

Table 2301. Higher income before taxes: Shares of average annual expenditures and sources of income, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2008

Item	All consumer units	Less than \$70,000	\$70,000 to \$79,999	\$80,000 to \$99,999	\$100,000 and more	\$100,000 to \$119,999	\$120,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 and more
Number of consumer units (in thousands)	120,770	81,783	7,354	10,017	21,615	7,136	5,777	8,702
Consumer unit characteristics:								
Income before taxes	\$63,563	\$32,401	\$74,486	\$88,839	\$166,035	\$108,630	\$132,531	\$235,348
Income after taxes	61,774	32,465	73,072	86,462	157,379	105,048	127,295	220,261
Age of reference person	49.1	50.0	46.1	46.9	47.5	46.8	47.2	48.3
Average number in consumer unit:								
Persons	2.5	2.2	2.9	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.3	3.2
Children under 18 .....	.6	.5	.8	.8	.8	.8	.9	.8
Persons 65 and older .....	.3	.4	.2	.2	.2	.2	.1	.2
Earners	1.3	1.0	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.1
Vehicles	2.0	1.6	2.5	2.6	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.9
Percent distribution:								
Sex of reference person:								
Male	47	43	53	52	55	53	56	57
Female	53	57	47	48	45	47	44	43
Housing tenure:								
Homeowner	66	56	82	84	92	89	93	93
With mortgage	42	29	62	65	75	74	76	74
Without mortgage	24	27	20	18	17	15	16	19
Renter	34	44	18	16	8	11	7	7
Race of reference person:								
Black or African-American	12	15	9	6	6	7	7	5
White, Asian, and all other races	88	85	91	94	94	93	93	95
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:								
Hispanic or Latino	12	14	9	10	6	7	6	5
Not Hispanic or Latino	88	86	91	90	94	93	94	95
Education of reference person:								
Elementary (1-8)	5	6	2	1	1	1	1	(¹)
High school (9-12)	35	42	28	24	15	19	17	10
College	60	51	70	74	85	81	82	90
Never attended and other	(¹)	(¹)	(²)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
At least one vehicle owned or leased	89	84	97	98	98	98	98	97
Average annual expenditures	\$50,486	\$34,687	\$58,742	\$67,180	\$100,065	\$77,586	\$91,590	\$124,678
Food								
Food at home	7.4	8.7	7.3	7.5	5.7	6.9	6.3	4.8
Cereals and bakery products	1.0	1.2	1.0	1.1	.8	1.0	.9	.6
Cereals and cereal products .....	.3	.4	.3	.3	.2	.3	.3	.2
Bakery products .....	.7	.8	.7	.7	.5	.6	.6	.4
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	1.7	2.1	1.6	1.6	1.2	1.5	1.3	1.0
Beef .....	.5	.6	.4	.4	.4	.5	.4	.3
Pork .....	.3	.4	.3	.3	.2	.3	.2	.2
Other meats .....	.2	.3	.2	.2	.2	.2	.2	.1
Poultry .....	.3	.4	.3	.3	.2	.3	.2	.2
Fish and seafood .....	.3	.3	.3	.3	.2	.2	.2	.2
Eggs .....	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1
Dairy products9	1.0	.8	.9	.7	.8	.7	.6
Fresh milk and cream3	.4	.3	.3	.2	.3	.3	.2
Other dairy products5	.6	.5	.5	.4	.5	.5	.4

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Fruits and vegetables	1.3	1.5	1.3	1.3	1.0	1.2	1.1	.9
Fresh fruits4	.5	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4	.3
Fresh vegetables4	.5	.4	.4	.3	.4	.4	.3
Processed fruits .....	.2	.3	.2	.2	.2	.2	.2	.1
Processed vegetables .....	.2	.3	.2	.2	.1	.2	.2	.1
Other food at home	2.6	3.0	2.6	2.6	2.0	2.4	2.3	1.7
Sugar and other sweets .....	.3	.3	.2	.3	.2	.3	.2	.2
Fats and oils .....	.2	.3	.2	.2	.1	.2	.2	.1
Miscellaneous foods	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.1	1.3	1.2	.9
Nonalcoholic beverages .....	.7	.8	.7	.7	.5	.6	.6	.4
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips .....	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1
Food away from home	5.3	5.1	5.4	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.7
Alcoholic beverages .....	.9	.9	.9	.9	.9	1.0	1.0	.9
Housing	33.9	36.0	33.4	31.8	31.8	32.2	30.6	32.0
Shelter	20.2	21.1	19.8	18.5	19.5	19.5	18.3	19.9
Owned dwellings	13.4	11.2	15.0	14.2	15.6	15.7	15.1	15.8
Mortgage interest and charges	7.6	5.8	9.2	8.5	9.3	9.9	9.3	8.9
Property taxes	3.5	3.1	3.6	3.6	3.9	3.6	3.6	4.2
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.3	2.1	2.6
Rented dwellings	5.4	9.0	3.7	3.1	1.6	2.0	1.5	1.5
Other lodging	1.4	.9	1.0	1.1	2.2	1.7	1.7	2.7
Utilities, fuels, and public services	7.2	8.8	7.2	6.8	5.2	6.0	5.5	4.7
Natural gas	1.1	1.2	1.0	1.0	.8	.9	.8	.8
Electricity	2.7	3.4	2.6	2.3	1.9	2.1	2.0	1.7
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	.4	.4	.5	.4	.3	.4	.2	.2
Telephone services	2.2	2.7	2.3	2.1	1.6	1.8	1.7	1.4
Water and other public services .....	.9	1.0	.9	.8	.7	.8	.7	.6
Household operations	2.0	1.7	1.9	2.0	2.4	1.9	2.2	2.7
Personal services .....	.8	.6	.8	.9	1.0	.8	.9	1.1
Other household expenses	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.4	1.1	1.4	1.6
Housekeeping supplies	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.5	1.2	1.0
Laundry and cleaning supplies .....	.3	.4	.3	.3	.2	.3	.3	.2
Other household products .....	.7	.7	.6	.7	.7	.9	.7	.6
Postage and stationery .....	.3	.4	.3	.3	.3	.3	.3	.2
Household furnishings and equipment	3.2	3.0	3.2	3.2	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.7
Household textiles .....	.3	.2	.2	.2	.3	.3	.3	.4
Furniture .....	.8	.7	1.0	.7	.9	.7	.8	1.0
Floor coverings .....	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1
Major appliances .....	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares .....	.2	.2	.2	.3	.2	.2	.2	.3
Miscellaneous household equipment	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.6
Apparel and services	3.6	3.6	3.1	3.5	3.6	3.5	3.4	3.9
Men and boys .....	.8	.8	.8	.8	.9	.8	.8	1.1
Men, 16 and over .....	.7	.6	.6	.7	.8	.7	.6	1.0
Boys, 2 to 15 .....	.2	.2	.2	.2	.1	.2	.1	.1
Women and girls	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.4
Women, 16 and over	1.2	1.2	1.0	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.1	1.3
Girls, 2 to 15 .....	.2	.2	.2	.3	.2	.3	.3	.2
Children under 2 .....	.2	.2	.2	.2	.1	.2	.2	.1
Footwear .....	.6	.7	.5	.6	.5	.6	.5	.6
Other apparel products and services .....	.5	.5	.4	.4	.6	.4	.5	.7
Transportation	17.0	17.7	17.8	18.2	15.7	17.3	17.2	14.0
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	5.5	5.4	5.3	5.8	5.4	5.9	6.3	4.8
Cars and trucks, new	2.6	2.0	2.1	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.5	3.1
Cars and trucks, used	2.6	3.1	3.0	2.5	2.0	2.4	2.2	1.5
Other vehicles3	.3	.3	.3	.3	.3	.6	.2

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Gasoline and motor oil	5.4	6.1	6.0	5.6	4.2	5.1	4.6	3.5
Other vehicle expenses	5.2	5.4	5.6	5.9	4.6	5.3	5.0	4.0
Vehicle finance charges .....	.6	.6	.8	.8	.5	.6	.7	.4
Maintenance and repairs	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.3
Vehicle insurance	2.2	2.5	2.3	2.7	1.6	2.1	1.9	1.2
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, other charges .....	.9	.8	1.0	.9	1.1	1.1	.9	1.2
Public transportation	1.0	.8	.9	.9	1.4	1.1	1.3	1.7
Healthcare	5.9	7.1	6.0	5.5	4.5	5.2	4.7	4.0
Health insurance	3.3	4.1	3.2	3.1	2.3	2.7	2.4	2.1
Medical services	1.4	1.5	1.7	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.2
Drugs	1.0	1.2	.9	.8	.7	.8	.7	.5
Medical supplies .....	.2	.2	.2	.2	.2	.2	.2	.2
Entertainment	5.6	5.4	5.6	5.9	5.9	5.5	6.9	5.5
Fees and admissions	1.2	.8	1.1	1.3	1.8	1.4	1.5	2.1
Audio and visual equipment and services	2.1	2.3	2.0	2.1	1.8	2.0	2.0	1.5
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment ..	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.3	2.4	1.2
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services .....	.9	1.0	1.1	1.3	.8	.8	1.0	.8
Personal care products and services	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2
Reading .....	.2	.2	.2	.2	.2	.3	.2	.2
Education	2.1	1.5	1.4	1.8	3.1	2.1	2.1	4.0
Tobacco products and smoking supplies .....	.6	.9	.7	.5	.3	.4	.3	.2
Miscellaneous	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.8	1.6	1.8	1.8
Cash contributions	3.4	2.9	3.7	3.5	4.1	3.0	3.3	4.9
Personal insurance and pensions	11.1	7.1	11.8	12.5	15.8	13.9	15.2	16.9
Life and other personal insurance .....	.6	.5	.6	.6	.8	.6	.7	.9
Pensions and Social Security	10.5	6.6	11.2	11.9	15.0	13.3	14.5	16.0
Sources of income and personal taxes:								
Money income before taxes	\$63,563	\$32,401	\$74,486	\$88,839	\$166,035	\$108,630	\$132,531	\$235,348
Wages and salaries	80.2	71.1	85.1	85.8	84.9	87.3	87.3	83.1
Self-employment income	5.1	1.9	3.9	4.4	7.7	4.7	5.6	9.7
Social Security, private and government retirement	10.3	21.1	7.7	6.8	3.7	5.2	4.3	2.9
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income	2.4	1.9	2.1	1.9	2.9	2.1	2.1	3.5
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits .....	.4	.6	.3	.3	.2	.2	.1	.2
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps .....	.6	1.5	.2	.2	(⁴)	3.1	3.1	(⁴)
Regular contributions for support .....	.7	1.1	.6	.5	.4	.4	.3	.5
Other income .....	.3	.7	.3	.2	.1	.2	.2	.1
Personal taxes	2.8	-.2	1.9	2.7	5.2	3.3	4.0	6.4
Federal income taxes	2.9	1.0	2.3	2.9	4.3	3.2	3.5	5.1
2008 Tax stimulus (new UCC Q20082)	-1.2	-2.1	-1.4	-1.3	-.6	-1.1	-.8	-.3
State and local income taxes .....	.9	.5	.7	.8	1.2	1.0	.9	1.3
Other taxes .....	.3	.4	.3	.3	.3	.3	.3	.3
Income after taxes	97.2	100.2	98.1	97.3	94.8	96.7	96.0	93.6

¹ Value less than or equal to 0.5.
² No data reported.

³ Data are likely to have large sampling errors.
⁴ Value less than 0.05.