

Table 4100. Consumer units of single males by age of reference person: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2015-2016

Item	All single males	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)	17,804	1,941	3,189	1,978	2,849	3,399	4,449
Consumer unit characteristics:							
Income before taxes	\$41,359	\$19,493	\$44,819	\$55,340	\$54,369	\$45,459	\$30,737
Income after taxes	34,886	17,273	37,448	45,244	44,258	37,029	28,490
Age of reference person	49.8	21.2	29.0	39.5	49.8	59.4	74.6
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 older2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	1.0
Earners7	.8	.9	.9	.8	.6	.2
Vehicles	1.2	.7	1.1	1.2	1.4	1.5	1.3
Percent distribution:							
Reference person:							
Men	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Housing tenure:							
Homeowner	43	5	23	32	47	58	64
With mortgage	19	2	18	22	28	28	14
Without mortgage	24	3	5	10	20	30	50
Renter	57	95	77	68	53	42	36
Race of reference person:							
Black or African-American	15	13	17	13	18	15	13
White, Asian, and all other races	85	87	83	87	82	85	87
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:							
Hispanic or Latino	9	12	10	15	11	7	5
Not Hispanic or Latino	91	88	90	85	89	93	95
Education of reference person:							
Elementary (1-8)	3	1	1	3	3	2	5
High school (9-12)	34	26	17	30	36	45	40
College	63	73	82	66	60	53	55
Never attended and other	(¹)	(²)	(²)	1	1	(¹)	1
At least one vehicle owned or leased	76	54	79	78	81	80	77
Average annual expenditures	\$35,018	\$21,529	\$38,198	\$41,387	\$39,554	\$36,999	\$31,384
Food	4,173	3,424	4,756	4,640	4,413	4,124	3,782
Food at home	1,978	1,079	1,730	1,956	2,258	2,217	2,204
Cereals and bakery products	245	131	199	225	263	275	301
Cereals and cereal products	80	48	79	78	89	85	86
Bakery products	165	83	120	147	175	191	215
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	472	254	383	437	567	596	498
Beef	124	70	106	113	134	159	132
Pork	94	37	56	81	113	138	106
Other meats	66	27	46	58	80	93	75
Poultry	84	49	97	90	95	95	75
Fish and seafood	71	53	51	59	112	71	75
Eggs	33	19	28	36	33	40	35
Dairy products	190	104	174	162	207	213	222
Fresh milk and cream	69	38	61	53	77	82	82
Other dairy products	120	66	113	110	130	131	140
Fruits and vegetables	358	188	319	369	417	382	403
Fresh fruits	130	71	116	144	139	142	144
Fresh vegetables	111	61	114	111	130	107	122
Processed fruits	57	26	41	48	80	65	65
Processed vegetables	61	30	48	66	67	68	70
Other food at home	712	401	655	763	805	751	780
Sugar and other sweets	70	30	56	55	72	90	88
Fats and oils	52	19	45	52	66	60	58
Miscellaneous foods	357	224	330	374	412	369	385
Nonalcoholic beverages	208	118	191	246	225	208	231
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips	25	³ 10	33	36	30	23	19
Food away from home	2,195	2,346	3,025	2,684	2,155	1,907	1,578

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Item	All single males	Under 25 years	25-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and older
Alcoholic beverages	537	212	915	847	549	478	316
Housing	12,491	7,756	13,900	14,326	13,568	12,291	12,187
Shelter	8,362	5,605	9,795	10,287	9,115	7,780	7,643
Owned dwellings	3,150	238	2,129	3,333	4,185	4,160	3,638
Mortgage interest and charges	1,323	³ 89	1,236	1,963	2,230	1,748	733
Property taxes	1,023	113	522	907	1,096	1,383	1,508
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses	804	³ 35	371	463	858	1,028	1,397
Rented dwellings	4,852	5,025	7,395	6,600	4,453	3,302	3,616
Other lodging	359	341	271	354	476	319	389
Utilities, fuels, and public services	2,311	1,037	2,090	2,409	2,714	2,590	2,512
Natural gas	245	67	206	271	276	306	272
Electricity	923	439	807	950	1,118	1,019	1,006
Fuel oil and other fuels	57	³ 7	21	³ 32	44	66	116
Telephone services	778	422	805	877	913	819	754
Residential phone service, VOIP, and phone cards	187	³ 25	45	116	163	243	364
Cellular phone service	591	397	760	761	750	576	390
Water and other public services	309	102	250	280	364	380	364
Household operations	639	247	635	598	596	514	952
Personal services	117	³ 10	³ 110	³ 52	³ 33	³ 23	³ 322
Other household expenses	522	237	525	545	563	491	630
Housekeeping supplies	284	108	297	275	260	347	323
Laundry and cleaning supplies	78	35	69	54	84	123	78
Other household products	156	58	179	188	134	172	170
Postage and stationery	50	³ 15	49	32	42	52	76
Household furnishings and equipment	895	760	1,083	757	883	1,060	757
Household textiles	37	11	48	17	34	38	51
Furniture	277	200	385	276	321	356	144
Floor coverings	7	³ 3	7	³ 4	12	13	³ 4
Major appliances	116	57	119	130	139	127	111
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	57	52	72	53	54	46	60
Miscellaneous household equipment	400	437	452	279	324	480	386
Apparel and services	813	962	859	1,119	810	814	578
Men and boys	371	688	455	384	362	324	213
Men, 16 and over	363	682	442	371	348	318	210
Boys, 2 to 15	8	³ 5	³ 12	13	³ 14	³ 5	³ 3
Women and girls	54	³ 20	22	89	70	28	83
Women, 16 and over	43	³ 19	³ 14	84	³ 48	³ 25	64
Girls, 2 to 15	11	³ 1	39	³ 5	³ 21	³ 3	³ 20
Children under 2	³ 15	(²)	³ 5	³ 11	(²)	³ 60	³ 6
Footwear	171	³ 132	191	188	160	210	142
Other apparel products and services	202	122	186	447	218	192	133
Transportation	5,507	2,899	6,933	6,653	5,688	6,011	4,615
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	2,064	1,087	2,934	2,544	1,966	2,297	1,539
Cars and trucks, new	1,037	³ 523	1,431	³ 1,076	³ 481	1,512	957
Cars and trucks, used	951	491	1,433	1,459	1,308	730	521
Other vehicles	76	³ 74	³ 71	³ 9	³ 176	³ 55	³ 62
Gasoline and motor oil	1,270	899	1,461	1,560	1,412	1,319	1,037
Other vehicle expenses	1,777	694	1,870	2,074	1,923	2,075	1,731
Vehicle finance charges	103	59	137	118	115	116	75
Maintenance and repairs	605	403	553	702	663	623	632
Vehicle insurance	638	³ 33	³ 494	³ 731	³ 749	930	674
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges	431	199	686	523	396	407	350
Public and other transportation	396	219	667	476	388	320	308
Healthcare	2,432	398	1,641	1,770	2,589	2,833	3,770
Health insurance	1,654	269	1,209	1,299	1,839	1,907	2,422
Medical services	449	47	247	277	505	588	703
Drugs	237	40	101	118	191	262	483
Medical supplies	92	³ 41	84	76	55	76	162
Entertainment	1,676	935	1,791	1,940	1,889	1,803	1,564
Fees and admissions	341	203	486	513	375	292	236
Audio and visual equipment and services	835	556	854	829	927	878	854
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment	242	71	233	286	277	256	269

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Item	All single males	Under 25 years	25-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and older
Pets	206	49	199	217	244	216	244
Toys, hobbies, and playground equipment	36	³ 23	³ 34	³ 69	³ 34	³ 40	³ 26
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services	258	105	218	311	309	377	204
Personal care products and services	233	136	298	343	225	204	204
Reading	90	25	68	68	109	75	143
Education	722	2,904	986	442	542	308	138
Tobacco products and smoking supplies	331	169	274	483	459	425	219
Miscellaneous	770	64	445	1,271	985	955	804
Cash contributions	1,661	227	778	2,375	2,904	1,645	1,820
Personal insurance and pensions	3,582	1,418	4,555	5,111	4,823	5,034	1,245
Life and other personal insurance	127	³ 5	53	114	133	182	195
Pensions and Social Security	3,454	1,412	4,501	4,997	4,690	4,852	1,050
Sources of income and personal taxes:							
Money income before taxes	\$41,359	\$19,493	\$44,819	\$55,340	\$54,369	\$45,459	\$30,737
Wages and salaries	30,063	15,065	41,628	48,748	47,697	32,720	6,690
Self-employment income	2,518	1,128	1,552	4,114	3,235	4,298	1,287
Social Security, private and government retirement	6,348	³ 299	³ 342	807	1,661	5,463	19,431
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income	1,051	44	178	689	554	1,442	2,297
Public assistance, Supplemental Security Income, Supplementary Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	393	235	143	288	452	868	287
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits, and regular contributions for support	459	³ 418	287	³ 435	518	449	579
Other income	527	2,305	688	259	251	219	167
Personal taxes (contains some imputed values)	6,473	2,220	7,372	10,096	10,111	8,430	2,247
Federal income taxes	5,167	1,780	5,818	8,220	8,044	6,597	1,887
State and local income taxes	1,205	435	1,534	1,862	2,038	1,388	339
Other taxes	101	³ 5	³ 20	³ 14	³ 30	445	21
Income after taxes	34,886	17,273	37,448	45,244	44,258	37,029	28,490
Addenda:							
Net change in total assets and liabilities	\$6,403	-\$1,621	\$6,957	\$13,652	\$14,755	-\$2,218	\$7,520
Net change in total assets	9,752	2,582	11,941	17,448	16,206	4,022	8,132
Net change in total liabilities	3,349	4,203	4,984	3,796	1,450	6,240	612
Other financial information:							
Other money receipts	528	³ 88	299	³ 36	³ 354	1,741	288
Mortgage principal paid on owned property	-755	³ -34	-450	-849	-1,333	-1,101	-613
Estimated market value of owned home	83,453	³ 4,662	36,680	64,189	102,142	105,785	130,885
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home	532	64	273	410	639	684	793
Gifts of goods and services, total	797	234	470	843	1,286	1,005	782
Food	27	³ 6	12	22	44	42	27
Alcoholic beverages	14	³ 2	39	(¹)	3	10	17
Housing	146	53	143	121	206	203	121
Housekeeping supplies	8	³ 2	³ 7	³ 4	³ 10	³ 9	³ 11
Household textiles	³ 2	(²)	³ 5	(¹)	³ 1	³ 1	³ 2
Appliances and miscellaneous							
housewares	8	³ 1	³ 7	³ 5	³ 5	³ 13	³ 14
Major appliances	6	³ 1	³ 2	³ 4	³ 3	³ 8	³ 12
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares	3	(²)	³ 5	³ 1	³ 1	³ 5	³ 2
Miscellaneous household equipment	27	13	51	13	28	21	26
Other housing	101	³ 7	72	99	162	159	68
Apparel and services	146	³ 69	106	208	157	189	137

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Males, 2 and over	15	38	327	21	25	38	39
Females, 2 and over	53	320	22	89	69	26	81
Children under 2	315	(²)	35	311	(²)	360	36
Other apparel products and services	62	341	352	387	363	396	341
Jewelry and watches	50	338	324	372	353	388	331
All other apparel products and services ...	12	33	329	315	310	38	39
Transportation	146	12	50	180	297	169	144
Healthcare	60	38	33	376	52	333	3144
Entertainment	49	322	47	65	76	52	37
Toys, games, arts and crafts, and tricycles	310	34	37	36	315	320	37
Other entertainment	39	19	39	59	61	32	30
Personal care products and services	4	32	36	32	32	37	35
Reading	5	(²)	37	6	35	7	32
Education	114	347	34	354	293	193	375
All other gifts	85	13	54	109	151	101	73

¹ Value is too small to display.

² No data reported.

³ Data are likely to have large sampling errors.

n.a. Not applicable.

Source: Consumer Expenditure Survey, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, September, 2017