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Number of consumer units (in thousands) .....	118,099	24,980	93,119	18,227	9,234	18,667	15,644	16,355	14,992
Consumer unit characteristics:									
Income before taxes .....	\$59,628	\$58,463	\$59,941	\$46,256	\$54,606	\$56,981	\$61,283	\$71,437	\$69,609
Income after taxes .....	57,208	55,949	57,546	44,599	52,447	54,446	58,760	68,269	67,322
Age of reference person .....	48.7	51.0	48.0	48.0	47.9	48.1	48.6	46.6	49.0
Average number in consumer unit:									
Persons .....	2.5	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.6
Children under 18 .....	.6	.6	.6	.6	.7	.6	.6	.7	.7
Persons 65 and over .....	.3	.3	.3	.3	.3	.3	.3	.2	.3
Earners .....	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4
Vehicles .....	1.9	2.6	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.5
Percent distribution:									
Sex of reference person:									
Male .....	47	46	47	44	46	48	47	46	48
Female .....	53	54	53	56	54	52	53	54	52
Housing tenure:									
Homeowner .....	67	85	63	61	64	65	66	63	58
With mortgage .....	43	48	42	36	43	42	46	45	39
Without mortgage .....	24	37	21	25	22	23	19	18	19
Renter .....	33	15	37	39	36	35	34	37	42
Race of reference person:									
Black or African-American .....	12	6	14	12	10	12	14	17	16
White, Asian, and all other races .....	88	94	86	88	90	88	86	83	84
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:									
Hispanic or Latino .....	11	3	13	12	9	9	11	18	20
Not Hispanic or Latino .....	89	97	87	88	91	91	89	82	80
Education of reference person:									
Elementary (1-8) .....	5	6	5	6	4	5	3	5	6
High school (9-12) .....	36	42	34	39	36	35	34	28	33
College .....	59	51	61	55	59	61	63	67	60
Never attended and other .....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
At least one vehicle owned or leased .....	88	95	86	87	89	88	88	86	77
Average annual expenditures .....	\$47,421	\$46,098	\$47,779	\$39,404	\$45,408	\$46,207	\$49,367	\$53,502	\$53,476
Food .....									
Food at home .....	6,022	5,825	6,077	5,308	5,922	6,000	6,041	6,461	6,812
Cereals and bakery products .....	3,357	3,384	3,350	3,092	3,264	3,250	3,350	3,465	3,708
Cereals and cereal products .....	446	455	443	409	440	444	442	451	478
Bakery products .....	143	139	144	130	147	142	139	146	164
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	303	316	299	279	293	302	303	304	315
Beef .....	781	783	780	706	746	726	768	816	931
Pork .....	232	246	228	233	215	224	213	231	248
Other meats .....	155	178	149	145	153	138	157	151	153
Poultry .....	104	109	103	93	95	94	106	101	127
Fish and seafood .....	137	127	140	115	137	126	138	146	188
Eggs .....	118	90	125	88	113	113	119	149	173
Dairy products .....	35	33	35	33	32	32	36	37	40
Dairy products .....	373	396	367	347	364	361	369	374	389
Fresh milk and cream .....	143	155	140	137	137	142	135	141	147
Other dairy products .....	230	241	227	211	227	220	234	233	242
Fruits and vegetables .....	572	524	586	498	541	539	563	639	741
Fresh fruits .....	189	163	196	158	170	172	186	228	259
Fresh vegetables .....	184	165	190	156	171	176	183	212	240
Processed fruits .....	108	97	111	95	104	105	105	114	143
Processed vegetables .....	92	99	90	88	96	87	90	85	98

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Other food at home .....	\$1,185	\$1,226	\$1,174	\$1,131	\$1,172	\$1,180	\$1,208	\$1,186	\$1,169
Sugar and other sweets .....	122	127	120	117	117	126	129	116	113
Fats and oils .....	85	91	84	82	86	78	82	85	91
Miscellaneous foods .....	618	631	614	594	618	621	640	624	590
Nonalcoholic beverages .....	318	331	314	301	306	314	316	315	334
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips .....	42	45	41	37	44	42	41	46	40
Food away from home .....	2,665	2,441	2,727	2,217	2,658	2,750	2,690	2,996	3,104
Alcoholic beverages .....	462	359	491	396	397	461	585	544	537
Housing .....	15,782	13,791	16,313	12,209	14,738	15,081	17,004	19,317	19,817
Shelter .....	9,253	7,092	9,833	6,616	8,411	8,636	10,275	12,201	13,066
Owned dwellings .....	6,250	5,644	6,413	4,104	5,654	5,691	7,082	8,115	8,032
Mortgage interest and charges .....	3,548	3,143	3,656	2,247	3,341	3,222	4,170	4,802	4,318
Property taxes .....	1,595	1,446	1,635	997	1,389	1,436	1,587	1,972	2,494
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses .....	1,108	1,055	1,122	860	924	1,034	1,325	1,341	1,221
Rented dwellings .....	2,468	1,013	2,859	2,058	2,297	2,429	2,647	3,392	4,352
Other lodging .....	535	436	561	454	461	516	546	694	682
Utilities, fuels, and public services .....	3,291	3,466	3,244	2,942	3,131	3,179	3,243	3,573	3,404
Natural gas .....	491	294	544	420	465	507	628	506	742
Electricity .....	1,211	1,430	1,152	1,128	1,098	1,185	1,111	1,324	1,028
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	140	358	81	70	115	67	44	71	142
Telephone services .....	1,067	1,097	1,060	922	1,032	1,011	1,030	1,203	1,178
Water and other public services .....	382	287	407	402	421	409	429	468	314
Household operations .....	875	722	915	703	839	806	944	1,143	1,078
Personal services .....	357	274	380	318	381	289	414	475	427
Other household expenses .....	517	447	536	386	458	517	529	668	651
Housekeeping supplies .....	625	697	605	541	604	650	630	616	593
Laundry and cleaning supplies .....	143	148	141	137	132	144	146	140	144
Other household products .....	325	386	308	272	288	329	327	329	291
Postage and stationery .....	158	163	157	132	184	176	157	146	158
Household furnishings and equipment .....	1,737	1,814	1,716	1,407	1,752	1,810	1,912	1,785	1,676
Household textiles .....	143	146	142	127	139	168	150	134	135
Furniture .....	465	373	490	384	432	506	550	569	486
Floor coverings .....	52	48	53	37	63	44	51	67	63
Major appliances .....	232	270	222	180	252	231	241	215	232
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares .....	107	106	107	94	105	132	107	92	113
Miscellaneous household equipment .....	738	870	701	586	761	729	812	709	647
Apparel and services .....	1,880	1,593	1,960	1,559	1,727	1,927	1,945	2,024	2,580
Men and boys .....	442	398	454	371	387	436	443	471	612
Men, 16 and over .....	351	304	363	288	301	346	356	372	515
Boys, 2 to 15 .....	91	93	90	83	86	91	86	99	97
Women and girls .....	752	631	786	648	698	801	797	782	988
Women, 16 and over .....	631	521	662	546	576	667	671	659	844
Girls, 2 to 15 .....	122	111	125	101	123	133	126	123	144
Children under 2 .....	89	79	92	81	85	92	95	91	108
Footwear .....	312	256	328	254	265	311	320	334	478
Other apparel products and services .....	285	229	300	206	291	287	290	346	394
Transportation .....	8,427	9,250	8,206	7,447	8,378	8,056	8,462	8,978	8,101
Vehicle purchases (net outlay) .....	3,482	3,878	3,376	3,344	3,631	3,391	3,645	3,452	2,875
Cars and trucks, new .....	1,864	1,949	1,841	1,617	1,831	1,745	2,124	1,914	1,867
Cars and trucks, used .....	1,550	1,855	1,468	1,649	1,701	1,568	1,405	1,512	995
Other vehicles .....	68	73	67	78	99	78	116	25	213
Gasoline and motor oil .....	2,121	2,653	1,978	1,887	2,010	1,990	1,951	2,155	1,890

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Other vehicle expenses .....	\$2,347	\$2,412	\$2,330	\$1,907	\$2,323	\$2,239	\$2,363	\$2,744	\$2,477
Vehicle finance charges .....	297	378	276	276	311	284	292	291	210
Maintenance and repairs .....	680	720	669	583	685	683	676	750	654
Vehicle insurance .....	900	955	885	751	851	864	909	1,054	887
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges .....	470	359	500	297	477	408	486	649	726
Public transportation .....	476	308	522	309	414	436	503	627	859
Healthcare .....	2,716	3,086	2,616	2,489	2,693	2,761	2,672	2,704	2,385
Health insurance .....	1,413	1,607	1,361	1,295	1,393	1,395	1,418	1,363	1,319
Medical services .....	674	717	662	616	658	717	640	731	602
Drugs .....	517	645	483	483	499	534	502	490	381
Medical supplies .....	111	118	109	96	143	116	113	120	82
Entertainment .....	2,382	2,666	2,304	2,026	2,470	2,211	2,529	2,382	2,336
Fees and admissions .....	597	469	631	425	578	567	705	788	747
Audio and visual equipment and services .....	897	865	906	799	976	921	892	928	964
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment .....	416	540	382	372	464	401	389	366	331
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services .....	471	792	385	430	452	322	544	300	294
Personal care products and services .....	563	475	587	482	522	589	578	652	692
Reading .....	122	115	123	104	129	123	126	136	127
Education .....	914	589	1,001	777	707	927	1,015	1,066	1,461
Tobacco products and smoking supplies .....	323	432	294	359	381	290	291	240	225
Miscellaneous .....	827	903	807	774	745	787	775	853	892
Cash contributions .....	1,767	1,801	1,758	1,480	1,745	2,110	1,829	1,826	1,515
Personal insurance and pensions .....	5,237	5,211	5,244	3,995	4,853	4,884	5,514	6,319	5,997
Life and other personal insurance .....	351	418	334	297	348	344	339	348	336
Pensions and Social Security .....	4,886	4,794	4,910	3,698	4,505	4,540	5,175	5,971	5,661
Sources of income and personal taxes:									
Money income before taxes .....	59,628	58,463	59,941	46,256	54,606	56,981	61,283	71,437	69,609
Wages and salaries .....	47,211	43,819	48,121	35,211	42,726	45,023	48,920	59,539	57,707
Self-employment income .....	3,689	4,512	3,469	2,231	2,820	3,207	3,487	4,502	4,552
Social Security, private and government retirement .....	6,143	7,262	5,843	6,399	6,182	6,190	6,425	4,975	4,866
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income .....	1,433	1,911	1,305	1,037	1,399	1,345	1,416	1,341	1,366
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits .....	205	280	185	202	233	201	166	175	146
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps .....	342	219	375	452	437	368	312	294	404
Regular contributions for support .....	395	298	422	537	550	384	376	407	313
Other income .....	210	163	222	186	259	263	182	203	254
Personal taxes .....	2,420	2,514	2,395	1,657	2,159	2,534	2,523	3,168	2,286
Federal income taxes .....	1,704	1,734	1,696	1,125	1,514	1,737	1,702	2,404	1,670
State and local income taxes .....	527	555	519	399	389	531	662	553	544
Other taxes .....	190	225	180	133	256	267	158	211	72
Income after taxes .....	57,208	55,949	57,546	44,599	52,447	54,446	58,760	68,269	67,322

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Addenda:									
Net change in total assets and liabilities .....	- \$8,277	- \$4,490	- \$9,292	- \$5,626	- \$10,446	- \$10,563	- \$12,875	- \$10,748	- \$6,130
Net change in total assets .....	10,892	7,652	11,761	7,680	6,806	10,963	10,274	18,524	14,943
Net change in total liabilities .....	19,169	12,142	21,054	13,306	17,252	21,525	23,150	29,272	21,074
Other financial information:									
Other money receipts .....	572	487	594	633	397	902	467	714	290
Mortgage principal paid on owned property .....	-2,076	-2,211	-2,040	-1,425	-1,825	-1,770	-2,299	-2,662	-2,306
Estimated market value of owned home .....	174,064	179,528	172,598	104,034	138,215	151,220	169,035	224,401	250,953
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home .....	853	816	863	590	768	817	899	1,031	1,088
Gifts of goods and services .....	1,123	1,150	1,116	983	1,043	1,204	1,044	1,127	1,280
Food .....	114	97	119	83	120	135	89	135	156
Alcoholic beverages .....	16	11	17	15	9	12	14	14	36
Housing .....	248	374	214	200	223	240	216	197	212
Housekeeping supplies .....	30	31	29	29	35	33	30	28	21
Household textiles .....	12	15	12	11	13	17	9	10	11
Appliances and miscellaneous housewares .....	24	21	25	24	28	32	24	19	28
Major appliances .....	8	7	9	8	6	13	6	6	11
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares .....	16	13	17	15	21	19	18	14	16
Miscellaneous household equipment .....	58	83	50	41	49	66	65	46	34
Other housing .....	124	225	97	96	98	92	88	95	119
Apparel and services .....	226	211	230	194	208	279	220	219	250
Males, 2 and over .....	54	58	53	49	59	63	49	48	50
Females, 2 and over .....	80	75	82	68	73	105	70	77	92
Children under 2 .....	45	43	45	38	40	48	48	43	52
Other apparel products and services .....	47	35	51	38	35	62	54	51	57
Jewelry and watches .....	24	16	26	20	18	36	23	27	29
All other apparel products and services .....	23	19	25	18	18	26	31	25	29
Transportation .....	64	64	64	51	54	64	36	107	69
Health care .....	42	32	45	61	30	47	51	50	20
Entertainment .....	75	76	75	82	93	78	72	69	62
Toys, games, arts and crafts, and tricycles .....	25	28	24	21	32	29	21	21	21
Other entertainment .....	51	48	51	61	61	49	51	47	41
Personal care products and services .....	16	13	17	12	22	17	17	19	20
Reading .....	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1
Education .....	229	156	248	206	202	233	232	237	374
All other gifts .....	91	115	85	77	81	98	94	78	81

<sup>1</sup> Value less than or equal to 0.5.

<sup>2</sup> Data are likely to have large sampling errors.