

Table 3860. Consumer units with reference person age 65 to 74 by region of residence: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 1991-92

Item	Total 65-74	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Number of consumer units (in thousands).....	11,947	2,723	3,003	3,863	2,358
Consumer unit characteristics:					
Income before taxes 1/.....	\$22,954	\$23,588	\$20,879	\$21,265	\$27,473
Income after taxes 1/.....	21,491	22,298	19,565	20,107	25,157
Age of reference person.....	69.3	69.4	69.5	69.1	69.2
Average number in consumer unit:					
Persons.....	1.9	1.8	1.8	2.0	1.9
Children under 18.....	.1	.1	(2)	.1	.1
Persons 65 and over.....	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.4
Earners.....	.6	.5	.6	.6	.7
Vehicles.....	1.8	1.4	1.7	1.8	2.1
Percent distribution:					
Sex of reference person:					
Male.....	62	59	58	63	66
Female.....	38	41	42	37	34
Housing tenure:					
Percent homeowner.....	79	74	79	84	79
With mortgage.....	20	15	14	20	33
Without mortgage.....	59	58	65	64	46
Renter.....	21	26	21	16	21
Race of reference person:					
Black.....	9	5	7	17	4
White and other.....	91	95	93	83	96
Education of reference person:					
Elementary (1-8).....	20	18	20	27	10
High school (9-12).....	50	54	54	46	45
College.....	29	27	25	25	44
Never attended and other.....	1	(3)	(3)	2	1
At least one vehicle owned.....	85	78	84	87	89
Average annual expenditures.....	\$22,659	\$22,752	\$20,574	\$22,004	\$26,287
Food.....	3,552	3,612	3,285	3,419	4,053
Food at home.....	2,413	2,438	2,231	2,465	2,535
Cereals and bakery products.....	380	417	370	380	352
Cereals and cereal products.....	126	119	120	142	116
Bakery products.....	254	298	251	238	236

Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	637	691	581	668	598
Beef.....	190	188	185	195	191
Pork.....	148	145	138	176	118
Other meats.....	89	88	82	94	90
Poultry.....	111	157	91	106	91
Fish and seafood.....	71	82	62	67	77
Eggs.....	28	30	22	30	32
Dairy products.....	256	263	244	257	261
Fresh milk and cream.....	111	108	104	120	106
Other dairy products.....	145	154	140	137	154
Fruits and vegetables.....	444	440	401	447	499
Fresh fruits.....	139	139	132	135	153
Fresh vegetables.....	130	128	115	128	153
Processed fruits.....	103	102	90	109	109
Processed vegetables.....	73	71	64	75	83
Other food at home.....	696	627	636	712	825
Sugar and other sweets.....	105	98	99	108	114
Fats and oils.....	74	68	68	79	82
Miscellaneous foods.....	299	263	281	295	369
Nonalcoholic beverages.....	177	162	155	195	191
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips.....	42	37	32	35	68
Food away from home.....	1,138	1,174	1,053	954	1,518
Alcoholic beverages.....	179	209	129	137	282
Housing.....	6,978	7,578	6,189	6,391	8,243
Shelter.....	3,393	4,080	2,848	2,663	4,491
Owned dwellings.....	2,266	2,593	1,831	2,008	2,865
Mortgage interest and charges.....	663	580	331	646	1,212
Property taxes.....	855	1,322	770	629	795
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses.....	747	690	731	733	858
Rented dwellings.....	828	1,081	748	465	1,233
Other lodging.....	299	406	269	190	393
Utilities, fuels, and public services.....	1,904	1,996	1,734	1,997	1,860
Natural gas.....	267	307	339	195	246
Electricity.....	788	695	657	952	794
Fuel oil and other fuels.....	133	327	98	82	35
Telephone services.....	476	453	448	505	488
Water and other public services.....	241	213	192	263	298
Household operations.....	307	296	212	353	368
Personal services.....	44	39	4/39	68	4/16
Other household expenses.....	264	257	174	284	352
Housekeeping supplies.....	455	367	451	480	520
Laundry and cleaning supplies.....	107	113	98	109	108
Other household products.....	219	140	229	250	242
Postage and stationery.....	130	114	124	121	170
Household furnishings and equipment.....	918	840	943	898	1,004
Household textiles.....	93	123	75	86	92
Furniture.....	154	136	162	160	155
Floor coverings.....	117	4/44	67	194	4/130
Major appliances.....	133	130	113	134	159
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	74	56	66	81	90

Miscellaneous household equipment.....	348	351	460	243	378
Apparel and services.....	1,141	1,207	1,187	1,064	1,132
Men and boys.....	235	186	180	270	301
Men, 16 and over.....	203	151	150	253	245
Boys, 2 to 15.....	32	34	30	16	57
Women and girls.....	563	662	667	479	455
Women, 16 and over.....	532	624	635	455	421
Girls, 2 to 15.....	31	38	32	23	34
Children under 2.....	31	38	23	30	32
Footwear.....	163	158	171	167	155
Other apparel products and services.....	150	163	146	119	189
Transportation.....	3,922	3,369	3,638	4,056	4,701
Vehicle purchases (net outlay).....	1,554	1,137	1,524	1,815	1,644
Cars and trucks, new.....	973	639	740	1,379	991
Cars and trucks, used.....	575	484	779	431	653
Other vehicles.....	4/6	4/13	4/5	4/4	(5)
Gasoline and motor oil.....	749	625	672	787	927
Other vehicle expenses.....	1,328	1,286	1,175	1,247	1,701
Vehicle finance charges.....	123	104	138	131	111
Maintenance and repairs.....	505	420	424	540	648
Vehicle insurance.....	513	569	439	469	618
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, other charges.....	187	193	174	108	325
Public transportation.....	292	322	268	207	429
Health care.....	2,393	2,286	2,297	2,604	2,292
Health insurance.....	1,160	1,198	1,208	1,147	1,076
Medical services.....	622	547	546	761	579
Drugs.....	480	407	459	556	467
Medical supplies.....	131	134	84	141	169
Entertainment.....	883	870	715	793	1,261
Fees and admissions.....	255	254	210	218	373
Television, radios, sound equipment.....	311	314	265	297	388
Pets, toys, and playground equipment.....	177	214	137	156	218
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services.....	141	88	102	122	282
Personal care products and services.....	339	299	306	386	348
Reading.....	159	186	151	128	190
Education.....	60	74	46	57	67
Tobacco products and smoking supplies.....	202	212	195	206	192
Miscellaneous.....	595	606	428	601	785
Cash contributions.....	1,219	1,174	1,151	1,073	1,596
Personal insurance and pensions.....	1,037	1,070	857	1,089	1,144
Life and other personal insurance.....	329	304	228	461	270
Pensions and Social Security.....	708	766	630	628	873

Sources of income and personal taxes: 1/

Money income before taxes.....	22,954	23,588	20,879	21,265	27,473
Wages and salaries.....	5,996	7,697	4,205	5,431	7,215
Self-employment income.....	1,096	917	1,454	843	1,257
Social Security, private and government retirement.....	12,701	12,654	12,152	12,387	13,926
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income.....	2,659	1,932	2,613	2,191	4,256
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits.....	170	145	157	92	336
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps.....	185	135	175	222	193
Regular contributions for support.....	60	4/63	4/47	4/78	45
Other income.....	86	45	75	4/22	246
Personal taxes.....	1,462	1,290	1,314	1,158	2,316
Federal income taxes.....	1,052	847	904	891	1,713
State and local income taxes.....	225	233	226	106	401
Other taxes.....	186	210	185	161	201
Income after taxes.....	21,491	22,298	19,565	20,107	25,157
Addenda:					
Net change in total assets and liabilities....	-559	-798	-2,691	500	699
Net change in total assets.....	-126	-726	-2,626	1,208	1,564
Net change in total liabilities.....	432	72	65	708	866
Other financial information:					
Other money receipts.....	308	159	281	163	754
Mortgage principal paid on owned property...	-376	-367	-264	-275	-696
Estimated market value of owned home.....	80,262	94,108	50,775	63,517	129,262
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home	489	540	388	412	683
Gifts of goods and services.....	884	955	870	808	948
Food.....	68	76	57	58	91
Housing.....	239	256	239	204	279
Housekeeping supplies.....	41	29	57	34	45
Household textiles.....	11	4/8	4/9	4/9	4/20
Appliances and miscellaneous housewares...	36	25	32	42	42
Major appliances.....	6	4/5	5	8	4/6
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares.....	29	19	27	34	35
Miscellaneous household equipment.....	74	81	91	34	111
Other housing.....	78	114	51	84	60
Apparel and services.....	244	267	238	218	270
Males, 2 and over.....	72	57	79	75	76
Females, 2 and over.....	103	134	92	86	114
Children under 2.....	28	38	22	23	31
Other apparel products and services.....	41	39	45	35	51
Jewelry and watches.....	18	18	23	11	21
All other apparel products and services.	24	21	21	24	29
Transportation.....	52	34	44	75	46
Health care.....	53	4/10	96	67	4/24
Entertainment.....	68	85	63	54	76

Toys, games, hobbies, and tricycles.....	30		40		27		24		31
Other entertainment.....	38		45		36		31		44
Education.....	24		4/38		4/9		4/24		4/26
All other gifts.....	135		188		123		107		136

- 1/ Components of income and taxes are derived from "complete income reporters" only; see glossary.
- 2/ Value less than 0.05.
- 3/ Value less than 0.5.
- 4/ Data are likely to have large sampling errors.
- 5/ No data reported.