

Table 3860. Consumer units with reference person age 65 to 74 by region of residence: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 1992-93

Item	Total 65-74	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Number of consumer units (in thousands).....	11,946	2,718	3,179	3,887	2,162
Consumer unit characteristics:					
Income before taxes 1/.....	\$23,822	\$24,086	\$22,528	\$21,672	\$28,879
Income after taxes 1/.....	22,297	22,336	20,960	20,501	27,083
Age of reference person.....	69.3	69.6	69.5	69.1	69.1
Average number in consumer unit:					
Persons.....	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.9
Children under 18.....	.1	.1	(2)	.1	.1
Persons 65 and over.....	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4
Earners.....	.6	.5	.6	.6	.7
Vehicles.....	1.8	1.4	1.7	1.8	2.2
Percent distribution:					
Sex of reference person:					
Male.....	63	59	62	63	68
Female.....	37	41	38	37	32
Housing tenure:					
Homeowner.....	80	74	80	84	79
With mortgage.....	21	17	18	19	31
Without mortgage.....	59	57	62	65	48
Renter.....	20	26	20	16	21
Race of reference person:					
Black.....	9	6	7	15	4
White and other.....	91	94	93	85	96
Education of reference person:					
Elementary (1-8).....	20	19	17	29	9
High school (9-12).....	48	58	52	42	43
College.....	31	24	31	28	47
Never attended and other.....	1	(3)	(3)	2	(4)
At least one vehicle owned.....	86	79	85	89	93
Average annual expenditures.....	\$23,295	\$23,720	\$21,571	\$22,548	\$26,601
Food.....	3,637	3,895	3,405	3,444	4,004
Food at home.....	2,513	2,641	2,356	2,523	2,557
Cereals and bakery products.....	395	442	388	379	379
Cereals and cereal products.....	133	135	121	138	137
Bakery products.....	262	307	267	241	242
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	687	730	659	727	599
Beef.....	201	202	213	208	170

Pork.....	161	146	171	184	124
Other meats.....	90	97	84	91	87
Poultry.....	122	155	105	121	111
Fish and seafood.....	84	100	63	93	79
Eggs.....	28	30	24	31	28
Dairy products.....	265	282	250	256	283
Fresh milk and cream.....	114	114	109	120	110
Other dairy products.....	151	168	141	136	173
Fruits and vegetables.....	462	497	414	448	510
Fresh fruits.....	148	172	136	126	175
Fresh vegetables.....	135	141	116	136	154
Processed fruits.....	105	112	97	105	107
Processed vegetables.....	74	73	63	81	75
Other food at home.....	704	690	645	712	787
Sugar and other sweets.....	107	104	108	103	114
Fats and oils.....	75	75	70	81	71
Miscellaneous foods.....	297	297	263	293	350
Nonalcoholic beverages.....	183	176	167	200	181
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips.....	42	38	36	35	71
Food away from home.....	1,124	1,255	1,049	921	1,448
Alcoholic beverages.....	181	221	118	149	279
Housing.....	7,226	7,915	6,583	6,539	8,525
Shelter.....	3,557	4,324	3,146	2,765	4,620
Owned dwellings.....	2,407	2,832	2,115	2,056	2,935
Mortgage interest and charges.....	681	574	456	549	1,385
Property taxes.....	905	1,436	888	611	791
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses.....	821	821	771	896	759
Rented dwellings.....	836	1,045	728	502	1,331
Other lodging.....	314	448	303	206	354
Utilities, fuels, and public services.....	1,972	2,055	1,822	2,073	1,906
Natural gas.....	278	297	390	203	225
Electricity.....	805	716	676	985	782
Fuel oil and other fuels.....	125	308	85	79	40
Telephone services.....	511	512	469	533	533
Water and other public services.....	253	223	203	273	326
Household operations.....	321	267	245	369	413
Personal services.....	54	5/23	5/45	97	5/26
Other household expenses.....	267	244	200	272	387
Housekeeping supplies.....	458	402	407	490	531
Laundry and cleaning supplies.....	105	107	95	109	107
Other household products.....	226	174	204	259	259
Postage and stationery.....	127	121	109	122	166
Household furnishings and equipment.....	919	865	964	842	1,054
Household textiles.....	94	116	89	75	109
Furniture.....	179	163	184	149	246
Floor coverings.....	111	5/61	93	5/187	5/51
Major appliances.....	137	101	133	143	175
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	78	98	53	70	104
Miscellaneous household equipment.....	320	327	412	218	370
Apparel and services.....	1,089	1,140	980	978	1,382

Men and boys.....	233	235	208	208	310
Men, 16 and over.....	204	204	184	192	253
Boys, 2 to 15.....	29	32	24	16	57
Women and girls.....	525	548	486	461	670
Women, 16 and over.....	492	505	457	431	636
Girls, 2 to 15.....	34	43	29	31	34
Children under 2.....	29	41	23	24	31
Footwear.....	162	162	149	155	189
Other apparel products and services.....	140	153	114	129	182
Transportation.....	3,842	3,395	3,706	3,946	4,418
Vehicle purchases (net outlay).....	1,503	1,019	1,654	1,816	1,328
Cars and trucks, new.....	812	635	820	979	720
Cars and trucks, used.....	687	370	833	833	608
Other vehicles.....	5/4	5/13	(3)	5/4	(3)
Gasoline and motor oil.....	732	632	655	785	879
Other vehicle expenses.....	1,344	1,456	1,153	1,195	1,750
Vehicle finance charges.....	114	93	133	119	105
Maintenance and repairs.....	497	476	406	476	691
Vehicle insurance.....	543	644	452	493	642
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, other charges.....	190	244	162	107	312
Public transportation.....	263	288	244	149	462
Health care.....	2,556	2,431	2,465	2,736	2,517
Health insurance.....	1,322	1,286	1,328	1,373	1,267
Medical services.....	565	559	505	595	608
Drugs.....	544	447	543	655	464
Medical supplies.....	124	139	90	112	178
Entertainment.....	1,075	1,091	857	936	1,624
Fees and admissions.....	289	315	222	234	451
Television, radios, sound equipment.....	341	383	259	328	430
Pets, toys, and playground equipment.....	214	294	136	203	246
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services.....	232	99	239	171	497
Personal care products and services.....	330	312	292	339	391
Reading.....	159	194	156	128	173
Education.....	105	194	44	114	64
Tobacco products and smoking supplies.....	197	180	185	211	210
Miscellaneous.....	558	526	497	592	622
Cash contributions.....	1,227	1,141	1,299	1,323	1,057
Personal insurance and pensions.....	1,113	1,087	984	1,114	1,333
Life and other personal insurance.....	347	276	289	506	235
Pensions and Social Security.....	766	811	695	609	1,098
Sources of income and personal taxes: 1/					
Money income before taxes.....	23,822	24,086	22,528	21,672	28,879
Wages and salaries.....	6,204	6,960	5,076	5,790	7,548
Self-employment income.....	1,433	627	2,086	1,129	1,994

Social Security, private and government retirement.....	13,105	13,617	12,581	12,356	14,475
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income.....	2,505	2,277	2,409	1,955	3,824
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits.....	238	207	130	192	497
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps.....	198	263	139	202	198
Regular contributions for support.....	47	5/46	5/50	5/30	70
Other income.....	92	5/89	55	5/17	272
Personal taxes.....	1,525	1,750	1,568	1,171	1,796
Federal income taxes.....	1,072	1,067	1,084	885	1,375
State and local income taxes.....	217	289	255	107	262
Other taxes.....	236	395	228	178	158
Income after taxes.....	22,297	22,336	20,960	20,501	27,083
Addenda:					
Net change in total assets and liabilities....	-464	457	-2,909	631	7
Net change in total assets.....	449	960	-2,541	1,912	1,572
Net change in total liabilities.....	913	503	368	1,281	1,565
Other financial information:					
Other money receipts.....	324	216	318	119	839
Mortgage principal paid on owned property...	-398	-435	-324	-258	-712
Estimated market value of owned home.....	81,212	92,050	58,421	64,358	131,393
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home	502	541	421	427	708
Gifts of goods and services.....	883	1,051	748	827	983
Food.....	64	80	70	39	83
Housing.....	220	272	203	176	267
Housekeeping supplies.....	38	37	46	34	38
Household textiles.....	11	5/24	10	5/4	5/11
Appliances and miscellaneous housewares...	34	62	18	26	39
Major appliances.....	7	12	5/5	5/6	5/5
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares.....	28	50	13	20	34
Miscellaneous household equipment.....	64	70	83	33	90
Other housing.....	73	79	46	81	89
Apparel and services.....	235	287	189	203	298
Males, 2 and over.....	70	82	61	58	92
Females, 2 and over.....	96	117	77	90	108
Children under 2.....	27	40	23	20	30
Other apparel products and services.....	42	48	30	35	67
Jewelry and watches.....	18	18	10	20	24
All other apparel products and services.	25	30	19	15	44
Transportation.....	70	20	23	146	66
Health care.....	31	5/26	5/61	5/18	5/19
Entertainment.....	83	126	64	71	80
Toys, games, hobbies, and tricycles.....	36	52	26	38	27
Other entertainment.....	47	74	38	32	53
Education.....	57	5/139	5/15	5/58	5/13
All other gifts.....	122	101	123	116	158

- 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.