

Table 41. Consumer units of single males by age of reference person: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2001-2002

Item	All single males	Under 25	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65 and over
Number of consumer units (in thousands)	14,603	2,514	2,612	2,551	2,634	1,672	2,620
Consumer unit characteristics:							
Income before taxes ¹	\$31,688	\$12,557	\$38,936	\$40,670	\$39,980	\$36,148	\$22,910
Income after taxes ¹	29,180	12,068	35,330	38,009	35,414	33,847	21,622
Age of reference person	45.3	21.2	29.4	39.9	49.4	59.1	76.4
Average number in consumer unit:							
Persons	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
Children under 18	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Persons 65 and over2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	1.0
Earners7	.8	1.0	.9	.8	.7	.2
Vehicles	1.3	.8	1.2	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.3
Percent distribution:							
Sex of reference person:							
Male	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Housing tenure:							
Homeowner	45	8	33	49	57	57	70
With mortgage	22	2	25	36	33	28	12
Without mortgage	23	6	8	13	24	29	58
Renter	55	92	67	51	43	43	30
Race of reference person:							
Black	12	9	13	13	13	15	9
White and other	88	91	87	87	87	85	91
Education of reference person:							
Elementary (1-8)	7	2	1	5	5	9	19
High school (9-12)	32	16	24	33	35	39	46
College	61	82	75	62	60	52	34
Never attended and other	(²)	(³)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(³)	1
At least one vehicle owned or leased	79	65	84	84	82	82	79
Average annual expenditures	\$25,904	\$17,516	\$29,736	\$30,412	\$29,201	\$27,326	\$21,389
Food	3,230	2,366	3,831	3,609	3,483	3,172	2,750
Food at home	1,482	825	1,459	1,536	1,676	1,772	1,616
Cereals and bakery products	213	126	203	213	231	249	252
Cereals and cereal products	72	53	76	75	65	73	87
Bakery products	141	72	128	138	166	176	165
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	368	168	358	409	431	443	395
Beef	104	58	117	114	130	109	94
Pork	72	26	62	82	90	87	84
Other meats	52	20	41	59	65	60	62
Poultry	64	40	70	67	64	81	64
Fish and seafood	59	14	50	68	65	83	73
Eggs	17	9	18	18	17	24	19
Dairy products	159	92	150	163	183	200	170
Fresh milk and cream	66	42	63	65	72	78	74
Other dairy products	93	49	87	98	111	122	96
Fruits and vegetables	251	136	226	250	246	321	327
Fresh fruits	81	39	70	77	75	111	116
Fresh vegetables	71	36	66	67	78	94	90
Processed fruits	62	41	60	65	58	69	74
Processed vegetables	37	20	31	42	35	48	47

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Item	All single males	Under 25	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65 and over
Other food at home	\$490	\$305	\$521	\$501	\$586	\$558	\$472
Sugar and other sweets	54	27	53	43	65	60	73
Fats and oils	37	19	38	39	36	50	39
Miscellaneous foods	232	152	238	236	290	251	222
Nonalcoholic beverages	144	82	169	154	171	176	119
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips	24	25	23	30	24	21	20
Food away from home	1,749	1,540	2,372	2,073	1,807	1,400	1,134
Alcoholic beverages	454	402	578	535	497	501	234
Housing	8,576	4,940	10,021	10,487	9,791	8,513	7,601
Shelter	5,671	3,231	7,078	7,224	6,565	5,285	4,445
Owned dwellings	2,539	283	2,647	3,646	3,515	2,894	2,308
Mortgage interest and charges	1,384	106	1,753	2,402	1,965	1,565	550
Property taxes	695	153	549	758	941	721	1,034
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses	460	24	344	485	610	608	724
Rented dwellings	2,816	2,517	4,185	3,353	2,624	2,106	1,859
Other lodging	317	431	246	225	426	285	278
Utilities, fuels, and public services	1,645	733	1,727	1,840	1,938	1,806	1,850
Natural gas	218	56	195	249	286	244	279
Electricity	587	244	594	644	704	699	666
Fuel oil and other fuels	67	⁴ 13	31	47	77	91	147
Telephone services	598	376	754	717	645	584	504
Water and other public services	175	44	154	182	227	188	253
Household operations	329	95	312	393	232	254	656
Personal services	123	⁴ 10	⁴ 126	⁴ 155	⁴ 19	⁴ 19	370
Other household expenses	206	85	185	238	214	235	286
Housekeeping supplies	194	79	172	199	232	280	217
Laundry and cleaning supplies	52	21	59	51	57	84	48
Other household products	84	28	62	105	108	108	91
Postage and stationery	58	30	51	43	67	88	78
Household furnishings and equipment	737	803	732	831	823	888	433
Household textiles	45	14	28	62	64	⁴ 107	20
Furniture	173	139	172	252	182	185	115
Floor coverings	9	3	⁴ 8	9	18	47	48
Major appliances	79	29	70	99	105	90	83
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	39	21	71	28	32	54	30
Miscellaneous household equipment	392	597	383	382	423	444	177
Apparel and services	725	634	1,206	755	706	629	381
Men and boys	346	393	545	283	318	353	201
Men, 16 and over	338	389	540	265	308	338	199
Boys, 2 to 15	9	⁴ 4	5	17	10	15	⁴ 2
Women and girls	40	⁴ 9	70	84	21	27	14
Women, 16 and over	23	47	⁴ 48	50	47	⁴ 20	41
Girls, 2 to 15	16	⁴ 2	22	34	14	⁴ 7	⁴ 13
Children under 2	7	⁴ 2	20	9	⁴ 2	45	44
Footwear	120	⁴ 94	192	136	115	85	80
Other apparel products and services	212	135	380	244	250	158	82
Transportation	4,863	3,890	6,061	5,943	4,654	5,193	3,519
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	2,287	2,130	3,028	2,754	1,789	2,544	1,581
Cars and trucks, new	950	⁴ 570	1,527	1,206	⁴ 425	⁴ 1,152	892
Cars and trucks, used	1,264	1,484	1,478	1,480	1,186	1,295	689
Other vehicles	72	⁴ 76	⁴ 23	⁴ 68	⁴ 178	⁴ 98	(³)
Gasoline and motor oil	810	664	903	924	875	876	637

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Item	All single males	Under 25	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65 and over
Other vehicle expenses	\$1,507	\$914	\$1,773	\$1,952	\$1,733	\$1,477	\$1,133
Vehicle finance charges	182	131	261	244	194	138	107
Maintenance and repairs	518	313	569	800	503	460	406
Vehicle insurance	519	310	573	621	620	538	454
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, other charges	288	160	370	287	416	340	167
Public transportation	260	182	357	314	256	296	168
Health care	1,118	333	604	970	1,257	1,236	2,316
Health insurance	563	107	379	529	614	630	1,122
Medical services	302	133	130	306	348	293	590
Drugs	209	68	69	103	242	238	534
Medical supplies	45	25	26	32	53	74	70
Entertainment	1,345	1,151	1,667	1,578	1,329	1,683	787
Fees and admissions	371	343	501	431	397	348	202
Television, radios, sound equipment	529	516	698	593	549	452	339
Pets, toys, and playground equipment	166	72	176	224	166	270	117
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services	278	220	292	331	218	612	129
Personal care products and services	200	143	232	210	180	342	143
Reading	102	54	108	105	132	128	92
Education	647	2,204	665	172	261	97	341
Tobacco products and smoking supplies	278	204	255	347	386	344	153
Miscellaneous	662	171	513	717	984	781	826
Cash contributions	1,175	191	875	1,448	2,052	964	1,406
Personal insurance and pensions	2,528	834	3,121	3,535	3,489	3,743	842
Life and other personal insurance	181	30	95	194	257	274	266
Pensions and Social Security	2,347	804	3,026	3,341	3,233	3,470	576
Sources of income and personal taxes: ¹							
Money income before taxes	31,688	12,557	38,936	40,670	39,980	36,148	22,910
Wages and salaries	24,712	10,338	36,557	36,069	34,877	26,306	4,490
Self-employment income	1,520	284	1,361	2,727	1,505	2,818	860
Social Security, private and government retirement	3,823	⁴ 94	300	637	1,622	5,549	15,056
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income	728	165	234	383	1,248	508	1,732
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits	147	⁴ 55	132	248	176	245	⁴ 58
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps	220	⁴ 24	⁴ 42	239	364	525	221
Regular contributions for support	236	997	125	⁴ 80	⁴ 47	⁴ 130	⁴ 25
Other income	303	602	186	286	141	68	⁴ 467
Personal taxes	2,508	489	3,606	2,661	4,566	2,301	1,288
Federal income taxes	2,006	377	2,855	1,988	3,853	1,840	1,010
State and local income taxes	427	103	694	575	651	365	147
Other taxes	74	8	57	98	62	97	130
Income after taxes	29,180	12,068	35,330	38,009	35,414	33,847	21,622

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Item	All single males	Under 25	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65 and over
Addenda:							
Net change in total assets and liabilities	-\$2,562	-\$813	-\$4,969	\$377	\$61	-\$5,349	-\$5,563
Net change in total assets	1,693	94	3,607	7,642	3,991	-2,897	-3,851
Net change in total liabilities	4,256	907	8,576	7,265	3,930	2,452	1,712
Other financial information:							
Other money receipts	356	173	52	1,021	307	447	176
Mortgage principal paid on owned property	-650	-39	-540	-901	-949	-1,015	-567
Estimated market value of owned home	58,094	7,778	41,165	61,959	70,606	86,336	88,897
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home ..	420	65	313	499	545	546	588
Gifts of goods and services	745	334	714	797	928	731	932
Food	29	4 ¹⁵	24	13	48	40	37
Alcoholic beverages	12	14	4 ⁴	11	22	10	12
Housing	140	94	99	125	190	126	198
Housekeeping supplies	14	13	15	11	13	13	20
Household textiles	2	4 ³	(³)	(²)	4 ⁷	4 ¹	4 ¹
Appliances and miscellaneous housewares	8	4 ⁴	4 ⁵	4 ⁸	4 ⁹	4 ¹²	4 ¹²
Major appliances	5	4 ¹	4 ³	4 ⁶	4 ²	4 ⁹	4 ⁸
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares	4	4 ³	4 ³	4 ²	4 ⁷	4 ²	4 ⁴
Miscellaneous household equipment	34	23	28	30	52	40	31
Other housing	82	50	51	77	109	61	135
Apparel and services	153	70	337	249	88	101	45
Males, 2 and over	33	21	59	41	24	37	14
Females, 2 and over	40	4 ⁹	70	84	21	27	14
Children under 2	7	4 ²	20	9	4 ²	5	4 ⁴
Other apparel products and services	74	37	189	114	41	4 ³¹	4 ¹³
Jewelry and watches	62	33	160	96	33	4 ²⁶	4 ¹²
All other apparel products and services	11	4 ⁴	4 ²⁹	4 ¹⁸	4 ⁷	4 ⁵	4 ¹
Transportation	63	6	16	117	108	148	14
Health care	41	4 ⁴	7	17	47	4 ¹⁰	4 ¹⁴⁸
Entertainment	68	44	109	84	73	43	43
Toys, games, hobbies, and tricycles	24	11	24	50	21	18	17
Other entertainment	44	32	85	34	52	24	26
Personal care products and services	24	14	14	10	16	114	11
Reading	1	(²)	1	1	(²)	4 ¹	1
Education	122	57	15	58	213	4 ⁵⁶	304
All other gifts	91	16	87	111	123	81	118

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

² Value less than 0.5.

³ No data reported.

⁴ Data are likely to have large sampling errors.
n.a. Not applicable.