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Item	All consumer units in the Northeast	Homeowner			Renter
		Total	Homeowner with mortgage	Homeowner without mortgage	
Number of consumer units (in thousands) .....	23,492	14,079	7,563	6,516	9,414
Consumer unit characteristics:					
Income before taxes .....	\$79,079	\$100,997	\$119,983	\$78,959	\$46,301
Income after taxes .....	67,086	84,253	99,381	66,692	41,413
Age of reference person .....	52.1	56.6	50.1	64.2	45.3
Average number in consumer unit:					
People .....	2.4	2.5	2.8	2.1	2.2
Children under 18 .....	.5	.5	.7	.2	.5
Adults 65 and older .....	.4	.5	.3	.8	.2
Earners .....	1.3	1.4	1.7	1.0	1.1
Vehicles .....	1.6	2.1	2.3	1.9	.9
Percent distribution:					
Reference person:					
Men .....	48	51	50	51	44
Women .....	52	49	50	49	56
Housing tenure:					
Homeowner .....	60	100	100	100	n.a.
With mortgage .....	32	54	100	n.a.	n.a.
Without mortgage .....	28	46	n.a.	100	n.a.
Renter .....	40	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	100
Race of reference person:					
Black or African-American .....	13	8	9	7	22
White, Asian, and all other races .....	87	92	91	93	78
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:					
Hispanic or Latino .....	11	5	6	3	21
Not Hispanic or Latino .....	89	95	94	97	79
Education of reference person:					
Elementary (1-8) .....	3	1	1	2	4
High school (9-12) .....	33	30	23	38	38
College .....	64	69	76	60	57
Never attended and other .....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
At least one vehicle owned or leased .....	79	94	97	89	58
Average annual expenditures .....	\$59,876	\$73,078	\$81,866	\$62,361	\$40,167
Food .....	7,018	8,199	8,576	7,535	5,266
Food at home .....	4,031	4,709	4,748	4,638	3,027
Cereals and bakery products .....	550	651	651	650	400
Cereals and cereal products .....	191	208	212	199	165
Bakery products .....	359	443	439	451	235
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	902	1,012	985	1,067	741
Beef .....	220	256	249	270	169
Pork .....	164	185	173	209	135
Other meats .....	141	165	159	177	105
Poultry .....	184	194	198	184	169
Fish and seafood .....	137	155	146	172	110
Eggs .....	57	58	60	55	54
Dairy products .....	433	516	520	509	310
Fresh milk and cream .....	144	161	165	153	120
Other dairy products .....	289	355	355	356	191
Fruits and vegetables .....	826	950	967	915	643
Fresh fruits .....	306	361	369	344	225
Fresh vegetables .....	275	316	319	311	213
Processed fruits .....	118	129	130	126	103
Processed vegetables .....	127	144	149	135	102
Other food at home .....	1,320	1,581	1,625	1,497	933
Sugar and other sweets .....	130	157	153	164	91
Fats and oils .....	118	133	136	125	97
Miscellaneous foods .....	646	790	816	736	433

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Nonalcoholic beverages .....	369	426	434	409	286
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips .....	56	75	85	64	26
Food away from home .....	2,986	3,490	3,828	2,897	2,239
Alcoholic beverages .....	564	683	758	540	387
Housing .....	21,140	24,341	29,263	18,605	16,358
Shelter .....	13,165	14,242	18,178	9,674	11,554
Owned dwellings .....	7,722	12,792	16,768	8,176	140
Mortgage interest and charges .....	2,784	4,605	8,321	292	<sup>2</sup> 60
Property taxes .....	3,346	5,553	5,885	5,167	45
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses .....	1,592	2,633	2,562	2,717	36
Rented dwellings .....	4,502	115	60	179	11,063
Other lodging .....	941	1,336	1,350	1,320	351
Utilities, fuels, and public services .....	4,102	5,146	5,527	4,704	2,541
Natural gas .....	607	791	809	772	332
Electricity .....	1,339	1,636	1,756	1,498	895
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	303	459	460	458	71
Telephone services .....	1,457	1,660	1,868	1,418	1,153
Residential phone service, VOIP, and phone cards .....	442	553	532	578	276
Cellular phone service .....	1,015	1,107	1,337	840	877
Water and other public services .....	395	599	635	558	90
Household operations .....	1,569	2,014	2,433	1,524	904
Personal services .....	648	826	1,202	390	382
Other household expenses .....	921	1,188	1,231	1,134	522
Housekeeping supplies .....	612	766	743	816	383
Laundry and cleaning supplies .....	136	159	166	143	102
Other household products .....	342	449	434	482	184
Postage and stationery .....	134	158	142	192	98
Household furnishings and equipment .....	1,691	2,172	2,383	1,887	976
Household textiles .....	105	137	144	127	58
Furniture .....	452	543	601	476	315
Floor coverings .....	31	42	42	41	14
Major appliances .....	245	340	403	258	103
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares .....	122	155	163	141	73
Miscellaneous household equipment .....	737	956	1,029	844	413
Apparel and services .....	1,870	2,059	2,290	1,611	1,591
Men and boys .....	453	488	563	360	400
Men, 16 and over .....	360	392	440	309	312
Boys, 2 to 15 .....	93	96	123	52	87
Women and girls .....	705	851	936	689	488
Women, 16 and over .....	615	755	811	638	407
Girls, 2 to 15 .....	90	96	125	51	81
Children under 2 .....	55	55	70	<sup>2</sup> 25	55
Footwear .....	373	387	449	257	353
Other apparel products and services .....	284	278	273	279	295
Transportation .....	8,574	10,734	12,199	9,034	5,347
Vehicle purchases (net outlay) .....	3,132	4,074	4,908	3,107	1,722
Cars and trucks, new .....	1,416	1,907	2,156	1,618	682
Cars and trucks, used .....	1,690	2,126	2,716	1,441	1,038
Other vehicles .....	25	<sup>2</sup> 41	<sup>2</sup> 36	<sup>2</sup> 48	<sup>2</sup> 2
Gasoline and motor oil .....	1,709	2,138	2,428	1,801	1,067
Other vehicle expenses .....	2,803	3,523	3,820	3,182	1,731
Vehicle finance charges .....	172	213	305	106	112
Maintenance and repairs .....	783	990	1,020	960	473
Vehicle insurance .....	999	1,227	1,227	1,227	661
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges .....	850	1,093	1,268	889	486
Public and other transportation .....	930	999	1,043	944	826
Healthcare .....	4,492	5,924	5,774	6,113	2,350
Health insurance .....	3,198	4,220	4,106	4,354	1,670
Medical services .....	759	1,013	1,057	962	380
Drugs .....	397	509	461	575	230

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Medical supplies .....	137	182	151	222	71
Entertainment .....	2,768	3,604	3,889	3,214	1,521
Fees and admissions .....	747	1,020	1,162	850	340
Audio and visual equipment and services ....	1,094	1,278	1,378	1,138	820
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment .....	652	914	951	863	262
Pets .....	532	764	777	765	188
Toys, hobbies, and playground equipment .....	119	150	174	98	74
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services .....	275	392	398	363	99
Personal care products and services .....	707	840	903	759	510
Reading .....	112	130	126	149	86
Education .....	1,985	2,404	2,822	1,920	1,358
Tobacco products and smoking supplies .....	343	317	347	280	381
Miscellaneous .....	939	1,202	1,449	924	546
Cash contributions .....	2,258	3,288	1,960	4,829	718
Personal insurance and pensions .....	7,107	9,352	11,510	6,847	3,748
Life and other personal insurance .....	389	577	741	386	109
Pensions and Social Security .....	6,717	8,775	10,770	6,461	3,639
Sources of income and personal taxes:					
Money income before taxes .....	\$79,079	\$100,997	\$119,983	\$78,959	\$46,301
Wages and salaries .....	62,002	78,253	101,660	51,083	37,698
Self-employment income .....	4,678	6,649	7,643	5,496	1,730
Social Security, private and government retirement .....	8,880	12,199	7,312	17,872	3,916
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income .....	1,901	2,960	2,333	3,688	316
Public assistance, Supplemental Security Income, Supplementary Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) .....	680	253	240	268	1,319
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits, and regular contributions for support .....	529	481	561	387	601
Other income .....	410	202	235	165	721
Personal taxes (contains some imputed values) .....	11,993	16,744	20,601	12,267	4,889
Federal income taxes .....	9,190	12,928	15,861	9,523	3,599
State and local income taxes .....	2,732	3,719	4,633	2,657	1,257
Other taxes .....	71	98	107	87	33
Income after taxes .....	67,086	84,253	99,381	66,692	41,413
Addenda:					
Net change in total assets and liabilities .....	\$10,521	\$16,042	\$6,963	\$26,582	\$2,264
Net change in total assets .....	17,389	26,829	27,156	26,448	3,272
Net change in total liabilities .....	6,868	10,786	20,194	-133	1,008
Other financial information:					
Other money receipts .....	995	1,472	514	2,583	281
Mortgage principal paid on owned property .....	-1,885	-3,116	-5,172	-729	-45
Estimated market value of owned home .....	194,371	324,312	337,960	308,471	238
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home .....	1,104	1,838	1,947	1,712	25
Gifts of goods and services, total .....	1,258	1,779	1,743	1,819	480
Food .....	68	98	110	86	24
Alcoholic beverages .....	23	23	25	19	24
Housing .....	261	318	299	351	176

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Housekeeping supplies .....	30	45	41	53	7
Household textiles .....	9	13	<sup>2</sup> 10	220	<sup>2</sup> 2
Appliances and miscellaneous					
housewares .....	23	35	42	22	<sup>2</sup> 7
Major appliances .....	7	10	<sup>2</sup> 12	8	<sup>2</sup> 3
Small appliances and miscellaneous					
housewares .....	16	24	30	<sup>2</sup> 14	<sup>2</sup> 4
Miscellaneous household equipment .....	64	83	68	108	35
Other housing .....	135	142	137	148	125
Apparel and services .....	188	256	240	273	87
Males, 2 and over .....	58	74	79	64	35
Females, 2 and over .....	59	89	77	117	14
Children under 2 .....	21	23	25	<sup>2</sup> 20	16
Other apparel products and services .....	50	69	59	72	21
Jewelry and watches .....	22	30	<sup>2</sup> 11	<sup>2</sup> 52	<sup>2</sup> 11
All other apparel products and services ...	28	39	48	21	<sup>2</sup> 11
Transportation .....	61	84	104	59	27
Healthcare .....	16	24	18	<sup>2</sup> 32	<sup>2</sup> 3
Entertainment .....	81	110	113	99	38
Toys, games, arts and crafts, and tricycles	31	40	41	<sup>2</sup> 39	<sup>2</sup> 17
Other entertainment .....	50	69	72	60	21
Personal care products and services .....	16	25	29	17	3
Reading .....	4	3	4	2	5
Education .....	465	743	691	806	49
All other gifts .....	75	95	111	76	45

<sup>1</sup> Value is too small to display.  
<sup>2</sup> Data are likely to have large sampling errors.  
n.a. Not applicable.

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