

Table 22. Selected midwestern metropolitan statistical areas: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 1993-94

Item	All consumer units in the Midwest	Chicago	Detroit	Milwaukee	Minneapolis-St. Paul	Cleveland	Cincinnati	St. Louis	Kansas City
Number of consumer units (in thousands)	25,497	3,080	1,846	604	1,047	1,190	780	1,053	745
Consumer unit characteristics:									
Income before taxes ¹	\$33,542	\$39,941	\$44,525	\$35,767	\$44,844	\$31,086	\$38,957	\$34,837	\$39,492
Age of reference person	47.7	47.9	49.2	48.2	45.9	47.5	45.7	46.7	47.8
Average number in consumer unit:									
Persons	2.5	2.7	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.6	2.6	2.5
Children under 18	0.7	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7
Persons 65 and over	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3
Earners	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.2	1.5	1.4	1.4
Vehicles	2.1	1.8	1.9	2.1	2.5	1.8	2.2	1.9	2.0
Percent homeowner	66	64	69	66	70	58	64	68	65
Average annual expenditures:									
Food	\$29,620	\$36,845	\$34,417	\$33,600	\$37,486	\$27,480	\$33,644	\$28,728	\$33,520
Food at home	4,190	5,156	4,577	4,074	5,116	4,194	4,746	3,976	4,604
Cereals and bakery products	2,548	3,003	2,719	2,445	3,097	2,568	2,711	2,318	2,961
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	411	475	462	402	488	396	417	352	503
Dairy products	660	825	758	593	720	752	688	572	725
Fruits and vegetables	276	287	268	255	365	289	285	271	336
Other food at home	398	536	422	394	486	385	412	394	442
Food away from home	803	880	809	802	1,037	746	910	729	955
Alcoholic beverages	1,642	2,153	1,858	1,628	2,020	1,626	2,035	1,659	1,643
Housing	248	242	238	334	483	300	300	261	294
Shelter	8,922	12,159	11,164	10,494	11,908	8,499	10,383	8,732	10,269
Owned dwellings	4,746	7,337	6,585	6,381	6,931	4,621	5,758	4,568	5,166
Rented dwellings	3,047	4,856	4,295	4,445	4,699	2,745	3,606	3,011	3,538
Other lodging	1,331	1,971	1,658	1,538	1,586	1,565	1,689	1,228	1,337
Utilities, fuels, and public services	369	511	632	397	646	312	462	329	291
Household operations	2,088	2,283	2,342	1,858	2,003	2,179	2,275	2,275	2,197
Housekeeping supplies	388	409	509	321	783	277	411	334	571
Household furnishings and equipment	396	446	376	480	465	357	459	380	439
Apparel and services	1,303	1,685	1,353	1,454	1,725	1,065	1,480	1,176	1,897
Transportation	1,642	2,340	2,136	1,943	1,893	1,416	1,945	1,298	1,868
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	5,823	6,816	7,541	6,930	6,101	5,433	6,261	5,958	6,251
Gasoline and motor oil	2,802	3,429	3,699	3,714	2,235	2,499	2,829	3,073	2,547
Other vehicle expenses	964	975	1,004	1,049	1,083	815	1,098	945	990
Public transportation	1,768	1,889	2,505	1,713	2,303	1,832	2,001	1,589	2,388
Public transportation	289	523	333	454	481	287	333	352	326

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Item	All consumer units in the Midwest	Chicago	Detroit	Milwaukee	Minneapolis-St. Paul	Cleveland	Cincinnati	St. Louis	Kansas City
Health care	1,671	1,946	1,293	1,535	1,698	1,536	1,953	1,582	2,037
Entertainment	1,481	1,583	1,503	1,550	2,115	1,349	2,065	1,313	1,608
Personal care products and services	378	568	469	350	394	350	370	391	412
Reading	163	191	166	196	215	183	216	134	157
Education	449	552	323	698	646	337	564	502	486
Tobacco products and smoking supplies	295	256	293	263	291	291	354	263	226
Miscellaneous	703	1,016	839	600	844	746	785	503	785
Cash contributions	953	1,200	911	1,728	915	664	753	897	1,426
Personal insurance and pensions	2,704	2,819	2,963	2,904	4,868	2,182	2,949	2,918	3,096
Life and other personal insurance	360	389	249	324	418	285	493	337	508
Pensions and Social Security	2,344	2,430	2,713	2,581	4,449	1,897	2,456	2,581	2,588

¹ 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.