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Item	Total one person	Under 25 years	25-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and older	65-74 years	75 years and older
Number of consumer units (in thousands)	33,997	4,420	4,371	4,021	5,161	5,353	10,672	4,053	6,619
Consumer unit characteristics:									
Income before taxes	\$29,189	\$12,299	\$34,329	\$41,974	\$40,265	\$35,399	\$20,791	\$23,671	\$19,027
Income after taxes	27,786	11,993	32,395	39,854	37,501	33,390	20,384	23,103	18,719
Age of reference person	52.3	21.0	29.0	39.7	49.6	59.4	77.3	69.3	82.1
Average number in consumer unit:									
Persons	1.0	1.0	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.	n.a.	n.a.
Persons 65 and over3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	1.0	1.0	1.0
Earners6	.9	.9	.9	.8	.6	.2	.3	.1
Vehicles	1.1	.7	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.0	1.2	.8
Percent distribution:									
Sex of reference person:									
Male	45	53	62	64	51	40	28	34	25
Female	55	47	38	36	49	60	72	66	75
Housing tenure:									
Homeowner	52	6	29	50	57	68	70	69	71
With mortgage	23	3	24	40	40	34	12	19	8
Without mortgage	28	4	5	10	17	34	58	49	63
Renter	48	94	71	50	43	32	30	31	29
Race of reference person:									
Black or African-American	12	8	13	15	16	12	10	12	8
White, Asian, and all other races	88	92	87	85	84	88	90	88	92
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:									
Hispanic or Latino	6	5	10	9	6	5	4	5	3
Not Hispanic or Latino	94	95	90	91	94	95	96	95	97
Education of reference person:									
Elementary (1-8)	6	1	1	2	3	7	14	10	16
High school (9-12)	34	19	20	30	33	35	49	46	51
College	59	81	79	68	64	58	37	43	33
Never attended and other	(¹)	(²)	(²)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	1	(¹)	1
At least one vehicle owned or leased	76	61	82	82	81	82	72	79	68
Average annual expenditures	\$26,134	\$16,922	\$29,936	\$32,501	\$31,479	\$29,421	\$21,697	\$24,416	\$19,942
Food	3,082	2,313	3,364	3,790	3,672	3,278	2,602	3,033	2,294
Food at home	1,660	935	1,407	1,809	2,039	1,878	1,702	1,889	1,566
Cereals and bakery products	228	139	181	223	259	259	254	266	246
Cereals and cereal products	71	51	63	70	84	73	75	76	75
Bakery products	157	88	118	154	175	186	179	190	171
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	372	196	277	441	507	419	364	435	312
Beef	103	56	77	124	151	120	93	122	72
Pork	75	38	45	78	98	86	85	102	73
Other meats	47	24	41	53	60	51	47	55	41
Poultry	68	38	60	91	81	77	63	74	55
Fish and seafood	58	29	37	73	91	63	53	56	50
Eggs	21	10	17	21	26	23	24	26	22
Dairy products	188	106	161	195	211	206	209	229	194
Fresh milk and cream	72	39	58	70	80	79	83	86	80
Other dairy products	116	68	103	125	131	126	126	142	114
Fruits and vegetables	294	141	233	297	340	347	330	342	322
Fresh fruits	100	45	79	101	112	124	114	117	112
Fresh vegetables	92	40	77	94	108	115	99	110	92
Processed fruits	60	34	49	57	70	60	71	64	75
Processed vegetables	42	22	29	45	50	48	46	52	43

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Item	Total one person	Under 25 years	25-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and older	65-74 years	75 years and older
Other food at home	\$579	\$352	\$555	\$652	\$722	\$648	\$545	\$617	\$493
Sugar and other sweets	62	32	47	68	73	73	67	76	60
Fats and oils	46	20	35	43	61	57	48	55	44
Miscellaneous foods	293	199	284	330	347	319	280	320	251
Nonalcoholic beverages	158	87	167	186	221	169	136	148	126
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips	20	13	22	25	20	30	14	17	12
Food away from home	1,422	1,378	1,957	1,982	1,634	1,400	899	1,144	728
Alcoholic beverages	343	475	571	518	369	300	131	172	101
Housing	9,539	5,057	10,723	11,948	11,261	10,649	8,600	9,044	8,312
Shelter	6,020	3,588	7,495	8,009	7,226	6,387	4,908	5,212	4,722
Owned dwellings	2,996	318	2,390	4,347	4,168	4,173	2,686	3,204	2,369
Mortgage interest and charges	1,412	177	1,676	2,851	2,444	1,848	555	954	311
Property taxes	864	113	454	935	1,047	1,198	1,061	1,087	1,044
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses	719	28	260	560	677	1,127	1,070	1,162	1,014
Rented dwellings	2,775	2,990	4,927	3,461	2,706	1,888	2,024	1,745	2,195
Other lodging	250	280	178	201	352	326	198	264	158
Utilities, fuels, and public services	1,926	774	1,808	2,071	2,185	2,327	2,071	2,170	2,010
Natural gas	292	59	199	305	331	358	371	358	379
Electricity	684	279	638	732	780	833	731	773	704
Fuel oil and other fuels	92	7	18	66	78	125	157	135	169
Telephone services	650	392	801	774	751	747	550	640	495
Water and other public services	209	38	152	195	245	264	262	263	262
Household operations	411	87	263	342	353	451	640	423	772
Personal services	81	³⁴	³¹⁶	³²⁸	³¹⁰	³¹⁵	227	³¹⁰	360
Other household expenses	330	83	247	314	344	436	413	413	412
Housekeeping supplies	318	119	247	287	436	392	344	399	305
Laundry and cleaning supplies	69	31	54	69	95	85	70	72	69
Other household products	153	54	135	115	218	191	165	207	134
Postage and stationery	95	34	57	103	123	116	109	119	101
Household furnishings and equipment	864	490	911	1,239	1,061	1,092	637	840	504
Household textiles	76	21	83	73	99	100	72	78	68
Furniture	189	110	286	287	176	263	114	163	85
Floor coverings	24	9	9	20	20	65	20	22	20
Major appliances	96	26	82	80	128	150	93	118	77
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	60	35	59	43	62	70	72	96	54
Miscellaneous household equipment	418	289	392	736	575	442	266	364	201
Apparel and services	965	962	1,160	1,253	1,249	1,080	576	778	435
Men and boys	196	183	265	326	293	177	82	133	47
Men, 16 and over	183	180	254	313	270	154	73	116	43
Boys, 2 to 15	13	3	11	13	23	23	9	17	4
Women and girls	401	436	364	457	517	435	306	408	233
Women, 16 and over	385	433	350	428	498	420	291	387	223
Girls, 2 to 15	15	³²	14	28	19	15	14	21	10
Children under 2	14	7	17	10	13	25	11	15	9
Footwear	179	210	272	216	212	174	99	113	88
Other apparel products and services	175	126	241	245	213	268	77	109	58
Transportation	4,023	3,008	5,797	4,803	4,825	4,606	2,742	3,820	2,086
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	1,537	1,268	2,443	1,660	1,842	1,747	980	1,510	655
Cars and trucks, new	741	418	1,146	714	699	1,008	606	925	411
Cars and trucks, used	756	790	1,240	893	1,132	639	369	572	244
Other vehicles	40	³⁶⁰	³⁵⁷	³⁵³	³¹¹	³¹⁰⁰	³⁵	³¹³	(¹)
Gasoline and motor oil	919	801	1,197	1,179	1,094	1,065	597	834	452

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Item	Total one person	Under 25 years	25-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and older	65-74 years	75 years and older
Other vehicle expenses	\$1,307	\$777	\$1,774	\$1,620	\$1,603	\$1,522	\$965	\$1,185	\$833
Vehicle finance charges	124	65	226	201	154	146	51	95	24
Maintenance and repairs	420	286	568	479	476	511	320	394	279
Vehicle insurance	527	275	668	611	663	564	458	519	420
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges	236	151	312	329	311	300	136	177	111
Public transportation	260	162	383	344	286	272	200	291	145
Healthcare	1,724	292	784	1,092	1,412	1,981	2,961	2,508	3,239
Health insurance	869	163	400	593	616	918	1,556	1,422	1,638
Medical services	408	54	215	244	460	555	597	378	731
Drugs	377	53	141	208	278	423	696	616	745
Medical supplies	70	22	27	47	58	86	113	92	125
Entertainment	1,248	930	1,568	1,557	1,486	1,481	897	1,161	733
Fees and admissions	309	254	405	432	355	324	218	305	164
Audio and visual equipment and services	554	384	722	638	641	606	454	571	382
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment	215	96	253	259	302	325	134	183	102
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services	170	196	188	228	189	227	91	102	85
Personal care products and services	342	256	381	344	351	384	334	336	333
Reading	100	44	86	89	110	133	111	123	104
Education	569	2,236	957	267	409	212	88	100	79
Tobacco products and smoking supplies	196	143	192	307	309	226	107	168	70
Miscellaneous	547	161	497	730	700	705	503	732	353
Cash contributions	1,166	184	715	1,591	1,405	1,312	1,410	1,413	1,408
Personal insurance and pensions	2,292	860	3,142	4,212	3,920	3,072	634	1,028	393
Life and other personal insurance	154	14	97	137	217	241	169	185	159
Pensions and Social Security	2,137	846	3,046	4,075	3,703	2,831	465	843	234
Sources of income and personal taxes:									
Money income before taxes	29,189	12,299	34,329	41,974	40,265	35,399	20,791	23,671	19,027
Wages and salaries	19,574	9,794	31,223	37,802	34,064	23,186	3,169	6,468	1,148
Self-employment income	1,586	214	1,599	2,261	2,183	3,448	673	805	592
Social Security, private and government retirement	5,902	388	258	554	1,492	6,267	14,586	14,262	14,784
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income	1,148	190	277	588	1,326	1,393	1,903	1,630	2,070
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits	149	321	112	206	385	224	44	388	317
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps	236	45	92	290	394	485	153	192	129
Regular contributions for support	348	1,215	415	106	271	251	139	156	129
Other income	245	732	353	166	150	143	125	71	158
Personal taxes	1,403	306	1,934	2,120	2,764	2,009	408	569	309
Federal income taxes	1,002	227	1,438	1,544	2,016	1,480	210	326	139
State and local income taxes	283	76	444	464	609	355	39	65	23
Other taxes	118	3	51	111	140	173	159	177	147
Income after taxes	27,786	11,993	32,395	39,854	37,501	33,390	20,384	23,103	18,719

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Addenda:									
Net change in total assets and liabilities	- \$3,593	\$553	- \$8,669	- \$1,286	- \$3,059	- \$4,879	- \$3,715	- \$5,362	- \$2,706
Net change in total assets	4,599	3,114	11,435	12,016	6,027	4,618	-1,081	-992	-1,135
Net change in total liabilities	8,192	2,561	20,104	13,302	9,085	9,497	2,634	4,370	1,571
Other financial information:									
Other money receipts	381	73	273	356	421	707	379	511	298
Mortgage principal paid on owned property	-820	-51	-719	-1,290	-1,378	-1,491	-395	-704	-207
Estimated market value of owned home	89,638	10,051	47,838	93,201	101,159	130,204	112,460	119,548	108,120
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home	517	58	298	546	602	716	646	667	634
Gifts of goods and services	821	300	524	1,067	1,141	987	820	771	841
Food	42	18	20	45	50	90	34	64	15
Alcoholic beverages	14	11	24	18	19	14	8	16	2
Housing	200	58	111	353	250	227	195	176	205
Housekeeping supplies	27	12	23	27	50	31	20	30	14
Household textiles	9	³¹	³⁷	³⁸	9	9	13	13	13
Appliances and miscellaneous housewares	18	10	19	12	14	24	23	19	25
Major appliances	6	³¹	³⁴	³⁶	5	6	10	³⁵	14
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares	12	8	14	6	8	18	12	15	11
Miscellaneous household equipment	66	12	31	240	70	71	30	40	24
Other housing	80	22	32	65	108	92	109	74	130
Apparel and services	184	137	173	266	242	258	108	152	78
Males, 2 and over	43	22	28	67	80	54	25	45	12
Females, 2 and over	61	37	39	92	91	53	56	71	45
Children under 2	14	7	17	10	13	25	11	15	9
Other apparel products and services	66	71	88	97	59	126	16	21	13
Jewelry and watches	44	45	68	63	19	103	8	11	6
All other apparel products and services	22	³²⁶	³²¹	34	39	23	8	³¹⁰	37
Transportation	44	4	23	82	91	27	39	47	34
Health care	81	³²	³¹⁶	24	28	28	215	³¹⁸	336
Entertainment	59	30	62	68	90	76	44	62	33
Toys, games, arts and crafts, and tricycles	21	10	30	25	21	30	17	30	10
Other entertainment	38	20	32	43	69	47	26	32	23
Personal care products and services	15	11	27	22	19	9	10	14	8
Reading	1	⁽¹⁾	³¹	⁽¹⁾	2	1	2	2	2
Education	92	³¹¹	20	86	224	138	70	75	66
All other gifts	88	20	49	102	126	119	95	145	64

¹ Value less than or equal to 0.5.

² No data reported.

³ Data are likely to have large sampling errors.
n.a. Not applicable.