

Table 3650. Consumer units of five or more people by age of reference person: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2014-2015

Item	Total five or more people	Under 25 years	25-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and older
Number of consumer units (in thousands)	12,352	509	2,528	4,633	2,928	1,229	525
Consumer unit characteristics:							
Income before taxes	\$91,539	\$53,524	\$65,817	\$96,000	\$109,664	\$106,740	\$76,242
Income after taxes	83,493	55,475	64,028	86,693	96,700	95,774	73,757
Age of reference person	42.4	21.2	30.7	39.4	48.8	58.8	71.2
Average number in consumer unit:							
People	5.7	5.8	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.7
Children under 18	2.7	2.3	3.3	3.1	2.3	1.8	1.7
Adults 65 and older2	1.1	(²)	.1	.1	.2	1.5
Earners	2.2	2.3	1.8	2.1	2.6	2.6	1.9
Vehicles	2.5	1.9	2.0	2.4	2.8	2.8	2.8
Percent distribution:							
Reference person:							
Men	42	33	33	44	46	52	43
Women	58	67	67	56	54	48	57
Housing tenure:							
Homeowner	65	32	47	64	76	84	81
With mortgage	49	19	36	53	56	56	38
Without mortgage	16	13	11	11	20	28	43
Renter	35	68	53	36	24	16	19
Race of reference person:							
Black or African-American	14	19	15	14	15	14	13
White, Asian, and all other races	86	81	85	86	85	86	87
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:							
Hispanic or Latino	28	46	32	29	23	23	17
Not Hispanic or Latino	72	54	68	71	77	77	83
Education of reference person:							
Elementary (1-8)	8	3	6	7	10	10	12
High school (9-12)	36	60	43	32	30	34	47
College	56	37	51	61	58	54	39
Never attended and other	1	(³)	(³)	(²)	1	2	2
At least one vehicle owned or leased	94	83	93	95	94	94	89
Average annual expenditures	\$70,247	\$49,064	\$55,740	\$74,545	\$81,302	\$73,265	\$59,700
Food							
Food at home	9,957	8,142	8,105	10,708	10,965	10,581	9,301
Food at home	6,266	5,707	5,157	6,647	6,656	7,272	6,100
Cereals and bakery products	866	802	745	896	920	1,010	832
Cereals and cereal products	313	318	312	308	321	345	244
Bakery products	553	484	434	587	599	665	588
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	1,494	1,508	1,210	1,559	1,626	1,686	1,476
Beef	423	386	321	426	511	501	404
Pork	283	326	241	291	282	309	381
Other meats	208	184	160	227	215	280	183
Poultry	289	305	271	300	291	285	276
Fish and seafood	187	197	109	213	221	208	149
Eggs	104	110	109	102	105	103	83
Dairy products	641	539	528	697	658	777	581
Fresh milk and cream	250	208	219	271	244	313	210
Other dairy products	391	331	309	426	414	464	372
Fruits and vegetables	1,161	994	941	1,281	1,205	1,320	1,018
Fresh fruits	425	372	339	481	450	436	314
Fresh vegetables	355	289	276	394	368	455	307
Processed fruits	170	122	140	182	182	196	178
Processed vegetables	210	211	187	224	205	233	218
Other food at home	2,105	1,864	1,732	2,213	2,247	2,480	2,193
Sugar and other sweets	214	134	172	231	219	317	196
Fats and oils	181	145	138	189	204	222	215
Miscellaneous foods	1,094	1,042	952	1,144	1,153	1,164	1,072
Nonalcoholic beverages	561	526	424	584	609	730	674

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Item	Total five or more people	Under 25 years	25-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and older
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips	55	¹ 16	47	65	61	47	¹ 37
Food away from home	3,691	2,435	2,948	4,061	4,309	3,308	3,201
Alcoholic beverages	332	217	168	430	323	354	565
Housing	22,458	16,952	18,694	24,689	24,360	22,121	17,551
Shelter	12,525	9,980	10,366	14,114	13,570	11,376	8,221
Owned dwellings	7,840	2,483	4,758	9,129	9,502	8,370	6,008
Mortgage interest and charges	4,367	1,290	2,875	5,354	4,977	4,186	2,849
Property taxes	2,155	898	1,186	2,287	2,885	2,580	1,806
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses	1,318	295	696	1,488	1,639	1,604	1,353
Rented dwellings	4,031	7,303	5,374	4,337	3,031	2,040	1,921
Other lodging	653	¹ 194	234	648	1,037	966	292
Utilities, fuels, and public services	5,418	4,525	4,556	5,398	5,942	6,251	5,743
Natural gas	607	530	497	588	694	723	626
Electricity	2,009	1,635	1,760	1,985	2,144	2,297	2,352
Fuel oil and other fuels	122	¹ 23	68	110	202	124	¹ 128
Telephone services	1,894	1,647	1,532	1,951	2,103	2,125	1,669
Residential phone service, VOIP, and phone cards	373	187	206	359	467	542	559
Cellular phone service	1,521	1,459	1,325	1,593	1,636	1,583	1,110
Water and other public services	787	690	700	763	800	982	969
Household operations	1,652	729	1,615	2,023	1,520	1,196	1,253
Personal services	760	¹ 92	1,025	1,040	462	¹ 286	¹ 339
Other household expenses	892	537	590	983	1,058	910	914
Housekeeping supplies	855	459	610	856	1,135	1,058	872
Laundry and cleaning supplies	249	121	192	266	306	227	313
Other household products	474	278	334	451	625	725	495
Postage and stationery	132	60	83	139	204	106	65
Household furnishings and equipment	2,009	1,259	1,547	2,298	2,193	2,240	1,461
Household textiles	116	¹ 34	53	129	120	307	¹ 143
Furniture	568	390	504	730	534	379	254
Floor coverings	20	¹ 15	9	22	17	45	¹ 13
Major appliances	348	316	282	357	408	320	315
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	140	108	67	178	151	186	191
Miscellaneous household equipment	817	396	632	881	963	1,003	645
Apparel and services	2,804	3,241	2,386	2,858	3,058	3,349	1,792
Men and boys	768	709	657	838	785	934	433
Men, 16 and over	443	405	276	459	524	756	¹ 324
Boys, 2 to 15	325	305	381	379	261	178	109
Women and girls	969	1,392	666	961	1,175	1,199	745
Women, 16 and over	646	1,243	388	569	859	960	386
Girls, 2 to 15	322	150	277	392	316	240	359
Children under 2	187	¹ 209	378	137	107	¹ 104	¹ 57
Footwear	648	675	532	610	767	950	1,475
Other apparel products and services	232	256	153	312	224	161	83
Transportation	12,664	8,378	11,075	12,958	15,156	11,988	10,516
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	5,218	2,891	5,272	5,276	6,384	3,484	¹ 4,263
Cars and trucks, new	1,945	¹ 519	2,247	1,690	2,719	¹ 1,207	¹ 1,541
Cars and trucks, used	3,211	2,372	2,990	3,536	3,539	2,219	2,722
Other vehicles	61	⁽³⁾	¹ 35	¹ 50	¹ 126	¹ 58	⁽³⁾
Gasoline and motor oil	3,424	2,921	2,929	3,522	3,708	3,745	3,092
Other vehicle expenses	3,383	1,983	2,522	3,403	4,333	4,067	2,778
Vehicle finance charges	328	202	314	350	333	350	239
Maintenance and repairs	1,083	624	757	1,095	1,412	1,173	1,042
Vehicle insurance	1,359	¹ 750	926	1,371	1,847	¹ 1,789	¹ 1,071
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges	614	408	526	588	741	756	425
Public and other transportation	639	583	352	756	731	692	383
Healthcare	4,534	1,797	3,237	4,776	5,214	5,457	5,452
Health insurance	3,009	1,044	2,337	3,202	3,267	3,433	4,034
Medical services	974	403	603	1,087	1,222	1,101	627
Drugs	397	224	208	344	529	674	646
Medical supplies	154	¹ 126	89	143	196	249	144
Entertainment	3,383	1,501	2,786	3,800	3,895	2,773	3,053

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Item	Total five or more people	Under 25 years	25-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and older
Fees and admissions	877	160	515	1,156	1,084	497	495
Audio and visual equipment and services	1,234	1,015	979	1,354	1,293	1,270	1,313
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment	736	232	919	764	631	641	816
Pets	509	209	679	464	481	396	631
Toys, hobbies, and playground equipment	228	124	241	300	150	245	185
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services	535	194	372	526	887	365	1428
Personal care products and services	756	531	490	854	919	783	593
Reading	100	170	82	105	108	138	187
Education	1,854	2,622	868	1,566	3,069	2,079	1,150
Tobacco products and smoking supplies	394	436	375	286	429	618	693
Miscellaneous	892	310	618	903	1,073	965	1,540
Cash contributions	1,971	730	1,329	2,176	2,600	1,839	1,250
Personal insurance and pensions	8,147	4,139	5,528	8,436	10,133	10,219	6,156
Life and other personal insurance	395	134	132	469	589	352	382
Pensions and Social Security	7,751	4,105	5,397	7,967	9,543	9,868	5,774
Sources of income and personal taxes:							
Money income before taxes	\$91,539	\$53,524	\$65,817	\$96,000	\$109,664	\$106,740	\$76,242
Wages and salaries	79,104	47,385	56,364	84,334	96,920	89,605	49,256
Self-employment income	6,786	2,555	4,638	7,434	8,113	8,978	12,979
Social Security, private and government retirement	2,596	1,131	1,126	1,216	2,048	5,380	19,827
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income	1,069	1150	1,437	1,176	863	548	1,602
Public assistance, Supplemental Security Income, Supplementary Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	1,216	1,822	1,547	1,016	1,077	1,319	1,331
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits, and regular contributions for support	502	1376	459	560	331	547	1,173
Other income	267	1106	245	264	312	363	175
Personal taxes (contains some imputed values)	8,046	-1,951	1,788	9,307	12,964	10,966	2,485
Federal income taxes	5,634	-2,375	502	6,653	9,683	7,903	1,233
State and local income taxes	2,368	420	1,254	2,622	3,222	2,968	1,214
Other taxes	44	13	132	32	159	195	139
Income after taxes	83,493	55,475	64,028	86,693	96,700	95,774	73,757
Addenda:							
Net change in total assets and liabilities	\$4,439	\$8,845	-\$2,584	\$136	\$5,102	\$32,027	\$3,671
Net change in total assets	15,197	14,161	7,296	13,741	17,750	35,109	6,238
Net change in total liabilities	10,758	5,316	9,880	13,605	12,648	3,082	2,567
Other financial information:							
Other money receipts	209	157	187	168	1295	1562	(3)
Mortgage principal paid on owned property	-2,420	-618	-1,260	-2,518	-3,313	-3,259	-1,942
Estimated market value of owned home	188,454	79,988	94,807	193,993	257,909	239,151	189,703
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home	1,040	452	599	1,085	1,335	1,295	1,083
Gifts of goods and services, total	581	627	460	526	708	856	448
Food	44	18	22	59	54	144	119
Alcoholic beverages	7	12	14	6	10	112	(3)
Housing	143	1221	158	126	174	104	179
Housekeeping supplies	28	16	16	39	47	116	12
Household textiles	14	14	11	16	(2)	122	(3)
Appliances and miscellaneous housewares	13	(3)	11	12	135	11	(3)
Major appliances	8	(3)	11	13	130	11	(3)

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Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares	15	(³)	(²)	19	15	(²)	(³)
Miscellaneous household equipment	14	¹ 12	¹ 10	13	21	¹ 10	¹ 23
Other housing	83	¹ 200	140	57	72	¹ 56	¹ 53
Apparel and services	175	¹ 161	190	146	140	351	¹ 300
Males, 2 and over	47	¹ 141	¹ 12	45	29	¹ 167	¹ 52
Females, 2 and over	38	¹ 4	19	39	46	¹ 90	¹ 55
Children under 2	56	¹ 3	134	¹ 38	¹ 24	¹ 48	¹ 31
Other apparel products and services	34	¹ 13	¹ 25	¹ 24	¹ 42	¹ 46	¹ 162
Jewelry and watches	14	(³)	¹ 2	16	12	¹ 10	(³)
All other apparel products and services ...	30	¹ 13	¹ 23	¹ 18	140	¹ 35	¹ 162
Transportation	68	¹ 199	38	51	107	73	8
Healthcare	19	(²)	¹ 2	14	¹ 26	¹ 3	¹ 12
Entertainment	55	¹ 17	¹ 20	72	75	¹ 53	¹ 19
Toys, games, arts and crafts, and tricycles	19	¹ 9	¹ 13	¹ 21	¹ 25	¹ 18	(³)
Other entertainment	36	¹ 8	7	51	50	35	¹ 19
Personal care products and services	8	(³)	¹ 2	17	¹ 5	¹ 1	(³)
Reading	1	(³)	¹ 1	11	¹ 2	(³)	¹ 13
Education	52	¹ 9	¹ 5	¹ 27	¹ 86	¹ 198	(³)
All other gifts	19	¹ 1	18	17	28	16	¹ 18

- ¹ Data are likely to have large sampling errors.
- ² Value is too small to display.
- ³ No data reported.

Source: Consumer Expenditure Survey, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, August, 2016