

**Table 59. Composition of consumer unit: Shares of annual aggregate expenditures and sources of income, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2010**

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Item	Aggregate	Husband and wife consumer units						One parent, at least one child under 18	Single person and other consumer units
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Number of consumer units (in thousands) .....	121,107	59,739	25,723	5,185	14,242	8,745	5,844	7,141	54,227
Percent distribution of consumer units .....	100.0	49.3	21.2	4.3	11.8	7.2	4.8	5.9	44.8
Consumer unit characteristics (mean values):									
Income before taxes .....	\$62,481	\$85,296	\$76,543	\$87,439	\$94,807	\$95,374	\$83,666	\$34,652	\$41,012
Income after taxes .....	60,712	82,670	73,835	85,151	92,147	92,678	81,288	35,214	39,880
Age of reference person .....	49.4	50.0	58.0	32.2	40.9	52.0	49.4	37.5	50.4
Average number in consumer unit:									
Persons .....	2.5	3.2	2.0	3.5	4.2	4.0	5.0	2.9	1.7
Children under 18 .....	.6	.9	n.a.	1.5	2.2	.7	1.4	1.8	.2
Persons 65 and older .....	.3	.4	.7	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	.2	.6	( <sup>2</sup> )	.3
Earners .....	1.3	1.6	1.2	1.6	1.7	2.4	2.1	.9	.9
Vehicles .....	1.9	2.5	2.4	2.0	2.5	3.1	2.7	1.2	1.3
Percent distribution:									
Sex of reference person:									
Male .....	47	53	55	50	53	54	47	16	43
Female .....	53	47	45	50	47	46	53	84	57
Housing tenure:									
Homeowner .....	66	81	85	66	78	86	76	40	52
With mortgage .....	41	54	44	59	67	62	54	31	27
Without mortgage .....	25	27	42	7	11	24	22	9	25
Renter .....	34	19	15	34	22	14	24	60	48
Race of reference person:									
Black or African-American .....	12	7	5	5	8	9	14	32	15
White, Asian, and all other races .....	88	93	95	95	92	91	86	68	85
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:									
Hispanic or Latino .....	12	13	6	15	17	17	26	17	11
Not Hispanic or Latino .....	88	87	94	85	83	83	74	83	89
Education of reference person:									
Elementary (1-8) .....	5	5	4	3	4	7	8	3	5
High school (9-12) .....	35	33	34	20	28	35	48	39	37
College .....	60	62	62	77	69	57	43	58	58
Never attended and other .....	( <sup>3</sup> )	( <sup>3</sup> )	( <sup>3</sup> )	( <sup>3</sup> )	( <sup>3</sup> )	( <sup>3</sup> )	1	( <sup>3</sup> )	( <sup>3</sup> )
At least one vehicle owned or leased .....	88	96	96	95	97	97	95	80	80
Annual aggregate expenditures .....	\$5,823,988	63.5	24.9	5.4	17.0	10.3	5.9	4.5	32.0
Food .....	741,020	63.6	23.2	4.7	18.0	11.6	6.2	4.8	31.6
Food at home .....	438,143	64.3	23.1	4.8	17.8	12.1	6.5	5.1	30.6
Cereals and bakery products .....	60,656	64.5	22.1	4.5	19.0	12.3	6.6	5.0	30.4
Cereals and cereal products .....	19,901	65.0	20.5	5.1	19.8	12.2	7.4	5.0	30.0
Bakery products .....	40,754	64.3	23.0	4.3	18.6	12.3	6.2	5.0	30.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	94,828	63.9	23.4	4.1	17.1	12.5	6.8	5.2	30.9
Beef .....	26,198	66.8	26.5	3.5	16.5	13.5	6.7	4.8	28.4
Pork .....	18,013	63.7	24.2	3.4	16.9	12.1	7.0	4.8	31.5
Other meats .....	14,168	63.5	21.6	5.4	17.5	12.4	6.6	5.3	31.3
Poultry .....	16,698	61.8	19.2	4.8	18.4	12.0	7.3	6.4	31.8
Fish and seafood .....	14,155	63.2	24.1	4.0	16.5	12.4	6.2	4.8	32.0
Eggs .....	5,597	61.2	20.7	4.2	17.4	11.2	7.7	5.2	33.6
Dairy products .....	45,994	65.6	23.2	5.1	18.6	12.2	6.4	4.7	29.7
Fresh milk and cream .....	17,036	65.6	21.5	5.7	19.2	12.3	6.9	4.7	29.7
Other dairy products .....	28,957	65.6	24.2	4.8	18.3	12.2	6.1	4.7	29.8

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		Total	Husband and wife only	Husband and wife with children			Other husband and wife consumer units		
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Fruits and vegetables .....	\$82,147	64.7	23.8	5.0	17.2	11.9	6.9	4.7	30.6
Fresh fruits .....	28,077	65.4	23.8	5.4	18.1	11.6	6.6	4.7	29.9
Fresh vegetables .....	25,445	65.2	25.0	4.8	16.4	11.7	7.3	3.7	31.1
Processed fruits .....	13,632	63.1	22.5	5.2	17.0	12.0	6.3	5.7	31.3
Processed vegetables .....	14,993	64.1	22.6	4.3	17.1	12.7	7.4	5.3	30.6
Other food at home .....	154,519	63.9	23.0	5.1	17.7	11.9	6.1	5.4	30.7
Sugar and other sweets .....	15,957	65.5	24.3	3.8	19.3	12.2	5.8	4.8	29.7
Fats and oils .....	12,404	63.7	24.2	3.8	16.7	12.6	6.4	5.0	31.3
Miscellaneous foods .....	80,600	64.1	22.0	6.1	18.2	11.9	5.9	5.7	30.2
Nonalcoholic beverages .....	40,307	61.8	22.9	4.1	16.3	12.0	6.5	5.4	32.7
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips .....	5,251	71.7	33.6	4.2	18.8	9.8	5.3	3.0	25.3
Food away from home .....	302,877	62.6	23.4	4.5	18.3	10.7	5.7	4.4	33.0
Alcoholic beverages .....	49,814	57.1	29.8	4.3	12.0	8.0	3.0	2.3	40.6
Housing .....	2,004,933	60.5	23.2	6.2	16.4	9.0	5.7	5.1	34.4
Shelter .....	1,188,279	58.9	22.4	6.2	16.3	8.5	5.5	5.0	36.1
Owned dwellings .....	760,213	68.8	26.6	6.8	19.1	10.3	5.9	3.4	27.8
Mortgage interest and charges .....	405,856	70.6	23.2	8.3	22.0	10.2	6.9	4.1	25.3
Property taxes .....	219,670	68.6	29.1	5.2	17.7	11.1	5.4	3.1	28.3
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses .....	134,688	63.7	32.7	5.0	12.7	9.4	4.0	2.0	34.3
Rented dwellings .....	351,154	34.7	10.4	5.1	10.1	4.0	4.9	9.0	56.4
Other lodging .....	76,913	72.1	36.3	4.5	16.9	10.7	3.7	1.9	26.0
Utilities, fuels, and public services .....	443,236	59.8	23.1	4.4	15.4	10.1	6.7	5.4	34.8
Natural gas .....	53,283	59.0	22.2	5.0	15.3	10.1	6.4	5.1	35.9
Electricity .....	171,068	59.5	23.4	4.2	15.1	9.8	6.9	5.7	34.8
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	16,993	61.8	29.4	3.6	13.0	10.1	5.6	2.5	35.7
Telephone services .....	142,635	59.5	22.1	4.6	15.7	10.6	6.5	5.7	34.8
Water and other public services .....	59,257	61.4	23.9	4.5	16.0	9.8	7.2	4.8	33.8
Household operations .....	121,986	66.5	19.7	15.9	19.2	6.5	5.2	6.9	26.6
Personal services .....	41,156	73.8	3.0	37.3	25.2	2.6	5.6	12.1	14.2
Other household expenses .....	80,830	62.8	28.2	5.0	16.1	8.5	5.0	4.3	32.9
Housekeeping supplies .....	73,938	65.1	27.8	4.3	17.0	10.8	5.2	4.1	30.8
Laundry and cleaning supplies .....	18,166	63.4	22.5	4.3	19.0	11.2	6.4	5.9	30.8
Other household products .....	39,777	66.0	29.4	4.8	16.5	10.4	4.9	3.6	30.3
Postage and stationery .....	15,995	64.7	30.0	3.3	15.7	11.3	4.4	3.1	32.2
Household furnishings and equipment .....	177,494	67.3	28.9	5.3	17.5	10.6	5.1	3.9	28.8
Household textiles .....	12,390	68.1	29.5	4.3	17.5	11.6	5.3	6.1	25.8
Furniture .....	43,024	65.1	28.7	6.4	17.8	8.6	3.6	4.6	30.3
Floor coverings .....	4,370	68.4	30.4	6.4	21.4	5.9	4.3	1.0	30.7
Major appliances .....	25,333	66.1	27.5	6.2	15.4	11.0	5.9	4.0	30.0
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares .....	12,882	69.1	32.1	5.4	13.5	13.8	4.3	3.1	27.7
Miscellaneous household equipment .....	79,494	68.4	28.7	4.5	18.4	11.1	5.7	3.5	28.2
Apparel and services .....	205,572	60.8	21.2	5.2	18.5	10.1	5.8	6.7	32.5
Men and boys .....	46,175	63.9	21.3	3.8	20.7	12.5	5.5	6.1	30.0
Men, 16 and over .....	36,765	62.4	25.0	3.4	16.0	13.5	4.5	4.0	33.6
Boys, 2 to 15 .....	9,410	69.7	6.9	5.7	39.0	8.7	9.5	14.4	15.8
Women and girls .....	80,116	62.0	22.8	4.1	19.7	10.2	5.3	7.8	30.2
Women, 16 and over .....	67,887	60.0	25.3	3.6	15.5	10.7	4.9	7.1	32.9
Girls, 2 to 15 .....	12,229	73.3	8.8	7.0	42.7	7.4	7.4	12.0	14.6
Children under 2 .....	10,956	72.3	13.0	27.6	15.0	5.7	11.0	7.0	20.8
Footwear .....	36,679	60.3	19.6	3.1	19.4	10.8	7.4	7.2	32.5
Other apparel products and services .....	31,645	49.7	21.6	4.8	12.3	7.2	3.7	4.1	46.2

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Transportation .....	\$929,544	65.2	25.7	5.2	17.1	11.0	6.1	4.9	30.0
Vehicle purchases (net outlay) .....	313,474	68.1	26.5	6.2	19.2	10.2	5.9	5.2	26.7
Cars and trucks, new .....	147,662	70.9	30.4	6.2	20.7	7.9	5.7	4.5	24.6
Cars and trucks, used .....	159,617	65.7	22.7	6.4	18.3	12.1	6.1	5.8	28.5
Other vehicles .....	6,195	63.0	30.7	41.5	49.2	414.4	47.3	45.0	32.0
Gasoline and motor oil .....	258,238	63.7	23.4	4.9	17.0	11.5	6.9	4.7	31.6
Other vehicle expenses .....	298,180	63.4	26.0	4.5	15.0	11.9	6.0	5.0	31.6
Vehicle finance charges .....	29,432	67.5	24.8	7.0	17.1	11.2	7.3	5.4	27.1
Maintenance and repairs .....	95,326	63.9	25.6	4.8	16.2	11.4	5.9	4.4	31.7
Vehicle insurance .....	122,156	60.9	25.9	3.0	13.4	12.6	5.9	5.8	33.3
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges .....	51,266	65.9	27.4	6.0	15.1	11.6	5.7	4.1	30.0
Public transportation .....	59,653	65.0	29.5	4.4	17.4	9.2	4.5	3.3	31.7
Healthcare .....	382,285	66.9	33.9	4.2	13.5	9.9	5.4	2.8	30.3
Health insurance .....	221,690	66.8	34.5	4.2	12.8	9.5	5.7	2.5	30.7
Medical services .....	87,461	68.8	31.9	5.6	16.6	10.2	4.5	3.7	27.5
Drugs .....	58,729	64.9	35.3	2.6	10.8	10.4	5.8	2.6	32.5
Medical supplies .....	14,404	66.2	29.9	3.8	16.2	11.3	4.9	2.8	31.0
Entertainment .....	303,164	65.6	25.7	4.8	19.6	9.4	6.1	4.0	30.4
Fees and admissions .....	70,363	72.6	24.1	4.0	29.5	10.3	4.8	4.1	23.3
Audio and visual equipment and services .....	115,516	59.0	24.6	4.7	15.3	8.8	5.6	5.0	36.0
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment .....	73,252	63.7	26.5	5.4	15.9	10.2	5.7	3.1	33.2
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services .....	44,033	75.2	29.4	5.5	21.3	8.5	10.4	2.4	22.4
Personal care products and services .....	70,426	62.2	24.7	4.5	16.5	11.0	5.5	5.2	32.6
Reading .....	12,066	62.2	32.5	3.4	13.8	8.9	3.5	2.5	35.3
Education .....	130,111	67.4	15.9	2.6	22.2	20.7	6.1	2.0	30.5
Tobacco products and smoking supplies .....	43,846	48.5	18.3	2.9	10.0	8.6	8.7	4.9	46.6
Miscellaneous .....	102,756	57.4	24.4	5.7	12.9	8.8	5.6	4.2	38.4
Cash contributions .....	197,797	63.3	33.0	3.2	13.3	8.7	5.3	3.2	33.4
Personal insurance and pensions .....	650,653	69.9	26.1	6.8	19.5	11.3	6.1	3.2	26.9
Life and other personal insurance .....	38,527	76.7	33.0	6.3	19.3	13.1	5.0	2.4	20.9
Pensions and Social Security .....	612,126	69.5	25.7	6.9	19.6	11.2	6.1	3.2	27.3
Sources of income and personal taxes:									
Money income before taxes .....	7,566,944	67.3	26.0	6.0	17.8	11.0	6.5	3.3	29.4
Wages and salaries .....	6,003,053	69.1	23.5	7.1	20.2	11.6	6.7	3.3	27.6
Self-employment income .....	341,548	75.1	21.8	4.9	24.1	18.5	5.7	2.5	22.4
Social Security, private and government retirement .....	868,674	59.5	46.0	.1	2.0	5.4	6.0	.9	39.5
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income .....	143,118	65.3	43.7	1.5	11.5	6.4	2.1	.1	34.6
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits .....	76,742	57.3	16.3	4.4	16.0	12.5	8.1	3.1	39.6
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps .....	61,214	33.8	8.3	2.7	8.3	5.5	9.1	19.9	46.2
Regular contributions for support .....	49,302	16.8	3.7	3.2	6.1	1.3	2.6	28.7	54.5
Other income .....	23,294	32.3	9.1	3.7	7.2	8.5	3.7	13.1	54.6

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Personal taxes .....	\$214,262	73.2	32.5	5.5	17.7	11.0	6.5	-1.9	28.7
Federal income taxes .....	137,538	74.6	35.3	5.4	16.7	10.3	6.8	-4.0	29.4
State and local income taxes .....	58,428	70.7	25.4	6.1	21.7	11.1	6.4	1.7	27.6
Other taxes .....	18,295	71.1	34.2	4.5	11.8	16.3	4.4	2.3	26.5
Income after taxes .....	7,352,682	67.2	25.8	6.0	17.8	11.0	6.5	3.4	29.4

<sup>1</sup> No data reported.

<sup>2</sup> Value less than 0.05.

<sup>3</sup> Value less than or equal to 0.5.

<sup>4</sup> Data are likely to have large sampling errors.

n.a. Not applicable.

Source: Consumer Expenditure Survey, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, September, 2011