

Table 3650. Consumer units of five or more persons by age of reference person: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 1989-90

Item	Total five or more persons	Under 25	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65 and over
Number of consumer units (in thousands).....	10,075	228	2,544	4,241	2,069	621	372
Consumer unit characteristics:							
Income before taxes 1/.....	\$40,348	\$17,925	\$29,910	\$45,119	\$46,354	\$48,339	\$30,375
Income after taxes 1/.....	37,679	17,586	28,452	41,856	42,771	45,701	29,253
Average number of persons in consumer unit....	5.6	5.7	5.5	5.6	5.7	6.0	5.9
Age of reference person.....	41.1	22.3	30.8	39.4	48.7	58.7	70.9
Average number in consumer unit:							
Earners.....	2.3	1.9	1.7	2.3	3.0	2.9	2.1
Vehicles.....	2.7	1.2	2.1	2.8	3.2	3.2	2.4
Children under 18.....	2.8	3.2	3.3	3.0	2.2	1.8	2.0
Persons 65 and over.....	.1	(2)	(2)	(2)	.1	.1	1.5
Percent distribution:							
Sex of reference person:							
Male.....	76	42	71	82	78	78	47
Female.....	24	58	29	18	22	22	53
Housing tenure:							
Percent homeowner.....	69	10	52	74	76	80	88
Homeowner with mortgage.....	56	3	45	66	63	41	32
Homeowner without mortgage.....	13	7	7	9	13	38	56
Renter.....	31	90	48	26	24	20	12
Race of reference person:							
Black.....	16	34	13	13	18	22	35
White and other.....	84	66	87	87	82	78	65
Education of reference person:							
Elementary (1-8).....	11	11	8	7	12	31	43
High school (9-12).....	45	79	58	39	44	33	40
College.....	43	10	34	53	43	35	17
Never attended and other.....	1	(3)	(4)	1	1	2	(4)
At least one vehicle owned.....	91	71	87	95	91	88	89
Average annual expenditures.....	\$36,066	\$18,892	\$28,295	\$39,832	\$42,041	\$35,794	\$26,120
Food.....	6,167	4,577	4,698	6,517	7,943	5,886	5,244
Food at home.....	4,079	3,364	3,337	4,242	4,974	4,042	3,650
Cereals and bakery products.....	631	477	509	691	742	562	484

Cereals and cereal products.....	258	185	212	290	285	223	180
Bakery products.....	373	292	297	401	457	339	305
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	1,084	1,017	840	1,089	1,393	1,211	1,126
Beef.....	359	327	281	364	458	354	428
Pork.....	213	254	144	197	305	303	294
Other meats.....	177	129	148	168	235	207	167
Poultry.....	162	129	130	172	194	164	128
Fish and seafood.....	112	112	88	125	124	119	61
Eggs.....	61	66	49	63	77	65	48
Dairy products.....	528	437	457	553	615	491	439
Fresh milk and cream.....	282	229	254	287	336	249	263
Other dairy products.....	246	208	203	267	279	242	176
Fruits and vegetables.....	627	451	488	665	773	632	586
Fresh fruits.....	185	95	141	194	246	195	141
Fresh vegetables.....	189	144	148	196	235	198	197
Processed fruits.....	138	107	103	152	167	127	146
Processed vegetables.....	114	104	96	123	125	112	101
Other food at home.....	1,209	982	1,043	1,245	1,451	1,146	1,015
Sugar and other sweets.....	160	92	133	168	195	140	178
Fats and oils.....	108	89	82	120	130	92	115
Miscellaneous foods.....	566	471	505	586	650	542	445
Nonalcoholic beverages.....	324	309	275	316	423	325	266
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips.....	51	5/21	49	56	54	5/46	5/11
Food away from home.....	2,089	1,213	1,361	2,275	2,969	1,844	1,594
Alcoholic beverages.....	203	293	194	200	204	260	102
Housing.....	10,936	6,537	9,474	12,276	11,705	9,369	6,892
Shelter.....	6,005	4,220	5,278	6,852	6,346	4,582	2,896
Owned dwellings.....	3,988	5/212	3,057	4,916	4,205	3,192	2,209
Mortgage interest.....	2,773	5/158	2,324	3,530	2,736	1,501	1,148
Property taxes.....	715	5/22	410	807	944	886	614
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses.....	500	5/32	322	579	526	804	447
Rented dwellings.....	1,388	3,944	1,968	1,204	1,121	838	363
Other lodging.....	629	5/63	254	731	1,020	552	324
Utilities, fuels, and public services.....	2,521	1,270	2,097	2,621	2,899	2,753	2,564
Natural gas.....	366	180	288	376	433	404	476
Electricity.....	1,008	458	856	1,061	1,111	1,161	951
Fuel oil and other fuels.....	125	5/35	77	134	154	154	5/183
Telephone.....	754	495	654	757	904	761	717
Water and other public services.....	268	102	222	294	296	274	237
Household operations.....	596	192	721	633	502	463	314
Personal services.....	359	5/161	613	344	178	5/161	5/241
Other household expenses.....	237	5/31	109	289	323	302	73
Housekeeping supplies.....	509	205	411	604	550	348	423
Laundry and cleaning supplies.....	165	140	150	176	174	139	155
Other household products.....	219	52	176	267	228	151	151
Postage and stationery.....	125	5/13	84	161	147	57	117
Household furnishings and equipment.....	1,305	651	967	1,566	1,408	1,223	695
Household textiles.....	121	5/12	80	154	137	93	5/44
Furniture.....	335	222	274	381	344	414	122

Floor coverings.....	154	5/0	31	249	170	5/99	5/59
Major appliances.....	199	5/176	180	214	196	218	159
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	65	5/33	39	76	80	58	60
Miscellaneous household equipment.....	432	208	362	492	481	341	251
Apparel and services.....	2,248	1,134	1,848	2,635	2,436	1,693	1,331
Men and boys.....	585	128	430	731	647	390	292
Men, 16 and over.....	389	5/51	221	500	488	291	182
Boys, 2 to 15.....	196	77	209	231	159	99	110
Women and girls.....	902	301	706	1,036	1,090	699	580
Women, 16 and over.....	633	197	465	678	870	599	475
Girls, 2 to 15.....	269	105	241	358	221	100	105
Children under 2.....	149	334	231	106	86	192	149
Footwear.....	305	5/66	270	370	302	179	5/183
Other apparel products and services.....	308	305	211	391	310	234	127
Transportation.....	6,653	2,154	4,985	7,297	7,968	7,441	4,884
Vehicle purchases (net outlay).....	2,960	5/172	2,234	3,395	3,405	3,191	5/1,820
Cars and trucks, new.....	1,458	(3)	968	1,808	1,674	1,406	5/589
Cars and trucks, used.....	1,476	5/172	1,253	1,559	1,674	1,785	1,232
Other vehicles.....	27	(3)	5/13	29	5/57	(3)	(3)
Gasoline and motor oil.....	1,420	908	1,183	1,475	1,631	1,729	1,051
Other vehicle expenses.....	1,977	927	1,466	2,108	2,452	2,179	1,699
Vehicle finance charges.....	403	5/135	340	413	493	460	303
Maintenance and repairs.....	680	455	500	741	842	639	554
Vehicle insurance.....	690	5/211	472	707	898	914	748
Vehicle rental, licenses, other charges...	205	125	154	248	218	167	94
Public transportation.....	295	148	103	319	480	341	314
Health care.....	1,514	624	1,085	1,574	1,641	2,398	2,161
Health insurance.....	527	169	452	462	603	820	1,096
Medical services.....	674	346	433	830	599	1,072	481
Drugs.....	218	5/90	155	182	278	405	530
Medical supplies.....	95	5/19	45	100	162	101	54
Entertainment.....	1,926	575	1,327	2,217	2,445	1,779	1,001
Fees and admissions.....	498	62	271	637	580	532	232
Television, radios, sound equipment.....	587	252	514	656	628	555	352
Pets, toys, and playground equipment.....	367	186	313	440	358	262	309
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services.....	474	75	229	485	878	430	108
Personal care products and services.....	459	230	360	523	514	431	332
Reading.....	163	90	114	185	195	136	158
Education.....	661	5/71	307	757	1,022	730	248
Tobacco products and smoking supplies.....	364	441	347	319	360	562	636
Miscellaneous.....	689	493	541	716	721	1,092	755
Cash contributions.....	847	5/564	596	928	1,164	734	258
Personal insurance and pensions.....	3,234	1,111	2,419	3,688	3,725	3,284	2,118
Life and other personal insurance.....	510	5/95	318	547	610	859	516
Pensions and Social Security.....	2,724	1,016	2,101	3,141	3,115	2,425	1,602

Sources of income and personal taxes: 1/							
Money income before taxes.....	40,348	17,925	29,910	45,119	46,354	48,339	30,375
Wages and salaries.....	33,588	14,281	25,617	38,370	39,882	33,940	14,812
Self-employment income.....	3,527	5/98	1,828	4,249	3,548	8,183	5/2,634
Social Security, private and government retirement.....	1,135	5/314	258	594	906	3,639	10,470
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income.....	429	5/2	345	384	705	415	323
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits.....	296	5/150	277	312	220	485	5/474
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps.....	932	2,868	1,338	606	635	1,559	1,207
Regular contributions for support.....	269	5/149	166	351	280	5/60	5/384
Other income.....	171	5/63	79	253	178	5/59	5/71
Personal taxes.....	2,669	339	1,458	3,263	3,583	2,638	1,123
Federal income taxes.....	2,060	260	1,048	2,565	2,787	2,100	686
State and local income taxes.....	556	79	404	614	739	460	423
Other taxes.....	53	5/0	6	84	57	79	5/14
Income after taxes.....	37,679	17,586	28,452	41,856	42,771	45,701	29,253
Addenda:							
Net change in total assets and liabilities....	-2,152	-2,581	-1,563	-1,854	2,257	-22,376	-70
Net change in total assets.....	3,652	5/2,187	3,385	4,265	4,639	53	-94
Net change in total liabilities.....	5,804	4,768	4,948	6,119	2,382	22,429	-25
Other financial information:							
Other money receipts.....	182	5/8	36	221	242	5/441	5/82
Mortgage principal paid on owned property...	-778	5/-9	-451	-978	-984	-577	-380
Estimated market value of owned home.....	80,348	5/4,296	40,886	92,899	102,106	90,568	115,585
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home	480	5/47	301	541	607	504	527
Gifts of goods and services, total.....	646	235	451	657	933	676	515
Clothing, males 2 and over.....	52	5/1	42	44	86	76	5/26
Clothing, females 2 and over.....	63	5/1	64	65	53	77	106
Clothing, children under 2.....	35	5/65	41	31	32	31	17
Jewelry and watches.....	9	5/3	6	9	15	5/15	5/0
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares.....	11	5/0	5	13	17	5/13	5/8
Household textiles.....	12	(3)	5/14	5/5	5/30	5/5	5/7
All other gifts.....	464	5/165	279	490	700	458	349

1/ Components of income and taxes are derived from "complete income reporters" only; see glossary.

2/ Value less than 0.05.

3/ No data reported.

4/ Value less than 0.5.

5/ Data are likely to have large sampling errors.

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