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Number of consumer units (in thousands)	7,373	1,270	2,960	1,362	676	629	188	118	171
Number of sample interviews	5,732	906	2,301	1,129	524	503	148	101	120
<b>Consumer unit characteristics:</b>									
<b>Income before taxes <sup>1</sup></b>	\$12,685	\$3,763	\$7,278	\$12,228	\$17,129	\$24,312	\$34,090	\$43,659	\$71,115
<b>Income after taxes <sup>1</sup></b>	12,003	3,646	7,076	11,839	16,517	22,971	32,434	42,295	59,245
<b>Average number of persons in consumer unit</b>	1.6	1.2	1.4	1.7	1.9	2	2.5	2.2	2.5
<b>Age of reference person</b>	80.3	81	80.5	79.8	79.9	79.6	80.3	79.9	79.9
<b>Average number in consumer unit:</b>									
Earners	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.8	0.7	1
Vehicles	1	0.4	0.7	1.2	1.4	1.5	1.7	2	2.2
Children under 18	0	0	0	0	0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1
Persons 65 and over	1.3	1.1	1.2	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.8
<b>Percent distribution:</b>									
<b>Sex of reference person:</b>									
Male	44	19	33	61	71	62	68	69	80
Female	56	81	67	39	29	38	32	31	20
<b>Housing tenure:</b>									
Homeowner with mortgage	5	4	3	6	9	10	10	8	16
Homeowner without mortgage	64	55	58	71	72	73	73	85	68
Renter	31	41	38	23	19	16	17	7	16
<b>Race of reference person:</b>									
Black	8	19	8	5	2	4	1	3	9
White and other	92	81	92	95	98	96	99	97	91
<b>Education of reference person:</b>									
Elementary (1-8)	40	51	46	35	37	19	22	14	8
High school (9-12)	39	33	40	46	41	40	26	16	41
College	19	12	12	18	21	39	53	70	51
Never attended and other	2	4	2	1	0	1			
<b>At least one vehicle owned</b>	64	34	53	82	90	89	94	94	95
<b>Average annual expenditures:</b>									
<b>Food</b>	2,117	1,190	1,654	2,506	2,571	3,203	3,284	4,228	6,465
Food at home	1,507	1,055	1,257	1,743	1,759	2,147	2,077	2,468	3,010

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Cereals and bakery products	240	164	196	268	268	318	362	388	939
Cereals and cereal products	78	54	69	90	88	107	82	96	176
Bakery products	162	111	128	177	181	211	280	292	762
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	403	294	337	495	427	543	564	581	833
Beef	118	71	100	140	156	161	229	130	167
Pork	99	97	81	130	95	129	95	88	116
Other meats	51	34	39	62	57	82	63	86	153
Poultry	63	47	55	79	41	76	119	64	222
Fish and seafood	47	25	41	53	49	65	35	176	120
Eggs	26	21	22	31	30	30	22	39	55
Dairy products	191	138	169	208	236	273	182	321	274
Fresh milk and cream	96	81	91	108	112	103	72	120	112
Other dairy products	95	57	78	100	124	170	110	201	161
Fruits and vegetables	302	217	251	351	355	439	339	547	487
Fresh fruits	114	76	96	137	139	151	111	209	215
Fresh vegetables	84	65	70	89	102	128	100	185	104
Processed fruits	65	43	53	85	61	107	62	115	112
Processed vegetables	39	33	33	41	53	52	66	38	56
Other food at home	358	240	301	401	436	555	625	601	446
Sugar and other sweets	54	36	46	66	61	73	117	96	18
Fats and oils	42	27	37	45	46	69	51	70	47
Miscellaneous foods	132	85	107	145	162	207	281	277	206
Nonalcoholic beverages	131	93	111	145	167	207	177	158	176
Food prep by cu, out-of-town trips	12	2	3	20	36	20	4	32	32
Food away from home	610	134	396	763	812	1,056	1,207	1,760	3,456
<b>Alcoholic beverages</b>	74	16	31	84	102	225	103	342	375
<b>Housing</b>	4,423	2,735	3,713	4,649	5,970	5,851	7,059	9,920	9,706
Shelter	2,106	1,256	1,838	2,267	2,936	2,476	3,152	5,833	3,425
Owned dwellings	1,023	496	709	1,175	1,730	1,440	1,799	4,015	1,927
Mortgage interest and charges	92	36	29	67	151	150	338	864	545
Property taxes	441	227	300	555	628	681	805	1,865	571
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses	490	232	379	553	951	609	656	1,286	811
Rented dwellings	917	711	1,054	891	912	791	1,070	480	910
Other lodging	166	50	75	202	293	245	284	1,339	588
Utilities, fuels, and public services	1,336	1,109	1,171	1,406	1,503	1,690	1,927	2,057	2,199
Natural gas	226	177	190	248	243	312	460	320	350
Electricity	520	422	429	575	611	669	734	833	1,035
Fuel oil and other fuels	143	137	153	126	161	145	91	132	129
Telephone services	325	277	305	321	331	381	483	539	521
Water and other public services	121	97	93	136	157	184	160	235	164
Household operations	337	144	233	270	583	574	750	757	1,502
Personal services	79	10	69	47	325	76	196	0	0
Other household expenses	257	134	164	223	258	498	554	757	1,502

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Housekeeping supplies	245	89	194	347	282	422	529	318	279
Laundry and cleaning supplies	63	38	53	87	95	63	98	59	69
Other household products	106	39	71	176	110	210	216	112	99
Postage and stationery	75	13	70	84	76	149	216	147	111
Household furnishings and equipment	400	136	278	358	668	689	700	955	2,301
Household textiles	59	13	53	59	111	102	33	189	22
Furniture	69	30	47	53	87	93	231	268	403
Floor coverings	31	16	11	4	46	131	26	151	182
Major appliances	90	46	70	97	181	93	123	59	309
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	25	7	15	23	33	89	20	113	28
Miscellaneous household equipment	127	24	81	123	210	180	266	175	1,357
<b>Apparel and services</b>	497	206	353	592	478	883	1,851	1,125	1,604
Men and boys	107	15	63	152	93	300	417	275	112
Men, 16 and over	99	12	59	141	77	283	415	266	109
Boys, 2 to 15	8	4	5	11	17	17	2	9	3
Women and girls	230	132	172	242	251	328	1,020	427	883
Women, 16 and over	222	130	169	233	234	308	1,008	352	871
Girls, 2 to 15	9	2	3	9	17	20	12	75	11
Children under 2	8	1	6	14	11	14	18	10	8
Footwear	82	34	68	128	45	114	121	144	283
Other apparel products and services	69	24	44	57	77	127	274	269	319
<b>Transportation</b>	1,553	388	780	1,700	2,456	3,011	4,280	5,850	7,604
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	550	33	143	544	963	1,338	2,098	3,318	3,358
Cars and trucks, new	367	0	53	399	876	866	1,157	934	3,175
Cars and trucks, used	178	33	90	145	39	472	941	2,383	143
Other vehicles	5	0	0	0	48	0	0	0	41
Gasoline and motor oil	352	173	236	423	531	552	650	755	1,091
Other vehicle expenses	515	157	304	605	797	904	1,203	1,409	2,216
Vehicle finance charges	35	6	8	21	76	82	167	116	285
Maintenance and repairs	212	70	131	236	337	370	509	493	918
Vehicle insurance	218	68	136	296	315	352	397	630	790
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, other charges	50	13	30	53	70	100	130	170	222
Public transportation	136	26	96	128	164	218	329	368	939
<b>Health care</b>	1,752	1,030	1,420	1,856	2,679	3,054	2,203	2,924	2,300
Health insurance	683	410	572	762	924	1,086	988	1,141	900
Medical services	629	348	454	565	1,256	1,432	471	1,154	630
Drugs	367	237	335	455	421	432	479	557	498
Medical supplies	73	36	58	73	78	104	265	72	272
<b>Entertainment</b>	356	131	216	298	776	588	871	1,289	1,182
Fees and admissions	96	15	38	91	147	204	347	476	585
Television, radios, sound equipment	131	67	107	118	183	212	304	293	305
Pets, toys, and playground equipment	102	46	62	61	379	101	185	356	199

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Other supplies, equipment, and services	27	4	8	28	67	70	35	163	94
<b>Personal care products and services</b>	201	74	134	268	290	381	500	484	201
<b>Reading</b>	95	44	68	112	127	166	156	236	230
<b>Education</b>	8	5	3	3	1	30	30	2	59
<b>Tobacco products and smoking supplies</b>	88	56	76	113	110	95	117	127	153
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	270	157	232	231	287	314	527	1,183	887
<b>Cash contributions</b>	792	147	287	713	1,135	1,685	3,132	1,470	7,310
<b>Personal insurance and pensions</b>	283	81	98	165	308	742	1,335	1,317	2,264
Life and other personal insurance	127	81	85	114	155	215	555	231	327
Pensions and Social Security	156	1	13	51	153	527	780	1,086	1,937
<b>Sources of income and taxes: <sup>1</sup></b>									
<b>Money income before taxes</b>	12,685	3,763	7,278	12,228	17,129	24,312	34,090	43,659	71,115
Wages and salaries	1,316	10	111	392	1,430	4,174	6,315	8,113	18,133
Self-employment income	267	-21	16	120	140	487	1,197	2,808	4,856
Social Security, private and government retirement	8,449	3,284	6,546	10,130	12,292	13,710	15,300	15,103	19,714
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income	2,328	65	364	1,331	2,863	5,515	10,388	17,432	28,031
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits	76	58	57	100	27	132	405	16	18
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps	147	337	142	44	112	85		93	226
Regular contributions for support	59	8	27	89	238	82	34	57	
Other income	42	23	14	22	27	126	451	37	137
<b>Personal taxes <sup>1</sup></b>	682	117	202	390	612	1,340	1,656	1,364	11,871
Federal income taxes	533	75	147	303	411	939	1,323	1,075	10,207
State and local income taxes	90	38	20	36	71	191	293	221	1,497
Other taxes	60	4	35	51	129	210	39	69	166
<b>Income after taxes <sup>1</sup></b>	12,003	3,646	7,076	11,839	16,517	22,971	32,434	42,295	59,245
<b>Addenda:</b>									
Net change in total assets	334	682	93	-141	44	4,299	-1,613	13,365	-15,000
Net change in total liabilities	99	-72	-6	-198	-367	-53	-353	10,157	1,513

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<b>Other financial information</b>									
Other money receipts	145	40	58	68	63	636	1,181	279	337
Mortgage principal paid on owned property	-41	-19	-21	-42	-50	-99	-118	-45	-212
Estimated market value of owned home	44,630	29,465	33,668	44,154	59,388	64,312	98,927	131,000	101,000
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home	272	164	220	293	342	386	483	710	570
<b>Gifts of:</b>									
Clothing, males 2 and over	33	8	22	61	34	64	61	33	12
Clothing, females 2 and over	34	16	21	60	23	39	14	18	294
Clothing, infants less than 2	8	1	6	11	11	14	18	10	8
Jewelry and watches	7	0	2	8	11	16	8	73	57
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares	7	1	6	9	8	15	4	34	3
Household textiles	8	3	4	1	55	0	0	0	0
All other gifts	402	135	268	229	945	954	554	621	2,026

<sup>1</sup> Components of income and taxes are derived from "complete income reporters" only; see glossary at <http://stats.bls.gov/csxgloss.htm>

**Note:** All values have been rounded, and therefore some rounded values equal zero. When data are not reported or are not applicable (i.e., missing values), values are set to zero.

**Note:** Some data are likely to have large sampling errors