

Table 3860. Consumer units with reference person age 65 to 74 by region of residence: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2010-2011

Item	Total 65-74	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Number of consumer units (in thousands)	13,555	2,743	2,891	5,131	2,789
Consumer unit characteristics:					
Income before taxes	\$51,170	\$56,582	\$47,341	\$47,454	\$56,654
Income after taxes	49,927	54,800	46,365	46,614	54,922
Age of reference person	69.0	68.9	69.1	69.0	69.0
Average number in consumer unit:					
Persons	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.9
Children under 181	.1	(¹)	.1	.1
Persons 65 and older	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4
Earners6	.7	.7	.6	.6
Vehicles	1.9	1.6	2.1	1.9	2.1
Percent distribution:					
Sex of reference person:					
Male	47	43	45	46	54
Female	53	57	55	54	46
Housing tenure:					
Homeowner	83	79	87	85	77
With mortgage	30	27	29	30	34
Without mortgage	53	52	59	55	43
Renter	17	21	13	15	23
Race of reference person:					
Black or African-American	10	7	8	16	5
White, Asian, and all other races	90	93	92	84	95
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:					
Hispanic or Latino	8	8	2	8	12
Not Hispanic or Latino	92	92	98	92	88
Education of reference person:					
Elementary (1-8)	7	6	3	8	8
High school (9-12)	39	40	42	42	28
College	54	53	54	50	64
Never attended and other	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
At least one vehicle owned or leased	90	83	94	91	90
Average annual expenditures	\$43,113	\$48,929	\$40,446	\$39,031	\$47,589
Food	5,480	6,096	5,112	5,024	6,089
Food at home	3,405	3,663	3,288	3,137	3,773
Cereals and bakery products	461	520	445	434	470
Cereals and cereal products	139	163	138	126	142
Bakery products	322	357	307	308	328
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	724	777	670	692	785
Beef	194	185	187	186	224
Pork	158	154	158	174	131
Other meats	104	130	110	87	105
Poultry	113	130	94	107	125
Fish and seafood	110	129	82	95	149
Eggs	45	50	38	44	51
Dairy products	369	414	357	335	404
Fresh milk and cream	126	138	112	128	123
Other dairy products	244	276	245	207	281
Fruits and vegetables	667	748	660	573	773
Fresh fruits	234	265	229	193	286
Fresh vegetables	213	244	193	179	266
Processed fruits	105	133	109	90	102
Processed vegetables	115	107	129	110	119

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Item	Total 65-74	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Other food at home	\$1,184	\$1,204	\$1,156	\$1,103	\$1,341
Sugar and other sweets	137	139	140	122	161
Fats and oils	104	112	96	104	104
Miscellaneous foods	585	579	587	535	681
Nonalcoholic beverages	295	322	264	291	307
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips	63	52	70	51	88
Food away from home	2,075	2,433	1,824	1,888	2,317
Alcoholic beverages	407	535	376	334	452
Housing	14,793	17,528	13,126	12,603	17,853
Shelter	7,910	9,957	6,769	5,961	10,665
Owned dwellings	5,806	7,048	5,177	4,558	7,532
Mortgage interest and charges	1,950	1,537	1,221	1,682	3,606
Property taxes	2,186	3,486	2,310	1,472	2,093
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses	1,669	2,025	1,646	1,403	1,833
Rented dwellings	1,254	1,759	818	790	2,063
Other lodging	851	1,150	774	614	1,071
Utilities, fuels, and public services	3,716	4,030	3,474	3,781	3,536
Natural gas	444	639	632	253	410
Electricity	1,491	1,338	1,297	1,813	1,247
Fuel oil and other fuels	211	579	132	107	125
Telephone services	1,032	1,019	953	1,080	1,037
Water and other public services	538	456	460	528	717
Household operations	921	1,089	838	780	1,104
Personal services	91	³ 103	³ 168	³ 47	³ 81
Other household expenses	830	986	669	733	1,024
Housekeeping supplies	728	705	725	714	778
Laundry and cleaning supplies	148	126	182	137	157
Other household products	410	396	380	422	429
Postage and stationery	171	183	164	156	193
Household furnishings and equipment	1,518	1,747	1,320	1,367	1,769
Household textiles	149	184	143	116	180
Furniture	288	310	291	244	342
Floor coverings	25	51	10	19	28
Major appliances	198	205	186	200	201
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	121	170	128	75	155
Miscellaneous household equipment	737	826	561	713	863
Apparel and services	1,190	1,455	875	1,085	1,433
Men and boys	258	379	188	213	293
Men, 16 and over	230	348	152	187	270
Boys, 2 to 15	28	31	36	26	23
Women and girls	519	611	379	494	612
Women, 16 and over	463	535	324	463	527
Girls, 2 to 15	56	76	55	31	85
Children under 2	25	30	25	27	18
Footwear	176	213	79	193	200
Other apparel products and services	212	222	205	158	310
Transportation	6,540	6,603	6,770	6,411	6,452
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	1,752	1,985	2,087	1,689	1,291
Cars and trucks, new	964	1,191	1,156	1,009	457
Cars and trucks, used	761	678	931	670	832
Other vehicles	327	³ 116	(⁴)	³ 10	³ 2
Gasoline and motor oil	2,001	1,766	2,061	2,034	2,107

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Item	Total 65-74	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Other vehicle expenses	\$2,273	\$2,270	\$2,047	\$2,340	\$2,362
Vehicle finance charges	149	159	141	151	143
Maintenance and repairs	762	722	682	658	1,070
Vehicle insurance	965	878	847	1,216	687
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges	398	511	377	315	462
Public and other transportation	514	582	575	347	692
Health care	4,982	5,255	5,389	4,519	5,138
Health insurance	3,144	3,126	3,566	2,885	3,199
Medical services	872	1,124	778	722	997
Drugs	794	843	809	750	806
Medical supplies	172	162	236	161	136
Entertainment	2,426	2,392	2,183	2,354	2,824
Fees and admissions	512	560	467	351	806
Audio and visual equipment and services	885	922	827	899	882
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment	663	501	600	748	724
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services	366	410	288	356	411
Personal care products and services	590	630	526	562	665
Reading	156	177	167	116	196
Education	251	299	300	176	293
Tobacco products and smoking supplies	293	319	288	298	263
Miscellaneous	792	896	511	832	905
Cash contributions	2,406	3,097	2,266	2,226	2,203
Personal insurance and pensions	2,808	3,647	2,558	2,492	2,823
Life and other personal insurance	373	413	366	317	445
Pensions and Social Security	2,435	3,235	2,193	2,175	2,378
Sources of income and personal taxes:					
Money income before taxes	51,170	56,582	47,341	47,454	56,654
Wages and salaries	19,343	23,848	16,090	17,671	21,359
Self-employment income	2,301	2,206	1,995	2,009	3,249
Social Security, private and government retirement	25,749	26,186	26,355	24,624	26,758
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income	2,726	3,083	2,116	2,225	3,930
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits	358	494	307	234	505
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps	311	344	279	326	286
Regular contributions for support	248	³ 217	³ 117	229	449
Other income	134	204	³ 82	135	117
Personal taxes (missing values not imputed)	1,243	1,782	976	840	1,732
Federal income taxes	850	1,197	588	468	1,482
State and local income taxes	151	263	225	73	105
Other taxes	242	322	162	298	145
Income after taxes	49,927	54,800	46,365	46,614	54,922

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Item	Total 65-74	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Addenda:					
Net change in total assets and liabilities	\$9,833	- \$599	\$1,807	\$2,519	\$41,870
Net change in total assets	13,752	3,019	4,026	3,856	52,597
Net change in total liabilities	3,919	3,618	2,219	1,337	10,727
Other financial information:					
Other money receipts	686	542	648	818	624
Mortgage principal paid on owned property	-1,718	-2,028	-1,251	-1,542	-2,222
Estimated market value of owned home	198,165	237,820	159,826	161,104	267,085
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home	1,029	1,184	887	927	1,213
Gifts of goods and services	1,129	1,560	1,140	735	1,425
Food	66	101	88	38	63
Alcoholic beverages	25	20	31	28	19
Housing	263	264	250	194	405
Housekeeping supplies	34	35	40	19	56
Household textiles	19	32	23	³ 13	16
Appliances and miscellaneous housewares	32	28	42	14	59
Major appliances	9	³ 12	³ 2	6	17
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares	23	16	40	³ 8	³ 42
Miscellaneous household equipment	76	98	32	59	127
Other housing	103	71	112	90	147
Apparel and services	222	356	212	162	213
Males, 2 and over	64	140	43	49	40
Females, 2 and over	100	135	118	58	128
Children under 2	24	29	24	26	16
Other apparel products and services	33	53	27	29	29
Jewelry and watches	14	17	13	14	13
All other apparel products and services	19	36	³ 13	³ 15	³ 16
Transportation	124	79	153	106	171
Health care	41	³ 109	³ 19	³ 3	68
Entertainment	110	158	76	73	165
Toys, games, arts and crafts, and tricycles	35	³ 58	³ 27	³ 24	³ 42
Other entertainment	75	100	49	49	123
Personal care products and services	21	29	10	19	26
Reading	2	2	3	1	3
Education	83	156	83	33	100
All other gifts	172	285	214	76	192

- ¹ Value is less than or equal to 0.05.
² Value is less than or equal to 0.5.
³ Data are likely to have large sampling errors.
⁴ No data reported.

Source: Consumer Expenditure Survey, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, September, 2012