

Table 3860. Consumer units with reference person age 65 to 74 by region of residence: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 1993-94

Item	Total 65-74	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Number of consumer units (in thousands).....	11,986	2,766	3,251	3,884	2,085
Consumer unit characteristics:					
Income before taxes 1/.....	\$24,585	\$24,934	\$24,408	\$21,277	\$30,098
Income after taxes 1/.....	23,045	23,416	22,511	20,054	28,485
Age of reference person.....	69.4	69.8	69.5	69.2	69.4
Average number in consumer unit:					
Persons.....	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.9	1.9
Children under 18.....	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1
Persons 65 and over.....	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4
Earners.....	.6	.5	.7	.6	.6
Vehicles.....	1.7	1.3	1.8	1.7	2.1
Percent distribution:					
Sex of reference person:					
Male.....	60	60	60	58	63
Female.....	40	40	40	42	37
Housing tenure:					
Homeowner.....	81	77	81	85	78
With mortgage.....	20	18	16	22	26
Without mortgage.....	61	59	65	62	52
Renter.....	19	23	19	15	22
Race of reference person:					
Black.....	9	8	8	15	3
White and other.....	91	92	92	85	97
Education of reference person:					
Elementary (1-8).....	18	15	15	27	11
High school (9-12).....	50	60	52	43	43
College.....	32	25	33	29	45
Never attended and other.....	(2)	(3)	(3)	1	1
At least one vehicle owned.....	86	77	88	89	89
Average annual expenditures.....	\$24,379	\$25,840	\$23,058	\$23,221	\$26,657
Food.....	3,587	3,816	3,537	3,316	3,897
Food at home.....	2,453	2,653	2,291	2,391	2,555
Cereals and bakery products.....	392	425	393	368	397
Cereals and cereal products.....	131	130	125	135	135
Bakery products.....	261	296	269	234	261
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	652	726	608	656	616
Beef.....	191	195	198	189	182

Pork.....	148	143	152	165	115
Other meats.....	86	120	72	71	90
Poultry.....	113	119	96	115	124
Fish and seafood.....	84	120	60	83	73
Eggs.....	31	27	30	33	31
Dairy products.....	264	300	233	257	275
Fresh milk and cream.....	112	118	96	121	111
Other dairy products.....	152	182	137	137	164
Fruits and vegetables.....	444	504	393	422	484
Fresh fruits.....	147	187	131	122	169
Fresh vegetables.....	132	144	106	138	144
Processed fruits.....	94	102	96	85	97
Processed vegetables.....	71	71	60	78	74
Other food at home.....	701	698	664	687	784
Sugar and other sweets.....	102	105	100	97	114
Fats and oils.....	74	76	64	80	75
Miscellaneous foods.....	291	281	257	295	346
Nonalcoholic beverages.....	189	192	194	187	185
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips.....	44	44	49	28	63
Food away from home.....	1,134	1,164	1,246	926	1,342
Alcoholic beverages.....	207	223	181	197	242
Housing.....	7,664	8,900	7,058	6,925	8,323
Shelter.....	3,803	4,906	3,356	3,056	4,428
Owned dwellings.....	2,556	3,261	2,221	2,265	2,684
Mortgage interest and charges.....	606	661	395	505	1,049
Property taxes.....	1,087	1,621	1,031	859	892
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses.....	863	980	795	901	743
Rented dwellings.....	821	1,033	747	516	1,222
Other lodging.....	427	612	388	275	523
Utilities, fuels, and public services.....	2,093	2,220	1,998	2,166	1,936
Natural gas.....	308	335	444	207	248
Electricity.....	839	778	722	1,036	738
Fuel oil and other fuels.....	135	316	91	93	43
Telephone services.....	536	536	525	534	557
Water and other public services.....	274	255	215	296	350
Household operations.....	347	379	287	328	430
Personal services.....	36	4/44	4/41	4/35	4/22
Other household expenses.....	310	335	246	294	408
Housekeeping supplies.....	437	476	422	412	457
Laundry and cleaning supplies.....	97	100	96	87	114
Other household products.....	199	233	188	183	202
Postage and stationery.....	141	144	139	143	141
Household furnishings and equipment.....	985	919	996	962	1,072
Household textiles.....	93	111	78	93	84
Furniture.....	211	174	255	167	275
Floor coverings.....	59	49	90	4/40	4/55
Major appliances.....	148	98	186	133	183
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	79	98	50	73	110
Miscellaneous household equipment.....	395	388	336	456	365
Apparel and services.....	1,107	1,133	1,076	1,019	1,292

Men and boys.....	255	277	284	212	263
Men, 16 and over.....	223	251	245	185	227
Boys, 2 to 15.....	32	26	39	27	35
Women and girls.....	502	457	485	482	624
Women, 16 and over.....	464	416	447	446	583
Girls, 2 to 15.....	38	41	37	36	40
Children under 2.....	25	32	27	19	24
Footwear.....	159	153	155	147	195
Other apparel products and services.....	167	213	125	158	187
Transportation.....	3,974	3,611	4,099	3,962	4,287
Vehicle purchases (net outlay).....	1,485	1,093	1,811	1,664	1,166
Cars and trucks, new.....	790	690	930	876	4,543
Cars and trucks, used.....	695	403	880	788	623
Other vehicles.....	4/0	(3)	4/1	(3)	(3)
Gasoline and motor oil.....	745	638	694	781	900
Other vehicle expenses.....	1,401	1,452	1,322	1,282	1,683
Vehicle finance charges.....	100	75	108	106	108
Maintenance and repairs.....	493	498	470	449	608
Vehicle insurance.....	567	629	515	531	631
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, other charges.....	241	249	228	195	337
Public transportation.....	343	428	273	235	537
Health care.....	2,601	2,470	2,570	2,755	2,530
Health insurance.....	1,428	1,386	1,426	1,523	1,311
Medical services.....	547	561	507	507	665
Drugs.....	527	447	536	614	454
Medical supplies.....	98	76	101	110	100
Entertainment.....	1,126	1,121	964	987	1,639
Fees and admissions.....	335	372	270	276	495
Television, radios, sound equipment.....	374	397	286	363	499
Pets, toys, and playground equipment.....	202	263	161	182	226
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services.....	214	90	246	166	419
Personal care products and services.....	330	328	292	327	392
Reading.....	167	188	176	129	195
Education.....	167	294	61	191	117
Tobacco products and smoking supplies.....	170	139	162	194	180
Miscellaneous.....	611	506	621	673	618
Cash contributions.....	1,416	1,740	1,077	1,449	1,456
Personal insurance and pensions.....	1,252	1,370	1,185	1,097	1,490
Life and other personal insurance.....	436	548	490	437	201
Pensions and Social Security.....	816	823	695	660	1,289
Sources of income and personal taxes: 1/					
Money income before taxes.....	24,585	24,934	24,408	21,277	30,098
Wages and salaries.....	6,134	6,006	5,548	5,418	8,344
Self-employment income.....	1,621	788	2,490	1,106	2,297

Social Security, private and government retirement.....	13,851	15,088	13,863	12,275	15,044
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income.....	2,363	2,381	2,262	1,752	3,535
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits.....	235	196	45	332	382
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps.....	238	352	126	311	132
Regular contributions for support.....	71	4/26	4/33	4/71	4/179
Other income.....	72	4/97	40	4/14	185
Personal taxes.....	1,541	1,518	1,897	1,223	1,613
Federal income taxes.....	1,069	904	1,323	861	1,270
State and local income taxes.....	230	212	284	177	268
Other taxes.....	242	402	290	185	75
Income after taxes.....	23,045	23,416	22,511	20,054	28,485
Addenda:					
Net change in total assets and liabilities....	-17	2,105	786	-1,000	-2,257
Net change in total assets.....	1,262	2,776	866	1,147	83
Net change in total liabilities.....	1,279	671	79	2,147	2,340
Other financial information:					
Other money receipts.....	354	186	295	113	1,117
Mortgage principal paid on owned property...	-428	-536	-297	-356	-622
Estimated market value of owned home.....	86,569	100,180	63,517	65,734	143,267
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home	527	572	463	453	705
Gifts of goods and services.....	1,021	1,188	952	911	1,118
Food.....	47	52	45	43	51
Housing.....	223	272	212	204	211
Housekeeping supplies.....	40	53	49	28	32
Household textiles.....	14	4/31	4/6	4/11	4/5
Appliances and miscellaneous housewares...	36	50	21	28	54
Major appliances.....	9	7	9	4/6	4/15
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares.....	27	43	12	22	40
Miscellaneous household equipment.....	64	64	73	72	35
Other housing.....	69	74	62	64	84
Apparel and services.....	276	311	268	250	290
Males, 2 and over.....	83	85	80	83	85
Females, 2 and over.....	110	100	126	105	108
Children under 2.....	23	32	24	16	22
Other apparel products and services.....	60	94	39	45	75
Jewelry and watches.....	24	49	13	18	20
All other apparel products and services.	36	45	26	27	55
Transportation.....	58	26	33	85	88
Health care.....	41	4/31	96	4/22	4/7
Entertainment.....	92	122	65	77	124
Toys, games, hobbies, and tricycles.....	37	52	32	34	30
Other entertainment.....	55	69	33	42	94
Education.....	103	4/212	4/29	4/124	4/33
All other gifts.....	181	161	204	106	314

- 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.