

Table 15. Selected family characteristics, annual expenditures, and sources of income classified by ALL FAMILIES and by SELECTED STANDARD METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS, WEST¹

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Item	All families in the West	Selected Standard Metropolitan Statistical areas in the West Region							
		San Diego	Los Angeles Long Beach	San Francisco Oakland	Denver	Honolulu	Portland	Seattle, Everett	Anchorage
Number of families in universe (000 's)	12,953	559	2,670	1,158	537	209	406	552	19
Selected family characteristics									
Average									
Family size	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.7	3.0	2.7	2.6	2.7
Family income before taxes	\$12,019	\$11,739	\$11,860	\$12,862	\$13,177	\$15,665	\$11,822	\$11,968	\$18,200
Family income after taxes	\$10,294	\$10,038	\$10,008	\$10,809	\$11,207	\$13,055	\$9,721	\$10,257	\$14,854
Age of head	47	45	46	45	43	43	48	45	37
Number of children under 18 .....	.9	.9	.9	.7	1.0	1.4	.9	.9	1.1
Number of persons 65 and over .....	.3	.3	.2	.2	.2	.1	.4	.2	.1
Number of automobiles owned	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.7	1.5	1.2	1.4	1.2
Percent ²									
Housing tenure									
Homeowner	53.9	53.6	43.0	47.0	56.4	41.0	56.5	56.0	41.3
With mortgage	35.0	41.4	33.4	36.6	45.1	29.4	30.4	34.9	33.0
Without mortgage	18.9	11.5	9.5	10.4	11.3	11.6	26.1	21.2	8.2
Mortgage not reported	(³) .7	(³) .7	(³) .7	(³) .7	(³) .7	(³) .7	**	(³) .7	(³) .7
Renter	40.8	38.1	50.2	49.2	38.7	53.3	38.3	37.7	48.6
Other, including not reported	5.3	8.3	6.8	3.7	4.9	5.7	5.1	6.3	10.1
Race of head									
White	90.9	94.3	85.4	82.5	95.1	34.4	97.5	94.8	85.0
Black	4.8	4.9	10.8	11.4	4.9	1.6	2.2	2.0	7.6
Other	4.3	.9	3.8	6.1	.0	64.0	.3	3.3	7.4
Education of family head									
1 to 8 years	13.8	9.4	13.9	8.8	11.4	11.8	14.5	6.9	6.0
9 years, not more than 12 years	44.1	42.3	41.1	45.2	37.2	50.0	46.8	40.3	52.4
More than 12 years	35.6	41.7	38.6	38.5	45.2	29.9	36.1	44.5	37.9
Not reported or no school	6.6	6.6	6.3	7.5	6.2	8.3	2.5	8.3	3.7
Automobile ownership									
At least one automobile owned	82.8	83.7	79.5	79.0	84.4	86.2	77.6	84.7	79.4

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Expenditure categories									
Current consumption expenses, total	\$8,647.86	\$8,609.71	\$9,073.57	\$9,634.02	\$8,765.09	\$9,506.14	\$8,051.95	\$8,656.81	\$12,331.03
Food, total	1,566.91	1,509.53	1,692.12	1,749.73	1,528.61	1,916.09	1,290.63	1,519.66	2,146.04
Food at home, total	1,078.41	1,039.24	1,127.73	1,145.10	959.84	1,292.73	937.59	1,117.62	1,522.76
Cereals and cereal products	34.52	27.73	30.16	35.88	23.64	52.94	24.76	36.69	43.83
Bakery products	89.54	92.72	92.58	91.64	72.83	86.52	79.03	93.89	117.94
Beef	167.75	158.99	191.33	183.70	165.14	215.27	133.55	140.05	205.65
Pork	87.06	80.88	81.38	98.90	95.22	90.75	91.63	87.10	111.97
Other meats	38.28	32.92	46.19	53.41	30.37	54.64	28.70	44.95	61.60
Poultry	47.48	44.47	58.76	49.47	39.96	63.26	41.71	44.45	57.62
Fish and seafood	29.84	22.70	36.22	31.77	22.34	99.54	23.99	35.38	58.52
Eggs	27.25	24.81	29.09	25.93	30.50	30.02	21.99	28.65	31.90
Fresh milk and cream	89.79	90.59	91.90	87.06	83.19	63.40	74.76	97.31	100.23
Other dairy products	64.53	61.78	63.56	72.92	55.90	53.86	58.70	75.73	93.24
Fresh fruits	48.37	60.04	56.31	52.83	37.75	54.21	44.88	44.16	72.45
Fresh vegetables	50.26	42.86	54.05	65.31	41.32	68.98	44.58	52.61	86.37
Processed fruits	36.91	33.20	35.97	37.67	27.70	42.00	32.31	40.38	56.60
Processed vegetables	33.95	33.90	34.39	37.14	30.66	42.95	27.38	33.69	65.29
Sugar and other sweets	33.41	31.07	34.06	32.16	20.77	32.82	30.65	35.66	52.92
Nonalcoholic beverages	74.41	77.03	75.33	64.59	70.66	81.36	63.83	72.24	109.89
Fats and oils	29.82	26.12	27.84	32.12	21.38	30.39	30.10	38.73	38.93
Miscellaneous prepared foods, condiments, and seasonings	95.25	97.41	88.63	92.60	90.50	129.83	85.04	115.95	157.81
Food away from home	470.41	460.62	555.94	579.03	545.89	590.44	337.78	366.39	594.31
Meals as pay	18.09	9.66	8.45	25.59	22.88	32.93	15.26	35.65	28.97
Alcoholic beverages	148.99	135.16	181.45	210.25	122.92	129.93	142.97	117.97	239.46
Tobacco products and smoking supplies	99.63	72.52	107.77	104.29	90.53	102.22	96.52	99.50	132.74

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		San Diego	Los Angeles Long Beach	San Francisco Oakland	Denver	Honolulu	Portland	Seattle, Everett	Anchorage
Current consumption expenses, total (continued)									
Housing, total	\$2,737.45	\$2,963.55	\$3,055.12	\$3,203.60	\$2,741.55	\$3,182.03	\$2,633.35	\$2,707.38	\$4,281.31
Shelter, total	1,541.22	1,787.86	1,866.27	1,967.07	1,563.28	1,971.78	1,469.47	1,423.84	2,571.16
Rented dwellings	740.12	761.98	972.46	1,016.39	722.71	1,129.97	673.18	641.96	1,463.46
Owned dwellings	785.21	1,016.51	884.28	937.63	825.31	813.36	774.60	768.07	1,074.73
Other lodging, excluding vacation	15.90	9.37	9.53	13.05	15.26	28.45	21.69	13.81	32.97
Fuel and utilities, total	339.61	309.76	292.05	270.41	335.85	256.40	375.55	359.42	456.07
Gas, total	67.49	7.27	103.83	24.48	19.91	25.18	53.36	51.24	146.45
Gas, delivered in mains	59.24	3.71	102.95	24.07	13.26	21.45	52.73	49.18	142.98
Gas, bottled or tank	8.25	3.56	.89	.41	6.65	3.74	.63	2.06	3.47
Electricity	114.67	23.59	119.35	36.89	28.80	177.67	162.89	145.69	161.72
Gas and electricity, combined bills	58.36	186.84	.36	132.23	195.56	2.08	**	**	3.14
Fuel oil and kerosene	19.71	1.51	.16	2.68	.54	.59	79.06	76.17	36.95
Other fuels, coal, and wood	4.35	.96	.86	4.49	2.81	.17	4.99	4.44	3.94
Water, garbage, sewerage, trash, and other	75.02	89.57	67.48	69.64	88.23	50.70	75.25	81.88	103.87
Household operations, total	457.17	447.27	507.66	506.63	449.04	504.69	421.32	480.79	694.26
Telephone	181.59	156.71	179.16	187.66	191.35	200.56	176.25	191.97	299.05
Housekeeping and laundry supplies, total	127.99	129.37	132.11	145.40	96.95	153.06	115.38	155.15	182.89
Laundry and cleaning supplies	42.32	40.15	43.48	37.10	41.37	50.52	31.09	45.59	55.50
Other household products	43.38	49.19	45.54	47.37	33.43	51.80	35.82	50.86	58.41
Postage and stationery	42.29	40.02	43.10	60.93	22.15	50.73	48.47	58.69	68.98
Domestic and other household services	147.59	161.18	196.39	173.58	160.74	151.06	129.69	133.67	212.33
Housefurnishings and equipment, total	399.45	418.67	389.14	459.49	393.38	449.17	367.01	443.33	559.82
Household textiles	57.35	56.66	57.26	70.46	47.00	64.49	41.51	51.18	72.80
Furniture	128.63	152.94	148.67	153.41	114.31	136.44	134.04	137.38	211.50
Floor coverings	44.16	39.13	30.56	44.36	53.95	48.60	38.54	51.31	28.56
Major appliances	89.36	88.18	73.07	93.02	83.41	103.44	77.45	119.40	135.51
Small appliances	10.80	9.64	10.72	8.76	11.44	12.15	11.27	11.37	20.22
Housewares	12.59	12.19	12.02	15.79	14.95	24.03	13.46	17.83	17.56
Miscellaneous	56.56	59.93	56.84	73.69	68.32	60.01	50.73	54.86	73.67

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Item	All families in the West	Selected Standard Metropolitan Statistical areas in the West Region							
		San Diego	Los Angeles Long Beach	San Francisco Oakland	Denver	Honolulu	Portland	Seattle, Everett	Anchorage
Current consumption expenses, total (continued)									
Clothing, total	\$572.71	\$541.61	\$629.48	\$603.98	\$640.82	\$590.48	\$539.51	\$507.78	\$791.15
Male's, 2 and over	219.36	189.34	245.10	229.15	270.09	214.17	206.83	173.87	303.63
Female's, 2 and over	308.24	297.00	338.38	336.37	323.97	324.16	291.01	292.03	426.82
Children's, under 2 years	12.32	22.47	15.99	11.54	8.28	13.11	6.79	8.52	24.73
Materials, repairs, alterations and services	32.79	32.81	30.01	26.93	38.47	39.03	34.88	33.36	35.98
Dry cleaning and laundry	78.14	79.23	102.02	105.32	80.81	63.43	62.30	68.91	139.54
Transportation, total	1,642.23	1,594.10	1,645.05	1,687.20	1,627.39	1,530.72	1,434.34	1,667.34	2,037.92
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	711.43	792.50	706.84	665.17	698.17	578.97	632.72	792.92	1,028.14
Vehicle finance charges	85.00	54.93	95.20	131.53	52.47	110.52	93.00	75.99	94.41
Vehicle operations, total	791.94	703.95	800.03	768.31	841.52	758.61	660.91	740.21	810.55
Gasoline and fuels	357.35	327.22	344.00	322.07	340.12	317.03	297.79	326.26	358.87
Other	434.60	376.72	456.03	446.25	501.40	441.57	363.12	413.94	451.68
Other transportation	53.86	42.72	42.98	122.19	35.23	82.62	47.71	58.23	104.82
Health care, total	553.75	503.25	504.23	576.28	564.49	513.92	560.33	533.73	489.88
Health insurance	190.45	168.30	157.47	204.60	235.82	197.68	223.00	187.90	155.63
Expenses not covered by insurance	309.74	285.11	288.77	298.81	256.04	283.52	271.97	280.15	265.21
Nonprescription drugs and medical supplies	53.56	49.84	57.98	72.87	72.62	32.72	65.36	65.69	69.05
Personal care	169.80	184.76	176.64	204.48	167.02	157.96	138.90	171.72	230.11
Recreation, total	834.88	797.99	763.04	921.11	914.94	834.15	891.46	929.32	1,438.42
Owned vacation home	9.19	4.21	11.14	10.43	4.00	**	19.42	14.64	16.93
Vacation and pleasure trips, total	297.01	252.05	270.97	406.59	341.05	372.57	282.15	343.89	525.92
Food	70.73	56.09	56.32	95.00	82.29	50.91	72.35	64.81	110.22
Alcoholic beverages	8.89	4.84	8.99	14.26	14.10	5.20	7.41	9.09	22.23
Lodging	39.91	43.74	39.75	55.03	42.07	30.54	45.12	50.43	58.28
Transportation, total	113.33	109.08	97.23	144.90	154.83	167.80	101.34	130.84	277.10
Gasoline	39.85	40.66	27.23	32.94	58.01	1.30	42.26	40.66	60.75
Other transportation	73.48	68.42	70.00	111.96	96.83	166.50	59.08	90.17	216.36
All expense tours	32.76	20.67	41.96	35.49	19.44	95.95	25.47	51.79	24.59
Other vacation expenses	31.39	17.63	26.72	61.92	28.33	22.17	30.45	36.95	33.49
Boats, aircraft, and wheel goods	105.67	89.84	62.45	30.93	84.51	25.68	186.73	111.68	249.91
Other recreation, total	423.01	451.89	418.48	473.15	485.38	435.90	403.16	459.11	645.66
Television	52.52	46.16	59.88	44.82	58.54	43.07	32.10	58.76	44.89
Other	370.49	405.72	358.61	428.34	426.84	392.83	371.06	400.35	600.77
Pets, toys, and games	82.43	79.71	82.17	100.58	44.06	46.33	89.83	81.85	160.77
All other recreation expenses	288.06	326.01	276.44	327.76	382.78	346.50	281.23	318.50	440.00

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Current consumption expenses, total (continued)									
Reading	\$58.29	\$66.82	\$55.90	\$69.58	\$68.19	\$70.37	\$58.63	\$64.97	\$111.07
Education, total	70.65	63.96	71.23	48.96	105.84	142.50	100.28	124.98	131.21
Private	37.15	31.82	49.42	24.97	64.51	79.25	49.20	73.35	72.03
Public	33.07	31.92	20.83	23.99	41.33	56.88	50.99	51.33	59.18
Day and summer camp .....	.43	.22	.98	(¹)	(¹)	6.38	.08	.29	(¹)
Miscellaneous	114.45	97.23	89.50	\$149.24	\$111.99	272.33	102.74	143.55	\$162.18
Personal insurance, retirement, and pensions, total	746.79	745.49	723.09	878.55	830.97	1,325.37	664.49	762.07	897.52
Life, endowment, annuities, and income insurance	244.37	231.96	237.21	259.10	327.06	437.01	229.01	230.09	299.52
Other personal insurance	15.10	16.90	18.35	26.78	4.53	12.78	6.03	5.99	7.31
Retirement and pensions	487.32	496.63	467.53	592.66	499.38	875.58	429.45	526.00	590.69
Gifts and contributions	581.48	572.61	560.14	703.57	522.55	451.82	434.37	445.20	618.82
Sources of income and personal taxes									
Money income before taxes	12,018.54	11,739.42	11,859.71	12,861.62	13,176.87	15,665.31	11,822.01	11,967.80	18,199.61
Wages and salaries, total	8,642.72	8,081.72	9,020.18	9,473.65	9,451.84	12,873.17	8,617.34	9,279.87	14,108.80
Money wages and salaries, civilians	8,541.58	7,655.04	9,030.34	9,466.27	9,358.22	12,064.09	8,644.69	9,166.82	12,845.38
Union dues	-15.24	-5.83	-14.96	-18.37	-13.96	-47.08	-19.68	-17.24	-20.13
Other occupational expenses	-45.53	-53.86	-42.17	-60.80	-28.96	-29.23	-32.92	-36.78	-60.93
Rent received as pay	14.16	4.39	5.52	32.18	41.65	27.36	4.63	32.65	24.75
Meals received as pay	18.09	9.66	8.45	25.59	22.88	32.93	15.26	35.65	28.97
Money wages and salaries, armed forces	108.19	392.86	25.14	16.74	55.92	685.82	5.36	82.76	932.98
Quarters and subsistence	21.47	79.45	7.86	12.05	16.11	139.27	**	16.02	357.78
Self-employment income, total	1,064.92	994.45	617.52	1,355.10	1,491.47	683.73	1,099.18	579.29	2,621.50
Net income from own business	719.57	722.32	348.61	1,272.95	1,264.81	600.97	984.52	530.27	2,621.50
Net income from own farm	345.35	272.13	268.91	82.15	226.66	82.76	114.65	49.02	**
Social security and railroad retirement	548.98	572.54	478.20	437.73	496.21	361.52	697.29	502.34	146.58
Government retirement, veteran's payments, and unemployment compensation	397.75	740.31	266.31	275.79	446.23	413.20	247.35	366.51	263.25
Estates, trusts, dividends, rental income, royalties, income from roomers and boarders, total	628.93	719.93	435.99	565.23	457.86	616.16	545.14	493.30	474.88
Rental income, royalties, income from roomers and boarders	133.54	133.70	148.81	152.05	35.56	150.31	146.37	91.99	282.56
Income from interest, dividends, estates and trusts	495.39	586.22	287.18	413.18	422.30	465.85	398.77	401.30	192.32

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Money income before taxes (continued)									
Income from all other sources, total	\$735.24	\$630.47	\$1,041.52	\$754.13	\$833.26	\$717.55	\$615.71	\$746.49	\$584.60
Welfare and public assistance	122.63	96.81	237.38	127.02	44.41	129.71	55.80	94.01	46.79
Private pensions	133.30	69.50	129.50	149.11	302.42	55.43	126.00	77.46	34.38
Regular contributions for support	94.60	130.93	144.24	83.33	155.76	74.72	43.59	54.60	128.03
Other income, including workers' compensation	384.71	333.23	530.41	394.66	330.67	457.68	390.32	520.41	375.39
Personal taxes, total	-1,724.21	-1,701.44	-1,851.39	-2,052.72	-1,969.56	-2,610.60	-2,100.51	-1,711.07	-3,345.68
Federal income taxes	-1,428.54	-1,394.99	-1,528.04	-1,714.18	-1,628.09	-1,990.21	-1,632.23	-1,656.30	-2,701.52
State and local income taxes	-236.54	-236.60	-259.10	-281.60	-281.19	-595.92	-420.03	-5.11	-556.26
Personal property and other personal taxes	-59.12	-69.85	-64.24	-56.94	-60.28	-24.47	-48.26	-49.66	-87.90
Other financial information									
Other money receipts	271.16	276.99	171.20	476.41	46.09	561.06	436.74	459.70	289.03
Net change in assets and liabilities ⁵	1,086.47	2,368.69	614.17	1,089.28	343.12	1,109.14	712.42	1,026.11	3,175.20
Net change in assets	1,675.77	2,342.96	1,343.57	2,336.52	1,218.47	2,016.72	1,541.00	1,691.73	3,666.60
Net change in liabilities	589.30	-25.73	729.41	1,247.24	875.36	907.58	828.58	665.62	491.40
Goods and services received without direct expense	132.13	206.79	68.48	133.93	147.93	99.09	142.19	105.53	238.26
Market value of financial assets	8,114.99	7,126.63	5,875.59	7,965.74	8,536.27	8,199.06	9,368.78	6,882.84	6,504.42
Mortgage principal paid on owned property	-476.51	-801.51	-419.06	-251.81	-236.94	-526.71	-501.99	-491.12	-465.06
Estimated market value of owned home ⁶	14,968.59	18,065.98	15,200.32	15,639.26	16,868.65	23,725.95	13,837.57	15,735.45	19,215.96
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home ⁶	107.23	129.74	106.24	113.13	141.13	140.14	94.31	97.90	156.79

¹ The city of Anchorage does not conform to the definition of an SMSA.

² Percents may not sum to 100 due to rounding.

³ Value less than 0.05.

⁴ Value less than one-half cent.

⁵ Data represent end-of-year values.

⁶ Estimates made at the beginning of the survey year.

** Data not available.