

**Table 4110. Consumer units of single females by age of reference person: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2012-2013**

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) .....	19,793	1,677	1,829	1,291	2,514	3,653	8,830
Consumer unit characteristics:							
Income before taxes .....	\$29,606	\$14,140	\$38,499	\$43,569	\$38,929	\$34,868	\$23,827
Income after taxes .....	27,654	13,520	35,156	39,163	35,165	31,761	23,264
Age of reference person .....	58.8	21.4	29.0	39.4	50.3	59.7	77.0
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 older .....	.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	1.0
Earners .....	.5	.8	.9	.9	.8	.6	.1
Vehicles .....	.9	.5	.9	1.1	1.1	1.1	.9
Percent distribution:							
Reference person:							
Women .....	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Housing tenure:							
Homeowner .....	55	2	22	47	52	64	71
With mortgage .....	22	1	17	36	37	36	14
Without mortgage .....	34	1	5	11	15	29	57
Renter .....	45	98	78	53	48	36	29
Race of reference person:							
Black or African-American .....	14	12	16	21	19	17	10
White, Asian, and all other races .....	86	88	84	79	81	83	90
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:							
Hispanic or Latino .....	7	9	8	13	6	6	6
Not Hispanic or Latino .....	93	91	92	87	94	94	94
Education of reference person:							
Elementary (1-8) .....	6	( <sup>1</sup> )	2	5	3	6	10
High school (9-12) .....	33	12	12	18	31	28	45
College .....	61	88	85	77	65	66	44
Never attended and other .....	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	1
At least one vehicle owned or leased .....	74	47	76	84	80	82	72
Average annual expenditures .....	\$30,399	\$19,920	\$35,539	\$36,040	\$35,107	\$34,683	\$27,204
Food .....	3,363	2,408	4,254	3,698	3,651	3,695	3,029
Food at home .....	2,141	1,087	2,380	1,903	2,269	2,520	2,080
Cereals and bakery products .....	291	156	305	238	287	330	301
Cereals and cereal products .....	88	71	105	81	92	93	84
Bakery products .....	204	84	200	157	194	237	218
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	399	214	423	379	454	466	379
Beef .....	93	59	80	88	106	111	90
Pork .....	78	55	75	63	76	94	78
Other meats .....	53	26	55	51	61	62	51
Poultry .....	80	37	85	88	112	87	71
Fish and seafood .....	65	320	98	60	67	79	57
Eggs .....	31	19	31	29	31	34	31
Dairy products .....	235	133	252	213	243	268	233
Fresh milk and cream .....	79	48	83	76	85	82	80
Other dairy products .....	156	85	169	137	159	186	153
Fruits and vegetables .....	437	184	520	370	444	499	437
Fresh fruits .....	161	55	197	124	137	187	172
Fresh vegetables .....	141	58	178	119	143	159	140
Processed fruits .....	65	41	63	52	67	80	64
Processed vegetables .....	69	30	83	76	96	74	62
Other food at home .....	779	401	879	702	841	957	729
Sugar and other sweets .....	88	45	79	81	112	107	81
Fats and oils .....	67	38	63	47	75	81	68
Miscellaneous foods .....	395	207	517	347	363	498	366
Nonalcoholic beverages .....	207	104	201	202	263	240	193
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips .....	23	38	19	25	29	30	21
Food away from home .....	1,222	1,321	1,875	1,795	1,382	1,175	948

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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
Alcoholic beverages .....	226	177	558	537	204	222	120
Housing .....	11,990	7,371	13,167	14,439	13,582	13,059	11,342
Shelter .....	7,491	5,749	9,259	9,370	8,560	7,853	6,726
Owned dwellings .....	3,726	389	2,198	4,790	4,345	5,009	3,814
Mortgage interest and charges .....	1,386	<sup>3</sup> 113	1,281	2,668	2,211	2,390	812
Property taxes .....	1,230	216	489	1,148	1,104	1,470	1,525
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses .....	1,110	<sup>3</sup> 59	428	973	1,029	1,150	1,477
Rented dwellings .....	3,474	5,136	6,875	4,363	3,861	2,503	2,615
Other lodging .....	290	224	187	217	353	340	297
Utilities, fuels, and public services .....	2,449	857	1,955	2,737	2,802	2,821	2,557
Natural gas .....	277	67	163	272	293	345	309
Electricity .....	960	348	790	1,006	1,070	1,095	1,017
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	110	<sup>3</sup> 1	<sup>3</sup> 39	<sup>3</sup> 108	59	107	160
Telephone services .....	759	384	786	989	972	863	686
Residential phone service, VOIP, and phone cards .....	341	20	78	225	278	382	475
Cellular phone service .....	417	364	707	765	694	480	211
Water and other public services .....	344	57	177	362	408	411	385
Household operations .....	718	173	502	705	705	734	865
Personal services .....	94	( <sup>2</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 30	<sup>3</sup> 20	<sup>3</sup> 85	<sup>3</sup> 26	167
Other household expenses .....	624	173	471	685	620	707	698
Housekeeping supplies .....	390	120	346	335	368	468	421
Laundry and cleaning supplies .....	94	35	100	73	97	119	92
Other household products .....	185	60	151	146	167	234	201
Postage and stationery .....	111	<sup>3</sup> 25	96	116	104	115	127
Household furnishings and equipment .....	942	472	1,106	1,292	1,147	1,184	772
Household textiles .....	78	20	71	43	57	143	70
Furniture .....	222	138	322	500	354	252	127
Floor coverings .....	11	6	12	<sup>3</sup> 29	6	13	8
Major appliances .....	122	21	150	162	174	158	100
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares .....	70	34	67	59	67	102	65
Miscellaneous household equipment .....	439	253	483	498	489	515	401
Apparel and services .....	945	806	1,598	1,185	913	1,142	709
Men and boys .....	73	<sup>3</sup> 28	82	90	87	102	57
Men, 16 and over .....	56	<sup>3</sup> 22	<sup>3</sup> 69	<sup>3</sup> 66	<sup>3</sup> 65	87	41
Boys, 2 to 15 .....	16	<sup>3</sup> 6	<sup>3</sup> 14	<sup>3</sup> 23	21	14	17
Women and girls .....	571	501	1,051	611	559	630	446
Women, 16 and over .....	549	500	1,036	596	530	599	425
Girls, 2 to 15 .....	21	<sup>3</sup> 1	<sup>3</sup> 15	<sup>3</sup> 15	29	31	21
Children under 2 .....	16	<sup>3</sup> 5	<sup>3</sup> 33	<sup>3</sup> 19	<sup>3</sup> 15	<sup>3</sup> 23	<sup>3</sup> 10
Footwear .....	142	153	235	237	134	154	101
Other apparel products and services .....	144	120	198	229	118	233	95
Transportation .....	4,258	2,962	5,447	5,280	5,325	5,429	3,298
Vehicle purchases (net outlay) .....	1,264	<sup>3</sup> 1,230	1,988	<sup>3</sup> 1,715	1,653	1,769	734
Cars and trucks, new .....	642	<sup>3</sup> 243	<sup>3</sup> 771	<sup>3</sup> 743	1,153	909	420
Cars and trucks, used .....	620	986	1,217	940	500	860	315
Other vehicles .....	<sup>3</sup> 2	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 32	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )
Gasoline and motor oil .....	1,193	918	1,546	1,646	1,634	1,458	870
Other vehicle expenses .....	1,474	627	1,328	1,516	1,646	1,916	1,406
Vehicle finance charges .....	78	52	144	194	104	107	32
Maintenance and repairs .....	450	306	458	513	509	582	395
Vehicle insurance .....	677	<sup>3</sup> 135	<sup>3</sup> 313	<sup>3</sup> 398	692	904	777
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges .....	269	133	412	412	340	323	202
Public and other transportation .....	328	189	585	402	392	287	288
Healthcare .....	2,722	530	1,494	1,972	2,204	2,727	3,639
Health insurance .....	1,598	260	882	1,105	1,156	1,292	2,325
Medical services .....	584	147	353	519	614	737	652
Drugs .....	433	82	172	269	324	601	531
Medical supplies .....	107	42	86	80	110	98	130
Entertainment .....	1,484	706	1,829	1,820	1,759	1,858	1,253
Fees and admissions .....	267	293	509	329	236	215	236
Audio and visual equipment and services .....	675	238	842	762	732	738	666
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment .....	463	131	356	632	706	813	287

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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
Pets .....	414	86	308	589	641	754	246
Toys, hobbies, and playground equipment	49	<sup>3</sup> 46	<sup>3</sup> 48	<sup>3</sup> 43	<sup>3</sup> 65	59	42
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services .....	78	44	122	98	85	91	64
Personal care products and services .....	519	401	676	589	521	561	477
Reading .....	88	36	60	95	75	98	103
Education .....	632	3,114	1,486	324	458	459	147
Tobacco products and smoking supplies .....	185	73	183	315	382	298	85
Miscellaneous .....	554	150	581	611	651	683	534
Cash contributions .....	1,263	203	486	777	945	1,280	1,780
Personal insurance and pensions .....	2,170	983	3,720	4,398	4,437	3,172	688
Life and other personal insurance .....	189	<sup>3</sup> 11	75	281	115	222	241
Pensions and Social Security .....	1,981	972	3,645	4,117	4,322	2,950	447
Sources of income and personal taxes:							
Money income before taxes .....	\$29,606	\$14,140	\$38,499	\$43,569	\$38,929	\$34,868	\$23,827
Wages and salaries .....	17,323	10,584	36,276	39,865	33,477	25,730	3,302
Self-employment income .....	538	<sup>3</sup> 147	<sup>3</sup> 696	<sup>3</sup> 742	1,392	410	360
Social Security, private and government retirement .....	9,187	<sup>3</sup> 180	<sup>3</sup> 291	1,003	1,520	5,890	17,483
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income .....	1,252	203	117	404	732	1,254	1,958
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps .....	373	217	145	225	687	668	261
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits, and regular contributions for support .....	636	1,727	567	1,132	863	710	275
Other income .....	296	1,081	408	<sup>3</sup> 198	258	205	188
Personal taxes (contains some imputed values) .....	1,951	620	3,343	4,407	3,764	3,107	563
Federal income taxes .....	1,502	473	2,557	3,309	3,036	2,371	418
State and local income taxes .....	384	146	761	1,010	664	648	71
Other taxes .....	65	<sup>3</sup> 1	25	88	63	88	73
Income after taxes .....	27,654	13,520	35,156	39,163	35,165	31,761	23,264
Addenda:							
Net change in total assets and liabilities .....	\$2,264	-\$266	\$4,181	-\$5,686	\$6,843	-\$6,915	\$6,002
Net change in total assets .....	5,943	1,351	9,350	5,246	10,990	1,145	6,759
Net change in total liabilities .....	3,679	1,618	5,169	10,932	4,146	8,060	757
Other financial information:							
Other money receipts .....	531	686	382	<sup>3</sup> 167	961	782	360
Mortgage principal paid on owned property .....	-831	<sup>3</sup> -25	-427	-1,201	-1,443	-1,571	-533
Estimated market value of owned home .....	104,345	<sup>3</sup> 3,640	34,325	76,839	82,843	131,378	136,936
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home .....	647	93	254	538	601	773	811
Gifts of goods and services, total .....	806	197	793	872	1,162	1,089	680
Food .....	62	23	69	47	127	82	42
Alcoholic beverages .....	7	<sup>3</sup> 5	<sup>3</sup> 17	<sup>3</sup> 3	3	14	3
Housing .....	146	32	133	165	235	187	122
Housekeeping supplies .....	25	<sup>3</sup> 6	34	<sup>3</sup> 16	35	42	17
Household textiles .....	9	( <sup>1</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 12	<sup>3</sup> 2	<sup>3</sup> 6	<sup>3</sup> 13	10
Appliances and miscellaneous							
housewares .....	17	<sup>3</sup> 9	<sup>3</sup> 22	<sup>3</sup> 23	<sup>3</sup> 9	22	17
Major appliances .....	5	( <sup>1</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 1	<sup>3</sup> 17	<sup>3</sup> 1	7	6
Small appliances and miscellaneous							
housewares .....	12	<sup>3</sup> 9	<sup>3</sup> 21	<sup>3</sup> 6	<sup>3</sup> 9	16	11
Miscellaneous household equipment .....	32	5	28	30	41	47	28
Other housing .....	63	<sup>3</sup> 11	37	94	144	63	50
Apparel and services .....	193	88	232	162	215	271	164
Males, 2 and over .....	69	<sup>3</sup> 28	66	83	87	97	57

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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
Females, 2 and over .....	70	<sup>3</sup> 35	75	<sup>3</sup> 32	49	106	69
Children under 2 .....	16	<sup>3</sup> 5	<sup>3</sup> 33	<sup>3</sup> 19	<sup>3</sup> 15	<sup>3</sup> 23	10
Other apparel products and services .....	38	<sup>3</sup> 21	<sup>3</sup> 58	<sup>3</sup> 28	63	45	28
Jewelry and watches .....	13	<sup>3</sup> 5	<sup>3</sup> 26	<sup>3</sup> 6	16	15	12
All other apparel products and services ...	25	<sup>3</sup> 15	<sup>3</sup> 32	<sup>3</sup> 22	<sup>3</sup> 47	30	17
Transportation .....	71	8	36	229	114	48	63
Healthcare .....	49	( <sup>1</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 2	<sup>3</sup> 12	52	<sup>3</sup> 21	85
Entertainment .....	66	<sup>3</sup> 7	226	57	60	56	49
Toys, games, arts and crafts, and tricycles	11	( <sup>1</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 4	<sup>3</sup> 19	<sup>3</sup> 23	<sup>3</sup> 16	<sup>3</sup> 8
Other entertainment .....	55	<sup>3</sup> 7	222	39	38	39	41
Personal care products and services .....	11	<sup>3</sup> 8	<sup>3</sup> 13	<sup>3</sup> 8	<sup>3</sup> 14	22	6
Reading .....	3	( <sup>1</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 4	<sup>3</sup> 2	<sup>3</sup> 1	4	3
Education .....	129	<sup>3</sup> 23	<sup>3</sup> 13	<sup>3</sup> 100	245	293	75
All other gifts .....	69	2	48	88	93	91	68

<sup>1</sup> Value is too small to display.

<sup>2</sup> No data reported.

<sup>3</sup> Data are likely to have large sampling errors.

n.a. Not applicable.

Source: Consumer Expenditure Survey, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, September, 2014