

Table 9. Occupation of reference person: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 1990

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		Total wage and salary earners	Managers and professionals	Technical, sales, and clerical workers	Service workers	Construction workers and mechanics	Operators, fabricators, and laborers		
Number of consumer units (in thousands)	6,084	65,536	20,746	18,066	7,111	6,502	13,111	16,253	9,094
Consumer unit characteristics:									
Income before taxes ¹	\$37,508	\$36,950	\$51,359	\$33,487	\$21,798	\$33,587	\$28,692	\$18,188	\$15,874
Income after taxes ¹	34,683	33,272	45,452	30,216	20,159	30,687	26,516	17,161	14,718
Age of reference person	47.9	40.2	41.1	39.6	40.3	39.4	40.0	73.2	50.3
Average number in consumer unit:									
Persons	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.5	2.5	3.1	3.0	1.7	2.7
Children under 18	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	1.0	1.0	0.1	0.9
Persons 65 and over	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.2	0.3
Earners	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.9	1.8	0.2	0.5
Vehicles	2.5	2.1	2.3	1.9	1.6	2.6	2.3	1.5	1.2
Percent distribution:									
Sex of reference person:									
Male	84	69	72	53	51	95	83	57	32
Female	16	31	28	47	49	5	17	43	68
Housing tenure:									
Homeowner	76	59	69	55	43	65	56	79	48
With mortgage	47	46	60	41	29	49	40	14	19
Without mortgage	29	13	9	13	14	16	16	65	28
Renter	24	41	31	45	57	35	44	21	52
Race of reference person:									
Black	6	11	6	12	23	6	14	7	25
White and other	94	89	94	88	77	94	86	93	75
Education of reference person:									
Elementary (1-8)	9	5	1	2	10	8	12	27	21
High school (9-12)	39	41	18	42	52	61	63	47	53
College	52	53	82	56	38	31	24	25	25
Never attended and other	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
At least one vehicle owned	95	91	94	89	81	96	91	79	63
Average annual expenditures:									
\$35,806	\$31,529	\$41,923	\$29,059	\$21,263	\$28,111	\$25,475	\$18,147	\$18,512	
Food									
Food at home	5,083	4,643	5,571	4,424	3,524	4,231	4,197	2,968	3,390
Cereals and bakery products	2,745	2,586	2,796	2,453	2,177	2,571	2,652	2,007	2,367
Cereals and cereal products	414	381	432	347	301	364	394	310	336
Bakery products	145	135	152	119	107	137	141	100	120
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	269	246	279	228	195	227	254	210	216
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	741	686	669	689	630	725	721	546	711

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Beef	219	226	217	232	201	249	237	176	227
Pork	153	133	116	132	141	150	153	115	142
Other meats	108	102	94	102	90	104	121	81	102
Poultry	116	110	121	105	97	111	104	87	126
Fish and seafood	115	85	93	91	72	77	70	59	78
Eggs	30	30	27	27	28	35	36	28	35
Dairy products	333	305	329	282	264	319	314	247	276
Fresh milk and cream	152	143	142	133	127	162	159	122	138
Other dairy products	181	162	187	148	138	157	155	125	138
Fruits and vegetables	446	413	473	384	328	380	414	368	410
Fresh fruits	143	127	150	113	95	127	124	119	129
Fresh vegetables	132	119	140	110	98	107	116	105	124
Processed fruits	98	95	107	93	77	81	92	86	86
Processed vegetables	73	72	76	69	59	64	82	58	71
Other food at home	810	802	893	751	653	783	809	537	634
Sugar and other sweets	104	98	112	88	77	94	100	83	78
Fats and oils	77	69	74	66	57	64	75	62	64
Miscellaneous foods	368	368	420	345	287	335	370	216	271
Nonalcoholic beverages	217	229	235	213	215	252	234	151	201
Food prep by cu, out-of-town trips	44	38	51	39	16	37	30	25	21
Food away from home	2,338	2,057	2,775	1,972	1,347	1,660	1,546	961	1,023
Alcoholic beverages	348	342	433	319	251	329	275	137	138
Housing	10,380	9,609	13,016	9,113	6,452	8,304	7,190	5,872	6,056
Shelter	5,783	5,459	7,505	5,239	3,662	4,609	3,922	2,892	3,184
Owned dwellings	3,765	3,369	5,263	2,991	1,449	2,943	2,143	1,823	1,438
Mortgage interest and charges	2,197	2,303	3,677	2,055	938	1,935	1,391	327	722
Property taxes	894	566	869	489	257	511	389	743	360
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses	675	500	717	447	254	497	363	753	357
Rented dwellings	1,292	1,737	1,588	1,955	2,083	1,460	1,621	793	1,548
Other lodging	725	354	654	292	130	206	158	275	198
Utilities, fuels, and public services	2,278	1,945	2,225	1,859	1,596	1,915	1,826	1,684	1,603
Natural gas	235	250	283	237	213	248	238	245	230
Electricity	1,006	772	877	734	615	776	740	680	636
Fuel oil and other fuels	130	89	100	71	77	98	98	141	90
Telephone services	695	637	733	628	558	584	569	425	498
Water and other public services	211	197	232	189	133	209	180	195	151
Household operations	633	483	746	477	212	370	277	351	230
Personal services	216	270	361	279	139	269	185	98	69
Other household expenses	418	213	385	198	73	101	92	253	161
Housekeeping supplies	444	426	537	401	303	386	351	325	366
Laundry and cleaning supplies	116	119	129	115	104	115	120	82	117
Other household products	187	181	236	167	124	163	145	133	145
Postage and stationery	141	125	172	119	76	108	87	109	104

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Household furnishings and equipment	1,243	1,295	2,002	1,137	678	1,024	813	621	673
Household textiles	111	108	167	95	60	87	63	60	87
Furniture	335	365	560	320	208	291	239	159	174
Floor coverings	119	107	164	118	38	103	33	44	32
Major appliances	178	162	215	147	102	140	143	111	86
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	83	84	124	69	48	71	63	49	47
Miscellaneous household equipment	416	470	773	389	222	332	273	197	246
Apparel and services	1,922	1,847	2,559	1,660	1,344	1,515	1,349	709	1,310
Men and boys	520	452	601	384	275	434	409	143	310
Men, 16 and over	446	370	520	304	226	313	322	127	242
Boys, 2 to 15	74	82	81	80	48	121	87	16	68
Women and girls	790	757	1,086	698	579	555	465	338	550
Women, 16 and over	696	650	961	595	512	453	358	319	492
Girls, 2 to 15	94	107	125	103	68	102	107	20	58
Children under 2	95	80	83	73	60	96	85	18	70
Footwear	246	250	349	205	204	225	178	120	201
Other apparel products and services	271	309	440	299	226	204	212	90	179
Transportation	6,088	5,811	7,161	5,175	4,049	5,941	5,436	3,144	3,007
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	2,584	2,395	2,990	1,910	1,613	2,576	2,455	1,307	1,373
Cars and trucks, new	1,254	1,266	1,829	1,130	724	1,173	902	938	717
Cars and trucks, used	1,328	1,103	1,145	751	876	1,361	1,518	363	614
Other vehicles	1	26	16	28	13	42	35	6	43
Gasoline and motor oil	1,192	1,192	1,289	1,076	878	1,466	1,233	640	631
Other vehicle expenses	1,853	1,903	2,382	1,828	1,370	1,731	1,618	967	807
Vehicle finance charges	321	377	447	358	254	402	345	90	108
Maintenance and repairs	706	666	808	670	498	535	589	370	330
Vehicle insurance	580	639	791	590	493	629	551	409	284
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, other charges	246	221	336	211	125	165	133	99	85
Public transportation	460	321	500	360	188	168	129	230	196
Health care	2,192	1,301	1,685	1,276	903	1,116	1,030	2,058	1,259
Health insurance	1,020	467	567	482	334	412	386	959	438
Medical services	783	546	745	546	357	436	390	587	483
Drugs	311	197	232	172	148	209	196	433	279
Medical supplies	78	91	141	77	64	59	59	78	58
Entertainment	1,703	1,662	2,483	1,405	924	1,395	1,243	718	737
Fees and admissions	489	421	677	391	222	299	225	234	180
Television, radios, sound equipment	502	518	678	463	365	477	446	255	305
Pets, toys, and playground equipment	364	317	436	279	167	297	268	142	145
Other supplies, equipment, and services	348	406	692	273	169	322	304	87	107
Personal care products and services	456	393	500	384	308	323	304	245	287
Reading	184	166	244	158	93	131	112	130	80

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Education	543	505	774	479	400	296	273	64	214
Tobacco products and smoking supplies	300	299	239	276	306	364	388	164	280
Miscellaneous	1,393	902	1,225	829	491	878	728	530	588
Cash contributions	1,346	784	1,287	618	409	522	549	971	417
Personal insurance and pensions	3,867	3,265	4,747	2,942	1,809	2,766	2,402	436	747
Life and other personal insurance	566	378	577	303	252	304	273	197	220
Pensions and Social Security	3,301	2,887	4,171	2,638	1,558	2,462	2,129	239	527
Sources of income and taxes: ¹									
Money income before taxes	37,508	36,950	51,359	33,487	21,798	33,587	28,692	18,188	15,874
Wages and salaries	8,256	33,183	45,553	30,378	18,371	31,602	26,213	2,081	6,985
Self-employment income	24,274	1,327	2,866	877	511	309	437	122	857
Social Security, private and government retirement	2,879	1,064	1,224	976	1,422	832	844	12,627	4,192
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income	1,673	595	1,037	458	333	248	393	2,902	704
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits	115	203	154	132	113	312	379	142	543
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps	87	176	61	148	527	136	223	146	2,187
Regular contributions for support	158	295	344	420	308	99	132	99	359
Other income	64	107	119	99	213	48	71	68	48
Personal taxes ¹	2,825	3,677	5,907	3,271	1,639	2,900	2,176	1,027	1,157
Federal income taxes	2,206	2,884	4,687	2,570	1,241	2,265	1,643	797	965
State and local income taxes	473	720	1,092	660	349	571	486	150	152
Other taxes	146	73	127	42	50	63	47	80	39
Income after taxes ¹	34,683	33,272	45,452	30,216	20,159	30,687	26,516	17,161	14,718
Addenda:									
Net change in total assets and liabilities	3,220	-910	-128	-1,973	-1,086	-2,030	-33	837	-1,795
Net change in total assets	5,411	3,751	7,985	1,784	2,429	1,391	1,651	485	-578
Net change in total liabilities	2,191	4,661	8,112	3,756	3,515	3,421	1,684	-352	1,218
Other financial information									
Other money receipts	737	312	514	327	62	339	92	261	95

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Mortgage principal paid on owned property	-912	-675	-1,008	-523	-308	-779	-506	-194	-296
Estimated market value of owned home	102,094	64,739	101,113	59,013	30,744	50,723	40,462	69,588	45,268
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home	485	402	570	371	224	365	292	431	257
Gifts of goods and services	1,526	986	1,617	801	533	643	631	592	492
Food	257	100	194	63	43	51	54	35	53
Housing	376	253	398	230	161	152	144	150	119
Housekeeping supplies	34	38	58	35	22	26	23	29	22
Household textiles	15	16	19	23	9	11	7	7	8
Appliances and miscellaneous housewares	26	29	47	25	21	21	13	22	18
Major appliances	4	7	11	6	9	6	4	8	2
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares	22	22	36	20	12	15	10	14	16
Miscellaneous household equipment	36	61	93	53	41	38	38	19	27
Other housing	265	109	181	94	68	56	63	73	45
Apparel and services	284	264	378	197	157	251	231	150	136
Males, 2 and over	83	65	88	50	44	60	59	49	43
Females, 2 and over	87	110	162	80	46	109	97	59	47
Children under 2	60	34	37	32	28	41	32	15	20
Other apparel products and services	54	56	91	36	39	41	44	27	27
Jewelry and watches	18	32	50	23	24	16	27	10	8
All other apparel products and services	36	24	41	13	15	25	17	17	19
Transportation	89	63	124	61	17	17	18	24	10
Health care	37	39	88	21	10	11	16	64	58
Entertainment	91	72	105	66	34	54	58	53	30
Toys, games, hobbies, and tricycles	36	27	33	26	14	24	25	23	11
Other entertainment	56	46	72	40	20	30	33	30	19
Education	267	107	204	84	51	36	48	30	21
All other gifts	125	87	126	79	59	71	61	86	65

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