

Table 3600. Consumer units of one person by age of reference person: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 1989-90

Item	Total one person	Under 25	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65 and over	65-74	75 and over
Number of consumer units (in thousands).....	26,913	4,186	5,165	3,391	2,552	2,773	8,845	4,117	4,728
Consumer unit characteristics:									
Income before taxes 1/.....	\$18,314	\$9,356	\$23,677	\$30,269	\$26,472	\$17,951	\$12,599	\$14,097	\$11,245
Income after taxes 1/.....	16,471	8,714	20,978	26,144	23,438	16,327	11,841	13,173	10,636
Average number of persons in consumer unit....	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
Age of reference person.....	49.6	21.0	29.1	39.1	49.4	59.8	75.9	69.5	81.5
Average number in consumer unit:									
Earners.....	.6	.9	1.0	.9	.9	.6	.1	.2	.1
Vehicles.....	1.0	.8	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.1	.8	1.0	.6
Children under 18.....	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Persons 65 and over.....	.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	1.0	1.0	1.0
Percent distribution:									
Sex of reference person:									
Male.....	44	54	62	60	46	39	23	29	19
Female.....	56	46	38	40	54	61	77	71	81
Housing tenure:									
Percent homeowner.....	42	2	24	41	53	60	63	65	62
Homeowner with mortgage.....	18	1	21	34	37	23	9	16	4
Homeowner without mortgage.....	25	1	3	7	16	37	54	49	58
Renter.....	58	98	76	59	47	40	37	35	38
Race of reference person:									
Black.....	11	7	10	16	15	12	10	11	9
White and other.....	89	93	90	84	85	88	90	89	91
Education of reference person:									
Elementary (1-8).....	12	1	(2)	2	6	11	31	23	38
High school (9-12).....	37	27	26	32	44	54	43	49	38
College.....	50	72	74	66	49	35	24	27	21
Never attended and other.....	1	(3)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	2	2	2
At least one vehicle owned.....	73	65	86	83	83	79	61	72	51
Average annual expenditures.....	\$16,970	\$11,851	\$20,744	\$23,969	\$22,704	\$17,622	\$12,683	\$13,860	\$11,637
Food.....	2,280	1,820	2,703	2,825	2,826	2,607	1,786	1,881	1,698
Food at home.....	1,131	643	996	1,193	1,338	1,514	1,213	1,273	1,159
Cereals and bakery products.....	172	104	137	168	201	212	201	203	200
Cereals and cereal products.....	57	38	48	53	55	66	69	68	69
Bakery products.....	115	66	89	114	146	147	133	135	131

Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	262	115	228	269	331	405	275	297	255
Beef.....	77	30	70	90	88	113	82	91	74
Pork.....	48	18	33	46	66	89	52	57	48
Other meats.....	40	20	35	40	65	62	37	40	35
Poultry.....	48	19	43	44	53	70	55	58	52
Fish and seafood.....	34	21	36	36	43	47	32	34	30
Eggs.....	15	7	11	13	16	23	17	18	16
Dairy products.....	141	86	127	139	163	178	156	158	154
Fresh milk and cream.....	67	42	56	66	74	75	80	79	81
Other dairy products.....	74	44	71	73	89	104	76	79	72
Fruits and vegetables.....	212	98	179	218	227	257	261	264	258
Fresh fruits.....	68	31	58	63	70	83	86	87	85
Fresh vegetables.....	65	24	58	68	70	86	77	80	74
Processed fruits.....	49	30	40	52	51	50	59	56	62
Processed vegetables.....	31	13	23	35	35	38	38	41	36
Other food at home.....	344	240	326	399	416	461	320	350	293
Sugar and other sweets.....	41	23	28	44	54	53	47	50	45
Fats and oils.....	29	15	21	29	27	45	35	37	33
Miscellaneous foods.....	149	119	143	170	167	203	135	140	130
Nonalcoholic beverages.....	110	72	116	134	144	142	94	105	83
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips.....	16	11	19	22	24	18	10	19	4/3
Food away from home.....	1,149	1,178	1,707	1,631	1,488	1,093	573	609	539
Alcoholic beverages.....	271	357	521	446	307	162	56	72	42
Housing.....	5,849	3,316	6,934	8,119	7,407	6,076	5,022	5,367	4,717
Shelter.....	3,690	2,249	4,814	5,464	4,762	3,646	2,739	2,982	2,528
Owned dwellings.....	1,437	74	1,662	2,364	2,269	1,602	1,302	1,510	1,121
Mortgage interest.....	741	48	1,296	1,782	1,437	551	206	335	94
Property taxes.....	333	4/7	176	331	371	511	513	537	492
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses.....	362	18	190	251	461	540	584	639	535
Rented dwellings.....	1,942	1,983	2,898	2,609	1,956	1,569	1,221	1,208	1,233
Other lodging.....	311	191	254	491	537	475	216	264	175
Utilities, fuels, and public services.....	1,187	568	1,139	1,351	1,442	1,438	1,291	1,372	1,221
Natural gas.....	157	39	120	162	187	230	200	220	183
Electricity.....	441	177	393	489	555	571	503	530	478
Fuel oil and other fuels.....	60	8	31	51	51	58	107	92	120
Telephone.....	432	328	533	553	516	442	348	390	311
Water and other public services.....	97	16	62	97	133	138	133	140	127
Household operations.....	221	25	114	237	197	211	381	262	484
Personal services.....	47	4/1	4/22	4/33	4/9	4/5	113	4/6	206
Other household expenses.....	174	24	92	204	188	206	268	256	278
Housekeeping supplies.....	198	98	188	225	220	241	217	252	184
Laundry and cleaning supplies.....	48	23	47	64	48	56	51	55	47
Other household products.....	72	24	71	79	87	96	79	89	70
Postage and stationery.....	78	51	71	82	85	88	87	108	68
Household furnishings and equipment.....	554	378	679	843	786	540	394	498	300
Household textiles.....	42	24	39	52	48	59	40	56	25
Furniture.....	170	165	236	277	216	170	80	104	58
Floor coverings.....	34	4/9	4/33	47	4/54	4/33	35	4/40	4/30
Major appliances.....	71	34	86	104	94	62	64	76	54
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	35	26	38	45	36	45	31	33	28

Miscellaneous household equipment.....	202	120	246	318	338	171	144	189	104
Apparel and services.....	927	829	1,178	1,628	1,137	924	517	729	324
Men and boys.....	218	225	372	308	325	161	82	128	40
Men, 16 and over.....	207	225	362	300	318	137	70	112	32
Boys, 2 to 15.....	10	4/0	10	8	8	24	12	16	4/8
Women and girls.....	399	353	356	807	435	448	273	387	168
Women, 16 and over.....	386	349	346	776	427	438	260	366	162
Girls, 2 to 15.....	12	4/4	10	32	9	10	12	20	5
Children under 2.....	11	7	15	16	14	17	7	9	4
Footwear.....	112	76	145	192	122	124	75	99	53
Other apparel products and services.....	187	168	289	304	240	175	80	105	59
Transportation.....	2,719	2,351	3,896	3,869	3,463	2,979	1,469	1,844	1,142
Vehicle purchases (net outlay).....	987	945	1,501	1,482	903	1,142	492	547	4/444
Cars and trucks, new.....	519	405	774	931	434	522	289	262	4/313
Cars and trucks, used.....	459	531	693	541	469	619	202	284	131
Other vehicles.....	9	4/8	34	4/10	(5)	(5)	4/1	4/1	(5)
Gasoline and motor oil.....	548	560	715	713	733	635	301	421	196
Other vehicle expenses.....	926	673	1,401	1,356	1,273	923	504	664	364
Vehicle finance charges.....	142	119	273	238	213	97	33	65	4/6
Maintenance and repairs.....	364	265	525	506	497	414	207	266	155
Vehicle insurance.....	317	222	434	446	395	326	219	278	167
Vehicle rental, licenses, other charges...	103	67	170	166	168	86	45	55	36
Public transportation.....	258	173	278	318	554	279	172	211	139
Health care.....	946	244	600	792	805	1,026	1,552	1,412	1,675
Health insurance.....	376	49	221	238	317	433	673	650	693
Medical services.....	352	130	238	386	318	355	518	444	583
Drugs.....	164	32	83	112	128	179	297	273	318
Medical supplies.....	54	32	59	56	42	59	64	44	81
Entertainment.....	799	717	1,169	1,125	1,327	758	358	468	262
Fees and admissions.....	239	234	379	335	287	223	114	137	93
Television, radios, sound equipment.....	283	288	413	396	357	245	154	199	114
Pets, toys, and playground equipment.....	135	52	163	213	345	153	63	83	45
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services.....	141	143	214	181	338	136	28	49	10
Personal care products and services.....	215	185	226	281	261	256	170	197	146
Reading.....	111	66	119	171	148	113	92	104	82
Education.....	296	999	328	152	272	175	46	48	4/44
Tobacco products and smoking supplies.....	159	118	179	258	286	217	74	119	35
Miscellaneous.....	474	233	514	812	695	512	360	479	254
Cash contributions.....	672	48	348	885	1,305	611	912	703	1,093
Personal insurance and pensions.....	1,253	568	2,029	2,605	2,467	1,206	269	438	123
Life and other personal insurance.....	124	20	106	196	170	180	125	151	102
Pensions and Social Security.....	1,129	548	1,923	2,410	2,297	1,026	145	287	21

Sources of income and personal taxes: 1/

Money income before taxes.....	18,314	9,356	23,677	30,269	26,472	17,951	12,599	14,097	11,245
Wages and salaries.....	11,910	7,789	21,640	25,756	21,008	10,034	800	1,559	113
Self-employment income.....	1,225	92	1,217	3,271	2,975	1,373	436	799	4/107
Social Security, private and government retirement.....	3,248	4/26	116	308	599	3,958	8,288	8,774	7,849
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income.....	1,242	148	198	440	908	1,509	2,695	2,491	2,880
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits.....	126	32	100	170	236	275	94	103	85
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps.....	124	4/13	57	114	181	321	147	131	162
Regular contributions for support.....	323	1,016	205	130	443	300	109	198	28
Other income.....	115	241	144	81	121	181	31	42	20
Personal taxes.....	1,843	641	2,699	4,124	3,034	1,625	758	924	608
Federal income taxes.....	1,457	519	2,114	3,354	2,398	1,293	569	684	465
State and local income taxes.....	340	123	567	732	548	241	130	178	86
Other taxes.....	45	-1	18	38	88	91	60	61	58
Income after taxes.....	16,471	8,714	20,978	26,144	23,438	16,327	11,841	13,173	10,636
Addenda:									
Net change in total assets and liabilities....	114	313	869	10	2,118	-20	-917	-1,168	-698
Net change in total assets.....	872	774	2,672	2,495	2,625	153	-1,035	-1,419	-701
Net change in total liabilities.....	758	460	1,803	2,485	507	173	-118	-251	-3
Other financial information:									
Other money receipts.....	288	102	243	712	167	164	315	350	284
Mortgage principal paid on owned property...	-228	-16	-238	-474	-573	-281	-113	-201	-37
Estimated market value of owned home.....	35,271	1,241	23,169	39,441	50,061	51,434	47,510	47,442	47,569
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home	231	11	159	263	315	322	311	335	290
Gifts of goods and services, total.....	733	414	606	918	1,282	896	678	762	600
Clothing, males 2 and over.....	53	28	50	39	89	83	49	75	26
Clothing, females 2 and over.....	77	32	77	129	150	73	61	100	26
Clothing, children under 2.....	11	7	15	16	14	17	7	9	4
Jewelry and watches.....	42	45	78	55	45	54	11	20	4
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares.....	12	7	18	9	11	16	12	11	13
Household textiles.....	8	4/4	4/3	4/18	4/2	4/2	11	4/19	4/4
All other gifts.....	529	291	365	651	971	651	527	529	523

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

2/ Value less than 0.5.

3/ Value less than 0.05.

4/ Data are likely to have large sampling errors.

5/ No data reported.

n.a. Not applicable.