

Table 4100. Consumer units of single males by age of reference person: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2016-2017

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).....	17,486	1,835	3,053	1,976	2,734	3,340	4,548
Consumer unit characteristics:							
Income before taxes	\$41,288	\$19,117	\$44,822	\$54,037	\$55,933	\$44,293	\$31,308
Income after taxes	34,961	17,169	37,393	44,295	45,364	36,736	28,892
Age of reference person	50.3	21.2	29.1	39.3	49.8	59.5	74.7
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.....	.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	1.0
Earners6	.8	.9	.9	.8	.6	.2
Vehicles	1.2	.7	1.1	1.1	1.4	1.5	1.4
Percent distribution:							
Reference person:							
Men	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Housing tenure:							
Homeowner	43	6	21	29	49	56	65
With mortgage	19	2	15	22	29	27	16
Without mortgage	24	3	6	7	20	29	49
Renter	57	94	79	71	51	44	35
Race of reference person:							
Black or African-American.....	16	14	19	15	20	19	12
White, Asian, and all other races	84	86	81	85	80	81	88
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:							
Hispanic or Latino	9	14	10	16	10	7	5
Not Hispanic or Latino	91	86	90	84	90	93	95
Education of reference person:							
Elementary (1-8)	3	2	1	2	3	2	5
High school (9-12)	34	27	19	33	35	45	38
College.....	63	71	80	65	62	53	56
Never attended and other.....	(¹)	(²)	(²)	1	1	(¹)	1
At least one vehicle owned or leased.....	77	54	79	79	84	79	80
Average annual expenditures	\$36,409	\$22,747	\$39,245	\$42,256	\$41,309	\$35,564	\$35,141
Food	4,415	3,587	4,896	5,228	4,693	4,090	4,189
Food at home	2,050	1,199	1,794	2,137	2,316	2,214	2,243
Cereals and bakery products	254	166	211	248	250	279	302
Cereals and cereal products	77	53	86	69	79	84	80
Bakery products	177	113	125	179	172	195	222
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	474	274	395	492	570	559	478
Beef	130	72	99	153	133	176	124
Pork	91	30	54	93	111	116	106
Other meats	62	21	55	57	68	74	73
Poultry	91	77	93	92	125	91	74
Fish and seafood.....	71	49	67	70	102	67	68
Eggs	30	25	27	27	32	35	32
Dairy products	202	106	184	193	209	236	225
Fresh milk and cream	70	43	59	67	67	88	77
Other dairy products	131	63	125	126	142	148	149
Fruits and vegetables	353	186	354	390	400	333	394
Fresh fruits	131	70	125	140	144	128	151
Fresh vegetables.....	109	56	108	118	136	99	122
Processed fruits	53	23	55	58	62	53	58
Processed vegetables.....	59	38	66	74	58	52	63
Other food at home	767	467	650	815	885	807	843
Sugar and other sweets	64	26	39	64	76	72	82
Fats and oils.....	51	16	49	46	65	60	54
Miscellaneous foods	397	276	344	426	430	408	438
Nonalcoholic beverages.....	228	139	188	250	277	245	239

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Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips	27	³ 11	29	29	37	22	30
Food away from home	2,365	2,388	3,103	3,091	2,377	1,876	1,946
Alcoholic beverages	504	263	782	594	532	387	473
Housing	13,274	8,415	14,633	15,861	14,609	12,378	13,008
Shelter	8,847	6,128	10,714	10,740	9,746	7,882	8,036
Owned dwellings	3,180	233	2,127	3,178	4,637	3,888	3,681
Mortgage interest and charges	1,380	³ 108	1,196	1,920	2,478	1,717	875
Property taxes	1,037	84	529	795	1,291	1,268	1,544
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses	763	³ 42	402	462	869	902	1,261
Rented dwellings	5,231	5,575	8,314	7,123	4,467	3,598	3,859
Other lodging	436	321	273	440	642	396	497
Utilities, fuels, and public services	2,303	1,041	2,019	2,388	2,796	2,550	2,488
Natural gas	226	63	190	244	252	288	245
Electricity	927	443	786	928	1,163	1,038	991
Fuel oil and other fuels	52	³ 7	³ 19	³ 30	54	48	104
Telephone services	779	419	770	885	921	798	787
Residential phone service, VOIP, and phone cards	169	³ 26	41	91	143	199	342
Cellular phone service	610	393	729	794	778	599	445
Water and other public services	319	110	253	302	406	377	361
Household operations	688	265	617	615	650	548	1,066
Personal services	119	³ 11	³ 47	³ 67	³ 14	³ 5	³ 379
Other household expenses	570	255	570	548	636	543	686
Housekeeping supplies	342	155	258	252	282	354	536
Laundry and cleaning supplies	81	34	56	79	81	110	94
Other household products	191	81	182	118	129	161	334
Postage and stationery	70	³ 40	20	54	72	83	108
Household furnishings and equipment	1,094	825	1,025	1,867	1,136	1,043	882
Household textiles	34	36	34	18	22	39	42
Furniture	238	201	329	255	296	192	184
Floor coverings	7	³ 2	4	³ 7	³ 9	³ 5	11
Major appliances	120	49	145	152	157	104	110
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	80	49	54	67	196	57	66
Miscellaneous household equipment	614	488	459	1,368	454	646	469
Apparel and services	868	1,030	926	1,284	935	882	526
Men and boys	430	766	478	524	456	409	218
Men, 16 and over	421	758	472	493	447	403	214
Boys, 2 to 15	9	³ 8	³ 6	31	³ 10	³ 6	³ 4
Women and girls	61	³ 19	58	65	61	90	57
Women, 16 and over	47	³ 13	³ 53	³ 28	³ 40	³ 86	³ 42
Girls, 2 to 15	14	³ 6	³ 5	³ 36	22	³ 4	³ 15
Children under 2	³ 8	(²)	³ 2	³ 37	³ 6	³ 4	³ 5
Footwear	174	³ 105	³ 133	282	180	239	125
Other apparel products and services	195	140	255	377	231	140	121
Transportation	5,814	3,070	6,733	6,098	6,269	5,499	6,101
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	2,051	983	2,887	2,065	2,477	1,910	1,763
Cars and trucks, new	890	³ 201	878	³ 465	³ 858	1,209	1,146
Cars and trucks, used	1,079	744	1,878	1,591	1,438	667	541
Other vehicles	83	³ 38	³ 131	³ 10	³ 181	³ 34	³ 76
Gasoline, other fuels, and motor oil	1,212	919	1,329	1,404	1,447	1,282	975
Other vehicle expenses	2,143	865	1,798	2,157	1,962	1,981	3,061
Vehicle finance charges	99	55	140	120	115	94	73
Maintenance and repairs	933	357	585	677	683	627	1,856
Vehicle insurance	656	³ 254	³ 433	³ 880	³ 728	903	625
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges	456	200	640	480	437	357	509
Public and other transportation	408	303	719	472	383	325	301
Healthcare	2,576	586	1,820	2,052	2,449	2,725	4,083
Health insurance	1,770	421	1,382	1,427	1,768	1,734	2,751
Medical services	457	85	221	367	409	696	660
Drugs	266	37	128	194	203	247	535
Medical supplies	83	³ 43	89	64	70	48	138

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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
Entertainment	1,703	1,018	1,931	1,948	1,933	1,601	1,663
Fees and admissions.....	370	232	527	491	464	298	264
Audio and visual equipment and services.....	753	490	780	683	927	784	750
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment.....	316	77	282	372	343	317	391
Pets	254	47	216	244	315	271	318
Toys, hobbies, and playground equipment.....	62	³ 30	³ 66	³ 128	³ 28	³ 46	73
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services	264	218	342	403	198	202	258
Personal care products and services	253	154	261	374	300	203	243
Reading.....	78	38	48	89	103	66	101
Education.....	632	2,816	930	341	381	184	157
Tobacco products and smoking supplies	328	138	269	468	453	438	225
Miscellaneous	746	82	465	984	1,088	956	745
Cash contributions	1,495	212	821	1,724	2,585	1,460	1,734
Personal insurance and pensions	3,723	1,338	4,730	5,209	4,979	4,695	1,893
Life and other personal insurance.....	161	³ 10	57	112	189	208	261
Pensions and Social Security.....	3,562	1,328	4,672	5,098	4,789	4,487	1,633
Sources of income and personal taxes:							
Money income before taxes	\$41,288	\$19,117	\$44,822	\$54,037	\$55,933	\$44,293	\$31,308
Wages and salaries.....	29,913	15,231	42,116	47,169	49,089	31,737	7,278
Self-employment income.....	2,469	³ 361	1,394	4,546	3,205	4,451	1,242
Social Security, private and government retirement	6,442	³ 102	³ 179	956	2,014	5,067	19,258
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income.....	1,203	51	284	504	582	1,669	2,621
Public assistance, Supplemental Security Income, Supplementary Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	334	187	158	260	348	738	237
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits, and regular contributions for support	414	³ 479	³ 216	³ 378	465	385	527
Other income	513	2,706	475	225	230	245	146
Personal taxes (contains some imputed values).....	6,327	1,948	7,429	9,743	10,569	7,556	2,417
Federal income taxes	5,119	1,506	5,856	7,936	8,466	6,148	2,090
State and local income taxes	1,167	435	1,544	1,797	2,082	1,275	306
Other taxes	41	³ 7	³ 28	³ 10	³ 21	134	20
Income after taxes	34,961	17,169	37,393	44,295	45,364	36,736	28,892
Addenda:							
Net change in total assets and liabilities	\$7,360	-\$215	\$9,287	\$5,030	\$20,571	\$693	\$7,086
Net change in total assets	12,058	3,168	13,290	10,200	24,646	9,118	10,214
Net change in total liabilities	4,698	3,382	4,003	5,170	4,074	8,425	3,128
Other financial information:							
Other money receipts	477	298	536	³ 82	³ 366	753	547
Mortgage principal paid on owned property	-812	³ -45	-408	-808	-1,369	-1,245	-742
Estimated market value of owned home	92,931	³ 5,378	39,551	60,354	112,781	120,594	145,990
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home.....	554	54	282	402	684	679	834
Gifts of goods and services, total	752	209	589	845	1,120	740	830
Food.....	21	³ 5	14	³ 16	39	20	23
Alcoholic beverages	14	(¹)	42	³ 13	6	5	16
Housing.....	131	40	128	117	204	113	147
Housekeeping supplies	9	(²)	³ 5	³ 7	³ 13	³ 16	³ 7

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Household textiles	³ 2	(²)	³ 9	(¹)	(²)	³ 1	³ 1
Appliances and miscellaneous							
housewares	4	³ 1	³ 3	³ 2	³ 6	³ 4	³ 4
Major appliances	2	³ 1	(¹)	³ 2	³ 2	³ 4	³ 2
Small appliances and miscellaneous							
housewares	³ 2	(¹)	³ 2	³ 1	³ 4	(²)	³ 2
Miscellaneous household equipment	32	12	31	38	41	15	48
Other housing	85	³ 28	82	69	143	76	87
Apparel and services	139	88	100	300	141	146	106
Males, 2 and over	21	³ 20	³ 16	78	20	³ 7	³ 10
Females, 2 and over	59	³ 19	47	64	61	89	55
Children under 2	³ 8	(²)	³ 2	³ 7	³ 6	³ 4	³ 5
Other apparel products and services	51	³ 49	³ 35	³ 120	³ 54	³ 46	³ 35
Jewelry and watches	36	³ 46	³ 8	³ 78	³ 44	³ 34	³ 28
All other apparel products and							
services	16	³ 3	³ 27	³ 42	³ 10	³ 12	³ 8
Transportation	133	12	140	136	243	72	156
Healthcare	42	³ 7	³ 4	³ 43	³ 30	³ 27	³ 101
Entertainment	65	³ 12	71	80	92	60	64
Toys, games, arts and crafts, and							
tricycles	³ 20	³ 3	³ 27	³ 11	³ 15	³ 25	³ 25
Other entertainment	45	9	44	68	77	35	39
Personal care products and services	8	³ 2	³ 1	³ 1	³ 27	³ 10	³ 6
Reading	4	³ 6	³ 4	³ 8	³ 2	³ 4	³ 4
Education	99	³ 26	³ 2	34	184	164	123
All other gifts	95	11	83	100	153	120	85

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, 2018