159	154	192	194
Processed fruits	76	55	83	94	64	75	77
Processed vegetables	103	87	87	98	102	105	110
Other food at home	1,053	782	1,095	1,285	1,043	1,054	1,049
Sugar and other sweets	103	66	102	120	97	97	109
Fats and oils	78	40	67	111	67	79	81
Miscellaneous foods	571	453	662	670	579	546	560
Nonalcoholic beverages	270	198	231	319	265	287	275
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips	32	25	34	64	34	44	23

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Food away from home.....	1,471	2,028	2,337	2,371	1,708	1,375	1,045
Alcoholic beverages.....	263	260	370	581	304	297	169
Housing.....	15,253	8,502	16,530	24,920	15,977	14,817	14,639
Shelter.....	9,420	6,219	12,229	12,715	10,102	8,960	8,953
Owned dwellings.....	4,272	355	2,284	5,260	4,706	4,709	4,856
Mortgage interest and charges.....	1,215	⁴ 184	1,087	2,500	2,261	1,509	911
Property taxes.....	1,380	⁴ 97	546	1,230	1,242	1,567	1,704
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses.....	1,677	⁴ 74	651	1,530	1,203	1,633	2,241
Rented dwellings.....	4,743	5,176	9,632	6,986	5,008	3,755	3,754
Other lodging.....	405	688	314	468	387	496	344
Utilities, fuels, and public services.....	2,654	838	1,936	2,850	2,882	2,947	2,874
Natural gas.....	303	59	195	344	281	298	361
Electricity.....	1,015	371	751	1,023	1,068	1,161	1,091
Fuel oil and other fuels.....	84	⁴ 13	⁴ 30	⁴ 38	⁴ 70	94	110
Telephone services.....	813	303	723	1,013	1,045	902	799
Residential phone service, VOIP, and phone cards.....	214	⁴ 6	⁴ 37	68	122	160	337
Cellular phone service.....	598	297	687	945	923	742	461
Water and other public services.....	439	93	237	432	418	493	512
Household operations.....	976	266	678	935	794	900	1,208
Personal services.....	101	(²)	⁴ 36	⁴ 16	⁴ 2	⁴ 41	⁴ 182
Other household expenses.....	875	266	643	919	791	859	1,026
Housekeeping supplies.....	540	261	432	563	440	604	594
Laundry and cleaning supplies.....	126	51	192	150	111	113	125
Other household products.....	318	143	191	343	239	384	356
Postage and stationery.....	96	67	49	70	89	106	113
Household furnishings and equipment.....	1,663	919	1,255	7,857	1,760	1,407	1,010
Household textiles.....	88	120	87	58	179	81	74
Furniture.....	283	216	449	471	240	341	222
Floor coverings.....	20	⁴ 11	27	⁴ 22	20	30	16
Major appliances.....	192	132	130	213	245	237	184
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares.....	85	89	64	145	111	85	76
Miscellaneous household equipment.....	994	352	498	6,948	965	633	438
Apparel and services.....	1,072	684	1,379	1,911	1,354	958	922
Men and boys.....	50	⁴ 49	60	55	59	69	38
Men, 16 and over.....	36	⁴ 46	⁴ 43	⁴ 32	⁴ 38	⁴ 46	29
Boys, 2 to 15.....	14	⁴ 2	⁴ 17	24	21	23	9
Women and girls.....	647	401	843	1,379	777	554	538
Women, 16 and over.....	630	355	822	1,376	770	535	523
Girls, 2 to 15.....	17	⁴ 47	⁴ 21	⁴ 4	⁴ 6	19	15
Children under 2.....	26	(²)	⁴ 19	⁴ 71	⁴ 21	⁴ 30	⁴ 24
Footwear.....	209	⁴ 155	354	⁴ 244	389	177	155
Other apparel products and services.....	140	80	103	161	107	128	166
Transportation.....	4,781	3,237	5,710	7,883	6,228	6,033	3,651
Vehicle purchases (net outlay).....	1,780	⁴ 776	⁴ 1,816	⁴ 3,506	2,662	2,465	1,264
Cars and trucks, new.....	869	⁴ 328	⁴ 506	⁴ 2,143	⁴ 1,281	1,244	637
Cars and trucks, used.....	907	⁴ 448	1,310	⁴ 1,363	1,381	1,200	627
Other vehicles.....	⁴ 4	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	⁴ 21	(²)
Gasoline, other fuels, and motor oil.....	796	748	1,052	1,204	972	1,009	583
Other vehicle expenses.....	1,873	1,087	2,345	2,613	2,319	2,223	1,572
Vehicle finance charges.....	90	50	127	127	189	115	54
Maintenance and repairs.....	525	483	486	689	552	686	448
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges.....	418	176	636	758	537	459	328
Vehicle insurance.....	840	377	1,097	1,039	1,041	963	742
Public and other transportation.....	331	625	497	561	276	336	232
Healthcare.....	3,648	739	1,898	2,849	2,682	3,425	4,796
Health insurance.....	2,406	438	1,273	1,609	1,639	2,077	3,293
Medical services.....	694	167	392	785	531	846	791
Drugs.....	409	80	145	327	394	386	538
Medical supplies.....	138	53	88	129	118	116	174
Entertainment.....	1,577	888	1,627	2,327	1,823	1,591	1,508
Fees and admissions.....	241	289	497	435	229	187	180
Audio and visual equipment and services.....	697	183	456	843	693	722	790
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment.....	566	333	546	931	823	609	484
Pets.....	504	310	444	842	754	570	422
Toys, hobbies, and playground equipment.....	62	⁴ 23	⁴ 103	⁴ 89	⁴ 68	⁴ 38	62

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Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services	73	83	128	118	79	73	55
Personal care products and services	618	500	848	819	801	513	564
Reading	103	62	74	61	78	81	138
Education	659	4,214	1,323	826	408	283	193
Tobacco products and smoking supplies	156	58	91	238	336	244	103
Miscellaneous	683	178	1,125	758	795	821	572
Cash contributions	1,471	215	459	994	1,227	1,663	1,886
Personal insurance and pensions	2,564	1,456	4,358	5,437	4,771	4,114	968
Life and other personal insurance	241	⁴ 14	105	240	208	276	293
Pensions and Social Security	2,323	1,442	4,253	5,197	4,564	3,837	674
Sources of income and personal taxes:							
Income before taxes	\$35,530	\$18,497	\$46,944	\$55,187	\$45,656	\$43,397	\$28,172
Wages and salaries	20,905	15,719	43,856	50,970	39,818	32,801	4,952
Self-employment income	1,350	376	1,102	⁴ 2,070	2,073	3,351	523
Social Security, private and government retirement	10,423	⁴ 199	⁴ 168	⁴ 520	1,770	4,451	19,203
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income	1,722	244	432	598	492	1,294	2,740
Public assistance, Supplemental Security Income, Supplementary Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	335	⁴ 86	216	283	564	525	281
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits, and regular contributions for support	415	⁴ 242	639	⁴ 320	655	740	231
Other income	380	1,630	530	⁴ 425	283	235	241
Personal taxes (contains some imputed values)	3,673	1,651	6,305	8,453	6,409	6,271	1,287
Federal income taxes	3,311	1,282	5,189	6,742	5,451	5,516	1,516
Stimulus payment (new UCC Q20202)#	-520	⁴ -121	-542	⁴ -411	-520	-551	-573
State and local income taxes	850	475	1,608	2,090	1,435	1,272	318
Other taxes	31	⁴ 14	⁴ 50	⁴ 31	⁴ 44	35	26
Income after taxes	31,857	16,846	40,639	46,734	39,247	37,126	26,884
Addenda:							
Net change in total assets and liabilities	\$4,374	-\$613	\$2,408	\$18,696	\$16,458	\$7,255	\$241
Net change in total assets	9,985	4,794	18,154	30,126	26,286	10,656	3,163
Net change in total liabilities	5,611	5,407	15,746	11,431	9,828	3,402	2,922
Other financial information:							
Other money receipts	1,083	1,389	⁴ 487	⁴ 128	⁴ 1,171	1,455	1,113
Mortgage principal paid on owned property	-990	⁴ -97	-494	-1,456	-1,671	-1,334	-893
Estimated market value of owned home	142,450	⁴ 7,417	51,318	140,397	117,567	146,676	183,588
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home	801	⁴ 55	301	736	697	871	1,009

¹ Data are rounded to the nearest thousands.

² No data reported.

³ Value is too small to display.

⁴ Data are likely to have large sampling errors.

n.a. Not applicable.

Data collection for this item began in June 2020. Stimulus payments delivered to respondents interviewed in April and May of 2020 were not included in estimation.