

Table 57. Age of reference person: Shares of annual aggregate expenditures and sources of income, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2003

(Aggregates in millions of dollars, unless otherwise indicated)

Item	Aggregate	Under 25	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65 and over	65-74	75 and over
Number of consumer units (in thousands)	115,356	8,584	19,737	24,413	23,131	16,580	22,912	11,495	11,417
Percent distribution of consumer units	100.0	7.4	17.1	21.2	20.1	14.4	19.9	10.0	9.9
Consumer unit characteristics (mean values):									
Income before taxes ¹	\$51,128	\$20,680	\$50,389	\$61,091	\$68,028	\$58,672	\$30,437	\$35,314	\$25,492
Income after taxes ¹	48,596	20,259	48,410	58,275	64,080	55,844	28,559	33,859	23,185
Age of reference person	48.4	21.3	29.7	39.7	49.4	59.0	75.1	69.2	81.1
Average number in consumer unit:									
Persons	2.5	1.8	2.9	3.2	2.6	2.1	1.7	1.9	1.5
Children under 186	.4	1.1	1.3	.6	.2	.1	.1	(²)
Persons 65 and over3	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	.1	1.4	1.4	1.3
Earners	1.3	1.2	1.5	1.6	1.8	1.4	.4	.6	.2
Vehicles	1.9	1.1	1.8	2.1	2.4	2.3	1.5	1.8	1.2
Percent distribution:									
Sex of reference person:									
Male	50	49	51	52	51	53	45	50	41
Female	50	51	49	48	49	47	55	50	59
Housing tenure:									
Homeowner	67	15	48	69	76	82	80	83	78
With mortgage	41	9	42	57	56	44	17	27	8
Without mortgage	26	7	7	12	20	38	63	56	70
Renter	33	85	52	31	24	18	20	17	22
Race of reference person:									
Black or African American	12	10	13	14	12	10	10	11	8
White, Asian, and All Other Races	88	90	87	86	88	90	90	89	92
Education of reference person:									
Elementary (1-8)	6	2	3	4	4	6	14	11	18
High school (9-12)	36	30	30	37	34	36	46	45	47
College	57	68	66	59	62	57	39	43	35
Never attended and other	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	1	1	1
At least one vehicle owned or leased	88	71	89	91	92	91	82	87	76
Annual aggregate expenditures	\$4,706,196	4.1	17.0	24.4	24.7	15.5	14.2	8.2	6.0
Food	614,570	4.9	17.3	24.6	24.4	14.5	14.2	8.5	5.7
Food at home	360,060	4.4	16.5	24.1	24.1	14.8	16.0	9.3	6.7
Cereals and bakery products	50,831	4.5	16.5	24.8	23.6	13.5	17.0	9.4	7.6
Cereals and cereal products	17,277	5.0	18.0	25.6	22.8	13.1	15.5	8.6	6.9
Bakery products	33,554	4.3	15.8	24.4	23.9	13.8	17.8	9.8	8.0
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	94,890	4.1	16.2	23.7	24.9	15.5	15.6	9.2	6.4
Beef	28,257	4.2	16.0	22.6	26.7	16.4	14.1	9.2	4.9
Pork	19,634	4.0	14.4	23.0	24.9	15.8	17.9	9.7	8.1
Other meats	11,739	4.1	15.4	25.2	24.6	14.9	15.9	9.0	6.8
Poultry	16,642	4.6	18.1	25.2	24.2	13.8	14.1	7.9	6.1
Fish and seafood	14,322	3.6	17.2	23.5	23.1	16.6	16.0	9.8	6.2
Eggs	4,296	4.9	16.3	24.7	21.9	13.7	18.5	10.5	8.1
Dairy products	37,746	4.6	16.8	24.8	23.6	13.9	16.4	9.4	7.0
Fresh milk and cream	14,561	4.7	17.4	26.1	22.3	13.0	16.6	9.4	7.2
Other dairy products	23,185	4.5	16.4	23.9	24.3	14.5	16.3	9.5	6.8
Fruits and vegetables	61,614	4.0	16.0	23.2	23.7	15.5	17.6	10.1	7.5
Fresh fruits	19,664	3.4	16.0	23.3	24.4	15.5	17.4	10.1	7.3
Fresh vegetables	19,789	3.9	15.9	22.8	23.7	15.7	18.1	10.7	7.4
Processed fruits	12,473	4.7	16.6	23.7	22.9	14.9	17.1	9.2	7.9
Processed vegetables	9,688	4.1	15.8	23.1	23.4	16.1	17.6	10.0	7.6

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(Aggregates in millions of dollars, unless otherwise indicated)

Item	Aggregate	Under 25	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65 and over	65-74	75 and over
Other food at home	\$114,979	4.7	16.9	24.4	24.2	14.8	14.9	8.8	6.2
Sugar and other sweets	13,703	4.0	14.8	25.9	24.2	14.7	16.4	9.4	7.0
Fats and oils	9,865	4.0	15.3	23.3	24.1	15.2	18.1	10.4	7.7
Miscellaneous foods	56,342	5.3	18.0	24.1	23.8	14.2	14.5	8.5	6.0
Nonalcoholic beverages	30,883	4.6	16.6	24.7	25.1	15.2	13.9	8.1	5.7
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips	4,185	2.4	14.4	24.8	23.8	18.7	15.9	10.8	5.1
Food away from home	254,510	5.7	18.3	25.4	24.8	14.1	11.7	7.5	4.1
Alcoholic beverages	45,028	10.1	19.8	22.7	24.9	13.3	9.2	6.1	3.1
Housing	1,549,166	3.9	18.3	25.3	23.4	14.6	14.4	8.0	6.4
Shelter	909,862	4.3	19.3	26.0	23.5	13.8	13.1	7.3	5.8
Owned dwellings	607,115	1.1	15.7	27.9	26.3	15.8	13.3	8.1	5.1
Mortgage interest and charges	340,765	1.1	19.5	32.5	27.8	13.3	5.7	4.5	1.2
Property taxes	155,019	1.3	11.6	23.3	24.3	18.9	20.7	10.9	9.8
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses	111,332	.7	9.8	20.2	24.5	18.8	26.0	15.3	10.8
Rented dwellings	251,419	12.3	30.1	22.5	15.2	7.8	12.1	4.8	7.4
Other lodging	51,328	3.6	9.3	20.1	31.0	20.1	15.8	9.4	6.5
Utilities, fuels, and public services	324,316	3.5	15.7	23.7	23.8	15.8	17.6	9.7	7.9
Natural gas	45,221	2.2	14.9	23.1	23.9	15.8	20.1	10.4	9.6
Electricity	118,577	3.4	15.2	23.6	23.4	16.1	18.3	10.1	8.1
Fuel oil and other fuels	12,634	1.6	9.6	21.0	23.7	19.2	24.9	12.7	12.2
Telephone services	110,246	4.8	17.9	24.3	24.3	14.8	14.0	8.1	5.9
Water and other public services	37,639	2.3	13.7	23.7	23.5	16.6	20.2	10.8	9.5
Household operations	81,573	2.4	21.1	28.4	18.0	12.3	17.8	7.1	10.7
Personal services	33,861	3.4	33.3	37.6	8.3	3.5	14.0	1.3	12.7
Other household expenses	47,713	1.7	12.5	21.9	24.8	18.5	20.6	11.2	9.4
Housekeeping supplies	60,858	3.3	14.9	23.7	23.9	16.4	17.8	11.2	6.6
Laundry and cleaning supplies	15,223	4.3	18.4	23.6	23.9	14.7	15.1	9.4	5.8
Other household products	30,308	3.0	13.4	24.7	24.2	16.4	18.2	11.9	6.3
Postage and stationery	15,327	3.0	14.4	21.6	23.2	18.0	19.8	11.6	8.2
Household furnishings and equipment	172,556	3.7	18.0	24.4	24.3	17.4	12.2	7.9	4.3
Household textiles	13,067	2.8	16.6	19.9	27.8	17.4	15.5	11.0	4.5
Furniture	46,237	3.8	21.3	27.3	22.5	16.0	9.1	5.6	3.5
Floor coverings	5,971	1.1	10.4	25.1	24.0	21.0	18.4	10.7	7.7
Major appliances	22,566	2.6	19.0	22.5	22.3	16.9	16.7	11.2	5.6
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	10,107	4.1	13.5	22.1	25.8	20.4	14.0	9.0	5.1
Miscellaneous household equipment	74,607	4.3	17.2	24.2	25.2	17.8	11.3	7.4	3.9
Apparel and services	188,856	5.2	19.5	26.8	24.2	13.4	10.8	7.3	3.5
Men and boys	42,800	5.4	18.2	30.0	25.6	11.9	9.0	5.8	3.1
Men, 16 and over	32,488	6.4	16.8	26.0	26.9	13.6	10.4	6.6	3.8
Boys, 2 to 15	10,312	2.3	22.5	42.6	21.5	6.6	4.5	3.4	1.1
Women and girls	73,034	4.3	17.0	25.3	26.0	14.5	12.9	8.7	4.1
Women, 16 and over	60,844	4.8	15.9	21.7	27.4	16.0	14.2	9.4	4.8
Girls, 2 to 15	12,190	1.8	22.7	43.2	19.3	6.9	6.0	5.2	.8
Children under 2	9,384	10.9	37.2	24.5	12.8	10.5	4.2	2.4	1.8
Footwear	33,823	5.5	19.5	29.5	23.3	11.3	11.0	7.3	3.7
Other apparel products and services	29,816	5.3	21.6	23.7	22.6	16.5	10.3	7.3	3.1
Transportation	897,513	4.5	17.8	24.2	25.2	16.0	12.3	7.7	4.6
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	430,483	4.5	18.0	24.1	24.9	16.5	12.0	7.4	4.6
Cars and trucks, new	236,765	3.6	14.6	22.9	25.1	18.4	15.4	9.2	6.2
Cars and trucks, used	185,892	5.7	22.1	25.4	24.3	14.7	7.9	5.1	2.7
Other vehicles	7,827	42.1	24.2	30.5	33.4	44.2	45.7	45.6	4.1
Gasoline and motor oil	153,742	5.3	17.8	25.1	24.7	15.2	11.8	7.6	4.2

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Item	Aggregate	Under 25	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65 and over	65-74	75 and over
Other vehicle expenses	\$268,875	4.2	18.0	24.0	25.9	15.3	12.7	7.9	4.7
Vehicle finance charges	42,750	4.5	22.3	27.2	26.3	13.0	6.7	5.1	1.5
Maintenance and repairs	71,381	4.3	15.4	23.1	25.4	16.9	14.9	9.7	5.3
Vehicle insurance	104,428	4.1	17.2	23.3	26.5	14.8	14.0	8.0	6.1
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, other charges	50,316	3.7	19.4	23.9	25.3	16.1	11.6	7.8	3.9
Public transportation	44,413	3.6	15.1	22.6	24.8	18.5	15.4	9.6	5.8
Health care	278,705	1.7	10.4	18.4	20.6	18.2	30.7	15.0	15.8
Health insurance	144,383	1.7	11.1	18.8	18.7	18.0	31.8	15.7	16.1
Medical services	68,155	1.6	11.4	21.4	24.4	18.1	23.1	11.5	11.6
Drugs	53,821	1.6	7.4	13.6	19.8	19.2	38.3	17.9	20.4
Medical supplies	12,346	2.6	9.9	19.0	25.7	15.8	26.9	12.4	14.5
Entertainment	237,501	3.5	16.3	25.8	23.5	16.8	14.1	9.8	4.3
Fees and admissions	57,039	3.5	13.9	27.3	25.3	17.4	12.6	7.7	4.9
Television, radios, sound equipment	84,210	4.7	18.3	25.3	23.8	14.6	13.3	7.7	5.6
Pets, toys, and playground equipment	43,580	2.8	18.3	24.4	24.1	14.3	16.0	12.0	4.1
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services	52,672	1.9	14.0	26.3	20.6	21.7	15.5	13.6	1.9
Personal care products and services	60,708	4.7	16.3	24.1	23.7	14.8	16.4	9.3	7.1
Reading	14,681	3.1	13.3	18.9	23.7	19.0	22.1	11.7	10.4
Education	90,347	14.2	14.9	18.7	35.3	13.6	3.3	2.2	1.0
Tobacco products and smoking supplies	33,418	5.9	16.8	22.8	26.6	16.7	11.1	7.5	3.6
Miscellaneous	69,879	3.1	15.0	20.9	27.5	16.0	17.4	9.0	8.4
Cash contributions	158,025	2.0	9.4	19.4	24.2	16.5	28.5	13.2	15.4
Personal insurance and pensions	467,798	2.5	17.5	27.1	29.7	17.1	6.1	4.5	1.6
Life and other personal insurance	45,831	.8	8.6	20.3	30.3	20.6	19.4	12.6	6.7
Pensions and Social Security	421,968	2.7	18.4	27.9	29.6	16.7	4.7	3.7	1.0
Sources of income and personal taxes: ¹									
Money income before taxes	4,979,403	3.0	17.1	25.3	26.5	16.2	11.9	7.0	4.9
Wages and salaries	4,012,508	3.4	19.9	28.7	28.9	15.5	3.6	3.0	.6
Self-employment income	208,249	1.2	9.8	24.0	31.9	18.0	15.1	9.4	5.7
Social Security, private and government retirement interest, dividends, rental income, other property income	545,459	.2	.9	3.2	8.6	19.7	67.4	33.9	33.5
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits	106,877	.6	4.4	11.9	23.2	24.8	35.2	14.2	21.0
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps	26,217	2.2	19.0	27.5	26.4	16.7	8.1	4.1	4.0
Regular contributions for support	30,609	6.2	18.8	25.0	19.0	17.4	13.6	7.8	5.8
Other income	33,396	16.1	18.8	31.3	17.5	11.3	5.1	2.9	2.2
Income after taxes	16,088	21.4	17.6	24.5	14.0	10.5	12.0	6.7	5.4
Personal taxes	246,569	1.2	13.5	23.6	31.0	15.8	14.8	5.8	9.0
Federal income taxes	179,498	1.1	12.5	22.8	31.5	15.4	16.6	5.7	10.9
State and local income taxes	48,845	2.1	18.8	27.8	32.3	14.4	4.6	3.0	1.5
Other taxes	18,226	.6	9.2	19.2	23.5	23.1	24.4	13.9	10.5
Income after taxes	4,732,834	3.1	17.2	25.4	26.2	16.3	11.7	7.0	4.7

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

² Value less than 0.05.

³ Value less than 0.5.

⁴ Data are likely to have large sampling errors.