

Table 1600. Number of earners in consumer unit: annual means, standard errors and coefficient of variation, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2008

Item	All consumer units	Single consumers		Consumer units of two or more persons			
		No earner	One earner	No earner	One earner	Two earners	Three or more earners
Number of consumer units (in thousands)	120,770	13,365	21,699	10,762	25,011	40,395	9,540
Consumer unit characteristics:							
Income before taxes							
Mean	\$63,563	\$17,682	\$42,426	\$31,513	\$58,601	\$92,124	\$104,141
SE	795.57	494.82	1052.70	1098.00	1265.00	1381.50	2360.40
CV(%)	1.25	2.80	2.48	3.48	2.16	1.50	2.27
Income after taxes							
Mean	61,774	17,720	40,455	31,711	57,562	89,071	101,349
SE	725.62	488.72	993.29	1058.60	1213.80	1252.40	2218.80
CV(%)	1.17	2.76	2.46	3.34	2.11	1.41	2.19
Age of reference person	49.1	69.0	42.4	65.3	47.5	43.3	46.4
Average number in consumer unit:							
Persons	2.5	1.0	1.0	2.3	3.0	3.1	4.4
Children under 18 .....	.6	n.a.	n.a.	.3	1.0	.9	1.0
Persons 65 and older .....	.3	.7	.1	1.2	.3	.1	.1
Earners	1.3	n.a.	1.0	n.a.	1.0	2.0	3.3
Vehicles	2.0	.9	1.2	1.8	1.9	2.5	3.2
Percent distribution:							
Sex of reference person:							
Male	47	34	54	50	39	51	47
Female	53	66	46	50	61	49	53
Housing tenure:							
Homeowner	66	58	44	77	67	75	80
With mortgage	42	13	30	19	44	59	63
Without mortgage	24	45	13	58	23	17	17
Renter	34	42	56	23	33	25	20
Race of reference person:							
Black or African-American	12	14	13	13	15	9	11
White, Asian, and all other races	88	86	87	87	85	91	89
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:							
Hispanic or Latino	12	5	9	8	16	12	18
Not Hispanic or Latino	88	95	91	92	84	88	82
Education of reference person:							
Elementary (1-8)	5	10	2	9	6	2	6
High school (9-12)	35	48	26	45	37	31	37
College	60	41	72	46	56	66	57
Never attended and other	(1)	1	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	1
At least one vehicle owned or leased	89	67	82	87	91	96	96
Average annual expenditures							
Mean	\$50,485.67	\$21,824.14	\$35,201.86	\$37,907.56	\$50,348.45	\$66,344.45	\$73,159.48
SE	648.62	598.97	553.71	1,014.40	902.88	835.60	1,542.60
CV(%)	1.28	2.74	1.57	2.68	1.79	1.26	2.11
Food							
Mean	6,442.52	2,788.08	4,119.42	5,478.99	6,669.12	8,165.58	10,202.26
SE	80.67	95.53	115.22	188.07	153.70	107.91	264.16
CV(%)	1.25	3.43	2.80	3.43	2.30	1.32	2.59
Food at home							
Mean	3,744.50	1,922.72	2,006.45	3,788.15	4,213.32	4,500.34	5,812.41
SE	55.39	74.07	63.17	117.20	114.61	83.48	180.27
CV(%)	1.48	3.85	3.15	3.09	2.72	1.85	3.10
Cereals and bakery products							
Mean	506.95	273.86	254.92	510.97	580.98	603.47	805.75
SE	9.28	12.28	10.35	16.64	20.30	14.38	28.21
CV(%)	1.83	4.48	4.06	3.26	3.49	2.38	3.50
Cereals and cereal products							
Mean	169.60	80.43	80.61	163.56	201.49	204.94	272.33
SE	3.73	5.75	3.85	6.95	8.86	5.50	11.46
CV(%)	2.20	7.15	4.77	4.25	4.40	2.68	4.21
Bakery products							
Mean	337.35	193.43	174.31	347.41	379.49	398.53	533.42
SE	6.37	9.06	7.46	13.22	13.64	10.81	21.06
CV(%)	1.89	4.68	4.28	3.81	3.59	2.71	3.95
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs							
Mean	846.32	409.85	428.38	874.30	989.39	1,003.63	1,341.09

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Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs							
SE	14.78	26.71	21.70	37.74	30.54	23.44	53.70
CV(%)	1.75	6.52	5.07	4.32	3.09	2.34	4.00
Beef							
Mean	238.87	106.44	112.42	232.49	278.22	290.99	399.02
SE	5.40	11.09	8.57	17.69	11.27	9.55	22.77
CV(%)	2.26	10.42	7.62	7.61	4.05	3.28	5.71
Pork							
Mean	162.98	80.07	75.80	188.19	194.33	186.71	266.25
SE	3.99	6.06	4.76	11.62	7.45	6.12	17.57
CV(%)	2.45	7.56	6.28	6.18	3.84	3.28	6.60
Other meats							
Mean	106.48	48.79	54.55	119.57	118.92	126.72	173.02
SE	2.68	5.01	2.77	10.27	6.13	4.33	10.66
CV(%)	2.52	10.27	5.08	8.59	5.15	3.41	6.16
Poultry							
Mean	159.05	65.62	84.63	153.63	192.28	188.74	253.21
SE	3.52	4.48	5.59	9.83	7.16	5.74	13.43
CV(%)	2.21	6.82	6.61	6.40	3.73	3.04	5.30
Fish and seafood							
Mean	127.88	81.12	71.28	124.74	145.47	152.67	175.20
SE	4.15	13.24	7.90	10.11	9.55	7.79	14.31
CV(%)	3.25	16.32	11.09	8.10	6.57	5.10	8.17
Eggs							
Mean	51.06	27.81	29.70	55.67	60.17	57.80	74.39
SE .....	.81	1.18	1.68	3.12	2.75	1.47	4.38
CV(%)	1.59	4.24	5.66	5.60	4.58	2.54	5.89
Dairy products							
Mean	429.54	230.39	236.67	438.64	477.18	522.45	621.41
SE	7.12	11.60	8.08	18.13	15.42	11.43	20.76
CV(%)	1.66	5.04	3.41	4.13	3.23	2.19	3.34
Fresh milk and cream							
Mean	168.12	93.76	90.23	157.99	197.61	203.16	235.80
SE	2.71	4.35	3.30	6.61	6.62	4.86	7.84
CV(%)	1.61	4.64	3.66	4.18	3.35	2.39	3.32
Other dairy products							
Mean	261.42	136.62	146.43	280.65	279.57	319.29	385.61
SE	5.18	8.77	6.39	14.69	11.07	8.46	15.92
CV(%)	1.98	6.42	4.37	5.23	3.96	2.65	4.13
Fruits and vegetables							
Mean	656.88	365.33	364.14	686.09	747.12	771.77	978.37
SE	10.42	18.29	14.99	23.09	26.76	16.98	43.83
CV(%)	1.59	5.01	4.12	3.37	3.58	2.20	4.48
Fresh fruits							
Mean	221.93	128.96	117.14	226.50	260.34	260.70	320.80
SE	4.63	8.03	6.12	10.09	12.41	7.36	18.33
CV(%)	2.08	6.23	5.23	4.45	4.77	2.82	5.71
Fresh vegetables							
Mean	211.86	116.54	118.92	214.33	244.09	250.13	308.18
SE	3.72	8.06	5.67	11.26	9.02	6.50	18.78
CV(%)	1.76	6.92	4.77	5.25	3.70	2.60	6.09
Processed fruits							
Mean	116.39	68.43	68.92	121.86	125.10	135.83	182.02
SE	2.42	4.18	4.21	5.64	4.97	4.40	10.52
CV(%)	2.08	6.12	6.10	4.63	3.97	3.24	5.78
Processed vegetables							
Mean	106.70	51.41	59.16	123.41	117.59	125.10	167.37
SE	2.54	2.94	3.45	10.51	4.89	3.79	11.32
CV(%)	2.38	5.72	5.83	8.51	4.16	3.03	6.77
Other food at home							
Mean	1,304.81	643.29	722.35	1,278.15	1,418.65	1,599.03	2,065.79
SE	20.62	22.92	21.42	49.81	38.07	33.67	66.49
CV(%)	1.58	3.56	2.97	3.90	2.68	2.11	3.22
Sugar and other sweets							
Mean	129.23	73.77	65.08	130.54	141.61	152.91	221.92
SE	3.02	5.59	3.59	6.46	7.16	6.22	14.32
CV(%)	2.34	7.57	5.52	4.95	5.06	4.07	6.45
Fats and oils							
Mean	104.47	58.46	55.80	127.79	117.14	118.01	162.65
SE	2.51	3.87	5.38	8.22	5.23	4.58	8.25
CV(%)	2.41	6.62	9.65	6.43	4.47	3.88	5.07
Miscellaneous foods							
Mean	679.84	327.92	384.91	629.19	735.00	852.65	1,036.85
SE	12.10	14.72	13.20	27.22	23.79	20.02	44.01
CV(%)	1.78	4.49	3.43	4.33	3.24	2.35	4.24

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Nonalcoholic beverages							
Mean	342.47	161.84	189.68	331.44	372.68	414.83	577.92
SE	5.93	8.81	6.99	19.19	12.06	9.41	21.31
CV(%)	1.73	5.44	3.68	5.79	3.24	2.27	3.69
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips							
Mean	48.80	21.31	26.88	59.19	52.22	60.63	66.45
SE	2.34	3.47	2.66	8.66	3.53	3.98	6.18
CV(%)	4.80	16.29	9.88	14.63	6.77	6.57	9.31
Food away from home							
Mean	2,698.03	865.36	2,112.97	1,690.84	2,455.79	3,665.23	4,389.86
SE	45.61	52.18	75.89	106.38	66.44	70.96	217.83
CV(%)	1.69	6.03	3.59	6.29	2.71	1.94	4.96
Alcoholic beverages							
Mean	444.17	149.01	508.34	285.79	351.94	577.01	587.50
SE	16.52	25.29	38.11	47.37	26.40	26.78	59.46
CV(%)	3.72	16.98	7.50	16.57	7.50	4.64	10.12
Housing							
Mean	17,108.53	9,560.98	12,703.73	12,878.96	18,044.45	21,472.28	21,563.44
SE	192.64	275.88	350.71	326.62	337.76	280.41	360.17
CV(%)	1.13	2.89	2.76	2.54	1.87	1.31	1.67
Shelter							
Mean	10,183.12	5,574.38	8,704.39	6,609.16	10,520.78	12,770.08	12,195.86
SE	139.43	210.33	278.43	250.21	250.59	226.27	305.04
CV(%)	1.37	3.77	3.20	3.79	2.38	1.77	2.50
Owned dwellings							
Mean	6,760.40	2,647.41	4,326.05	4,432.00	7,083.85	9,308.41	9,049.36
SE	112.47	173.16	223.67	208.33	226.93	206.34	310.49
CV(%)	1.66	6.54	5.17	4.70	3.20	2.22	3.43
Mortgage interest and charges							
Mean	3,826.44	719.53	2,483.25	1,143.79	4,048.99	5,807.77	5,287.52
SE	83.39	72.24	125.97	83.16	154.12	171.79	206.78
CV(%)	2.18	10.04	5.07	7.27	3.81	2.96	3.91
Property taxes							
Mean	1,758.28	1,042.17	1,015.06	1,689.43	1,853.60	2,227.72	2,292.00
SE	29.18	56.64	36.46	77.04	49.88	51.63	93.85
CV(%)	1.66	5.43	3.59	4.56	2.69	2.32	4.09
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses							
Mean	1,175.69	885.71	827.74	1,598.79	1,181.26	1,272.91	1,469.84
SE	53.33	96.10	166.62	121.98	82.67	56.33	167.68
CV(%)	4.54	10.85	20.13	7.63	7.00	4.42	11.41
Rented dwellings							
Mean	2,724.45	2,716.03	3,949.99	1,488.24	2,752.31	2,501.11	2,215.87
SE	42.42	134.45	119.93	111.18	110.70	86.00	168.19
CV(%)	1.56	4.95	3.04	7.47	4.02	3.44	7.59
Other lodging							
Mean	698.27	210.95	428.35	688.93	684.62	960.56	930.62
SE	31.03	27.70	58.41	63.69	66.61	53.46	74.82
CV(%)	4.44	13.13	13.64	9.24	9.73	5.57	8.04
Utilities, fuels, and public services							
Mean	3,649.24	2,291.67	2,247.80	3,584.46	3,916.23	4,308.16	5,321.91
SE	33.95	49.24	46.64	62.37	50.16	37.88	84.98
CV(%) .....	.93	2.15	2.08	1.74	1.28	.88	1.60
Natural gas							
Mean	531.24	370.99	320.12	521.17	570.75	625.04	746.50
SE	17.52	24.39	11.74	32.32	23.23	21.55	38.99
CV(%)	3.30	6.57	3.67	6.20	4.07	3.45	5.22
Electricity							
Mean	1,353.35	871.82	808.17	1,400.47	1,484.79	1,590.92	1,864.30
SE	24.07	32.82	25.76	32.64	33.33	28.14	47.68
CV(%)	1.78	3.76	3.19	2.33	2.24	1.77	2.56
Fuel oil and other fuels							
Mean	191.80	161.38	111.62	277.16	200.21	205.86	238.88
SE	13.09	22.88	15.37	38.75	19.18	15.45	35.99
CV(%)	6.83	14.18	13.77	13.98	9.58	7.51	15.07
Telephone services							
Mean	1,126.84	603.73	762.57	921.29	1,172.87	1,358.67	1,817.86
SE	11.24	12.36	19.22	24.90	18.98	14.80	31.80
CV(%)	1.00	2.05	2.52	2.70	1.62	1.09	1.75
Water and other public services							
Mean	446.01	283.75	245.31	464.37	487.61	527.67	654.37
SE	10.03	13.34	9.78	19.07	16.84	11.10	25.40
CV(%)	2.25	4.70	3.99	4.11	3.45	2.10	3.88
Household operations							
Mean	997.50	634.57	434.35	766.25	1,085.22	1,451.76	894.82

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Household operations							
SE	28.79	59.72	22.52	76.21	57.25	53.37	44.71
CV(%)	2.89	9.41	5.19	9.95	5.28	3.68	5.00
Personal services							
Mean	383.20	155.43	23.10	189.78	453.16	696.02	231.64
SE	19.27	43.64	8.91	71.93	47.08	39.10	34.88
CV(%)	5.03	28.08	38.57	37.90	10.39	5.62	15.06
Other household expenses							
Mean	614.30	479.13	411.25	576.47	632.06	755.74	663.18
SE	15.27	36.53	20.54	30.68	24.56	23.86	28.71
CV(%)	2.49	7.62	4.99	5.32	3.89	3.16	4.33
Housekeeping supplies							
Mean	654.27	345.78	348.34	711.85	745.08	758.70	1,041.67
SE	16.77	21.80	22.95	51.12	51.86	24.56	65.41
CV(%)	2.56	6.30	6.59	7.18	6.96	3.24	6.28
Laundry and cleaning supplies							
Mean	147.82	76.37	77.57	155.28	181.23	171.04	212.16
SE	4.57	8.73	6.09	12.29	8.12	7.99	14.25
CV(%)	3.09	11.43	7.85	7.92	4.48	4.67	6.72
Other household products							
Mean	350.23	162.28	153.30	368.98	393.98	411.43	676.70
SE	13.72	12.30	11.26	30.16	47.29	17.36	66.62
CV(%)	3.92	7.58	7.34	8.17	12.00	4.22	9.85
Postage and stationery							
Mean	156.22	107.13	117.46	187.60	169.87	176.23	152.81
SE	5.66	12.46	18.19	26.68	16.42	12.94	15.18
CV(%)	3.62	11.63	15.49	14.22	9.66	7.34	9.94
Household furnishings and equipment							
Mean	1,624.39	714.58	968.86	1,207.24	1,777.14	2,183.60	2,109.19
SE	43.17	56.81	73.99	68.14	97.73	73.41	113.16
CV(%)	2.66	7.95	7.64	5.64	5.50	3.36	5.37
Household textiles							
Mean	126.30	68.35	54.75	105.20	150.47	161.95	181.52
SE	8.74	13.13	7.62	13.93	18.22	16.43	37.74
CV(%)	6.92	19.20	13.93	13.24	12.11	10.15	20.79
Furniture							
Mean	387.66	152.57	244.80	239.52	453.86	532.94	423.36
SE	19.56	26.57	27.41	28.27	51.58	40.96	45.54
CV(%)	5.04	17.41	11.20	11.80	11.36	7.69	10.76
Floor coverings							
Mean	44.58	19.03	15.47	47.04	55.17	62.17	41.52
SE	5.26	5.36	3.20	30.20	7.98	11.11	13.55
CV(%)	11.81	28.17	20.68	64.20	14.47	17.87	32.64
Major appliances							
Mean	204.12	77.20	102.25	187.51	206.69	284.15	286.76
SE	8.39	11.19	13.98	23.55	15.61	18.19	33.00
CV(%)	4.11	14.50	13.67	12.56	7.55	6.40	11.51
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares							
Mean	112.89	72.40	80.71	99.55	107.09	143.24	146.95
SE	6.11	26.38	10.91	19.82	11.67	12.19	15.58
CV(%)	5.41	36.44	13.51	19.91	10.90	8.51	10.60
Miscellaneous household equipment							
Mean	748.85	325.03	470.89	528.41	803.86	999.14	1,029.08
SE	28.35	44.28	69.94	50.23	59.45	44.93	82.60
CV(%)	3.79	13.62	14.85	9.51	7.40	4.50	8.03
Apparel and services							
Mean	1,800.70	627.63	1,100.17	1,115.86	1,935.49	2,490.96	2,576.24
SE	59.15	63.66	64.40	116.94	78.20	126.42	178.11
CV(%)	3.28	10.14	5.85	10.48	4.04	5.08	6.91
Men and boys							
Mean	426.88	68.20	276.98	295.35	443.73	601.88	643.58
SE	20.90	14.36	36.62	44.47	33.64	44.59	74.10
CV(%)	4.90	21.05	13.22	15.06	7.58	7.41	11.51
Men, 16 and over							
Mean	344.17	63.82	262.79	247.15	308.33	481.17	558.50
SE	20.31	14.41	35.81	42.99	33.84	43.98	72.95
CV(%)	5.90	22.58	13.63	17.39	10.98	9.14	13.06
Boys, 2 to 15							
Mean	82.71	4.38	14.19	48.20	135.40	120.71	85.07
SE	3.73	1.41	2.79	11.20	8.57	8.41	7.99
CV(%)	4.50	32.30	19.63	23.24	6.33	6.97	9.39
Women and girls							
Mean	718.16	334.08	414.50	468.58	740.92	977.89	1,097.83
SE	30.32	55.95	27.23	96.05	50.13	62.17	92.01
CV(%)	4.22	16.75	6.57	20.50	6.77	6.36	8.38

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Women, 16 and over							
Mean	596.83	321.83	392.07	415.47	567.95	791.66	930.73
SE	28.24	55.14	26.46	95.94	44.03	60.41	88.54
CV(%)	4.73	17.13	6.75	23.09	7.75	7.63	9.51
Girls, 2 to 15							
Mean	121.33	12.25	22.42	53.11	172.97	186.23	167.09
SE	6.07	4.28	3.49	10.55	17.65	15.46	31.05
CV(%)	5.01	34.98	15.55	19.86	10.20	8.30	18.58
Children under 2							
Mean	92.72	12.10	19.05	42.84	134.81	143.14	104.05
SE	4.19	2.73	3.27	7.70	12.45	7.76	13.49
CV(%)	4.52	22.55	17.15	17.96	9.23	5.42	12.97
Footwear							
Mean	314.44	106.42	189.82	171.10	374.89	429.61	409.72
SE	16.11	17.79	23.13	20.17	24.52	41.06	40.41
CV(%)	5.12	16.71	12.19	11.79	6.54	9.56	9.86
Other apparel products and services							
Mean	248.49	106.84	199.82	137.99	241.13	338.43	321.06
SE	9.73	19.14	20.95	13.35	18.90	22.38	24.88
CV(%)	3.91	17.92	10.48	9.67	7.84	6.61	7.75
Transportation							
Mean	8,603.63	2,563.60	5,590.93	6,792.64	7,959.91	11,743.60	14,416.46
SE	174.80	186.80	162.73	378.44	231.59	300.98	592.27
CV(%)	2.03	7.29	2.91	5.57	2.91	2.56	4.11
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)							
Mean	2,754.80	446.59	1,691.56	2,224.35	2,366.93	4,008.38	4,714.24
SE	104.30	107.31	146.17	295.85	180.21	254.54	458.34
CV(%)	3.79	24.03	8.64	13.30	7.61	6.35	9.72
Cars and trucks, new							
Mean	1,304.96	252.10	738.88	1,108.05	1,058.17	2,073.03	1,684.44
SE	71.36	102.02	96.88	217.35	132.99	187.95	354.06
CV(%)	5.47	40.47	13.11	19.62	12.57	9.07	21.02
Cars and trucks, used							
Mean	1,315.49	147.71	886.06	978.47	1,201.43	1,749.53	2,769.72
SE	60.73	36.82	104.45	143.52	125.37	131.44	311.17
CV(%)	4.62	24.93	11.79	14.67	10.43	7.51	11.23
Other vehicles							
Mean	134.35	46.78	66.61	137.83	107.32	185.82	260.08
SE	22.25	20.85	22.95	72.08	31.30	42.04	89.29
CV(%)	16.56	44.57	34.45	52.30	29.17	22.63	34.33
Gasoline and motor oil							
Mean	2,714.84	834.72	1,722.86	1,965.57	2,738.95	3,594.31	4,663.34
SE	27.86	28.62	38.10	50.91	50.82	37.22	112.01
CV(%)	1.03	3.43	2.21	2.59	1.86	1.04	2.40
Other vehicle expenses							
Mean	2,620.90	1,070.45	1,799.00	2,088.20	2,375.05	3,464.53	4,397.31
SE	68.67	116.41	87.09	216.49	97.00	97.62	250.50

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Item	All consumer units	Single consumers		Consumer units of two or more persons			
		No earner	One earner	No earner	One earner	Two earners	Three or more earners
Other vehicle expenses							
CV(%)	2.62	10.88	4.84	10.37	4.08	2.82	5.70
Vehicle finance charges							
Mean	312.30	38.03	172.66	132.64	296.92	473.17	575.99
SE	8.53	7.68	12.05	11.93	14.78	16.24	28.51
CV(%)	2.73	20.18	6.98	8.99	4.98	3.43	4.95
Maintenance and repairs							
Mean	730.53	315.75	520.48	582.83	693.83	915.65	1,271.22
SE	17.83	24.87	20.86	39.46	25.21	30.29	73.97
CV(%)	2.44	7.88	4.01	6.77	3.63	3.31	5.82
Vehicle insurance							
Mean	1,113.37	545.27	792.28	1,070.80	925.87	1,410.96	1,977.47
SE	49.88	102.93	84.40	193.09	69.63	89.57	270.18
CV(%)	4.48	18.88	10.65	18.03	7.52	6.35	13.66
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges							
Mean	464.71	171.40	313.57	301.91	458.44	664.74	572.63
SE	20.19	25.56	23.25	25.97	37.01	43.97	45.52
CV(%)	4.35	14.91	7.41	8.60	8.07	6.61	7.95
Public transportation							
Mean	513.08	211.83	377.52	514.53	478.98	676.38	641.57
SE	25.84	36.80	27.09	81.13	35.06	41.15	40.62
CV(%)	5.04	17.37	7.18	15.77	7.32	6.08	6.33
Healthcare							
Mean	2,975.88	2,442.72	1,437.80	5,010.00	3,183.22	3,164.14	3,586.14
SE	55.97	120.46	54.83	167.48	84.85	81.90	127.07
CV(%)	1.88	4.93	3.81	3.34	2.67	2.59	3.54
Health insurance							
Mean	1,653.37	1,586.81	752.40	2,885.62	1,749.45	1,725.99	1,846.51
SE	30.52	51.64	30.80	103.70	52.47	43.87	70.12
CV(%)	1.85	3.25	4.09	3.59	3.00	2.54	3.80
Medical services							
Mean	726.64	380.68	391.50	980.29	780.03	860.22	983.74
SE	26.39	62.96	30.47	95.21	38.83	43.86	60.79
CV(%)	3.63	16.54	7.78	9.71	4.98	5.10	6.18
Drugs							
Mean	482.10	383.76	242.61	950.27	540.72	455.03	595.46
SE	14.16	80.57	18.97	44.64	25.01	14.52	38.58
CV(%)	2.94	20.99	7.82	4.70	4.63	3.19	6.48
Medical supplies							
Mean	113.78	91.47	51.30	193.82	113.02	122.89	160.43
SE	4.82	19.33	5.40	21.77	9.18	5.67	14.58
CV(%)	4.24	21.14	10.53	11.23	8.12	4.62	9.09
Entertainment							
Mean	2,834.81	1,134.26	1,972.05	2,121.89	2,745.92	3,963.50	3,476.54
SE	67.33	64.03	143.33	125.59	118.80	148.59	167.05
CV(%)	2.38	5.65	7.27	5.92	4.33	3.75	4.81
Fees and admissions							
Mean	615.68	166.48	417.39	418.93	635.56	866.17	809.44
SE	24.13	21.42	32.22	36.08	42.24	36.37	64.43
CV(%)	3.92	12.87	7.72	8.61	6.65	4.20	7.96
Audio and visual equipment and services							
Mean	1,036.12	547.48	782.67	848.52	996.12	1,334.23	1,362.40
SE	16.10	19.12	26.95	35.58	29.79	36.35	78.06
CV(%)	1.55	3.49	3.44	4.19	2.99	2.72	5.73
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment							
Mean	703.61	287.17	510.38	456.74	650.03	1,024.33	801.10
SE	58.77	43.95	110.98	48.39	44.83	169.09	101.44
CV(%)	8.35	15.30	21.74	10.59	6.90	16.51	12.66
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services							
Mean	479.40	133.12	261.61	397.71	464.20	738.77	503.60
SE	36.89	48.13	52.22	88.65	63.23	79.56	76.72
CV(%)	7.69	36.15	19.96	22.29	13.62	10.77	15.23
Personal care products and services							
Mean	615.77	341.49	415.48	516.55	605.55	781.36	905.13
SE	10.85	24.59	21.25	24.58	21.01	21.43	39.18
CV(%)	1.76	7.20	5.12	4.76	3.47	2.74	4.33
Reading							
Mean	116.17	86.64	88.58	140.20	111.33	131.80	139.73
SE	3.08	4.44	3.90	8.77	5.06	4.30	8.58
CV(%)	2.65	5.12	4.40	6.26	4.54	3.27	6.14
Education							
Mean	1,045.66	333.40	768.07	312.89	887.32	1,441.57	2,244.20
SE	61.14	94.95	132.38	59.52	68.97	120.09	239.24

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Item	All consumer units	Single consumers		Consumer units of two or more persons			
		No earner	One earner	No earner	One earner	Two earners	Three or more earners
Education							
CV(%)	5.85	28.48	17.24	19.02	7.77	8.33	10.66
Tobacco products and smoking supplies							
Mean	316.67	150.95	253.43	276.13	328.46	361.39	518.39
SE	10.56	15.76	15.53	22.58	20.59	13.56	44.70
CV(%)	3.33	10.44	6.13	8.18	6.27	3.75	8.62
Miscellaneous							
Mean	839.59	319.48	703.78	594.56	802.92	1,151.80	925.81
SE	37.57	36.12	72.72	94.47	70.66	77.55	66.17
CV(%)	4.48	11.31	10.33	15.89	8.80	6.73	7.15
Cash contributions							
Mean	1,736.53	1,181.65	1,395.61	1,832.70	1,827.16	1,917.98	2,175.00
SE	96.76	115.54	92.62	144.11	214.11	124.67	248.81
CV(%)	5.57	9.78	6.64	7.86	11.72	6.50	11.44
Personal insurance and pensions							
Mean	5,605.05	144.26	4,144.48	550.41	4,895.68	8,981.48	9,842.64
SE	104.13	22.61	133.36	110.79	127.65	195.67	325.96
CV(%)	1.86	15.67	3.22	20.13	2.61	2.18	3.31
Life and other personal insurance							
Mean	316.83	104.02	110.94	257.87	391.43	429.44	477.41
SE	15.06	10.84	10.84	18.94	48.99	18.46	33.27
CV(%)	4.75	10.42	9.77	7.35	12.52	4.30	6.97
Pensions and Social Security							
Mean	5,288.21	40.24	4,033.54	292.54	4,504.24	8,552.04	9,365.23
SE	97.56	18.75	130.77	109.18	111.85	189.88	318.93
CV(%)	1.84	46.59	3.24	37.32	2.48	2.22	3.41
Sources of income and personal taxes:							
Money income before taxes							
Mean	63,562.51	17,681.55	42,425.92	31,512.83	58,600.65	92,124.39	104,141.27
SE	795.57	494.82	1,052.70	1,098.00	1,265.00	1,381.50	2,360.40
CV(%)	1.25	2.80	2.48	3.48	2.16	1.50	2.27
Wages and salaries							
Mean	51,007.41	(²)	36,902.46	(²)	45,108.41	82,165.63	95,623.41
SE	666.84	(²)	1,004.70	(²)	1,072.00	1,260.60	2,163.70
CV(%)	1.31	(²)	2.72	(²)	2.38	1.53	2.26
Self-employment income							
Mean	3,219.15	(²)	2,335.67	(²)	3,264.06	5,188.58	4,913.24
SE	194.62	(²)	330.62	(²)	406.04	486.91	607.97
CV(%)	6.05	(²)	14.16	(²)	12.44	9.38	12.37
Social Security, private and government retirement							
Mean	6,576.95	13,913.68	1,540.50	25,500.03	7,137.37	2,556.21	1,963.10
SE	124.17	367.03	137.22	769.37	352.37	159.88	217.97
CV(%)	1.89	2.64	8.91	3.02	4.94	6.25	11.10
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income							
Mean	1,509.14	2,208.42	805.97	3,382.40	1,455.10	1,373.62	731.10
SE	105.24	328.35	121.74	420.61	187.42	166.93	151.53
CV(%)	6.97	14.87	15.11	12.44	12.88	12.15	20.73
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits							
Mean	225.21	139.96	152.77	295.95	203.83	289.39	213.87
SE	34.33	30.58	23.64	98.90	44.57	70.28	51.19
CV(%)	15.24	21.85	15.47	33.42	21.86	24.29	23.93
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps							
Mean	370.95	644.36	63.44	1,219.88	559.20	136.56	228.67
SE	22.05	78.95	10.87	97.38	52.64	16.97	42.38
CV(%)	5.94	12.25	17.14	7.98	9.41	12.43	18.53
Regular contributions for support							
Mean	446.00	484.72	381.20	893.95	651.62	258.11	290.37
SE	43.13	99.96	81.93	328.46	72.53	39.46	65.76
CV(%)	9.67	20.62	21.49	36.74	11.13	15.29	22.65
Other income							
Mean	207.70	290.42	243.93	220.62	221.04	156.28	177.50
SE	13.28	38.98	35.43	32.36	26.64	17.86	38.43
CV(%)	6.40	13.42	14.52	14.67	12.05	11.43	21.65
Personal taxes							
Mean	1,788.99	-38.06	1,971.13	-197.91	1,038.31	3,052.91	2,792.05
SE	152.02	58.56	168.85	117.84	264.59	280.42	445.99
CV(%)	8.50	-153.80	8.57	-59.54	25.48	9.19	15.97
Federal income taxes							
Mean	1,817.03	133.52	1,771.56	216.31	1,232.73	2,939.27	2,864.70
SE	108.18	53.63	136.87	88.36	201.51	210.45	345.03

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Item	All consumer units	Single consumers		Consumer units of two or more persons			
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Federal income taxes							
CV(%)	5.95	40.16	7.73	40.85	16.35	7.16	12.04
2008 Tax stimulus (new UCC Q20082)							
Mean	-783.67	-304.09	-400.38	-630.21	-837.67	-1,052.16	-1,222.07
SE	10.46	12.68	13.70	21.54	21.52	17.51	47.79
CV(%)	-1.33	-4.17	-3.42	-3.42	-2.57	-1.66	-3.91
State and local income taxes							
Mean	542.23	18.34	452.69	30.69	442.93	885.80	862.44
SE	39.60	8.31	38.96	17.39	60.53	72.84	103.27
CV(%)	7.30	45.29	8.61	56.67	13.67	8.22	11.97
Other taxes							
Mean	213.41	114.16	147.26	185.30	200.32	280.01	286.99
SE	22.92	16.28	21.01	27.11	32.71	30.18	46.76
CV(%)	10.74	14.26	14.27	14.63	16.33	10.78	16.29
Income after taxes							
Mean	61,773.51	17,719.62	40,454.79	31,710.75	57,562.34	89,071.48	101,349.22
SE	725.62	488.72	993.29	1,058.60	1,213.80	1,252.40	2,218.80
CV(%)	1.17	2.76	2.46	3.34	2.11	1.41	2.19
Addenda:							
Net change in total assets and liabilities							
Mean	-4,071.74	3,817.23	-937.86	-5,908.72	-4,708.77	-7,677.95	-3,240.01
SE	955.94	2,755.80	1,674.40	2,447.00	2,182.80	1,963.70	4,473.10
CV(%)	-23.48	72.19	-178.50	-41.41	-46.36	-25.58	-138.10
Net change in total assets							
Mean	7,349.38	5,443.58	5,272.85	-3,169.62	7,727.22	10,862.24	10,743.71
SE	1,118.30	2,648.40	1,780.10	2,678.80	2,652.90	1,566.70	4,430.00
CV(%)	15.22	48.65	33.76	-84.52	34.33	14.42	41.23
Net change in total liabilities							
Mean	11,421.12	1,626.36	6,210.71	2,739.10	12,435.99	18,540.19	13,983.72
SE	1,056.30	990.46	1,279.90	1,527.00	2,217.60	2,142.50	2,728.90
CV(%)	9.25	60.90	20.61	55.75	17.83	11.56	19.52
Other financial information:							
Other money receipts							
Mean	519.14	706.53	309.66	809.83	473.71	588.22	231.77
SE	87.13	481.41	75.54	317.84	133.52	158.04	60.58
CV(%)	16.78	68.14	24.39	39.25	28.19	26.87	26.14
Mortgage principal paid on owned property							
Mean	-2,294.63	-542.01	-1,402.50	-1,004.86	-2,293.87	-3,368.18	-3,690.46
SE	56.96	79.23	83.39	102.18	114.26	132.31	237.98
CV(%)	-2.48	-14.62	-5.95	-10.17	-4.98	-3.93	-6.45
Estimated market value of owned home							
Mean	169,794.24	112,609.30	94,006.40	182,594.04	181,067.37	207,413.37	219,008.65
SE	3,347.40	5,605.70	4,284.00	6,993.90	5,284.90	5,192.10	7,462.80
CV(%)	1.97	4.98	4.56	3.83	2.92	2.50	3.41
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home							
Mean	877.18	593.62	526.32	906.79	918.25	1,068.26	1,122.33
SE	11.87	22.19	18.26	25.76	21.67	19.00	30.72
CV(%)	1.35	3.74	3.47	2.84	2.36	1.78	2.74
Gifts of goods and services, total							
Mean	1,209.34	563.83	1,005.69	1,067.58	1,033.75	1,585.93	1,606.96
SE	51.99	69.49	83.09	159.77	83.46	92.57	160.32
CV(%)	4.30	12.33	8.26	14.97	8.07	5.84	9.98
Food							
Mean	97.38	36.43	64.26	76.99	78.75	147.49	119.35
SE	6.34	5.60	10.37	25.20	11.85	15.70	19.67
CV(%)	6.51	15.38	16.13	32.73	15.04	10.64	16.48
Alcoholic beverages							
Mean	14.36	8.24	11.44	28.05	15.55	12.62	17.39
SE	1.76	3.90	2.33	15.30	4.04	2.81	8.46
CV(%)	12.28	47.32	20.38	54.54	25.98	22.23	48.65
Housing							
Mean	228.81	145.31	156.97	179.54	237.58	297.10	252.61
SE	9.85	22.57	22.45	26.39	30.41	19.20	38.97
CV(%)	4.31	15.53	14.30	14.70	12.80	6.46	15.42
Housekeeping supplies							
Mean	31.47	18.33	23.78	36.57	28.02	40.08	34.15
SE	2.14	4.41	4.13	10.49	3.35	3.68	6.69
CV(%)	6.78	24.07	17.38	28.67	11.95	9.18	19.58
Household textiles							
Mean	13.16	8.53	4.94	11.79	8.69	22.64	11.97
SE	2.91	2.42	2.76	5.12	2.43	7.93	4.10

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Household textiles							
CV(%)	22.11	28.32	55.98	43.40	27.96	35.02	34.25
Appliances and miscellaneous housewares							
Mean	20.76	7.96	8.24	14.34	19.05	31.69	33.31
SE	2.58	3.86	2.09	4.03	4.83	6.35	9.64
CV(%)	12.44	48.45	25.33	28.09	25.37	20.05	28.94
Major appliances							
Mean	6.42	5.15	3.34	3.99	4.72	10.15	6.58
SE	1.52	3.58	1.43	2.52	1.45	3.77	3.68
CV(%)	23.65	69.58	42.94	63.15	30.68	37.14	55.94
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares							
Mean	14.34	2.81	4.90	10.35	14.32	21.55	26.73
SE	1.68	1.07	1.34	3.26	4.62	3.58	9.50
CV(%)	11.69	38.21	27.40	31.54	32.24	16.60	35.55
Miscellaneous household equipment							
Mean	57.50	33.20	26.94	32.05	80.24	76.33	49.39
SE	5.05	10.73	5.72	8.49	20.02	6.06	12.29
CV(%)	8.79	32.32	21.23	26.48	24.95	7.95	24.88
Other housing							
Mean	105.93	77.29	93.08	84.79	101.59	126.35	123.79
SE	6.00	18.33	17.01	20.12	17.00	14.42	28.58
CV(%)	5.66	23.72	18.27	23.73	16.74	11.41	23.09
Apparel and services							
Mean	222.76	101.98	201.90	187.24	219.95	274.62	268.06
SE	11.13	19.40	27.43	40.70	19.32	21.19	34.84
CV(%)	5.00	19.03	13.59	21.74	8.78	7.72	13.00
Males, 2 and over							
Mean	47.22	23.33	40.92	55.04	44.73	55.83	56.16
SE	5.01	7.18	6.48	16.70	7.23	10.33	15.73
CV(%)	10.62	30.80	15.85	30.34	16.16	18.50	28.01
Females, 2 and over							
Mean	78.52	37.25	71.11	84.87	65.22	97.86	100.13
SE	7.25	10.14	13.13	35.61	10.81	13.76	24.78
CV(%)	9.24	27.22	18.47	41.96	16.57	14.06	24.75
Children under 2							
Mean	49.87	12.09	19.03	29.60	61.87	71.62	72.57
SE	3.46	2.73	3.27	6.08	11.61	6.15	12.39
CV(%)	6.94	22.58	17.18	20.54	18.77	8.59	17.07
Other apparel products and services							
Mean	47.15	29.31	70.82	17.73	48.13	49.31	39.20
SE	5.64	7.39	21.83	7.27	8.75	6.58	12.87
CV(%)	11.96	25.21	30.83	40.98	18.19	13.34	32.82
Jewelry and watches							
Mean	18.32	11.15	42.55	2.66	15.59	13.66	17.45
SE	4.23	3.44	20.84	1.21	6.54	2.32	9.37
CV(%)	23.09	30.80	48.97	45.54	41.96	17.00	53.70
All other apparel products and services							
Mean	28.82	18.16	28.27	15.07	32.55	35.65	21.75
SE	2.93	5.58	7.15	7.08	5.65	5.72	7.25
CV(%)	10.16	30.71	25.29	47.00	17.36	16.04	33.32
Transportation							
Mean	99.18	28.33	104.37	168.15	80.48	91.62	189.98
SE	13.14	10.19	30.95	75.23	20.58	17.38	53.12
CV(%)	13.25	35.97	29.65	44.74	25.57	18.97	27.96
Healthcare							
Mean	22.26	45.60	20.37	32.20	11.93	21.20	13.93
SE	4.89	37.55	4.96	13.98	3.12	4.53	3.56
CV(%)	21.97	82.36	24.37	43.42	26.14	21.38	25.52
Entertainment							
Mean	88.54	47.92	88.69	73.90	79.38	101.04	135.70
SE	7.32	12.65	16.01	23.49	11.42	9.08	29.04
CV(%)	8.26	26.40	18.05	31.78	14.38	8.98	21.40
Toys, games, arts and crafts, and tricycles							
Mean	29.14	2.79	26.19	16.58	32.38	37.37	44.21
SE	2.94	1.07	5.69	4.61	6.74	4.78	14.21
CV(%)	10.09	38.47	21.72	27.83	20.80	12.79	32.14
Other entertainment							
Mean	59.40	45.13	62.50	57.32	47.00	63.67	91.48
SE	5.83	12.67	12.79	20.33	8.51	7.03	24.69
CV(%)	9.82	28.08	20.47	35.47	18.11	11.05	26.98
Personal care products and services							
Mean	12.12	3.82	9.29	7.42	10.13	18.95	12.17
SE	1.45	1.79	2.46	2.20	3.26	4.44	3.94
CV(%)	11.96	46.86	26.45	29.72	32.22	23.46	32.35

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 1600. Number of earners in consumer unit: annual means, standard errors and coefficient of variation, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2008 — Continued

Item	All consumer units	Single consumers		Consumer units of two or more persons			
		No earner	One earner	No earner	One earner	Two earners	Three or more earners
Reading							
Mean .....	.91	.81	.71	.58	.96	1.22	.47
SE .....	.15	.23	.22	.20	.43	.25	.18
CV(%)	16.76	29.00	31.63	35.29	44.81	20.41	38.91
Education							
Mean	323.68	106.16	232.78	156.32	246.47	501.06	475.18
SE	30.29	45.99	52.92	37.26	55.45	65.86	92.20
CV(%)	9.36	43.32	22.74	23.83	22.50	13.14	19.40
All other gifts							
Mean	99.33	39.24	114.92	157.17	52.56	119.02	122.13
SE	10.56	7.07	21.09	61.08	8.42	15.01	35.21
CV(%)	10.63	18.01	18.35	38.87	16.02	12.61	28.83

¹ Value is too small to display.

² Value is zero or very close to zero.

n.a. Not applicable.