

Table 31. Northeastern region by income before taxes: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2010-2011

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Number of consumer units (in thousands)	22,382	892	917	1,351	1,342	2,463	2,224	1,895	3,073	8,225
Consumer unit characteristics:										
Income before taxes	\$70,083	-\$1,559	\$8,286	\$12,812	\$17,763	\$25,076	\$34,728	\$44,887	\$59,560	\$135,457
Income after taxes	67,762	-688	8,591	12,833	17,973	25,179	34,600	44,175	58,449	129,559
Age of reference person	50.7	41.9	49.1	58.3	60.1	56.0	50.4	49.8	49.6	48.1
Average number in consumer unit:										
Persons	2.4	1.5	1.8	1.5	1.7	2.0	2.2	2.4	2.6	3.0
Children under 186	.3	.5	.3	.4	.4	.5	.5	.6	.8
Persons 65 and older4	.2	.3	.5	.6	.6	.4	.4	.3	.2
Earners	1.3	.4	.4	.3	.5	.7	1.0	1.3	1.4	2.0
Vehicles	1.6	.5	.5	.6	.9	1.1	1.3	1.7	1.9	2.3
Percent distribution:										
Sex of reference person:										
Male	44	37	35	30	34	37	42	54	48	50
Female	56	63	65	70	66	63	58	46	52	50
Housing tenure:										
Homeowner	63	21	25	36	49	52	54	59	68	84
With mortgage	39	5	6	6	9	17	26	34	43	65
Without mortgage	25	16	19	30	41	35	28	25	25	19
Renter	37	79	75	64	51	48	46	41	32	16
Race of reference person:										
Black or African-American	11	19	20	18	12	12	13	9	12	7
White, Asian, and all other races	89	81	80	82	88	88	87	91	88	93
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:										
Hispanic or Latino	10	12	18	14	12	11	12	13	9	7
Not Hispanic or Latino	90	88	82	86	88	89	88	87	91	93
Education of reference person:										
Elementary (1-8)	4	4	10	7	10	6	4	4	2	1
High school (9-12)	36	36	50	58	54	52	43	42	36	20
College	60	60	40	35	36	42	53	53	62	79
Never attended and other	(¹)	(¹)	1	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(²)	(¹)	(¹)
At least one vehicle owned or leased	79	35	40	45	66	74	80	85	87	94
Average annual expenditures	\$53,695	\$24,332	\$19,686	\$19,700	\$25,688	\$31,326	\$37,723	\$42,232	\$50,773	\$85,927
Food	6,777	3,937	3,745	3,318	3,637	4,204	5,072	5,519	6,410	10,326
Food at home	4,005	2,259	2,630	2,467	2,649	2,833	3,081	3,565	4,066	5,575
Cereals and bakery products	584	366	364	387	405	431	457	513	596	795
Cereals and cereal products	195	114	149	124	150	152	168	160	210	253
Bakery products	389	252	215	263	255	279	290	353	386	543
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	871	484	634	535	565	613	758	794	914	1,169
Beef	216	109	121	118	139	149	199	224	228	288
Pork	150	77	107	102	111	121	132	138	160	191
Other meats	143	89	141	79	95	96	99	142	144	197
Poultry	164	96	109	118	109	107	142	127	166	228
Fish and seafood	147	67	117	81	67	104	139	119	166	201
Eggs	51	46	40	36	44	37	47	45	51	65
Dairy products	438	255	246	253	292	308	311	412	437	623
Fresh milk and cream	153	108	90	103	107	108	122	145	154	207
Other dairy products	285	147	156	151	185	200	189	267	283	416
Fruits and vegetables	782	446	463	470	526	577	561	656	798	1,107
Fresh fruits	267	145	156	164	176	212	179	193	262	389
Fresh vegetables	247	135	140	138	166	169	175	207	251	358
Processed fruits	131	90	74	74	90	88	100	135	140	177
Processed vegetables	137	76	93	95	93	108	107	121	145	183

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Other food at home	\$1,329	\$709	\$923	\$821	\$861	\$904	\$994	\$1,190	\$1,320	\$1,880
Sugar and other sweets	141	80	100	98	95	89	99	139	149	192
Fats and oils	114	83	81	68	101	82	91	100	114	151
Miscellaneous foods	663	348	464	414	444	450	471	608	653	942
Nonalcoholic beverages	362	186	272	233	210	257	289	316	365	504
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips	50	³ 12	³ 6	³ 7	³ 10	26	44	26	39	91
Food away from home	2,772	1,678	1,114	851	988	1,371	1,991	1,954	2,344	4,750
Alcoholic beverages	509	282	224	194	116	226	346	358	452	885
Housing	19,293	8,620	7,925	8,677	10,919	12,824	14,866	15,576	19,090	28,934
Shelter	11,903	5,942	5,027	5,616	6,735	7,919	9,396	9,585	11,699	17,674
Owned dwellings	7,536	1,068	1,170	1,589	2,789	3,390	4,494	4,962	7,108	13,516
Mortgage interest and charges	3,273	³ 174	³ 296	241	514	949	1,391	1,876	2,923	6,546
Property taxes	2,920	706	532	901	1,457	1,585	1,954	2,111	2,651	4,944
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses	1,343	188	343	447	819	856	1,148	974	1,534	2,025
Rented dwellings	3,601	4,530	3,803	3,778	3,854	4,191	4,581	4,265	3,984	2,670
Other lodging	766	³ 343	³ 54	248	³ 92	338	321	358	607	1,488
Utilities, fuels, and public services	4,041	1,642	1,862	2,086	2,794	3,136	3,390	3,759	4,222	5,513
Natural gas	610	249	236	297	464	474	538	604	608	828
Electricity	1,326	574	616	671	922	1,022	1,149	1,251	1,410	1,785
Fuel oil and other fuels	456	³ 120	³ 204	241	391	426	271	386	431	651
Telephone services	1,262	553	648	670	790	930	1,108	1,206	1,370	1,695
Water and other public services	387	145	159	207	227	285	324	312	402	553
Household operations	1,192	288	330	301	488	586	778	696	957	2,143
Personal services	430	³ 36	³ 115	³ 7	³ 67	126	200	180	269	908
Other household expenses	762	252	215	294	421	461	578	516	688	1,235
Housekeeping supplies	630	286	255	293	362	389	362	464	547	1,042
Laundry and cleaning supplies	136	98	80	95	98	106	87	110	133	193
Other household products	361	138	113	150	188	196	205	270	304	623
Postage and stationery	132	50	62	48	75	87	70	84	110	226
Household furnishings and equipment	1,527	463	452	380	540	793	940	1,071	1,666	2,563
Household textiles	105	11	45	34	77	41	64	135	77	173
Furniture	353	91	119	157	123	235	228	210	345	583
Floor coverings	43	³ 6	³ 10	³ 4	³ 5	13	13	12	32	91
Major appliances	190	35	43	42	85	105	159	122	267	287
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	105	27	44	32	45	67	78	54	86	184
Miscellaneous household equipment	730	292	190	112	204	332	398	538	858	1,246
Apparel and services	1,996	944	1,056	665	843	1,077	1,628	1,365	1,584	3,358
Men and boys	468	153	161	56	230	189	405	367	333	834
Men, 16 and over	377	112	³ 101	45	185	121	337	299	265	684
Boys, 2 to 15	91	41	59	11	45	68	68	68	69	151
Women and girls	740	367	436	266	246	406	681	484	693	1,188
Women, 16 and over	620	307	385	234	195	330	612	411	605	974
Girls, 2 to 15	120	59	51	32	51	76	69	73	89	214
Children under 2	83	³ 30	105	47	86	48	34	43	84	125
Footwear	332	³ 147	³ 222	177	151	275	275	296	268	495
Other apparel products and services	373	247	131	120	131	159	233	175	206	717
Transportation	8,097	2,751	2,832	1,834	3,953	4,325	5,769	7,253	8,486	12,804
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	2,515	³ 657	³ 870	³ 161	1,562	1,118	1,723	2,345	2,622	4,074
Cars and trucks, new	1,371	³ 614	(²)	³ 55	³ 1,049	³ 337	³ 820	1,495	1,031	2,432
Cars and trucks, used	1,073	³ 17	870	³ 106	514	781	833	760	1,546	1,508
Other vehicles	71	³ 26	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	³ 69	³ 90	³ 45	134
Gasoline and motor oil	2,209	693	711	647	962	1,442	1,678	2,229	2,357	3,313

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Other vehicle expenses	\$2,651	\$1,133	\$988	\$811	\$1,159	\$1,445	\$1,899	\$2,166	\$2,938	\$4,142
Vehicle finance charges	200	³ 17	³ 27	42	48	67	150	223	236	325
Maintenance and repairs	824	217	264	245	426	435	572	783	846	1,301
Vehicle insurance	1,001	³ 751	³ 584	³ 437	³ 519	³ 630	826	722	1,287	1,386
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges	626	148	113	87	166	314	350	439	569	1,130
Public and other transportation	722	269	263	215	269	320	470	512	569	1,274
Health care	3,247	1,117	1,160	1,558	2,115	2,826	2,828	3,227	3,369	4,376
Health insurance	1,977	570	573	937	1,406	1,675	1,869	1,994	2,095	2,622
Medical services	710	272	426	324	276	579	462	625	706	1,050
Drugs	436	216	121	232	361	497	395	505	431	522
Medical supplies	125	59	40	65	72	74	102	104	138	181
Entertainment	2,677	915	839	1,052	1,176	1,471	1,826	1,932	2,626	4,384
Fees and admissions	688	196	122	129	195	175	346	417	507	1,355
Audio and visual equipment and services	1,022	475	516	619	709	768	888	915	1,094	1,369
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment	590	181	175	264	202	350	482	395	550	969
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services	377	³ 62	³ 26	³ 40	70	178	110	205	476	691
Personal care products and services	615	252	305	257	367	376	413	482	550	979
Reading	127	47	32	53	81	95	102	92	128	190
Education	1,619	3,375	292	535	216	684	423	527	1,019	3,065
Tobacco products and smoking supplies	368	307	244	345	370	369	359	476	445	340
Miscellaneous	884	898	386	470	312	553	752	800	819	1,284
Cash contributions	1,627	716	395	455	994	784	1,085	1,319	1,284	2,758
Personal insurance and pensions	5,859	171	251	290	589	1,510	2,255	3,304	4,511	12,244
Life and other personal insurance	378	³ 70	³ 44	57	105	457	170	246	243	660
Pensions and Social Security	5,481	101	207	232	485	1,053	2,085	3,058	4,268	11,584
Sources of income and personal taxes:										
Money income before taxes	70,083	-1,559	8,286	12,812	17,763	25,076	34,728	44,887	59,560	135,457
Wages and salaries	56,224	1,594	2,184	2,560	4,783	11,211	21,946	31,638	44,906	118,020
Self-employment income	2,577	³ -5,134	³ 166	³ 167	³ 494	489	1,038	1,582	1,474	6,099
Social Security, private and government retirement	7,861	690	3,063	6,790	9,896	10,133	9,069	9,022	9,680	7,063
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income	1,381	70	-17	145	215	444	692	706	1,286	2,731
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits	815	³ 117	³ 192	³ 415	448	1,196	730	1,036	1,207	798
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps	578	417	1,655	1,907	1,388	947	711	484	297	106
Regular contributions for support	397	175	455	335	³ 268	314	297	257	496	492
Other income	250	512	587	493	³ 272	341	244	³ 164	214	148
Personal taxes (missing values not imputed)	2,320	-871	-305	-21	-211	-104	128	712	1,110	5,898
Federal income taxes	1,444	-880	-328	-84	-278	-239	-139	363	512	3,956
State and local income taxes	676	-45	-19	-4	3	36	172	255	433	1,569
Other taxes	200	³ 53	³ 42	67	64	99	95	93	165	374
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Addenda:										
Net change in total assets and liabilities	-\$4,167	-\$3,811	\$1,098	-\$975	\$790	\$1,094	-\$1,078	-\$594	-\$9,080	-\$7,525
Net change in total assets	4,203	-377	619	-1,388	-32	2,841	-154	778	1,606	10,054
Net change in total liabilities	8,370	3,434	-479	-413	-822	1,746	924	1,372	10,685	17,579
Other financial information:										
Other money receipts	762	³ 7,962	³ 11	³ 337	³ 111	260	473	186	436	723
Mortgage principal paid on owned property	-2,255	³ -225	³ -249	-170	-314	-654	-1,167	-1,294	-1,792	-4,526
Estimated market value of owned home	187,491	46,096	42,296	68,190	98,388	108,830	126,433	124,372	166,349	315,649
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home	1,005	247	262	399	567	620	695	732	936	1,630
Gifts of goods and services	1,288	967	574	335	210	461	736	591	1,012	2,414
Food	106	³ 118	³ 19	40	12	33	79	56	49	206
Alcoholic beverages	19	(²)	³ 3	(¹)	³ 2	³ 6	³ 3	³ 7	14	43
Housing	209	161	92	56	80	89	138	146	200	352
Housekeeping supplies	26	³ 2	³ 10	³ 4	³ 16	³ 12	11	20	20	49
Household textiles	12	(²)	(¹)	³ 2	³ 12	³ 1	³ 16	³ 1	³ 5	25
Appliances and miscellaneous housewares	20	³ 1	³ 5	³ 4	³ 9	³ 6	³ 19	³ 17	23	32
Major appliances	6	(²)	(²)	(²)	³ 3	³ 2	³ 6	³ 9	12	8
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares	13	³ 1	³ 5	³ 4	³ 6	³ 4	³ 13	³ 9	³ 11	24
Miscellaneous household equipment	58	³ 46	³ 9	12	13	19	28	33	51	111
Other housing	93	111	68	³ 34	³ 29	51	63	75	102	135
Apparel and services	261	69	138	92	97	141	285	202	200	423
Males, 2 and over	74	³ 17	³ 36	³ 5	28	40	46	57	47	138
Females, 2 and over	99	³ 30	³ 56	³ 48	³ 24	49	152	79	86	142
Children under 2	38	³ 15	³ 25	³ 26	³ 16	22	18	26	36	63
Other apparel products and services	50	³ 7	³ 21	³ 13	³ 29	³ 29	³ 69	³ 40	³ 1	80
Jewelry and watches	24	³ 7	³ 4	³ 8	³ 12	³ 3	³ 34	³ 9	³ 12	45
All other apparel products and services	26	(²)	³ 17	³ 5	³ 17	³ 27	³ 35	³ 31	³ 19	35
Transportation	78	³ 3	³ 1	13	9	18	45	32	84	152
Health care	27	(²)	³ 288	³ 1	³ -38	³ 14	³ 12	³ 7	³ 12	33
Entertainment	129	³ 26	³ 19	³ 58	³ 17	56	58	79	154	229
Toys, games, arts and crafts, and tricycles	39	³ 7	³ 13	³ 15	³ 2	³ 28	³ 6	³ 22	³ 22	80
Other entertainment	90	³ 19	³ 6	³ 42	14	27	52	57	132	148
Personal care products and services	17	³ 2	(²)	³ 7	(²)	11	³ 4	³ 6	³ 8	36
Reading	2	(¹)	(¹)	³ 1	³ 2	³ 1	³ 1	³ 3	³ 2	3
Education	365	³ 543	³ 6	344	³ 2	³ 72	³ 14	³ 28	144	841
All other gifts	74	³ 44	³ 8	23	27	22	98	24	145	95

¹ Value is less than or equal to 0.5.

² No data reported.

³ Data are likely to have large sampling errors.

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