

Table 3870. Consumer units with reference person age 75 and over by region of residence: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 1993-94

Item	Total 75 and over	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Number of consumer units (in thousands).....	9,695	2,210	2,432	3,350	1,703
Consumer unit characteristics:					
Income before taxes 1/.....	\$18,371	\$19,091	\$16,037	\$16,495	\$23,996
Income after taxes 1/.....	17,594	18,315	15,362	15,920	22,713
Age of reference person.....	81.1	81.1	80.9	81.3	81.1
Average number in consumer unit:					
Persons.....	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.6
Children under 18.....	(2)	(2)	(2)	.1	3/.1
Persons 65 and over.....	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4
Earners.....	.2	.2	.2	.2	.3
Vehicles.....	1.1	.8	1.1	1.0	1.5
Percent distribution:					
Sex of reference person:					
Male.....	45	41	47	46	49
Female.....	55	59	53	54	51
Housing tenure:					
Homeowner.....	77	70	77	79	81
With mortgage.....	6	4	3	7	10
Without mortgage.....	71	67	74	72	71
Renter.....	23	30	23	21	19
Race of reference person:					
Black.....	8	3	8	13	4
White and other.....	92	97	92	87	96
Education of reference person:					
Elementary (1-8).....	31	28	34	37	16
High school (9-12).....	45	52	46	40	44
College.....	24	20	19	22	40
Never attended and other.....	1	(4)	1	2	(4)
At least one vehicle owned.....	71	63	73	70	79
Average annual expenditures.....	\$18,804	\$20,262	\$16,941	\$16,860	\$23,427
Food.....	2,799	3,023	2,503	2,738	3,100
Food at home.....	2,079	2,335	1,831	2,108	2,103
Cereals and bakery products.....	344	393	324	313	367
Cereals and cereal products.....	120	125	111	116	137
Bakery products.....	223	268	213	197	230
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs.....	508	665	413	536	415

Beef.....	148	192	128	150	125
Pork.....	118	113	97	156	92
Other meats.....	74	111	62	69	58
Poultry.....	89	136	62	93	67
Fish and seafood.....	54	88	42	45	47
Eggs.....	24	26	21	23	26
Dairy products.....	237	258	197	270	213
Fresh milk and cream.....	105	102	93	130	83
Other dairy products.....	132	156	104	141	130
Fruits and vegetables.....	418	481	394	412	387
Fresh fruits.....	130	156	114	136	114
Fresh vegetables.....	122	156	98	112	132
Processed fruits.....	94	104	105	82	83
Processed vegetables.....	72	65	76	81	59
Other food at home.....	573	538	504	576	721
Sugar and other sweets.....	83	78	71	87	103
Fats and oils.....	72	68	57	85	79
Miscellaneous foods.....	240	206	220	230	332
Nonalcoholic beverages.....	154	163	134	152	173
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips.....	24	23	21	22	34
Food away from home.....	720	689	672	630	996
Alcoholic beverages.....	89	105	58	66	155
Housing.....	6,564	7,797	5,472	5,746	8,101
Shelter.....	3,316	4,334	2,494	2,620	4,537
Owned dwellings.....	1,876	2,498	1,404	1,326	2,822
Mortgage interest and charges.....	143	84	52	162	314
Property taxes.....	853	1,484	713	504	924
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses.....	879	931	640	660	1,584
Rented dwellings.....	1,198	1,498	951	1,130	1,296
Other lodging.....	242	338	140	164	418
Utilities, fuels, and public services.....	1,833	2,004	1,723	1,769	1,895
Natural gas.....	310	372	476	192	227
Electricity.....	682	618	548	806	710
Fuel oil and other fuels.....	149	340	91	111	61
Telephone services.....	443	451	419	428	497
Water and other public services.....	248	222	189	232	400
Household operations.....	543	683	321	556	656
Personal services.....	133	284	3/60	132	3/42
Other household expenses.....	410	399	261	423	614
Housekeeping supplies.....	342	310	373	280	443
Laundry and cleaning supplies.....	75	82	65	64	104
Other household products.....	158	133	203	133	162
Postage and stationery.....	109	95	105	83	177
Household furnishings and equipment.....	529	467	560	522	571
Household textiles.....	85	55	116	85	70
Furniture.....	79	72	88	74	87
Floor coverings.....	26	3/13	3/50	3/20	3/18
Major appliances.....	93	104	64	86	132
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	51	45	52	35	82
Miscellaneous household equipment.....	196	178	189	222	182

Apparel and services.....	633	662	542	617	767
Men and boys.....	123	110	132	100	165
Men, 16 and over.....	111	107	120	78	161
Boys, 2 to 15.....	11	3/2	3/12	22	3/4
Women and girls.....	283	296	260	300	277
Women, 16 and over.....	276	290	252	293	266
Girls, 2 to 15.....	7	5	3/8	3/6	10
Children under 2.....	10	13	9	11	6
Footwear.....	106	140	82	107	101
Other apparel products and services.....	111	104	59	99	219
Transportation.....	2,520	2,412	2,189	2,368	3,432
Vehicle purchases (net outlay).....	930	925	930	802	1,188
Cars and trucks, new.....	472	804	3/384	3/170	759
Cars and trucks, used.....	458	3/120	546	632	429
Gasoline and motor oil.....	424	318	398	458	529
Other vehicle expenses.....	872	784	722	849	1,251
Vehicle finance charges.....	23	21	18	28	23
Maintenance and repairs.....	323	285	267	314	470
Vehicle insurance.....	428	402	361	421	569
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, other charges.....	99	75	76	86	189
Public transportation.....	294	385	138	260	464
Health care.....	2,833	2,698	2,837	2,875	2,928
Health insurance.....	1,438	1,407	1,598	1,357	1,407
Medical services.....	712	765	504	726	908
Drugs.....	588	456	655	670	501
Medical supplies.....	96	69	79	122	112
Entertainment.....	617	585	583	491	956
Fees and admissions.....	206	186	157	138	439
Television, radios, sound equipment.....	241	266	231	206	293
Pets, toys, and playground equipment.....	104	77	83	105	170
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services.....	66	56	113	43	54
Personal care products and services.....	301	228	291	258	483
Reading.....	133	152	134	100	169
Education.....	41	62	22	28	64
Tobacco products and smoking supplies.....	78	67	66	78	109
Miscellaneous.....	445	404	460	357	652
Cash contributions.....	1,279	1,526	1,483	714	1,778
Personal insurance and pensions.....	474	539	301	424	734
Life and other personal insurance.....	226	172	158	338	170
Pensions and Social Security.....	248	367	143	87	564
Sources of income and personal taxes: 1/					
Money income before taxes.....	18,371	19,091	16,037	16,495	23,996
Wages and salaries.....	1,640	2,694	1,329	725	2,440
Self-employment income.....	497	3/308	275	3/215	1,536

Social Security, private and government retirement.....	13,402	13,933	12,646	12,212	15,933
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income.....	2,483	1,755	1,611	3,035	3,501
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits.....	73	3/95	3/50	3/15	182
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps.....	176	178	109	227	169
Regular contributions for support.....	59	3/32	3/1	3/51	183
Other income.....	41	3/95	3/17	3/16	3/50
Personal taxes.....	777	776	675	575	1,284
Federal income taxes.....	517	431	378	458	910
State and local income taxes.....	95	126	101	13	198
Other taxes.....	165	218	196	104	176
Income after taxes.....	17,594	18,315	15,362	15,920	22,713
Addenda:					
Net change in total assets and liabilities....	-111	-32	313	-1,312	1,547
Net change in total assets.....	209	484	297	-676	1,467
Net change in total liabilities.....	319	516	-16	636	-79
Other financial information:					
Other money receipts.....	590	229	223	114	2,519
Mortgage principal paid on owned property...	-136	-219	-76	-105	-174
Estimated market value of owned home.....	72,891	93,739	47,633	48,892	129,106
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home	476	519	375	388	738
Gifts of goods and services.....	675	930	632	536	665
Food.....	56	68	58	32	79
Housing.....	203	280	188	146	226
Housekeeping supplies.....	25	15	19	16	64
Household textiles.....	28	3/1	3/64	3/19	3/21
Appliances and miscellaneous housewares...	15	20	20	11	3/8
Major appliances.....	3	3/4	3/2	3/4	3/1
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares.....	12	15	3/18	7	3/7
Miscellaneous household equipment.....	33	45	35	33	3/17
Other housing.....	101	199	50	67	116
Apparel and services.....	82	91	60	72	120
Males, 2 and over.....	23	14	22	16	49
Females, 2 and over.....	28	39	17	38	15
Children under 2.....	10	13	8	11	6
Other apparel products and services.....	20	24	13	3/8	50
Jewelry and watches.....	16	3/17	3/8	3/6	3/47
All other apparel products and services.	4	3/8	3/5	3/1	3/3
Transportation.....	48	22	14	79	71
Health care.....	133	288	149	3/85	3/1
Entertainment.....	36	44	26	32	46
Toys, games, hobbies, and tricycles.....	14	21	11	11	14
Other entertainment.....	22	23	14	21	32
Education.....	21	3/47	3/6	3/16	3/20
All other gifts.....	96	89	130	74	102

- 1/ Components of income and taxes are derived from "complete income reporters" only; see glossary.
- 2/ Value less than 0.05.
- 3/ Data are likely to have large sampling errors.
- 4/ Value less than 0.5.