

Table 3860. Consumer units with reference person age 65 to 74 by region of residence: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2001-2002

Item	Total 65-74	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Number of consumer units (in thousands)	11,279	2,207	2,696	4,317	2,059
Consumer unit characteristics:					
Income before taxes ¹	\$33,765	\$36,821	\$33,914	\$30,919	\$36,418
Income after taxes ¹	32,205	35,206	32,029	29,843	34,288
Age of reference person	69.3	69.5	69.4	69.2	69.4
Average number in consumer unit:					
Persons	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.9
Children under 181	.1	.1	.1	.1
Persons 65 and over	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4
Earners6	.6	.6	.6	.6
Vehicles	1.8	1.6	1.9	1.8	2.1
Percent distribution:					
Sex of reference person:					
Male	51	53	49	52	50
Female	49	47	51	48	50
Housing tenure:					
Homeowner	83	77	85	86	80
With mortgage	26	19	24	26	34
Without mortgage	57	58	60	61	45
Renter	17	23	15	14	20
Race of reference person:					
Black	11	9	8	16	4
White and other	89	91	92	84	96
Education of reference person:					
Elementary (1-8)	11	11	9	12	8
High school (9-12)	48	49	55	47	39
College	41	39	36	40	52
Never attended and other	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	1
At least one vehicle owned or leased	88	80	91	88	90
Average annual expenditures	\$32,133	\$35,839	\$31,660	\$28,994	\$35,232
Food	4,344	4,664	4,199	3,867	5,096
Food at home	2,737	2,819	2,557	2,619	3,091
Cereals and bakery products	402	449	358	389	427
Cereals and cereal products	126	126	116	124	143
Bakery products	276	323	242	265	284
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	721	739	723	690	758
Beef	211	176	278	198	197
Pork	165	149	145	188	160
Other meats	89	113	84	72	99
Poultry	118	140	109	107	126
Fish and seafood	106	132	82	90	134
Eggs	32	30	23	35	40
Dairy products	287	300	260	276	328
Fresh milk and cream	112	106	110	111	123
Other dairy products	175	194	151	165	205
Fruits and vegetables	524	558	470	475	647
Fresh fruits	173	182	159	148	226
Fresh vegetables	166	176	140	150	215
Processed fruits	106	121	100	94	120
Processed vegetables	80	78	71	84	85

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Item	Total 65-74	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Other food at home	\$803	\$774	\$746	\$790	\$932
Sugar and other sweets	112	104	118	114	111
Fats and oils	84	90	75	82	93
Miscellaneous foods	359	338	331	352	432
Nonalcoholic beverages	202	185	181	207	236
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips	45	56	42	34	61
Food away from home	1,607	1,845	1,641	1,247	2,005
Alcoholic beverages	278	359	249	202	371
Housing	10,342	12,553	9,495	8,996	11,896
Shelter	5,446	7,134	4,923	4,313	6,697
Owned dwellings	3,935	5,053	3,539	3,258	4,673
Mortgage interest and charges	1,309	1,027	1,045	1,164	2,260
Property taxes	1,406	2,567	1,363	979	1,115
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses	1,220	1,460	1,131	1,115	1,298
Rented dwellings	952	1,355	866	588	1,396
Other lodging	559	725	519	468	628
Utilities, fuels, and public services	2,645	2,739	2,592	2,677	2,546
Natural gas	386	497	472	286	364
Electricity	998	834	928	1,198	847
Fuel oil and other fuels	135	379	98	65	69
Telephone services	770	744	768	771	796
Water and other public services	356	284	326	358	470
Household operations	605	1,036	368	519	633
Personal services	87	³ 112	³ 60	118	³ 31
Other household expenses	518	925	308	402	602
Housekeeping supplies	514	486	498	484	622
Laundry and cleaning supplies	126	111	114	131	149
Other household products	237	225	233	227	273
Postage and stationery	151	149	152	125	200
Household furnishings and equipment	1,133	1,158	1,114	1,003	1,398
Household textiles	122	150	124	92	142
Furniture	256	377	200	214	286
Floor coverings	41	29	49	38	49
Major appliances	164	99	177	159	227
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	84	81	96	77	84
Miscellaneous household equipment	467	422	468	422	609
Apparel and services	1,202	1,381	1,295	1,041	1,213
Men and boys	275	302	252	259	308
Men, 16 and over	240	247	207	233	287
Boys, 2 to 15	35	55	46	26	21
Women and girls	544	647	665	447	468
Women, 16 and over	506	609	626	411	431
Girls, 2 to 15	37	38	39	36	36
Children under 2	26	32	26	25	20
Footwear	189	164	224	164	223
Other apparel products and services	168	236	128	146	193
Transportation	5,705	5,903	5,857	5,367	5,996
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	2,454	2,464	2,582	2,470	2,241
Cars and trucks, new	1,370	1,594	1,354	1,283	1,333
Cars and trucks, used	1,061	842	1,155	1,187	908
Other vehicles	³ 23	³ 28	³ 73	(⁴)	(⁴)
Gasoline and motor oil	982	922	1,031	938	1,076

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Item	Total 65-74	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Other vehicle expenses	\$1,848	\$1,953	\$1,901	\$1,622	\$2,139
Vehicle finance charges	201	172	199	213	210
Maintenance and repairs	539	543	537	463	700
Vehicle insurance	749	748	759	710	815
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, other charges	359	490	405	235	413
Public transportation	421	564	344	337	540
Health care	3,586	3,010	3,980	3,625	3,607
Health insurance	1,839	1,726	2,046	1,797	1,778
Medical services	751	515	820	783	847
Drugs	846	634	947	924	784
Medical supplies	149	135	167	121	198
Entertainment	1,333	1,398	1,363	1,122	1,668
Fees and admissions	380	429	349	295	549
Television, radios, sound equipment	523	622	473	486	560
Pets, toys, and playground equipment	234	185	232	231	301
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services	196	163	309	111	258
Personal care products and services	475	456	487	432	570
Reading	160	195	176	121	181
Education	245	453	103	161	382
Tobacco products and smoking supplies	219	202	204	252	185
Miscellaneous	992	2,159	651	740	720
Cash contributions	1,530	1,410	1,950	1,394	1,396
Personal insurance and pensions	1,723	1,695	1,650	1,673	1,951
Life and other personal insurance	510	435	520	547	498
Pensions and Social Security	1,213	1,260	1,130	1,126	1,453
Sources of income and personal taxes: ¹					
Money income before taxes	33,765	36,821	33,914	30,919	36,418
Wages and salaries	12,026	15,846	10,817	10,455	12,844
Self-employment income	1,333	923	1,631	948	2,210
Social Security, private and government retirement	17,949	18,183	18,737	17,602	17,480
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income	1,696	1,243	1,792	1,392	2,695
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits	106	164	115	89	69
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps	349	284	276	239	740
Regular contributions for support	127	³ 130	71	154	132
Other income	178	³ 47	³ 475	40	247
Personal taxes	1,560	1,615	1,885	1,076	2,130
Federal income taxes	1,146	1,083	1,335	853	1,601
State and local income taxes	217	295	291	73	348
Other taxes	197	238	258	150	180
Income after taxes	32,205	35,206	32,029	29,843	34,288

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Item	Total 65-74	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Addenda:					
Net change in total assets and liabilities	\$2,644	\$23,122	-\$1,266	-\$4,387	\$557
Net change in total assets	5,392	23,042	486	-1,906	8,197
Net change in total liabilities	2,747	-81	1,752	2,482	7,640
Other financial information:					
Other money receipts	381	226	391	399	495
Mortgage principal paid on owned property	-981	-776	-1,070	-860	-1,336
Estimated market value of owned home	139,580	221,414	100,961	94,241	197,497
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home ..	796	879	696	698	1,045
Gifts of goods and services	1,031	1,035	1,029	854	1,394
Food	43	25	63	32	62
Alcoholic beverages	11	³ 5	14	4	31
Housing	259	290	294	186	327
Housekeeping supplies	44	47	55	25	64
Household textiles	22	³ 36	28	11	17
Appliances and miscellaneous					
housewares	27	27	39	17	32
Major appliances	7	³ 7	6	³ 3	³ 13
Small appliances and miscellaneous					
housewares	21	³ 19	33	14	20
Miscellaneous household equipment	66	66	79	52	77
Other housing	100	113	92	80	137
Apparel and services	238	282	294	185	224
Males, 2 and over	88	80	99	80	101
Females, 2 and over	82	116	124	49	56
Children under 2	24	32	23	23	20
Other apparel products and services	43	54	48	33	48
Jewelry and watches	14	22	11	11	15
All other apparel products and services	29	³ 32	37	22	33
Transportation	50	6	9	35	181
Health care	72	³ 75	³ 47	105	33
Entertainment	73	73	83	66	77
Toys, games, hobbies, and tricycles	37	37	37	36	41
Other entertainment	36	36	46	30	36
Personal care products and services	21	31	21	17	15
Reading	3	3	4	2	4
Education	120	169	56	85	224
All other gifts	142	77	144	139	215

¹ Components of income and taxes are derived from "complete income reporters" only; see glossary.

² Value less than 0.5.

³ Data are likely to have large sampling errors.

⁴ No data reported.
n.a. Not applicable.