

**Table 3133. Western region by income before taxes: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2014-2015**

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Number of consumer units (in thousands) .....	28,308	994	963	1,526	1,533	3,206	2,838	2,358	4,079	10,811
Consumer unit characteristics:										
Income before taxes .....	\$73,496	\$964	\$8,145	\$12,838	\$17,470	\$25,052	\$34,630	\$44,657	\$59,350	\$138,693
Income after taxes .....	63,772	1,058	8,481	13,407	18,351	25,799	34,900	42,820	55,277	114,630
Age of reference person .....	49.3	44.3	47.1	54.8	55.5	52.5	50.6	47.7	47.7	47.9
Average number in consumer unit:										
People .....	2.6	1.7	1.8	1.7	2.0	2.1	2.5	2.7	2.8	3.1
Children under 18 .....	.7	.4	.4	.4	.4	.5	.7	.7	.7	.8
Adults 65 and older .....	.3	.2	.3	.5	.5	.5	.5	.4	.3	.2
Earners .....	1.4	.6	.6	.5	.7	.8	1.1	1.4	1.5	1.9
Vehicles .....	2.0	.9	.9	.8	1.2	1.4	1.7	1.9	2.1	2.7
Percent distribution:										
Reference person:										
Men .....	47	41	38	34	41	45	48	42	49	53
Women .....	53	59	62	66	59	55	52	58	51	47
Housing tenure:										
Homeowner .....	56	24	31	31	40	46	45	48	57	75
With mortgage .....	36	11	13	13	14	17	23	29	38	58
Without mortgage .....	20	13	17	18	26	29	23	19	20	17
Renter .....	44	76	69	69	60	54	55	52	43	25
Race of reference person:										
Black or African-American .....	5	8	8	9	6	5	4	3	5	3
White, Asian, and all other races .....	95	92	92	91	94	95	96	97	95	97
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:										
Hispanic or Latino .....	22	21	22	24	25	30	29	31	26	14
Not Hispanic or Latino .....	78	79	78	76	75	70	71	69	74	86
Education of reference person:										
Elementary (1-8) .....	3	4	5	6	5	6	4	4	4	1
High school (9-12) .....	27	30	38	35	39	36	38	37	27	15
College .....	69	65	56	57	54	58	57	59	69	84
Never attended and other .....	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	(1)	(1)	(1)
At least one vehicle owned or leased .....	89	60	56	62	74	86	92	94	96	97
Average annual expenditures .....	\$59,217	\$30,013	\$25,294	\$25,303	\$28,922	\$33,977	\$39,545	\$44,796	\$53,994	\$91,948
Food .....	7,473	4,207	3,598	4,313	4,311	4,981	5,626	5,797	6,856	10,912
Food at home .....	4,275	2,392	2,035	3,140	2,936	3,264	3,600	3,535	4,100	5,731
Cereals and bakery products .....	526	314	271	438	372	413	418	457	521	684
Cereals and cereal products .....	180	155	106	179	143	154	137	142	169	228
Bakery products .....	346	159	165	259	230	260	281	315	352	457
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	901	538	346	632	622	736	864	794	901	1,144
Beef .....	238	146	75	156	162	257	226	211	249	281
Pork .....	159	83	60	92	117	121	157	125	173	204
Other meats .....	117	61	31	77	83	87	136	97	121	147
Poultry .....	173	143	81	140	119	119	172	184	156	218
Fish and seafood .....	147	64	61	108	83	94	106	114	130	218
Eggs .....	67	41	36	59	57	58	67	63	72	77
Dairy products .....	446	217	210	314	356	334	351	373	436	600
Fresh milk and cream .....	151	77	87	133	123	123	129	144	146	188
Other dairy products .....	296	140	122	180	232	211	222	229	290	413
Fruits and vegetables .....	858	474	409	651	586	614	742	694	811	1,166
Fresh fruits .....	334	172	147	250	224	240	273	262	303	469
Fresh vegetables .....	288	170	172	223	190	193	245	240	279	388
Processed fruits .....	118	68	53	80	77	86	100	95	119	159
Processed vegetables .....	119	65	38	98	96	95	124	98	110	151
Other food at home .....	1,543	849	799	1,105	1,000	1,166	1,226	1,217	1,430	2,136
Sugar and other sweets .....	177	90	90	100	95	129	117	120	130	281
Fats and oils .....	119	85	61	104	91	92	91	114	114	153
Miscellaneous foods .....	793	416	425	594	484	595	658	639	712	1,100
Nonalcoholic beverages .....	384	237	209	296	313	315	309	299	415	484
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips .....	69	221	215	210	217	36	49	45	59	119

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Food away from home .....	3,199	1,815	1,563	1,173	1,375	1,716	2,026	2,262	2,757	5,181
Alcoholic beverages .....	580	337	204	182	222	264	263	479	476	988
Housing .....	20,227	11,549	10,476	11,205	12,204	13,245	14,810	16,481	18,802	29,173
Shelter .....	12,685	7,916	7,034	7,358	7,889	8,361	9,317	10,521	11,855	18,011
Owned dwellings .....	6,650	2,072	2,296	1,959	2,175	2,943	3,133	3,920	5,570	11,780
Mortgage interest and charges .....	3,679	841	1,085	753	820	1,184	1,363	1,991	2,940	6,984
Property taxes .....	1,725	806	565	564	683	824	902	1,118	1,561	2,903
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses .....	1,246	425	645	642	672	936	867	811	1,070	1,893
Rented dwellings .....	5,298	5,648	4,610	5,187	5,420	5,099	5,766	6,264	5,839	4,846
Other lodging .....	738	<sup>2</sup> 196	128	213	294	319	418	337	445	1,385
Utilities, fuels, and public services .....	3,597	1,867	1,890	2,006	2,296	2,724	3,101	3,235	3,759	4,724
Natural gas .....	348	201	210	168	190	251	285	288	359	475
Electricity .....	1,200	737	707	814	853	1,008	1,119	1,156	1,226	1,467
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	47	<sup>23</sup> 6	<sup>28</sup>	<sup>22</sup>	<sup>39</sup>	51	56	57	38	54
Telephone services .....	1,319	602	616	689	810	977	1,153	1,180	1,438	1,739
Residential phone service, VOIP, and phone cards .....	278	178	152	213	256	275	231	222	287	333
Cellular phone service .....	1,041	424	464	475	554	701	922	958	1,151	1,407
Water and other public services .....	684	290	349	312	404	437	489	553	698	989
Household operations .....	1,430	547	636	751	801	702	837	886	1,052	2,399
Personal services .....	415	<sup>24</sup>	<sup>219</sup> 6	<sup>23</sup> 62	<sup>25</sup> 0	71	204	186	212	784
Other household expenses .....	1,015	508	440	389	551	631	633	699	841	1,615
Housekeeping supplies .....	647	328	321	345	463	461	463	470	611	936
Laundry and cleaning supplies .....	145	115	85	83	109	118	102	124	145	192
Other household products .....	358	153	196	189	252	240	271	241	318	534
Postage and stationery .....	144	60	39	73	102	103	90	105	148	210
Household furnishings and equipment .....	1,868	891	595	744	754	998	1,092	1,370	1,525	3,103
Household textiles .....	122	32	<sup>23</sup> 7	121	31	98	49	120	109	184
Furniture .....	471	232	139	142	165	231	241	289	353	828
Floor coverings .....	21	<sup>26</sup>	<sup>26</sup>	<sup>24</sup>	<sup>28</sup>	21	13	23	13	32
Major appliances .....	268	47	78	143	96	104	160	171	235	460
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares .....	127	82	40	42	65	61	120	93	114	195
Miscellaneous household equipment .....	859	492	295	292	389	484	508	675	701	1,404
Apparel and services .....	2,119	1,339	984	730	834	1,229	1,293	1,296	1,790	3,493
Men and boys .....	481	311	240	205	217	356	265	256	389	780
Men, 16 and over .....	377	216	211	173	171	271	181	169	291	633
Boys, 2 to 15 .....	104	96	29	32	45	85	84	87	98	147
Women and girls .....	795	587	337	243	352	417	501	447	689	1,315
Women, 16 and over .....	681	564	233	190	307	361	428	299	624	1,134
Girls, 2 to 15 .....	113	<sup>24</sup>	103	53	45	57	73	148	64	181
Children under 2 .....	78	<sup>21</sup> 2	<sup>21</sup> 17	<sup>22</sup> 4	<sup>22</sup> 1	94	84	<sup>26</sup> 1	52	107
Footwear .....	401	<sup>22</sup> 62	<sup>21</sup> 94	145	148	197	244	339	434	610
Other apparel products and services .....	364	167	97	114	96	164	199	194	227	680
Transportation .....	9,397	4,913	3,636	3,106	4,064	5,346	5,983	8,208	9,613	14,238
Vehicle purchases (net outlay) .....	3,227	<sup>21</sup> ,765	<sup>21</sup> ,637	<sup>21</sup> ,129	<sup>27</sup> 85	1,735	1,572	3,136	3,370	4,990
Cars and trucks, new .....	1,518	<sup>21</sup> ,360	<sup>21</sup> ,194	<sup>25</sup> 66	<sup>24</sup> 46	<sup>22</sup> 51	830	1,418	1,067	2,596
Cars and trucks, used .....	1,626	405	438	562	339	1,455	715	1,659	2,252	2,224
Other vehicles .....	83	<sup>(3)</sup>	<sup>25</sup>	<sup>(3)</sup>	<sup>(3)</sup>	<sup>22</sup> 8	<sup>22</sup> 7	<sup>25</sup> 9	<sup>25</sup> 1	170
Gasoline and motor oil .....	2,415	1,152	1,046	989	1,327	1,609	2,060	2,184	2,668	3,296
Other vehicle expenses .....	2,981	1,683	793	822	1,516	1,630	2,032	2,393	3,021	4,566
Vehicle finance charges .....	206	60	<sup>26</sup> 3	42	48	83	156	145	207	341
Maintenance and repairs .....	903	405	328	307	442	550	682	852	980	1,292
Vehicle insurance .....	1,201	<sup>25</sup> 21	<sup>22</sup> 55	<sup>22</sup> 92	<sup>28</sup> 11	712	827	908	1,304	1,798
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges .....	671	698	148	180	216	287	366	488	530	1,135
Public and other transportation .....	773	313	159	166	435	371	319	495	553	1,385
Healthcare .....	4,321	1,896	1,343	1,756	2,369	3,071	3,397	3,308	4,650	6,159
Health insurance .....	2,821	1,264	889	1,107	1,510	2,086	2,261	2,190	2,860	4,052
Medical services .....	907	347	260	318	402	518	654	674	1,085	1,338
Drugs .....	429	191	125	273	278	359	353	335	521	547
Medical supplies .....	164	94	69	57	180	109	129	108	183	222
Entertainment .....	3,098	1,579	1,187	1,088	1,194	1,652	1,844	2,259	2,712	5,066
Fees and admissions .....	806	268	141	170	194	295	378	389	562	1,542
Audio and visual equipment and services .....	1,083	557	542	583	648	724	885	966	983	1,539

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Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment .....	707	401	417	294	248	400	412	420	704	1,125
Pets .....	571	318	342	230	219	312	327	270	602	915
Toys, hobbies, and playground equipment .....	136	283	275	263	229	88	85	151	101	210
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services .....	502	353	87	41	105	233	170	483	463	860
Personal care products and services .....	751	397	274	441	379	488	632	461	621	1,154
Reading .....	136	56	34	53	100	65	136	105	136	197
Education .....	1,237	1,715	1,133	909	481	483	524	850	856	1,994
Tobacco products and smoking supplies .....	238	217	262	184	213	215	223	292	218	256
Miscellaneous .....	1,023	633	774	364	946	518	810	814	747	1,546
Cash contributions .....	1,985	723	342	530	920	1,121	1,021	1,104	1,505	3,486
Personal insurance and pensions .....	6,633	453	1,047	442	682	1,299	2,984	3,342	5,012	13,285
Life and other personal insurance .....	333	2155	224	272	50	89	129	160	241	653
Pensions and Social Security .....	6,300	298	1,023	371	632	1,211	2,855	3,182	4,772	12,632
Sources of income and personal taxes:										
Money income before taxes .....	\$73,496	\$964	\$8,145	\$12,838	\$17,470	\$25,052	\$34,630	\$44,657	\$59,350	\$138,693
Wages and salaries .....	56,838	871	2,745	3,813	6,370	12,767	21,162	32,311	45,773	113,404
Self-employment income .....	5,383	-1,827	230	42	716	871	1,556	2,236	3,411	11,711
Social Security, private and government retirement .....	7,335	479	2,324	6,032	7,985	9,172	9,344	7,608	7,538	7,296
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income .....	2,390	63	160	127	116	350	966	888	1,424	5,116
Public assistance, Supplemental Security Income, Supplementary Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) .....	596	675	1,506	1,610	1,446	1,012	809	551	389	154
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits, and regular contributions for support .....	578	255	443	587	411	313	592	819	422	741
Other income .....	376	649	937	628	426	566	201	245	393	271
Personal taxes (contains some imputed values) .....	9,725	-94	-336	-569	-881	-747	-270	1,837	4,074	24,063
Federal income taxes .....	7,479	-82	-319	-573	-927	-927	-554	1,146	3,008	18,869
State and local income taxes .....	2,233	-12	-18	4	40	166	279	686	1,059	5,172
Other taxes .....	12	(3)	(3)	(1)	25	214	26	25	27	22
Income after taxes .....	63,772	1,058	8,481	13,407	18,351	25,799	34,900	42,820	55,277	114,630
Addenda:										
Net change in total assets and liabilities .....	\$9,277	-\$6,173	-\$2,436	\$6,036	\$6,774	\$346	\$3,509	-\$2,868	\$5,207	\$20,900
Net change in total assets .....	20,552	671	-1,486	7,135	8,676	2,643	4,673	2,951	13,462	43,915
Net change in total liabilities .....	11,275	6,844	950	1,099	1,902	2,297	1,164	5,819	8,254	23,015
Other financial information:										
Other money receipts .....	916	2356	2161	2118	2445	757	624	1,502	272	1,453
Mortgage principal paid on owned property .....	-2,002	-596	-563	-472	-514	-681	-791	-1,424	-1,622	-3,667
Estimated market value of owned home .....	229,498	94,047	76,513	83,374	110,552	128,378	126,862	150,861	186,894	383,236
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home .....	1,061	455	439	456	568	661	681	744	947	1,658
Gifts of goods and services, total .....	1,244	624	585	508	361	549	592	605	979	2,226
Food .....	106	216	39	234	43	46	36	60	78	197
Alcoholic beverages .....	16	217	(1)	25	22	24	12	12	6	31
Housing .....	215	121	220	154	106	106	162	90	160	343
Housekeeping supplies .....	29	27	213	214	229	20	17	13	23	47
Household textiles .....	6	21	(3)	27	(3)	(1)	213	21	22	11
Appliances and miscellaneous housewares .....	24	(1)	21	21	24	27	28	25	221	49
Major appliances .....	10	(1)	(1)	21	22	(1)	25	21	26	21
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares .....	14	(3)	21	(1)	21	26	23	24	215	28
Miscellaneous household equipment .....	41	215	29	16	29	15	22	16	41	73

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Other housing .....	114	97	196	116	65	63	101	55	73	162
Apparel and services .....	300	<sup>2</sup> 76	161	76	80	136	146	148	123	598
Males, 2 and over .....	69	<sup>2</sup> 15	<sup>2</sup> 27	<sup>2</sup> 19	<sup>2</sup> 22	35	29	25	34	138
Females, 2 and over .....	61	<sup>2</sup> 29	<sup>2</sup> 76	<sup>2</sup> 18	32	47	57	33	34	97
Children under 2 .....	27	<sup>2</sup> 12	<sup>2</sup> 36	<sup>2</sup> 11	<sup>2</sup> 11	<sup>2</sup> 24	<sup>2</sup> 27	<sup>2</sup> 15	<sup>2</sup> 12	42
Other apparel products and services .....	143	<sup>2</sup> 20	<sup>2</sup> 22	<sup>2</sup> 27	<sup>2</sup> 14	<sup>2</sup> 30	<sup>2</sup> 33	<sup>2</sup> 75	43	321
Jewelry and watches .....	108	<sup>2</sup> 9	<sup>2</sup> 3	<sup>2</sup> 6	<sup>2</sup> 1	<sup>2</sup> 17	<sup>2</sup> 11	<sup>2</sup> 10	<sup>2</sup> 9	274
All other apparel products and services ...	35	<sup>2</sup> 11	<sup>2</sup> 19	<sup>2</sup> 21	<sup>2</sup> 13	<sup>2</sup> 13	<sup>2</sup> 22	<sup>2</sup> 65	<sup>2</sup> 34	46
Transportation .....	166	<sup>2</sup> 9	7	17	55	71	109	83	135	303
Healthcare .....	55	<sup>2</sup> 8	<sup>2</sup> 6	<sup>2</sup> 106	<sup>2</sup> 3	<sup>2</sup> 3	<sup>2</sup> 12	<sup>2</sup> 4	<sup>2</sup> 191	50
Entertainment .....	102	<sup>2</sup> 59	<sup>2</sup> 50	<sup>2</sup> 50	<sup>2</sup> 19	70	47	67	119	154
Toys, games, arts and crafts, and tricycles	30	( <sup>3</sup> )	<sup>2</sup> 37	<sup>2</sup> 15	25	<sup>2</sup> 31	29	<sup>2</sup> 21	<sup>2</sup> 31	46
Other entertainment .....	71	59	<sup>2</sup> 14	35	15	38	38	46	88	108
Personal care products and services .....	13	( <sup>3</sup> )	28	<sup>2</sup> 24	27	<sup>2</sup> 17	21	8	<sup>2</sup> 2	21
Reading .....	7	( <sup>1</sup> )	22	<sup>2</sup> 1	21	<sup>2</sup> 5	22	24	5	13
Education .....	186	<sup>2</sup> 251	<sup>2</sup> 83	<sup>2</sup> 6	27	<sup>2</sup> 51	<sup>2</sup> 41	<sup>2</sup> 38	106	382
All other gifts .....	80	48	9	36	40	41	23	92	54	135

<sup>1</sup> Value is too small to display.

<sup>2</sup> Data are likely to have large sampling errors.

<sup>3</sup> No data reported.

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