

Table 3423. Consumer units of two people by income before taxes: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2013-2014

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Number of consumer units (in thousands)	40,860	1,213	940	1,609	1,800	4,925	4,764	4,060	6,493	15,057
Consumer unit characteristics:										
Income before taxes	\$72,322	- \$347	\$7,783	\$12,898	\$17,522	\$25,270	\$34,691	\$44,712	\$59,179	\$135,516
Income after taxes	62,339	-194	8,434	13,773	18,184	25,445	33,888	42,364	54,307	111,129
Age of reference person	54.7	52.5	47.0	52.5	54.9	57.8	58.8	55.4	54.1	53.2
Average number in consumer unit:										
People	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Children under 181	.2	.3	.2	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	(¹)
Adults 65 and older6	.4	.3	.5	.7	.8	.9	.7	.6	.4
Earners	1.2	.5	.7	.6	.7	.7	.8	1.1	1.4	1.6
Vehicles	2.1	1.3	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.9	2.0	2.3	2.6
Percent distribution:										
Reference person:										
Men	51	37	30	38	42	47	47	52	52	56
Women	49	63	70	62	58	53	53	48	48	44
Housing tenure:										
Homeowner	73	52	44	48	60	63	71	69	74	85
With mortgage	37	19	17	18	22	21	25	30	36	54
Without mortgage	36	34	27	31	38	42	46	39	38	31
Renter	27	48	56	52	40	37	29	31	26	15
Race of reference person:										
Black or African-American	10	24	19	16	18	14	13	12	8	5
White, Asian, and all other races	90	76	81	84	82	86	87	88	92	95
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:										
Hispanic or Latino	9	15	16	15	14	13	11	11	9	5
Not Hispanic or Latino	91	85	84	85	86	87	89	89	91	95
Education of reference person:										
Elementary (1-8)	4	8	7	10	8	7	4	4	3	1
High school (9-12)	32	46	48	42	44	43	44	39	33	17
College	65	46	44	46	48	49	52	57	65	83
Never attended and other	(¹)	1	(¹)	1	1	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(²)	(¹)
At least one vehicle owned or leased	92	71	69	76	81	90	93	93	96	97
Average annual expenditures	\$56,005	\$28,058	\$25,714	\$27,343	\$30,456	\$34,279	\$39,180	\$43,843	\$50,993	\$83,933
Food	6,747	4,423	4,138	3,613	4,586	4,814	5,375	5,582	6,412	9,123
Food at home	3,861	3,130	2,774	2,457	3,047	3,259	3,478	3,420	3,742	4,684
Cereals and bakery products	496	387	405	333	445	449	457	428	489	578
Cereals and cereal products	163	124	167	112	142	145	162	138	161	186
Bakery products	333	263	238	221	302	304	295	290	328	392
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	841	801	587	581	728	711	782	780	800	991
Beef	217	215	154	123	174	181	205	202	215	255
Pork	176	166	130	143	166	149	169	163	177	198
Other meats	115	119	78	66	110	87	108	109	110	137
Poultry	156	169	126	136	142	140	132	134	146	184
Fish and seafood	121	90	64	70	79	100	113	125	91	157
Eggs	56	42	35	42	57	53	54	47	61	61
Dairy products	408	323	277	260	308	359	353	373	422	485
Fresh milk and cream	136	124	120	123	120	126	132	136	142	144
Other dairy products	272	199	157	137	187	233	221	237	280	341
Fruits and vegetables	745	563	494	443	550	627	667	640	710	928
Fresh fruits	263	169	175	152	188	212	237	220	241	338
Fresh vegetables	249	215	145	147	175	196	217	212	237	317
Processed fruits	106	72	85	65	85	98	98	91	108	125
Processed vegetables	127	108	89	79	102	122	115	116	123	148
Other food at home	1,370	1,056	1,011	840	1,016	1,114	1,220	1,198	1,321	1,703
Sugar and other sweets	143	102	108	82	109	138	133	123	135	172
Fats and oils	110	94	76	78	86	106	104	101	107	125
Miscellaneous foods	682	549	512	381	489	530	626	604	636	860
Nonalcoholic beverages	372	286	294	283	311	321	317	337	385	435
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips	63	³ 25	³ 21	³ 16	³ 21	19	40	34	58	111

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Food away from home	2,886	1,293	1,364	1,156	1,540	1,555	1,897	2,162	2,670	4,439
Alcoholic beverages	589	206	200	143	242	232	347	405	458	1,016
Housing	18,036	11,249	9,910	10,307	11,506	11,978	13,103	14,721	16,461	25,783
Shelter	10,462	6,494	5,782	6,077	6,506	6,525	7,060	8,420	9,028	15,550
Owned dwellings	6,614	3,049	2,050	2,409	3,249	3,143	3,996	4,792	5,500	10,973
Mortgage interest and charges	2,823	1,303	864	857	1,232	988	1,364	1,749	2,136	5,116
Property taxes	2,177	1,060	707	831	1,125	1,255	1,455	1,603	1,880	3,440
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses	1,615	686	478	721	892	900	1,178	1,440	1,484	2,418
Rented dwellings	2,865	3,168	3,452	3,478	2,817	3,062	2,644	3,106	2,910	2,666
Other lodging	983	276	281	189	441	321	419	522	618	1,911
Utilities, fuels, and public services	3,950	2,966	2,550	2,878	3,062	3,377	3,512	3,651	4,006	4,721
Natural gas	430	236	254	196	336	324	369	412	415	559
Electricity	1,493	1,388	1,129	1,297	1,256	1,414	1,455	1,424	1,485	1,632
Fuel oil and other fuels	175	³ 93	³ 42	³ 165	³ 95	173	153	127	179	220
Telephone services	1,316	857	785	853	933	1,026	1,082	1,203	1,401	1,643
Residential phone service, VOIP, and phone cards	407	375	272	268	347	384	403	385	408	455
Cellular phone service	909	482	513	585	586	642	679	818	993	1,189
Water and other public services	536	392	339	366	442	440	454	485	525	665
Household operations	1,047	491	567	569	607	677	701	742	970	1,571
Personal services	110	³ 54	³ 121	³ 154	³ 95	112	84	³ 92	103	126
Other household expenses	937	437	447	414	512	565	617	650	866	1,445
Housekeeping supplies	709	335	343	276	472	520	612	571	705	952
Laundry and cleaning supplies	155	100	55	85	148	139	140	168	160	175
Other household products	390	171	189	134	238	283	305	291	362	556
Postage and stationery	164	63	³ 98	56	86	99	167	112	184	221
Household furnishings and equipment	1,868	963	668	508	859	879	1,219	1,338	1,752	2,989
Household textiles	109	58	111	37	35	66	93	81	85	164
Furniture	461	204	103	98	213	173	261	282	367	819
Floor coverings	27	³ 2	³ 1	³ 1	³ 21	10	15	19	10	53
Major appliances	281	127	148	86	142	154	227	148	245	449
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	122	104	49	34	67	82	84	91	108	182
Miscellaneous household equipment	868	468	254	253	380	394	538	717	936	1,323
Apparel and services	1,640	865	574	677	716	709	1,135	1,079	1,630	2,579
Men and boys	375	127	139	185	157	140	328	202	345	600
Men, 16 and over	343	³ 99	³ 119	138	133	116	296	173	323	561
Boys, 2 to 15	32	28	20	47	24	24	32	29	22	40
Women and girls	657	345	188	283	305	312	338	455	707	1,027
Women, 16 and over	607	242	180	259	211	263	316	408	656	971
Girls, 2 to 15	51	³ 103	³ 8	24	94	50	22	47	51	56
Children under 2	36	³ 34	³ 43	³ 11	³ 7	³ 22	³ 13	³ 19	32	59
Footwear	311	³ 175	³ 124	³ 115	164	117	293	221	339	450
Other apparel products and services	261	183	80	83	83	117	163	183	207	442
Transportation	9,797	4,669	4,790	4,792	4,814	6,516	6,969	8,697	9,567	14,004
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	3,593	1,496	³ 2,174	³ 1,448	³ 1,197	2,393	2,162	3,268	2,972	5,566
Cars and trucks, new	1,977	³ 735	³ 1,486	³ 537	³ 623	888	1,100	1,817	1,428	3,337
Cars and trucks, used	1,572	748	³ 682	910	573	1,478	1,057	1,445	1,491	2,146
Other vehicles	44	³ 13	³ 6	³ 2	(²)	³ 27	³ 6	³ 6	³ 53	83
Gasoline and motor oil	2,618	1,608	1,468	1,632	1,790	1,974	2,267	2,422	2,837	3,256
Other vehicle expenses	2,869	1,268	941	1,514	1,426	1,888	2,188	2,553	3,271	3,871
Vehicle finance charges	206	³ 37	³ 75	84	78	113	161	183	221	299
Maintenance and repairs	925	572	459	382	433	622	733	884	943	1,262
Vehicle insurance	1,120	³ 446	³ 277	³ 891	³ 725	862	962	1,000	1,561	1,264
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges	618	214	130	158	191	291	332	485	546	1,045
Public and other transportation	718	297	207	196	401	262	352	454	488	1,312
Healthcare	4,945	2,466	2,140	2,394	3,275	4,030	4,857	4,691	5,190	6,080
Health insurance	3,231	1,527	1,306	1,564	2,225	2,773	3,305	3,163	3,384	3,866
Medical services	904	369	394	310	474	551	709	759	964	1,283
Drugs	630	466	280	446	453	596	721	597	625	696
Medical supplies	181	105	160	73	124	110	122	173	217	235
Entertainment	2,835	1,187	1,320	1,144	1,373	1,496	1,921	2,146	2,555	4,435
Fees and admissions	609	138	227	152	228	180	289	385	443	1,137
Audio and visual equipment and services	1,066	716	630	642	753	804	929	929	1,166	1,326

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Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment	671	233	417	295	350	320	457	587	667	997
Pets	550	140	352	218	315	272	376	491	568	805
Toys, hobbies, and playground equipment	120	³ 93	³ 65	³ 77	³ 35	48	81	95	98	192
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services	489	³ 100	³ 46	56	41	192	246	246	279	974
Personal care products and services	707	390	339	331	344	487	538	521	595	1,056
Reading	138	47	52	48	93	75	86	95	123	221
Education	991	693	549	1,577	577	413	430	378	661	1,703
Tobacco products and smoking supplies	344	313	469	380	353	358	381	349	344	317
Miscellaneous	698	246	328	241	559	275	480	642	599	1,085
Cash contributions	2,379	725	432	547	956	1,339	1,671	1,672	1,908	3,958
Personal insurance and pensions	6,159	580	474	1,149	1,062	1,556	1,887	2,863	4,491	12,574
Life and other personal insurance	419	259	³ 65	129	166	215	276	290	306	711
Pensions and Social Security	5,740	320	408	1,020	896	1,342	1,611	2,573	4,184	11,862
Sources of income and personal taxes:										
Money income before taxes	\$72,322	-\$347	\$7,783	\$12,898	\$17,522	\$25,270	\$34,691	\$44,712	\$59,179	\$135,516
Wages and salaries	51,697	1,189	2,961	4,599	6,760	10,348	15,998	27,788	40,847	105,159
Self-employment income	4,479	-4,033	³ 54	44	527	634	890	893	2,157	10,749
Social Security, private and government retirement	12,480	1,204	2,263	5,695	8,180	12,584	16,560	14,163	13,787	12,923
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income	2,395	83	³ 112	183	157	365	498	841	1,450	5,317
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps	332	886	1,533	1,433	1,241	688	225	175	91	50
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits, and regular contributions for support	668	³ 80	421	560	469	391	362	636	576	1,002
Other income	271	³ 244	³ 440	³ 383	³ 187	260	158	216	271	315
Personal taxes (contains some imputed values)	9,983	-153	-651	-875	-662	-175	803	2,348	4,872	24,387
Federal income taxes	7,970	-133	-574	-793	-648	-274	532	1,728	3,732	19,684
State and local income taxes	1,961	-66	-84	-93	-32	67	229	576	1,101	4,622
Other taxes	52	³ 45	³ 8	³ 11	³ 19	32	41	45	38	81
Income after taxes	62,339	-194	8,434	13,773	18,184	25,445	33,888	42,364	54,307	111,129
Addenda:										
Net change in total assets and liabilities	\$17,780	\$19,490	\$269	-\$6,540	\$5,513	\$2,643	-\$14,026	\$2,752	\$10,567	\$44,977
Net change in total assets	27,627	24,139	2,651	-4,949	5,337	5,965	5,349	8,952	15,404	60,053
Net change in total liabilities	9,847	4,649	2,382	1,590	-176	3,322	19,374	6,200	4,837	15,077
Other financial information:										
Other money receipts	918	³ 195	³ 516	³ 183	³ 397	407	347	438	359	1,861
Mortgage principal paid on owned property	-1,914	-759	-524	-597	-810	-820	-943	-1,113	-1,605	-3,381
Estimated market value of owned home	189,383	111,436	75,014	80,143	121,708	117,377	135,512	138,085	161,360	289,076
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home	1,041	577	480	493	683	698	821	831	939	1,496
Gifts of goods and services, total	1,458	755	420	284	396	420	668	845	1,093	2,734
Food	99	³ 28	³ 4	³ 12	³ 23	³ 24	³ 78	³ 72	³ 79	³ 176
Alcoholic beverages	17	(¹)	³ 32	(²)	³ 3	³ 2	10	9	21	29
Housing	283	172	54	113	94	78	166	174	222	504
Housekeeping supplies	36	³ 11	³ 2	³ 1	³ 10	11	28	31	41	56
Household textiles	10	³ 9	(²)	(²)	(²)	³ 6	³ 1	³ 5	³ 9	19
Appliances and miscellaneous housewares	27	³ 7	³ 1	³ 2	³ 6	³ 11	19	37	21	43
Major appliances	6	(¹)	(²)	(¹)	(²)	³ 1	11	³ 9	7	9
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares	21	³ 7	³ 1	³ 1	³ 6	³ 10	³ 9	29	³ 14	35
Miscellaneous household equipment	53	³ 17	³ 8	12	³ 6	10	30	40	52	94
Other housing	156	³ 127	43	³ 98	72	40	87	61	99	292

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Apparel and services	238	236	³ 56	60	83	99	100	153	226	401
Males, 2 and over	65	³ 31	³ 19	35	37	21	32	46	46	112
Females, 2 and over	87	³ 86	³ 9	22	23	34	28	52	101	145
Children under 2	33	³ 22	³ 22	³ 1	³ 5	³ 17	³ 13	³ 16	32	58
Other apparel products and services	53	³ 97	³ 7	³ 1	³ 18	³ 27	³ 28	³ 9	47	85
Jewelry and watches	17	(¹)	(²)	³ 1	³ 2	³ 12	³ 7	³ 4	7	35
All other apparel products and services ...	36	³ 96	³ 7	(¹)	³ 16	³ 15	³ 21	³ 35	41	50
Transportation	158	19	248	5	125	22	58	163	135	268
Healthcare	32	³ 8	³ 53	³ 34	³ 6	³ 3	³ 4	³ 19	³ 28	66
Entertainment	126	³ 32	³ 11	³ 23	³ 34	41	53	68	89	242
Toys, games, arts and crafts, and tricycles	44	³ 18	(²)	³ 15	³ 12	³ 19	³ 20	³ 28	39	75
Other entertainment	82	14	³ 11	³ 9	³ 22	21	33	40	50	167
Personal care products and services	18	³ 13	(²)	(²)	³ 3	³ 3	24	7	4	36
Reading	6	³ 2	(²)	³ 5	³ 1	3	3	4	3	11
Education	367	³ 234	³ 15	³ 16	³ 7	121	108	101	209	781
All other gifts	114	³ 12	³ 51	17	18	25	62	75	76	221

¹ Value is too small to display.

² No data reported.

³ Data are likely to have large sampling errors.

Source: Consumer Expenditure Survey, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, September, 2015