

Table 36. Consumer units of two or more persons by income before taxes: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 1987-88

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	Total complete reporting	Less than \$5,000	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$10,000 to \$14,999	\$15,000 to \$19,999	\$20,000 to \$29,999	\$30,000 to \$39,999	\$40,000 and over
Number of consumer units (in thousands)	57,716	2,568	5,718	6,401	5,938	11,064	8,969	17,058
Number of sample interviews	47,290	1,929	4,495	5,043	4,791	8,873	7,477	14,682
Consumer unit characteristics:								
Income before taxes ¹	\$32,978	\$1,441	\$7,599	\$12,381	\$17,430	\$24,775	\$34,600	\$63,841
Income after taxes ¹	30,165	1,457	7,480	12,024	16,526	23,235	31,965	57,194
Average number of persons in consumer unit	3.2	3	3	3	3	3.2	3.3	3.3
Age of reference person	46.1	46.3	49.5	51.2	48.1	45	43.2	44.5
Average number in consumer unit:								
Earners	1.6	1.1	0.9	1.1	1.4	1.7	1.9	2.2
Vehicles	2.4	1.3	1.3	1.7	2.1	2.5	2.8	3.1
Children under 18	1.0	1.1	1.1	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.1	0.9
Persons 65 and over	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.1
Percent distribution:								
Sex of reference person:								
Male	75	45	49	65	73	77	83	88
Female	25	55	51	35	27	23	17	12
Housing tenure:								
Homeowner with mortgage	46	25	17	19	30	42	56	73
Homeowner without mortgage	24	21	30	37	31	27	20	14
Renter	30	54	53	44	39	32	24	12
Race of reference person:								
Black	11	32	24	15	10	10	6	4
White and other	89	68	76	85	90	90	94	96
Education of reference person:								
Elementary (1-8)	11	20	26	21	15	9	5	2
High school (9-12)	47	59	55	56	55	53	47	32
College	42	19	16	22	29	37	48	65
Never attended and other	1	2	3	1	1	0	0	0
At least one vehicle owned	92	67	71	86	93	96	98	98
Average annual expenditures:								
Food	\$29,667	\$15,041	\$13,063	\$17,511	\$20,593	\$25,412	\$31,712	\$46,739
	4,459	2,760	2,654	3,123	3,549	4,126	4,772	6,146

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Food at home	2,622	1,981	1,992	2,208	2,342	2,504	2,740	3,177
Cereals and bakery products	379	284	286	322	339	370	399	451
Cereals and cereal products	135	112	115	125	130	133	141	147
Bakery products	244	172	171	197	210	237	258	304
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	706	538	571	633	654	661	727	834
Beef	239	177	162	204	234	230	260	281
Pork	145	113	140	147	130	135	142	163
Other meats	104	79	84	87	92	98	110	125
Poultry	106	84	92	90	94	97	103	129
Fish and seafood	79	52	57	68	69	68	80	103
Eggs	34	32	36	38	35	33	33	33
Dairy products	338	238	254	283	299	334	357	404
Fresh milk and cream	163	135	140	161	158	162	171	174
Other dairy products	174	103	114	122	141	172	186	229
Fruits and vegetables	438	362	339	384	402	408	448	527
Fresh fruits	138	109	102	120	129	125	142	170
Fresh vegetables	132	114	113	120	121	122	133	156
Processed fruits	98	76	70	87	90	92	99	122
Processed vegetables	69	63	54	57	62	69	74	80
Other food at home	762	558	542	586	648	731	808	961
Sugar and other sweets	96	63	73	80	82	95	100	117
Fats and oils	67	56	60	57	58	66	72	75
Miscellaneous foods	320	235	221	239	262	308	339	412
Nonalcoholic beverages	241	187	178	192	221	230	253	295
Food prep by cu, out-of-town trips	38	17	11	19	25	32	45	62
Food away from home	1,837	779	662	915	1,207	1,622	2,032	2,969
Alcoholic beverages	298	126	121	153	213	283	313	466
Housing	8,838	5,510	4,645	5,711	6,228	7,501	8,990	13,600
Shelter	4,713	3,041	2,321	2,999	3,141	3,873	4,766	7,475
Owned dwellings	2,966	1,390	861	1,145	1,344	2,075	3,045	5,693
Mortgage interest and charges	1,871	834	315	426	627	1,168	1,993	3,917
Property taxes	559	321	251	349	338	434	591	918
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses	536	235	295	369	379	473	462	858
Rented dwellings	1,239	1,376	1,337	1,541	1,562	1,485	1,261	790
Other lodging	508	275	122	313	235	313	460	992
Utilities, fuels, and public services	1,941	1,570	1,464	1,585	1,674	1,843	1,975	2,429
Natural gas	265	192	222	234	225	237	255	341
Electricity	814	680	609	670	695	778	844	1,007
Fuel oil and other fuels	105	116	87	95	87	110	100	120
Telephone services	560	448	415	440	519	541	574	691
Water and other public services	196	135	131	146	147	178	203	271
Household operations	459	162	127	229	258	343	462	845
Personal services	235	39	56	110	154	210	308	376

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Other household expenses	224	123	70	119	104	133	154	469
Housekeeping supplies	444	258	298	311	387	405	470	597
Laundry and cleaning supplies	130	104	94	99	119	132	141	154
Other household products	185	74	105	133	163	159	201	259
Postage and stationery	129	79	99	80	105	114	128	184
Household furnishings and equipment	1,280	479	435	587	768	1,036	1,316	2,253
Household textiles	116	51	55	60	86	96	100	197
Furniture	378	135	106	147	208	275	364	727
Floor coverings	79	16	17	20	39	69	104	139
Major appliances	197	92	94	124	155	191	209	287
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	71	31	26	37	47	54	69	126
Miscellaneous household equipment	439	154	138	199	235	351	470	778
Apparel and services	1,733	722	777	988	1,109	1,388	1,895	2,817
Men and boys	455	159	163	251	265	358	469	787
Men, 16 and over	354	104	112	180	199	272	355	640
Boys, 2 to 15	101	56	51	71	66	87	114	148
Women and girls	692	283	339	378	445	532	775	1,122
Women, 16 and over	571	214	280	289	383	429	638	940
Girls, 2 to 15	120	69	59	89	62	103	137	182
Children under 2	81	49	47	57	67	82	100	100
Footwear	224	98	130	162	184	194	238	319
Other apparel products and services	282	132	98	141	148	222	313	488
Transportation	5,751	2,646	1,950	3,333	4,034	5,249	6,625	8,862
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	2,654	1,164	703	1,455	1,824	2,473	3,141	4,133
Cars and trucks, new	1,495	584	295	560	895	1,140	1,728	2,700
Cars and trucks, used	1,133	577	400	887	922	1,299	1,379	1,391
Other vehicles	26	3	7	7	8	33	34	41
Gasoline and motor oil	1,075	647	547	729	891	1,041	1,250	1,440
Other vehicle expenses	1,750	710	603	1,018	1,152	1,543	1,983	2,782
Vehicle finance charges	341	122	87	127	187	292	407	591
Maintenance and repairs	637	279	249	458	454	573	697	959
Vehicle insurance	571	242	215	341	393	532	653	872
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, other charges	200	67	53	92	118	145	226	361
Public transportation	273	126	98	132	167	191	251	508
Health care	1,384	833	999	1,369	1,437	1,389	1,380	1,581
Health insurance	492	307	370	519	530	567	479	495
Medical services	556	294	352	483	562	508	557	721
Drugs	252	183	239	301	275	248	246	246
Medical supplies	84	48	38	67	70	67	98	119
Entertainment	1,482	587	499	701	910	1,153	1,593	2,589
Fees and admissions	381	130	95	123	194	254	404	745
Television, radios, sound equipment	456	214	219	267	318	413	504	692

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Pets, toys, and playground equipment	286	128	132	151	210	249	346	428
Other supplies, equipment, and services	359	115	54	159	188	237	338	724
Personal care products and services	399	195	175	257	300	343	425	611
Reading	164	74	73	88	118	138	176	262
Education	357	218	100	160	147	228	362	691
Tobacco products and smoking supplies	281	252	267	251	277	299	309	277
Miscellaneous	689	480	269	322	498	594	802	1,065
Cash contributions	849	288	149	336	436	569	765	1,731
Personal insurance and pensions	2,982	351	385	719	1,335	2,149	3,306	6,042
Life and other personal insurance	392	207	157	177	305	338	398	642
Pensions and Social Security	2,590	144	228	542	1,030	1,811	2,909	5,399
Sources of income and taxes: ¹								
Money income before taxes	32,978	1,441	7,599	12,381	17,430	24,775	34,600	63,841
Wages and salaries	25,551	1,132	2,361	5,679	10,817	18,470	28,761	52,490
Self-employment income	2,274	-1,557	133	370	712	1,060	1,631	5,952
Social Security, private and government retirement	3,100	788	2,867	4,841	4,608	3,537	2,540	2,360
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income	1,078	-56	96	238	486	754	986	2,359
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits	280	57	226	215	297	426	297	245
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps	370	927	1,709	669	242	188	99	31
Regular contributions for support	239	101	152	297	166	250	217	296
Other income	86	49	54	72	102	90	69	108
Personal taxes ¹	2,813	-16	119	357	903	1,539	2,636	6,647
Federal income taxes	2,219	-63	67	262	678	1,151	2,005	5,361
State and local income taxes	530	15	28	67	197	344	565	1,169
Other taxes	63	33	24	27	29	45	66	118
Income after taxes ¹	30,165	1,457	7,480	12,024	16,526	23,235	31,965	57,194
Addenda:								
Other financial information								

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Other money receipts	445	58	71	523	143	433	328	774
Mortgage principal paid on owned property	-557	-398	-150	-226	-285	-392	-539	-1,052
Estimated market value of owned home	62,708	38,842	27,972	34,459	39,113	47,432	59,560	108,000
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home	393	206	181	227	258	309	399	651
Gifts of:								
Clothing, males 2 and over	75	20	31	55	46	69	53	129
Clothing, females 2 and over	85	24	30	61	51	72	100	132
Clothing, infants less than 2	33	15	12	22	23	26	42	49
Jewelry and watches	18	5	4	10	8	11	24	32
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares	19	3	7	8	9	14	14	39
Household textiles	14	4	6	9	13	14	9	23
All other gifts	628	255	238	260	315	526	639	1,120

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