Table 3830. Consumer units with reference person age 45 to 54 by region of residence: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Surveys, 2019-2020

ltem	Total 45-54	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Number of consumer units (in thousands) ¹	22,444	4,142	4,528	8,783	4,991
Consumer unit characteristics:					
Income before taxes	\$111,677	\$121,557	\$100,593	\$108,356	\$119,377
	95,828	102,333	88,072	93,203	102,084
Age of reference person	49.7	49.8	49.8	49.6	49.5
Average number in consumer unit: People	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.8	3.0
	.7	.8	.7	.6	.8
	.1	(²)	(²)	.1	.1
	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.7	1.8
	2.2	1.9	2.6	2.2	2.3
Reference person: Men Women	47	46	49	45	50
	53	54	51	55	50
Housing tenure: Homeowner With mortgage Without mortgage Renter	70	65	76	72	65
	53	51	57	53	53
	17	14	19	19	13
	30	35	24	28	35
Race of reference person: Black or African-American White, Asian, and all other races	14	15	12	20	5
	86	85	88	80	95
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person: Hispanic or Latino Not Hispanic or Latino	16	14	8	16	28
	84	86	92	84	72
Education of reference person: Elementary (1-8) High school (9-12) College Never attended and other	3	2	2	2	5
	26	27	26	26	27
	71	71	72	72	68
	(²)	(³)	(²)	(²)	1
At least one vehicle owned or leased	92	86	94	93	93
Average annual expenditures	\$76,075	\$82,114	\$73,050	\$71,810	\$81,416
Food at home Cereals and bakery products Cereals and cereal products Bakery products Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs Beef Pork Other meats Poultry Fish and seafood Eggs Dairy products Fresh milk and cream Other dairy products Fruits and vegetables Fresh fruits Fresh vegetables Processed fruits Processed vegetables Other food at home Sugar and other sweets	5,720 723 236 487 1,236 335 242 162 238 187 72 550 170 380 1,093 400 356 133 204 2,118	6,383 920 279 641 1,389 324 233 209 314 239 70 626 191 435 1,253 468 393 163 229 2,195	5,998 715 239 476 1,283 370 283 184 226 160 60 608 188 420 1,060 395 336 135 194 2,332 212	4,985 630 207 423 1,090 309 222 134 195 170 60 446 134 312 959 334 303 114 209 1,860	6,263 742 252 490 1,332 358 248 156 264 198 107 625 204 421 1,235 471 440 140 184 2,329
Fats and oils	155	159	159	151	158
	1,145	1,156	1,316	956	1,322
	554	561	574	533	566
	69	84	72	51	85

Table 3830. Consumer units with reference person age 45 to 54 by region of residence: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Surveys, 2019-2020 — Continued

ltem	Total 45-54	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Food away from home	3,711	3,598	3,653	3,479	4,273
Alcoholic beverages	635	679	638	523	797
Housing	24,154	27,310	21,109	22,242	27,670
Shelter	14,350	17,120	11,392	12,810	17,447
Owned dwellings	9,350	10,394	8,109	8,588	10,949
Mortgage interest and charges	4,383	4,205	3,403	4,169	5,798
Property taxes	2,805	4,245	2,869	2,047	2,885
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses	2,162	1,945	1,837	2,372	2,266
Rented dwellings	3,946	5,224	2,306	3,195	5,694
Other lodging	1,055	1,502	978	1,026	804
Utilities, fuels, and public services	4,899	5,142	4,745	4,941	4,764
Natural gas	478	734	690	275	432
Electricity	1,685	1,596	1,521	1,939	1,462
Fuel oil and other fuels	120	387	79	54	50
Telephone services	1,843	1,881	1,723	1,890	1,836
Residential phone service, VOIP, and phone cards	175	267	162	153	150
Cellular phone service	1,667	1,614	1,561	1,737	1,686
Water and other public services	773	543	732	784	984
Household operations	1,511	1,606	1,296	1,476	1,686
Personal services	247	351	273	161	286
Other household expenses	1,264	1,255	1,024	1,315	1,400
Housekeeping supplies	959	993	1,204	871	872
Laundry and cleaning supplies	217	252 584	249 821	188 550	214 508
Other household products	601 141	157	135	132	150
Household furnishings and equipment	2,434	2,449	2,472	2,144	2,901
Household textiles	151	2,449	107	103	199
Furniture	596	695	577	519	668
Floor coverings	28	38	20	17	48
Major appliances	360	303	338	337	466
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	151	127	175	124	196
Miscellaneous household equipment	1,148	1,038	1,257	1,044	1,323
Apparel and services	2,134	2,277	2,089	2,022	2,257
Men and boys	574	539	509	597	617
Men, 16 and over	450	389	384	479	506
Boys, 2 to 15	124	150	125	118	111
Women and girls	839	892	891	731	946
Women, 16 and over	700	693	752	623	800
Girls, 2 to 15	139	199	140	108	146
Children under 2	44	⁴ 26	⁴ 28	64	⁴ 37
Footwear	435	447	514	417	388
Other apparel products and services	241	374	146	212	270
Transportation	12,825	12,042	12,608	14,040	11,538
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	5,512	4,561	5,694	6,854	3,774
Cars and trucks, new	2,311	1,983	2,192	2,912	1,630
Cars and trucks, used	3,108	2,577	3,269	3,865	2,069
Other vehicles	93	(3)	⁴ 232	77	⁴ 74
Gasoline, other fuels, and motor oil	2,330	2,139	2,210	2,294	2,661
Other vehicle expenses	4,380	4,459	4,177	4,469	4,344
Vehicle finance charges	344	270	342	418	277
Maintenance and repairs	1,099	886	1,275	1,095	1,126
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges	982	1,435	942	800	962
Vehicle insurance Public and other transportation	1,956 603	1,867 883	1,619 527	2,157 422	1,980 759
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Healthcare	5,405	4,916	6,191	5,271	5,338
Health insurance	3,702	3,525	4,125	3,812	3,274
Medical services	1,051	837	1,215	869	1,399
Drugs Medical supplies	454 198	370 184	578 273	418 172	479 186
Entertainment	3,520	3,207	4,193	2,941	4,192 1,015
Audio and visual equipment and services	837 1 174	928	1 240	708 1 122	,
	1,174	1,124 808	1,240 1,030	1,122 778	1,247 1,057
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment	896 736		,		,
	736 159	607 200	872 158	654 124	865 192

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Item	Total 45-54	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Personal care products and services	918	1,028	919	798	1,045
Reading	99	92	128	102	75
Education	2,654	4,908	2,149	1,991	2,410
Tobacco products and smoking supplies	391	408	463	409	280
Miscellaneous	1,095	1,410	946	841	1,419
Cash contributions	2,133	2,157	1,626	2,187	2,477
Personal insurance and pensions Life and other personal insurance Pensions and Social Security	10,681 658 10,024	11,701 793 10,908	10,340 632 9,708	9,979 674 9,305	11,381 540 10,841
Sources of income and personal taxes:					
Income before taxes. Wages and salaries	\$111,677 97,768 8,033 2,761 1,487 493 822 312 15,849 13,205 -1,020 3,569 96	\$121,557 108,405 8,496 1,534 1,275 575 817 457 19,224 15,077 -907 4,952 102	\$100,593 89,376 5,505 2,886 1,460 474 623 270 12,521 10,053 -1,070 3,449 90 88,072	\$108,356 94,000 8,215 3,555 1,107 407 854 218 15,152 13,512 -1,098 2,600 139 93,203	\$119,377 103,186 9,623 2,268 2,358 593 952 398 17,293 13,972 -932 4,234 420
Addenda:					
Net change in total assets and liabilities Net change in total assets Net change in total liabilities	\$8,464 27,755 19,291	\$6,755 25,482 18,727	\$6,083 20,731 14,648	\$19,286 33,587 14,301	-\$7,001 25,751 32,752
Other financial information: Other money receipts Mortgage principal paid on owned property Estimated market value of owned home Estimated monthly rental value of owned home	584 -3,521 249,858 1,326	⁴ 250 -3,918 241,621 1,369	638 -3,340 187,272 1,132	456 -3,142 205,736 1,237	1,038 -4,020 391,099 1,620

Data are rounded to the nearest thousands.
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Source: Consumer Expenditure Surveys, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, September, 2021

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 No data reported.
 Data are likely to have large sampling errors.
 Both are likely to have large sampling errors.
 Data collection for this item began in June 2020. Stimulus payments delivered to respondents interviewed in April and May of 2020 were not included in estimation.