

Table 4012. Consumer units of single females by income before taxes: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2015-2016

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Number of consumer units (in thousands)	20,163	2,024	1,556	3,319	3,051	3,374	1,875	4,965
Consumer unit characteristics:								
Income before taxes	\$30,987	\$2,395	\$7,988	\$12,805	\$17,393	\$24,388	\$34,138	\$73,658
Income after taxes	27,155	2,430	8,157	12,845	17,115	23,441	31,229	59,913
Age of reference person	58.6	46.9	53.8	65.3	69.6	62.1	55.6	52.4
Average number in consumer unit:								
People	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
Children under 18	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Adults 65 and older .....	.5	.2	.4	.6	.7	.6	.4	.2
Earners .....	.5	.4	.4	.2	.2	.5	.7	.9
Vehicles .....	.9	.5	.6	.7	.9	1.0	1.1	1.2
Percent distribution:								
Reference person:								
Women	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Housing tenure:								
Homeowner	51	24	33	43	59	57	53	63
With mortgage	19	7	7	12	11	17	21	39
Without mortgage	32	17	26	31	48	40	31	24
Renter	49	76	67	57	41	43	47	37
Race of reference person:								
Black or African-American	16	24	19	19	14	11	18	14
White, Asian, and all other races	84	76	81	81	86	89	82	86
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:								
Hispanic or Latino	7	14	9	9	4	7	4	6
Not Hispanic or Latino	93	86	91	91	96	93	96	94
Education of reference person:								
Elementary (1-8)	3	4	9	5	5	1	(¹)	(²)
High school (9-12)	33	35	38	50	45	36	26	10
College	64	60	52	44	50	62	74	90
Never attended and other	(¹)	1	(¹)	1	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
At least one vehicle owned or leased	72	41	49	58	72	80	89	90
Average annual expenditures	\$33,786	\$19,706	\$19,620	\$19,521	\$25,625	\$33,466	\$36,096	\$57,286
Food	3,680	3,016	2,708	2,464	2,980	3,445	3,790	5,434
Food at home	2,238	1,899	1,771	1,777	2,057	2,147	2,318	2,892
Cereals and bakery products	275	243	223	238	264	284	300	310
Cereals and cereal products	85	89	75	78	83	81	79	96
Bakery products	190	154	148	160	182	203	220	214
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	422	429	423	369	401	378	488	460
Beef	101	80	95	100	111	95	102	108
Pork	73	91	64	77	65	70	74	74
Other meats	56	56	32	42	55	56	86	59
Poultry	87	120	112	80	69	84	86	84
Fish and seafood	71	49	82	43	73	43	105	94
Eggs	33	33	37	28	28	31	35	40
Dairy products	237	180	174	205	239	255	226	286
Fresh milk and cream	72	55	67	75	80	74	67	74
Other dairy products	165	125	108	130	159	181	160	212
Fruits and vegetables	455	384	356	326	404	433	460	624
Fresh fruits	176	144	128	124	143	163	168	262
Fresh vegetables	148	114	120	101	136	139	155	205
Processed fruits	61	43	58	50	58	60	68	73
Processed vegetables	70	83	49	52	67	71	69	84
Other food at home	850	663	595	638	749	797	844	1,212
Sugar and other sweets	122	67	72	74	94	84	97	235
Fats and oils	66	74	60	59	60	54	66	79
Miscellaneous foods	416	329	284	260	386	409	433	588
Nonalcoholic beverages	223	184	174	234	195	223	219	262
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips	24	39	35	11	15	26	30	48
Food away from home	1,442	1,117	937	687	923	1,298	1,472	2,542

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Alcoholic beverages	234	120	156	67	113	212	273	465
Housing	13,001	7,682	8,433	9,472	11,048	13,061	14,028	19,655
Shelter	8,201	5,092	4,937	6,194	6,752	8,074	8,722	12,615
Owned dwellings	3,457	1,224	1,399	2,111	2,469	3,326	3,380	6,635
Mortgage interest and charges	1,052	257	347	554	409	722	959	2,585
Property taxes	1,221	488	608	740	1,015	1,335	1,203	2,091
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses	1,183	480	444	818	1,045	1,269	1,218	1,959
Rented dwellings	4,339	3,694	3,436	3,974	4,049	4,272	5,063	5,079
Other lodging	406	173	102	109	234	476	278	901
Utilities, fuels, and public services	2,436	1,469	1,746	1,960	2,433	2,577	2,791	3,139
Natural gas	281	170	170	216	301	324	298	357
Electricity	947	633	769	831	1,006	1,013	1,046	1,090
Fuel oil and other fuels	79	² 20	³ 44	64	93	90	73	109
Telephone services	792	466	537	585	699	788	992	1,126
Residential phone service, VOIP, and phone cards	299	178	232	295	373	331	312	299
Cellular phone service	493	288	305	290	326	457	680	827
Water and other public services	338	180	226	264	334	362	382	457
Household operations	836	298	811	507	624	938	811	1,352
Personal services	137	³ 45	³ 470	³ 84	³ 3	³ 198	³ 40	³ 181
Other household expenses	699	253	341	423	620	740	771	1,171
Housekeeping supplies	473	349	323	346	466	499	480	618
Laundry and cleaning supplies	103	124	51	93	86	121	105	115
Other household products	241	161	187	176	275	260	251	284
Postage and stationery	129	64	84	76	105	118	125	219
Household furnishings and equipment	1,054	474	616	464	772	973	1,224	1,931
Household textiles	68	28	41	53	62	71	66	100
Furniture	266	132	149	117	133	293	209	542
Floor coverings	21	³ 4	³ 4	6	³ 6	28	10	52
Major appliances	160	56	81	79	141	223	248	216
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	83	53	37	40	81	66	80	149
Miscellaneous household equipment	456	201	304	168	350	293	611	873
Apparel and services	1,140	774	908	479	720	898	1,514	1,964
Men and boys	61	³ 24	³ 71	12	42	62	85	101
Men, 16 and over	46	³ 18	³ 49	³ 4	³ 30	43	³ 74	79
Boys, 2 to 15	15	³ 6	³ 22	38	11	19	³ 11	23
Women and girls	712	503	599	282	479	531	958	1,214
Women, 16 and over	696	492	592	276	468	509	944	1,189
Girls, 2 to 15	15	³ 11	³ 6	³ 6	³ 11	23	³ 13	24
Children under 2	12	(²)	³ 12	³ 6	³ 5	³ 19	³ 15	³ 17
Footwear	208	126	124	86	121	167	289	372
Other apparel products and services	147	121	103	94	74	120	168	260
Transportation	4,273	2,814	1,850	2,043	3,120	3,889	5,514	7,544
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	1,446	³ 1,334	³ 433	³ 462	929	1,199	2,269	2,644
Cars and trucks, new	770	³ 391	(²)	³ 239	³ 559	714	1,739	1,322
Cars and trucks, used	651	944	³ 433	³ 223	363	485	530	1,220
Other vehicles	³ 26	(²)	(²)	(²)	³ 7	(²)	(²)	³ 102
Gasoline and motor oil	848	487	529	554	663	884	1,026	1,312
Other vehicle expenses	1,594	790	685	878	1,279	1,466	1,871	2,791
Vehicle finance charges	79	40	³ 29	31	40	72	113	160
Maintenance and repairs	460	206	205	293	306	397	665	795
Vehicle insurance	717	³ 366	³ 366	³ 408	742	740	³ 654	1,120
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges	337	178	85	145	191	257	439	715
Public and other transportation	385	203	203	150	249	340	349	798
Healthcare	3,024	1,325	1,681	2,141	3,425	3,593	3,331	3,969
Health insurance	2,009	858	985	1,493	2,319	2,394	2,344	2,567
Medical services	544	250	416	276	528	659	532	818
Drugs	351	173	240	301	418	413	359	401
Medical supplies	119	44	40	71	161	127	96	183
Entertainment	1,726	866	1,001	950	1,510	1,692	1,787	2,903
Fees and admissions	312	102	92	77	129	284	282	761
Audio and visual equipment and services	725	430	523	564	733	728	883	943
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment	555	297	361	274	349	523	515	1,040

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Pets	488	247	291	246	316	458	408	941
Toys, hobbies, and playground equipment	67	³ 50	³ 69	³ 28	³ 33	65	107	99
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services	134	38	³ 25	35	299	156	108	160
Personal care products and services	595	318	369	331	449	567	664	1,013
Reading	95	40	90	42	58	105	98	164
Education	768	1,759	856	223	280	1,188	566	789
Tobacco products and smoking supplies	175	216	158	204	190	154	205	137
Miscellaneous	633	295	359	253	350	729	756	1,170
Cash contributions	1,990	336	328	370	887	2,844	1,216	4,658
Personal insurance and pensions	2,453	145	723	482	495	1,089	2,353	7,421
Life and other personal insurance	140	57	57	105	139	122	112	246
Pensions and Social Security	2,313	88	666	377	356	967	2,241	7,175
Sources of income and personal taxes:								
Money income before taxes	\$30,987	\$2,395	\$7,988	\$12,805	\$17,393	\$24,388	\$34,138	\$73,658
Wages and salaries	18,041	662	2,235	1,964	2,855	9,009	20,480	55,379
Self-employment income	1,077	³ -54	³ 107	³ 131	³ 133	418	777	3,618
Social Security, private and government retirement	9,193	518	3,565	9,079	13,260	13,254	10,461	8,834
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income	1,476	78	187	88	310	697	1,249	4,708
Public assistance, Supplemental Security Income, Supplementary Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	417	718	1,018	978	257	256	³ 129	³ 45
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits, and regular contributions for support	301	³ 48	³ 195	135	164	310	³ 406	585
Other income	482	426	681	430	414	444	³ 634	488
Personal taxes (contains some imputed values)	3,832	-35	-170	-40	279	947	2,909	13,744
Federal income taxes	3,079	-12	-122	12	278	750	2,242	11,015
State and local income taxes	721	-32	-52	-63	-35	166	611	2,679
Other taxes	31	³ 9	³ 5	³ 11	³ 36	31	³ 56	51
Income after taxes	27,155	2,430	8,157	12,845	17,115	23,441	31,229	59,913
Addenda:								
Net change in total assets and liabilities	\$4,588	-\$1,315	-\$715	\$2,492	\$3,737	\$4,065	\$6,562	\$10,189
Net change in total assets	7,714	1,445	665	2,862	4,061	5,686	8,822	18,929
Net change in total liabilities	3,127	2,760	1,380	369	324	1,621	2,259	8,739
Other financial information:								
Other money receipts	1,567	449	³ 484	160	876	593	³ 910	4,636
Mortgage principal paid on owned property	-814	-214	-269	-449	-428	-685	-676	-1,849
Estimated market value of owned home	104,919	40,990	53,730	64,762	92,103	107,823	97,045	182,752
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home	655	298	365	460	616	672	650	1,036
Gifts of goods and services, total	883	254	444	352	549	971	1,005	1,674
Food	105	³ 11	28	12	138	57	80	237
Alcoholic beverages	19	(²)	35	32	³ 16	38	³ 26	27
Housing	234	79	85	171	122	210	271	442
Housekeeping supplies	25	³ 2	³ 37	³ 7	25	28	39	34
Household textiles	5	(²)	(²)	33	31	31	315	310
Appliances and miscellaneous housewares	20	³ 3	31	39	³ 12	37	³ 12	57
Major appliances	6	(¹)	31	36	31	33	(¹)	19
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares	14	³ 3	(¹)	33	³ 11	34	³ 11	38
Miscellaneous household equipment	44	34	³ 20	7	31	25	65	98
Other housing	139	69	26	144	54	149	140	243
Apparel and services	152	58	127	59	125	171	207	230

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Males, 2 and over	61	324	371	12	42	62	83	101
Females, 2 and over	47	324	318	318	47	57	62	65
Children under 2	12	(²)	312	36	35	319	315	317
Other apparel products and services	33	310	327	322	331	334	347	47
Jewelry and watches	13	36	32	36	38	312	324	26
All other apparel products and services ...	20	34	325	317	324	322	323	321
Transportation	62	8	15	17	23	82	84	131
Healthcare	52	35	348	322	37	3140	374	51
Entertainment	78	316	388	32	36	74	126	133
Toys, games, arts and crafts, and tricycles	33	33	356	318	321	326	345	352
Other entertainment	45	13	331	14	16	48	82	81
Personal care products and services	22	(²)	35	11	31	35	326	25
Reading	6	31	312	31	31	13	34	7
Education	83	353	315	310	311	54	356	237
All other gifts	71	23	19	15	39	97	51	155

¹ Value is too small to display.

² No data reported.

³ Data are likely to have large sampling errors.

n.a. Not applicable.

Source: Consumer Expenditure Survey, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, September, 2017