

Table 1800. Region of residence: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2012-2013

Item	All consumer units	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Number of consumer units (in thousands)	125,043	22,614	27,744	46,625	28,059
Consumer unit characteristics:					
Income before taxes	\$64,686	\$71,819	\$64,195	\$59,416	\$68,177
Income after taxes	59,844	65,585	58,962	55,566	63,196
Age of reference person	50.1	51.4	49.7	50.3	49.0
Average number in consumer unit:					
People	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.6
Children under 186	.6	.6	.6	.6
Adults 65 and older3	.4	.3	.3	.3
Earners	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.4
Vehicles	1.9	1.6	2.0	1.8	2.0
Percent distribution:					
Reference person:					
Men	47	45	48	46	49
Women	53	55	52	54	51
Housing tenure:					
Homeowner	64	63	67	66	58
With mortgage	38	37	40	37	38
Without mortgage	26	25	28	29	20
Renter	36	37	33	34	42
Race of reference person:					
Black or African-American	13	11	9	20	4
White, Asian, and all other races	87	89	91	80	96
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:					
Hispanic or Latino	13	10	5	14	20
Not Hispanic or Latino	87	90	95	86	80
Education of reference person:					
Elementary (1-8)	6	4	5	6	6
High school (9-12)	32	34	31	36	25
College	62	62	64	58	69
Never attended and other	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
At least one vehicle owned or leased	87	81	89	89	89
Average annual expenditures	\$51,299	\$56,484	\$49,592	\$46,878	\$56,156
Food	6,600	6,998	6,490	6,106	7,213
Food at home	3,949	4,139	4,011	3,629	4,270
Cereals and bakery products	541	595	570	490	554
Cereals and cereal products	183	199	192	165	194
Bakery products	357	396	378	325	360
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	854	921	809	837	874
Beef	222	219	219	227	221
Pork	168	162	163	177	162
Other meats	121	141	129	109	115
Poultry	165	190	145	159	172
Fish and seafood	124	151	101	112	145
Eggs	55	56	52	53	60
Dairy products	416	455	428	368	455
Fresh milk and cream	152	158	150	144	162
Other dairy products	265	297	279	224	294
Fruits and vegetables	741	809	754	636	849
Fresh fruits	266	286	272	216	325
Fresh vegetables	231	259	216	198	279
Processed fruits	114	127	122	97	125
Processed vegetables	130	136	144	125	120
Other food at home	1,397	1,360	1,450	1,299	1,537
Sugar and other sweets	145	141	154	132	159
Fats and oils	115	116	123	106	124
Miscellaneous foods	713	670	758	649	814
Nonalcoholic beverages	377	383	372	375	380
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips	46	50	43	37	61

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Item	All consumer units	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Food away from home	2,651	2,858	2,479	2,477	2,944
Alcoholic beverages	448	531	437	367	526
Housing	17,030	20,054	15,480	15,148	19,254
Shelter	9,986	12,396	8,794	8,313	12,003
Owned dwellings	6,082	7,612	5,781	5,144	6,706
Mortgage interest and charges	3,073	3,108	2,658	2,753	3,984
Property taxes	1,842	3,080	1,957	1,320	1,597
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses	1,168	1,424	1,166	1,071	1,125
Rented dwellings	3,255	3,975	2,360	2,643	4,578
Other lodging	649	809	653	526	719
Utilities, fuels, and public services	3,693	4,053	3,510	3,738	3,508
Natural gas	376	533	529	218	361
Electricity	1,405	1,306	1,275	1,652	1,202
Fuel oil and other fuels	140	462	100	59	54
Telephone services	1,255	1,335	1,178	1,274	1,237
Residential phone service, VOIP, and phone cards	368	474	335	363	321
Cellular phone service	888	861	843	910	916
Water and other public services	517	418	427	535	656
Household operations	1,152	1,411	1,022	1,016	1,301
Personal services	368	570	358	297	334
Other household expenses	784	841	664	719	967
Housekeeping supplies	627	622	626	597	683
Laundry and cleaning supplies	155	148	149	153	169
Other household products	334	323	342	323	357
Postage and stationery	138	152	136	122	157
Household furnishings and equipment	1,571	1,572	1,529	1,484	1,759
Household textiles	110	102	95	96	154
Furniture	387	399	390	371	401
Floor coverings	18	19	22	13	22
Major appliances	206	213	202	192	226
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	101	103	96	91	120
Miscellaneous household equipment	750	736	723	722	836
Apparel and services	1,677	1,832	1,528	1,563	1,887
Men and boys	392	441	335	358	465
Men, 16 and over	312	352	270	282	372
Boys, 2 to 15	80	89	64	77	93
Women and girls	662	661	651	628	732
Women, 16 and over	550	542	536	515	627
Girls, 2 to 15	113	119	115	112	106
Children under 2	75	82	74	74	73
Footwear	327	391	279	308	354
Other apparel products and services	220	257	190	195	264
Transportation	9,001	9,107	8,853	8,876	9,267
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	3,241	3,094	3,356	3,317	3,120
Cars and trucks, new	1,601	1,734	1,447	1,656	1,555
Cars and trucks, used	1,593	1,318	1,863	1,633	1,482
Other vehicles	47	42	47	28	83
Gasoline and motor oil	2,683	2,446	2,664	2,794	2,709
Other vehicle expenses	2,537	2,751	2,353	2,414	2,749
Vehicle finance charges	213	192	194	235	214
Maintenance and repairs	825	807	828	744	970
Vehicle insurance	1,015	1,019	872	1,083	1,039
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges	484	733	459	352	526
Public and other transportation	540	816	481	350	690
Healthcare	3,594	3,679	3,970	3,265	3,701
Health insurance	2,146	2,315	2,384	1,986	2,039
Medical services	817	775	926	665	997
Drugs	492	438	516	496	506
Medical supplies	139	151	143	118	159
Entertainment	2,553	2,675	2,512	2,298	2,920
Fees and admissions	592	739	603	419	750
Audio and visual equipment and services	982	1,060	930	975	980
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment	622	585	605	605	698
Pets	491	444	479	497	530

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Item	All consumer units	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Toys, hobbies, and playground equipment	131	141	126	108	168
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services	358	292	374	300	493
Personal care products and services	618	630	574	591	698
Reading	106	126	110	81	128
Education	1,172	1,830	1,193	789	1,258
Tobacco products and smoking supplies	331	348	350	354	259
Miscellaneous	736	795	732	626	876
Cash contributions	1,873	1,662	1,967	1,691	2,253
Personal insurance and pensions	5,559	6,217	5,397	5,123	5,915
Life and other personal insurance	336	354	322	352	307
Pensions and Social Security	5,224	5,862	5,074	4,771	5,608
Sources of income and personal taxes:					
Money income before taxes	\$64,686	\$71,819	\$64,195	\$59,416	\$68,177
Wages and salaries	50,945	58,230	49,931	47,000	52,633
Self-employment income	3,096	2,453	3,266	2,797	3,942
Social Security, private and government retirement	7,767	7,971	7,903	7,470	7,960
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income	1,384	1,443	1,636	881	1,924
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps	534	596	498	505	567
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits, and regular contributions for support	709	877	687	548	864
Other income	250	250	274	215	286
Personal taxes (contains some imputed values)	4,842	6,234	5,233	3,851	4,981
Federal income taxes	3,666	4,569	3,875	3,066	3,729
State and local income taxes	1,080	1,476	1,288	689	1,206
Other taxes	96	189	70	96	47
Income after taxes	59,844	65,585	58,962	55,566	63,196
Addenda:					
Net change in total assets and liabilities	\$3,440	\$5,262	\$6,425	\$3,452	-\$1,000
Net change in total assets	12,845	11,924	14,503	11,194	14,690
Net change in total liabilities	9,405	6,662	8,078	7,742	15,690
Other financial information:					
Other money receipts	724	1,040	901	291	1,016
Mortgage principal paid on owned property	-1,896	-2,106	-1,775	-1,647	-2,260
Estimated market value of owned home	152,254	178,319	118,086	127,727	205,788
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home	876	1,025	767	797	992
Gifts of goods and services, total	1,105	1,291	1,136	952	1,177
Food	91	93	112	82	85
Alcoholic beverages	12	19	17	6	13
Housing	196	244	197	175	194
Housekeeping supplies	27	35	31	22	24
Household textiles	7	6	7	7	8
Appliances and miscellaneous housewares	19	28	21	14	19
Major appliances	6	10	7	4	6
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares	13	19	14	10	13
Miscellaneous household equipment	44	60	46	35	45
Other housing	99	115	92	96	99
Apparel and services	213	227	176	205	250
Males, 2 and over	52	57	42	53	58
Females, 2 and over	81	80	71	76	101
Children under 2	30	44	21	28	33
Other apparel products and services	49	46	42	48	58
Jewelry and watches	19	14	19	22	17

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Item	All consumer units	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
All other apparel products and services	30	32	23	26	41
Transportation	105	58	91	119	135
Healthcare	44	35	52	25	74
Entertainment	86	84	92	78	96
Toys, games, arts and crafts, and tricycles	28	32	32	28	19
Other entertainment	58	52	60	50	77
Personal care products and services	15	16	14	15	16
Reading	3	3	4	3	3
Education	267	458	313	171	228
All other gifts	71	54	68	74	84

¹ Value is too small to display.

Source: Consumer Expenditure Survey, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, September, 2014