Table 29. Consumer units with reference person age 55-64 by income before taxes: Average Annual Expenditures, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 1987-88

|  | Complete reporting of income ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Item | Total complete reporting | $\begin{gathered} \text { Less } \\ \text { than } \\ \$ 55,000 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 5,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 9,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 10,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 14,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 15,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 19,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ \mathbf{2 0 , 0 0 0} \\ \mathbf{t o} \\ \$ 29,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 30,000 \\ \mathbf{t o} \\ \$ 39,999 \end{gathered}$ | \$40,000 and over |

Number of consumer units (in thousands)
Number of sample interviews

| 10,639 | 879 | 1,469 | 1,180 | 1,144 | 2,067 | 1,329 | 2,570 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 8,712 | 703 | 1,164 | 1,017 | 908 | 1,610 | 1,105 | 2,205 |

## Consumer unit characteristics:

Income before taxes ${ }^{1}$

Average number of persons in consumer unit

Age of reference person

Average number in consumer unit:
Earners
Vehicles
Children under 18
Persons 65 and over

## Percent distribution:

Sex of reference person:
Male
Female
Housing tenure:
Homeowner with mortgage
Homeowner without mortgage
Renter
Race of reference person:
Black
White and other

Education of reference person:
Elementary (1-8)
High school (9-12)
College
Never attended and other

At least one vehicle owned
Average annual expenditures:

## Food

Food at home

| $\$ 30,524$ | $\$ 2,2$ |
| ---: | ---: |
| 27,743 | 2,3 |


| 2.3 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 2 | 2.1 | 2.2 | 2.4 | 2.8 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 59.7 | 60.1 | 60.2 | 60.2 | 59.9 | 59.6 | 59.5 | 58.9 |


| 1.4 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.9 | 1.2 | 1.4 | 1.6 | 2.2 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2.3 | 1.1 | 1.4 | 1.6 | 2.3 | 2.4 | 2.5 | 3.2 |
| 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 |


| 70 | 38 | 52 | 59 | 69 | 73 | 77 | 91 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 30 | 62 | 48 | 41 | 31 | 27 | 23 | 9 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 38 | 29 | 22 | 26 | 30 | 34 | 38 | 62 |
| 42 | 30 | 42 | 50 | 46 | 49 | 46 | 33 |
| 20 | 41 | 36 | 24 | 24 | 17 | 16 | 4 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10 | 25 | 19 | 13 | 7 | 8 | 5 | 3 |
| 90 | 75 | 81 | 87 | 93 | 92 | 95 | 97 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 16 | 40 | 28 | 20 | 17 | 11 | 14 | 4 |
| 50 | 44 | 49 | 58 | 62 | 62 | 46 | 35 |
| 33 | 12 | 20 | 22 | 20 | 26 | 40 | 61 |
| 1 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | 0 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 91 | 62 | 77 | 87 | 97 | 97 | 97 | 98 |


| $\$ 26,202$ | $\$ 11,413$ | $\$ 13,239$ | $\$ 16,768$ | $\$ 19,328$ | $\$ 24,113$ | $\$ 29,370$ | $\$ 46,291$ |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 3,983 | 2,154 | 2,506 | 3,015 | 3,251 | 3,953 | 4,623 | 6,025 |
| 2,397 | 1,645 | 1,760 | 2,083 | 2,216 | 2,474 | 2,587 | 3,146 |

Table 29. Consumer units with reference person age 55-64 by income before taxes: Average annual expenditures, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 1987-88- Continued

| Item | Complete reporting of income ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total complete reporting | $\begin{gathered} \text { Less } \\ \text { than } \\ \mathbf{\$ 5 , 0 0 0} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 5,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 9,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 10,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 14,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 15,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 19,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 20,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 29,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 30,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 39,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 40,000 \\ \text { and } \\ \text { over } \end{gathered}$ |
| Cereals and bakery products | 332 | 228 | 254 | 290 | 332 | 331 | 362 | 426 |
| Cereals and cereal products | 112 | 84 | 97 | 112 | 130 | 109 | 120 | 119 |
| Bakery products | 221 | 144 | 156 | 178 | 202 | 222 | 242 | 307 |
| Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs | 679 | 467 | 511 | 616 | 641 | 645 | 733 | 899 |
| Beef | 223 | 121 | 137 | 180 | 201 | 221 | 256 | 327 |
| Pork | 138 | 100 | 113 | 140 | 150 | 131 | 132 | 169 |
| Other meats | 101 | 72 | 94 | 91 | 84 | 93 | 110 | 127 |
| Poultry | 99 | 68 | 76 | 93 | 88 | 90 | 107 | 132 |
| Fish and seafood | 86 | 80 | 54 | 78 | 88 | 78 | 95 | 111 |
| Eggs | 33 | 26 | 36 | 34 | 30 | 32 | 32 | 34 |
| Dairy products | 298 | 195 | 217 | 242 | 264 | 319 | 346 | 389 |
| Fresh milk and cream | 136 | 116 | 114 | 132 | 124 | 139 | 139 | 160 |
| Other dairy products | 162 | 79 | 103 | 109 | 140 | 180 | 208 | 229 |
| Fruits and vegetables | 433 | 283 | 306 | 372 | 425 | 462 | 444 | 576 |
| Fresh fruits | 142 | 92 | 86 | 113 | 142 | 149 | 149 | 204 |
| Fresh vegetables | 134 | 93 | 108 | 119 | 127 | 146 | 139 | 165 |
| Processed fruits | 92 | 49 | 63 | 84 | 94 | 103 | 83 | 127 |
| Processed vegetables | 64 | 49 | 49 | 56 | 62 | 64 | 73 | 80 |
| Other food at home | 655 | 472 | 473 | 564 | 554 | 716 | 702 | 856 |
| Sugar and other sweets | 86 | 52 | 66 | 66 | 73 | 101 | 90 | 115 |
| Fats and oils | 63 | 50 | 54 | 55 | 57 | 67 | 75 | 71 |
| Miscellaneous foods | 248 | 175 | 162 | 225 | 208 | 257 | 269 | 339 |
| Nonalcoholic beverages | 221 | 182 | 183 | 195 | 193 | 237 | 227 | 273 |
| Food prep by cu, out-of-town trips | 37 | 13 | 8 | 22 | 23 | 54 | 41 | 58 |
| Food away from home | 1,586 | 509 | 745 | 932 | 1,035 | 1,480 | 2,035 | 2,879 |
| Alcoholic beverages | 264 | 111 | 124 | 160 | 195 | 275 | 346 | 437 |
| Housing | 7,461 | 4,570 | 4,521 | 4,959 | 5,637 | 6,874 | 7,770 | 12,428 |
| Shelter | 3,724 | 2,498 | 2,343 | 2,267 | 2,671 | 3,384 | 3,585 | 6,415 |
| Owned dwellings | 2,451 | 1,287 | 1,192 | 1,261 | 1,510 | 2,270 | 2,277 | 4,771 |
| Mortgage interest and charges | 1,082 | 610 | 416 | 428 | 500 | 742 | 900 | 2,552 |
| Property taxes | 700 | 386 | 311 | 427 | 528 | 733 | 691 | 1,211 |
| Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses | 669 | 291 | 465 | 406 | 481 | 795 | 686 | 1,008 |
| Rented dwellings | 706 | 896 | 943 | 805 | 921 | 736 | 820 | 281 |
| Other lodging | 567 | 315 | 208 | 201 | 241 | 379 | 488 | 1,363 |
| Utilities, fuels, and public services | 1,878 | 1,423 | 1,395 | 1,564 | 1,751 | 1,824 | 1,958 | 2,511 |
| Natural gas | 277 | 189 | 185 | 257 | 280 | 249 | 311 | 372 |
| Electricity | 766 | 567 | 574 | 619 | 703 | 789 | 819 | 992 |
| Fuel oil and other fuels | 128 | 111 | 127 | 103 | 94 | 130 | 104 | 172 |
| Telephone services | 518 | 436 | 387 | 429 | 486 | 473 | 537 | 704 |
| Water and other public services | 189 | 121 | 122 | 156 | 187 | 184 | 188 | 270 |
| Household operations | 274 | 64 | 81 | 84 | 118 | 207 | 260 | 673 |
| Personal services | 39 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 7 | 39 | 61 | 92 |
| Other household expenses | 234 | 64 | 80 | 76 | 111 | 168 | 199 | 580 |

Table 29. Consumer units with reference person age 55-64 by income before taxes: Average annual expenditures, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 1987-88- Continued

| Item | Complete reporting of income ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total complete reporting | $\begin{gathered} \text { Less } \\ \text { than } \\ \mathbf{\$ 5 , 0 0 0} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ \mathbf{5 , 0 0 0} \\ \text { to } \\ \$ \mathbf{9 , 9 9 9} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 10,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 14,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 15,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 19,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 20,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ \mathbf{2 9 , 9 9 9} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 30,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 39,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 40,000 \\ \text { and } \\ \text { over } \end{gathered}$ |
| Housekeeping supplies | 423 | 222 | 256 | 336 | 428 | 430 | 480 | 607 |
| Laundry and cleaning supplies | 122 | 77 | 80 | 91 | 124 | 120 | 144 | 172 |
| Other household products | 175 | 90 | 104 | 148 | 153 | 193 | 188 | 255 |
| Postage and stationery | 125 | 55 | 73 | 96 | 151 | 116 | 148 | 180 |
| Household furnishings and equipment | 1,163 | 362 | 445 | 708 | 669 | 1,028 | 1,487 | 2,223 |
| Household textiles | 104 | 68 | 47 | 76 | 62 | 82 | 106 | 197 |
| Furniture | 316 | 77 | 82 | 165 | 153 | 298 | 365 | 664 |
| Floor coverings | 105 | 30 | 19 | 94 | 14 | 100 | 293 | 113 |
| Major appliances | 182 | 65 | 94 | 147 | 175 | 138 | 234 | 301 |
| Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares | 69 | 20 | 20 | 39 | 44 | 75 | 82 | 131 |
| Miscellaneous household equipment | 387 | 103 | 184 | 186 | 221 | 335 | 406 | 817 |
| Apparel and services | 1,415 | 372 | 609 | 961 | 1,144 | 1,116 | 1,486 | 2,787 |
| Men and boys | 395 | 64 | 175 | 215 | 292 | 335 | 363 | 843 |
| Men, 16 and over | 351 | 62 | 167 | 163 | 233 | 291 | 281 | 798 |
| Boys, 2 to 15 | 44 | 2 | 8 | 52 | 59 | 44 | 82 | 46 |
| Women and girls | 594 | 202 | 268 | 454 | 531 | 403 | 703 | 1,104 |
| Women, 16 and over | 556 | 186 | 258 | 416 | 497 | 367 | 643 | 1,052 |
| Girls, 2 to 15 | 38 | 16 | 10 | 38 | 34 | 36 | 59 | 52 |
| Children under 2 | 34 | 7 | 12 | 30 | 25 | 32 | 46 | 57 |
| Footwear | 172 | 43 | 72 | 144 | 193 | 153 | 179 | 293 |
| Other apparel products and services | 220 | 56 | 82 | 119 | 103 | 192 | 196 | 489 |
| Transportation | 4,744 | 2,011 | 2,198 | 3,083 | 3,163 | 4,753 | 5,711 | 8,070 |
| Vehicle purchases (net outlay) | 1,946 | 871 | 811 | 1,070 | 915 | 2,072 | 2,506 | 3,432 |
| Cars and trucks, new | 1,245 | 348 | 542 | 433 | 273 | 1,198 | 1,522 | 2,655 |
| Cars and trucks, used | 693 | 523 | 267 | 637 | 638 | 857 | 961 | 774 |
| Other vehicles | 8 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 17 | 23 | 3 |
| Gasoline and motor oil | 961 | 437 | 567 | 704 | 895 | 978 | 1,137 | 1,408 |
| Other vehicle expenses | 1,532 | 599 | 731 | 1,170 | 1,252 | 1,480 | 1,778 | 2,493 |
| Vehicle finance charges | 243 | 109 | 76 | 139 | 147 | 272 | 307 | 420 |
| Maintenance and repairs | 576 | 210 | 304 | 555 | 527 | 535 | 647 | 860 |
| Vehicle insurance | 553 | 234 | 271 | 383 | 460 | 550 | 642 | 901 |
| Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, other charges | 160 | 46 | 81 | 94 | 118 | 124 | 181 | 312 |
| Public transportation | 305 | 105 | 88 | 139 | 100 | 223 | 290 | 737 |
| Health care | 1,390 | 746 | 1,189 | 1,200 | 1,571 | 1,484 | 1,593 | 1,550 |
| Health insurance | 515 | 284 | 418 | 469 | 613 | 613 | 485 | 562 |
| Medical services | 479 | 233 | 454 | 342 | 495 | 508 | 646 | 524 |
| Drugs | 314 | 188 | 276 | 340 | 374 | 303 | 300 | 354 |
| Medical supplies | 83 | 41 | 41 | 50 | 89 | 61 | 162 | 110 |
| Entertainment | 1,178 | 337 | 456 | 907 | 901 | 992 | 1,224 | 2,254 |
| Fees and admissions | 327 | 65 | 94 | 127 | 178 | 238 | 345 | 770 |
| Television, radios, sound equipment | 389 | 160 | 201 | 213 | 302 | 400 | 352 | 710 |
| Pets, toys, and playground equipment | 230 | 65 | 134 | 153 | 222 | 216 | 264 | 373 |

Table 29. Consumer units with reference person age 55-64 by income before taxes: Average annual expenditures, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 1987-88- Continued

| Item | Complete reporting of income ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total complete reporting | $\begin{gathered} \text { Less } \\ \text { tenan } \\ \$ 5.000 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 5,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 9,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 10,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 14,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 15,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 19,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 20,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 29,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 30,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 39,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 40,000 \\ \text { and } \\ \text { over } \end{gathered}$ |
| Other supplies, equipment, and services | 232 | 46 | 27 | 413 | 199 | 139 | 264 | 402 |
| Personal care products and services | 371 | 140 | 170 | 267 | 333 | 362 | 417 | 627 |
| Reading | 161 | 60 | 91 | 100 | 135 | 141 | 189 | 278 |
| Education | 239 | 99 | 89 | 115 | 76 | 94 | 198 | 641 |
| Tobacco products and smoking supplies | 268 | 197 | 265 | 226 | 306 | 263 | 299 | 282 |
| Miscellaneous | 639 | 211 | 334 | 417 | 672 | 523 | 698 | 1,132 |
| Cash contributions | 1,103 | 117 | 193 | 460 | 516 | 731 | 1,405 | 2,660 |
| Personal insurance and pensions | 2,987 | 288 | 496 | 899 | 1,429 | 2,552 | 3,413 | 7,118 |
| Life and other personal insurance | 426 | 171 | 215 | 225 | 306 | 450 | 501 | 724 |
| Pensions and Social Security | 2,561 | 117 | 281 | 675 | 1,123 | 2,103 | 2,911 | 6,394 |

Sources of income and taxes: ${ }^{1}$

| Money income before taxes | 30,524 | 2,258 | 7,427 | 12,413 | 17,393 | 24,567 | 34,279 | 70,410 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Wages and salaries | 21,597 | 614 | 2,217 | 5,383 | 9,801 | 16,055 | 24,642 | 55,435 |
| Self-employment income | 2,278 | -531 | 161 | 608 | 1,035 | 1,275 | 1,784 | 6,831 |
| Social Security, private and government retirement | 4,277 | 1,250 | 3,819 | 5,178 | 5,294 | 4,931 | 4,923 | 3,846 |
| Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income | 1,711 | 63 | 218 | 534 | 831 | 1,619 | 2,310 | 3,824 |
| Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits | 271 | 84 | 267 | 314 | 266 | 477 | 259 | 160 |
| Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps | 216 | 591 | 651 | 190 | 100 | 89 | 150 | 37 |
| Regular contributions for support | 89 | 146 | 61 | 190 | 3 | 83 | 156 | 48 |
| Other income | 86 | 41 | 33 | 16 | 63 | 40 | 54 | 229 |
| Personal taxes ${ }^{1}$ | 2,780 | -94 | 225 | 389 | 910 | 1,618 | 2,875 | 8,042 |
| Federal income taxes | 2,245 | -125 | 152 | 268 | 748 | 1,170 | 2,261 | 6,682 |
| State and local income taxes | 470 | -2 | 16 | 66 | 156 | 362 | 545 | 1,266 |
| Other taxes | 65 | 33 | 57 | 55 | 6 | 85 | 68 | 94 |
| Income after taxes ${ }^{1}$ | 27,743 | 2,352 | 7,203 | 12,024 | 16,483 | 22,950 | 31,404 | 62,368 |
| Addenda: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Other financial information |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Other money receipts | 503 | 43 | 243 | 187 | 70 | 617 | 247 | 1,188 |

Table 29. Consumer units with reference person age 55-64 by income before taxes: Average annual expenditures, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 1987-88- Continued

| Item | Complete reporting of income ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total complete reporting | $\begin{gathered} \text { Less } \\ \text { than } \\ \$ 5,000 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ \mathbf{5 , 0 0 0} \\ \mathbf{t o} \\ \$ \mathbf{9 , 9 9 9} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 10,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 14,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 15,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 19,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 20,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 29,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ \mathbf{3 0 , 0 0 0} \\ \text { to } \\ \$ \mathbf{3 9 , 9 9 9} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 40,000 \\ \text { and } \\ \text { over } \end{gathered}$ |
| Mortgage principal paid on owned property | -501 | -401 | -183 | -227 | -301 | -352 | -445 | -1,082 |
| Estimated market value of owned home | 72,558 | 40,581 | 35,393 | 54,113 | 55,803 | 69,926 | 66,151 | 126,000 |
| Estimated monthly rental value of owned home | 418 | 217 | 228 | 288 | 347 | 407 | 418 | 695 |
| Gifts of: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Clothing, males 2 and over | 134 | 12 | 38 | 56 | 61 | 130 | 105 | 330 |
| Clothing, females 2 and over | 124 | 11 | 68 | 79 | 84 | 124 | 179 | 204 |
| Clothing, infants less than 2 | 30 | 6 | 11 | 14 | 23 | 27 | 42 | 55 |
| Jewelry and watches | 20 | 4 | 5 | 10 | 5 | 17 | 22 | 45 |
| Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares | 28 | 4 | 6 | 14 | 19 | 45 | 21 | 52 |
| Household textiles | 18 | 8 | 5 | 13 | 15 | 20 | 17 | 32 |
| All other gifts | 727 | 179 | 342 | 317 | 398 | 548 | 713 | 1,646 |

${ }^{1}$ Components of income and taxes are derived from "complete income reporters" only; see glossary at http://stats.bls.gov/csxgloss.htm

Note: All values have been rounded, and therefore some rounded values equal zero.
When data are not reported or are not applicable (i.e., missing values), values are set to zero.
Note: Some data are likely to have large sampling errors

