

**Table 3610. Consumer units of two or more people by age of reference person: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2016-2017**

Item	Total two or more people	Under 25 years	25-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and older	65-74 years	75 years and older
Number of consumer units (in thousands) .....	91,864	3,666	15,966	18,072	18,931	17,647	17,580	11,467	6,113
Consumer unit characteristics:									
Income before taxes.....	\$89,836	\$74,176	\$75,147	\$96,419	\$112,750	\$99,659	\$65,138	\$73,527	\$49,401
Income after taxes.....	77,411	62,387	67,253	83,583	94,512	83,962	58,434	64,567	46,931
Age of reference person .....	49.4	21.9	29.9	39.4	49.5	59.3	72.9	68.8	80.5
Average number in consumer unit:									
People .....	3.1	3.0	3.3	3.8	3.3	2.7	2.3	2.3	2.3
Children under 18 .....	.8	.8	1.3	1.6	.9	.3	.1	.1	.1
Adults 65 and older .....	.4	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	.1	.2	1.7	1.6	1.8
Earners.....	1.6	1.9	1.7	1.8	2.0	1.7	.7	.9	.4
Vehicles.....	2.2	1.7	1.9	2.1	2.5	2.6	2.2	2.4	1.9
Percent distribution:									
Reference person:									
Men .....	48	40	45	43	47	50	55	55	56
Women.....	52	60	55	57	53	50	45	45	44
Housing tenure:									
Homeowner.....	69	27	45	60	74	84	87	87	87
With mortgage .....	43	16	37	50	56	47	28	34	18
Without mortgage .....	26	10	8	10	18	37	59	53	70
Renter .....	31	73	55	40	26	16	13	13	13
Race of reference person:									
Black or African-American .....	12	14	15	13	12	11	9	8	9
White, Asian, and all other races.....	88	86	85	87	88	89	91	92	91
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:									
Hispanic or Latino .....	15	25	20	21	17	10	7	8	6
Not Hispanic or Latino .....	85	75	80	79	83	90	93	92	94
Education of reference person:									
Elementary (1-8) .....	3	1	2	3	3	3	5	4	5
High school (9-12).....	30	44	27	26	28	31	34	29	42
College .....	67	55	71	71	68	65	61	66	53
Never attended and other .....	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )
At least one vehicle owned or leased .....	93	87	91	93	95	95	93	94	92
Average annual expenditures .....	\$68,165	\$46,063	\$58,631	\$72,344	\$81,112	\$73,094	\$58,759	\$63,665	\$49,604
Food .....	8,817	5,782	7,793	9,826	10,256	9,045	7,798	8,252	6,964
Food at home .....	5,022	3,305	4,387	5,441	5,659	5,278	4,730	4,934	4,355
Cereals and bakery products.....	654	431	580	730	717	675	621	641	586
Cereals and cereal products .....	212	163	211	254	232	193	179	192	156
Bakery products.....	443	268	369	476	485	481	442	449	430
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	1,105	781	918	1,174	1,268	1,194	1,043	1,101	936
Beef .....	302	215	240	321	333	326	312	333	272
Pork .....	212	150	167	220	237	237	214	227	189
Other meats .....	149	91	118	163	173	170	136	142	125
Poultry.....	215	167	213	236	252	217	166	174	152
Fish and seafood.....	161	104	119	164	195	180	158	165	147
Eggs.....	66	54	61	70	78	64	57	60	51
Dairy products.....	513	314	456	572	574	526	482	490	466
Fresh milk and cream.....	171	123	162	199	193	166	148	149	146
Other dairy products.....	341	192	294	373	380	361	334	341	320
Fruits and vegetables .....	968	631	870	1,069	1,067	978	933	968	867
Fresh fruits.....	358	239	317	395	408	351	347	359	324
Fresh vegetables.....	316	193	284	351	344	324	307	324	274
Processed fruits.....	132	85	123	147	141	132	124	123	127
Processed vegetables.....	162	114	146	175	174	171	154	162	141
Other food at home.....	1,782	1,148	1,564	1,896	2,034	1,906	1,652	1,734	1,500
Sugar and other sweets .....	177	96	142	178	207	191	186	192	175
Fats and oils .....	137	98	116	140	152	153	130	132	125

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Item	Total two or more people	Under 25 years	25-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and older	65-74 years	75 years and older
Miscellaneous foods.....	924	620	853	1,023	1,045	953	812	855	733
Nonalcoholic beverages.....	478	316	412	487	547	529	452	463	431
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips.....	68	17	41	69	83	80	73	92	37
Food away from home.....	3,794	2,478	3,406	4,385	4,597	3,767	3,069	3,317	2,609
Alcoholic beverages.....	581	285	524	594	646	683	528	567	457
Housing.....	21,883	15,537	20,703	24,617	24,729	21,774	18,593	19,954	16,048
Shelter.....	12,712	9,886	12,625	14,523	14,670	12,300	9,825	10,688	8,207
Owned dwellings.....	7,936	2,066	5,522	8,729	10,023	9,146	7,072	7,917	5,488
Mortgage interest and charges.....	3,826	1,098	3,253	5,175	5,346	3,735	1,980	2,482	1,040
Property taxes.....	2,370	623	1,242	2,103	2,923	3,056	2,750	2,978	2,320
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses.....	1,740	345	1,027	1,451	1,754	2,354	2,342	2,457	2,127
Rented dwellings.....	3,836	7,534	6,677	5,099	3,366	1,877	1,661	1,469	2,021
Other lodging.....	940	285	426	695	1,282	1,276	1,091	1,301	699
Utilities, fuels, and public services.....	4,470	3,081	3,687	4,580	5,092	4,841	4,317	4,495	3,984
Natural gas.....	418	187	328	413	458	483	445	454	427
Electricity.....	1,634	1,217	1,363	1,644	1,793	1,755	1,663	1,700	1,595
Fuel oil and other fuels.....	102	34	56	77	109	139	141	144	136
Telephone services.....	1,645	1,285	1,421	1,764	1,958	1,744	1,366	1,494	1,125
Residential phone service, VOIP, and phone cards.....	293	82	109	217	308	380	477	446	536
Cellular phone service.....	1,352	1,203	1,312	1,547	1,650	1,364	889	1,048	589
Water and other public services.....	671	358	519	681	774	721	702	703	702
Household operations.....	1,650	833	1,896	2,413	1,473	1,291	1,365	1,379	1,338
Personal services.....	582	314	1,147	1,357	315	111	90	70	<sup>3</sup> 128
Other household expenses.....	1,067	519	749	1,056	1,158	1,180	1,274	1,309	1,210
Housekeeping supplies.....	820	383	604	805	909	945	939	1,003	822
Laundry and cleaning supplies.....	197	108	152	218	227	206	199	205	188
Other household products.....	463	198	356	447	507	543	526	561	461
Postage and stationery.....	160	77	97	139	175	195	214	236	173
Household furnishings and equipment.....	2,231	1,353	1,892	2,297	2,584	2,398	2,147	2,390	1,697
Household textiles.....	124	68	116	126	145	119	127	136	110
Furniture.....	585	384	573	681	588	590	531	592	416
Floor coverings.....	30	13	18	55	26	35	20	24	10
Major appliances.....	339	239	260	329	408	376	330	370	254
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares.....	146	103	120	141	174	174	131	143	109
Miscellaneous household equipment.....	1,007	546	805	965	1,244	1,105	1,009	1,124	797
Apparel and services.....	2,143	1,532	2,170	2,652	2,643	1,919	1,454	1,595	1,194
Men and boys.....	521	325	516	633	708	458	327	370	248
Men, 16 and over.....	383	280	347	348	549	402	287	324	219
Boys, 2 to 15.....	138	45	170	284	160	56	40	46	29
Women and girls.....	794	490	672	940	1,052	769	591	658	468
Women, 16 and over.....	655	427	521	669	860	716	551	609	443
Girls, 2 to 15.....	139	63	152	271	192	53	40	49	25
Children under 2.....	95	93	224	121	58	38	40	48	<sup>3</sup> 25
Footwear.....	454	427	422	614	562	409	259	272	235
Other apparel products and services.....	280	196	336	345	262	245	237	247	218
Transportation.....	11,111	9,779	10,070	11,577	12,824	11,874	9,289	10,731	6,596
Vehicle purchases (net outlay).....	4,733	5,164	4,549	4,905	5,272	4,963	3,820	4,475	2,591
Cars and trucks, new.....	2,172	1,738	1,839	2,086	2,140	2,656	2,202	2,597	1,460
Cars and trucks, used.....	2,497	3,377	2,649	2,750	3,034	2,269	1,564	1,799	1,123
Other vehicles.....	64	<sup>3</sup> 49	61	69	99	38	<sup>3</sup> 54	<sup>3</sup> 78	<sup>3</sup> 8
Gasoline, other fuels, and motor oil.....	2,325	2,047	2,187	2,596	2,721	2,422	1,704	1,918	1,302
Other vehicle expenses.....	3,280	2,208	2,766	3,225	3,933	3,613	3,036	3,490	2,193
Vehicle finance charges.....	279	235	303	339	336	261	162	212	68
Maintenance and repairs.....	998	709	776	927	1,217	1,206	899	1,023	665
Vehicle insurance.....	1,204	742	986	1,096	1,511	1,250	1,270	1,479	887
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges.....	799	522	701	863	870	897	705	775	573
Public and other transportation.....	774	360	568	850	897	877	730	848	510
Healthcare.....	5,538	2,130	3,407	4,552	5,582	6,721	7,975	7,808	8,287
Health insurance.....	3,829	1,456	2,384	3,164	3,829	4,485	5,663	5,560	5,856
Medical services.....	999	494	695	873	1,053	1,312	1,138	1,137	1,141

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Drugs.....	535	121	234	369	524	714	911	873	983
Medical supplies .....	174	60	95	146	177	209	262	238	308
Entertainment.....	3,615	2,008	2,812	4,055	4,382	3,847	3,219	3,798	2,140
Fees and admissions .....	867	401	612	1,094	1,176	775	727	869	461
Audio and visual equipment and services.....	1,156	766	956	1,184	1,286	1,241	1,166	1,250	1,009
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment.....	956	524	729	1,044	1,170	1,177	752	923	436
Pets.....	763	375	517	791	947	1,006	631	773	369
Toys, hobbies, and playground equipment.....	194	149	211	253	222	171	121	150	67
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services.....	636	317	515	733	750	654	574	756	235
Personal care products and services.....	846	520	661	943	1,007	871	802	858	696
Reading.....	121	41	64	106	130	134	185	170	212
Education .....	1,682	1,666	1,228	1,276	3,390	1,824	536	662	300
Tobacco products and smoking supplies .....	373	432	344	369	435	446	252	304	154
Miscellaneous .....	1,085	508	654	1,106	1,388	1,290	1,040	1,122	886
Cash contributions .....	2,034	924	1,050	1,565	2,417	2,578	2,683	2,627	2,787
Personal insurance and pensions.....	8,337	4,919	7,152	9,107	11,282	10,087	4,405	5,217	2,883
Life and other personal insurance .....	455	74	207	368	519	680	555	588	492
Pensions and Social Security .....	7,882	4,845	6,945	8,740	10,763	9,407	3,850	4,628	2,391
Sources of income and personal taxes:									
Money income before taxes.....	\$89,836	\$74,176	\$75,147	\$96,419	\$112,750	\$99,659	\$65,138	\$73,527	\$49,401
Wages and salaries .....	71,428	46,423	69,505	86,984	97,875	79,085	26,230	33,986	11,681
Self-employment income .....	6,935	25,460	3,571	5,797	9,140	7,390	4,463	5,524	2,473
Social Security, private and government retirement .....	8,122	354	502	1,306	2,416	8,962	28,972	27,774	31,219
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income.....	2,037	142	229	833	2,006	2,994	4,382	5,084	3,065
Public assistance, Supplemental Security Income, Supplementary Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP).....	543	826	689	707	473	495	308	314	297
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits, and regular contributions for support.....	477	294	375	576	452	431	579	603	535
Other income .....	294	676	276	215	387	302	203	241	131
Personal taxes (contains some imputed values).....	12,425	11,789	7,894	12,836	18,238	15,697	6,704	8,961	2,470
Federal income taxes .....	9,797	10,994	5,767	9,920	14,462	12,477	5,365	7,160	1,999
State and local income taxes.....	2,553	770	2,078	2,862	3,653	3,126	1,277	1,723	442
Other taxes .....	75	325	50	53	123	94	61	78	30
Income after taxes.....	77,411	62,387	67,253	83,583	94,512	83,962	58,434	64,567	46,931
Addenda:									
Net change in total assets and liabilities.....	\$13,413	\$1,171	\$5,973	\$6,144	\$19,562	\$22,953	\$14,001	\$16,190	\$9,894
Net change in total assets .....	23,681	10,266	21,719	23,029	28,060	30,770	17,100	20,432	10,850
Net change in total liabilities .....	10,268	9,095	15,746	16,885	8,499	7,817	3,099	4,242	957
Other financial information:									
Other money receipts .....	913	140	265	496	383	1,168	2,406	3,599	169
Mortgage principal paid on owned property.....	-2,315	-460	-1,254	-2,282	-3,373	-2,916	-1,958	-2,053	-1,779
Estimated market value of owned home.....	210,042	44,056	101,215	188,660	251,638	259,269	271,268	285,194	245,149
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home .....	1,145	301	649	1,040	1,330	1,405	1,421	1,477	1,315

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Item	Total two or more people	Under 25 years	25-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and older	65-74 years	75 years and older
Gifts of goods and services, total.....	1,308	691	549	831	1,974	1,968	1,257	1,500	807
Food.....	94	21	56	53	122	168	85	90	77
Alcoholic beverages.....	13	<sup>3</sup> 2	15	15	14	19	7	5	11
Housing.....	252	149	132	159	316	413	251	278	201
Housekeeping supplies.....	33	12	23	24	35	53	36	48	16
Household textiles.....	10	<sup>3</sup> 9	5	<sup>3</sup> 6	10	18	10	12	<sup>3</sup> 6
Appliances and miscellaneous housewares.....	24	<sup>3</sup> 12	13	10	26	51	23	20	29
Major appliances.....	9	(1)	2	4	7	22	12	9	19
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares.....	15	<sup>3</sup> 12	10	6	19	29	11	11	<sup>3</sup> 10
Miscellaneous household equipment.....	50	40	39	33	54	84	44	53	27
Other housing.....	134	77	52	86	191	206	137	145	123
Apparel and services.....	214	156	172	196	242	240	233	280	146
Males, 2 and over.....	60	25	41	53	77	71	66	78	43
Females, 2 and over.....	71	35	47	65	81	89	81	101	45
Children under 2.....	36	<sup>3</sup> 28	43	34	40	29	36	44	<sup>3</sup> 20
Other apparel products and services.....	47	<sup>3</sup> 68	40	45	44	51	50	57	<sup>3</sup> 38
Jewelry and watches.....	7	<sup>3</sup> 2	11	<sup>3</sup> 4	3	10	9	8	<sup>3</sup> 11
All other apparel products and services.....	40	<sup>3</sup> 65	30	41	41	40	41	48	<sup>3</sup> 26
Transportation.....	126	192	54	164	133	138	122	140	88
Healthcare.....	19	<sup>3</sup> 1	<sup>3</sup> 3	10	25	37	22	22	<sup>3</sup> 21
Entertainment.....	107	72	59	77	138	151	115	151	48
Toys, games, arts and crafts, and tricycles.....	46	<sup>3</sup> 21	28	32	73	60	43	55	<sup>3</sup> 19
Other entertainment.....	61	51	31	45	65	91	72	96	29
Personal care products and services.....	12	<sup>3</sup> 9	8	14	10	12	18	22	10
Reading.....	3	<sup>3</sup> 1	1	3	3	4	6	7	3
Education.....	366	<sup>3</sup> 77	5	89	840	620	273	337	155
All other gifts.....	101	11	44	51	130	165	126	168	47

<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.

Source: Consumer Expenditure Survey, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, September, 2018