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Number of consumer units (in thousands) .....	27,588	1,002	1,031	1,657	1,722	3,303	2,808	2,459	3,891	9,715
Consumer unit characteristics:										
Income before taxes .....	\$67,707	- \$4,132	\$7,765	\$12,642	\$17,588	\$24,920	\$34,828	\$44,685	\$59,281	\$133,001
Income after taxes .....	65,206	-4,501	8,020	12,791	17,926	25,259	34,546	44,356	58,329	126,255
Age of reference person .....	48.5	45.3	45.6	53.3	52.9	50.9	48.4	48.5	46.9	47.5
Average number in consumer unit:										
Persons .....	2.6	1.9	1.9	1.7	2.1	2.3	2.5	2.7	2.9	3.0
Children under 18 .....	.7	.5	.5	.4	.5	.6	.7	.7	.8	.8
Persons 65 and older .....	.3	.3	.3	.4	.5	.4	.4	.3	.3	.2
Earners .....	1.3	.5	.6	.5	.6	.9	1.2	1.3	1.5	1.9
Vehicles .....	2.0	1.1	.9	1.0	1.2	1.4	1.7	1.9	2.2	2.7
Percent distribution:										
Sex of reference person:										
Male .....	50	49	49	41	39	48	45	48	54	56
Female .....	50	51	51	59	61	52	55	52	46	44
Housing tenure:										
Homeowner .....	59	34	25	34	42	42	53	55	63	80
With mortgage .....	41	18	8	13	14	17	32	35	47	65
Without mortgage .....	19	16	17	21	28	25	21	20	16	15
Renter .....	41	66	75	66	58	58	47	45	37	20
Race of reference person:										
Black or African-American .....	5	13	7	8	5	5	3	6	5	3
White, Asian, and all other races .....	95	87	93	92	95	95	97	94	95	97
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:										
Hispanic or Latino .....	20	18	21	22	23	27	26	25	21	12
Not Hispanic or Latino .....	80	82	79	78	77	73	74	75	79	88
Education of reference person:										
Elementary (1-8) .....	5	6	7	8	11	9	8	5	4	2
High school (9-12) .....	28	35	38	35	37	39	31	32	30	16
College .....	67	57	55	55	51	52	61	63	66	82
Never attended and other .....	( <sup>1</sup> )	2	( <sup>1</sup> )	1	1	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )
At least one vehicle owned or leased .....	89	62	64	72	78	86	89	94	95	98
Average annual expenditures .....	\$54,112	\$28,126	\$21,774	\$22,805	\$27,055	\$30,496	\$39,410	\$41,519	\$53,655	\$85,743
Food .....	6,997	4,173	3,783	3,613	4,436	4,345	5,990	5,513	7,039	10,103
Food at home .....	4,042	2,727	2,482	2,511	2,913	2,834	3,773	3,279	4,038	5,432
Cereals and bakery products .....	536	333	347	329	409	371	482	418	515	739
Cereals and cereal products .....	185	109	107	112	147	131	159	139	182	257
Bakery products .....	351	224	240	217	261	241	323	279	333	482
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	847	568	522	562	653	591	796	693	871	1,113
Beef .....	246	158	134	153	176	172	205	204	321	306
Pork .....	146	109	113	94	107	112	148	137	133	185
Other meats .....	109	63	66	68	78	70	107	83	109	150
Poultry .....	153	111	89	112	129	109	157	117	135	205
Fish and seafood .....	138	77	92	87	112	84	124	110	117	198
Eggs .....	56	51	28	49	50	46	55	42	55	69
Dairy products .....	428	311	290	242	272	309	382	339	448	575
Fresh milk and cream .....	159	123	113	102	117	129	144	123	161	205
Other dairy products .....	269	189	177	140	155	180	237	215	287	371
Fruits and vegetables .....	802	522	496	526	568	539	816	635	768	1,083
Fresh fruits .....	291	183	209	169	185	188	304	234	260	405
Fresh vegetables .....	263	168	150	179	198	183	272	198	258	350
Processed fruits .....	126	81	71	81	87	91	121	97	132	167
Processed vegetables .....	122	90	66	97	98	77	118	106	118	161

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Other food at home .....	\$1,429	\$992	\$828	\$852	\$1,011	\$1,023	\$1,297	\$1,194	\$1,437	\$1,923
Sugar and other sweets .....	154	96	88	69	119	110	132	110	157	215
Fats and oils .....	110	85	84	73	102	80	108	101	104	137
Miscellaneous foods .....	749	547	423	466	507	522	675	634	723	1,024
Nonalcoholic beverages .....	357	243	212	228	258	289	350	323	379	440
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips .....	60	<sup>3</sup> 21	<sup>3</sup> 21	<sup>3</sup> 15	25	22	33	25	74	106
Food away from home .....	2,955	1,446	1,300	1,102	1,523	1,511	2,217	2,234	3,001	4,670
Alcoholic beverages .....	553	239	283	113	193	180	401	393	475	988
Housing .....	19,208	11,637	9,188	10,104	10,931	12,259	14,556	16,447	19,038	28,516
Shelter .....	12,215	7,433	6,236	6,713	6,817	7,723	9,228	10,588	12,076	18,095
Owned dwellings .....	7,235	3,393	1,433	1,892	2,070	2,634	4,211	5,089	7,039	13,133
Mortgage interest and charges .....	4,531	2,258	700	925	928	1,231	2,278	2,985	4,620	8,554
Property taxes .....	1,640	764	391	477	633	765	1,041	1,323	1,458	2,863
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses .....	1,064	371	342	489	509	639	891	780	961	1,715
Rented dwellings .....	4,212	3,532	4,604	4,693	4,594	4,840	4,640	5,061	4,510	3,421
Other lodging .....	768	509	199	128	153	249	378	438	527	1,541
Utilities, fuels, and public services .....	3,360	2,139	1,558	1,843	2,331	2,516	2,958	3,237	3,604	4,453
Natural gas .....	396	216	156	197	282	271	332	376	412	555
Electricity .....	1,129	868	609	733	836	916	993	1,105	1,166	1,434
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	63	<sup>3</sup> 43	<sup>3</sup> 27	<sup>3</sup> 14	<sup>3</sup> 28	38	46	<sup>3</sup> 51	95	86
Telephone services .....	1,158	667	551	621	789	886	1,098	1,163	1,278	1,492
Water and other public services .....	613	345	214	279	397	406	489	542	654	886
Household operations .....	1,327	989	442	518	723	818	783	953	1,008	2,253
Personal services .....	502	<sup>3</sup> 545	<sup>3</sup> 199	<sup>3</sup> 163	273	329	200	301	278	914
Other household expenses .....	825	444	243	355	450	489	582	653	730	1,339
Housekeeping supplies .....	633	384	356	359	362	438	420	574	642	913
Laundry and cleaning supplies .....	149	143	60	113	129	120	104	132	172	184
Other household products .....	333	138	162	145	172	219	221	324	279	519
Postage and stationery .....	152	103	134	101	62	99	95	118	190	209
Household furnishings and equipment .....	1,673	692	596	671	696	764	1,166	1,094	1,708	2,803
Household textiles .....	137	112	56	44	111	34	103	92	118	232
Furniture .....	362	183	216	109	137	164	227	214	355	625
Floor coverings .....	23	<sup>3</sup> 1	<sup>3</sup> 2	<sup>3</sup> 4	<sup>3</sup> 10	6	8	24	38	38
Major appliances .....	222	55	31	96	108	58	113	135	224	410
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares .....	118	126	45	70	46	95	86	58	128	174
Miscellaneous household equipment .....	811	214	246	349	285	408	630	571	844	1,324
Apparel and services .....	1,928	1,182	1,003	892	1,158	1,077	1,393	1,371	2,147	2,882
Men and boys .....	452	256	216	160	305	179	320	345	525	693
Men, 16 and over .....	357	208	123	114	230	127	240	249	431	562
Boys, 2 to 15 .....	95	49	93	46	75	52	80	95	94	131
Women and girls .....	771	323	505	396	339	373	541	527	902	1,179
Women, 16 and over .....	646	259	383	342	293	264	457	447	768	999
Girls, 2 to 15 .....	125	<sup>3</sup> 64	<sup>3</sup> 122	54	46	109	83	80	134	180
Children under 2 .....	83	<sup>3</sup> 20	<sup>3</sup> 26	<sup>3</sup> 25	30	56	80	98	98	112
Footwear .....	351	<sup>3</sup> 437	<sup>3</sup> 116	180	254	311	287	248	388	454
Other apparel products and services .....	272	145	140	131	229	158	165	153	234	445
Transportation .....	8,303	3,759	2,293	2,908	4,037	4,590	6,477	6,197	8,578	13,265
Vehicle purchases (net outlay) .....	2,584	<sup>3</sup> 1,111	<sup>3</sup> 65	<sup>3</sup> 524	993	1,331	1,807	1,410	2,374	4,667
Cars and trucks, new .....	1,155	<sup>3</sup> 719	( <sup>2</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 50	<sup>3</sup> 172	<sup>3</sup> 431	<sup>3</sup> 565	<sup>3</sup> 308	740	2,484
Cars and trucks, used .....	1,382	392	<sup>3</sup> 35	475	820	900	1,123	1,075	1,588	2,115
Other vehicles .....	46	( <sup>2</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 30	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 119	<sup>3</sup> 28	<sup>3</sup> 46	68
Gasoline and motor oil .....	2,379	1,100	1,121	1,157	1,323	1,655	2,097	2,203	2,735	3,269

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Other vehicle expenses .....	\$2,668	\$1,255	\$910	\$1,027	\$1,497	\$1,375	\$2,145	\$2,139	\$2,931	\$4,072
Vehicle finance charges .....	229	71	<sup>3</sup> 16	32	68	107	164	186	261	388
Maintenance and repairs .....	922	402	460	411	577	515	664	746	941	1,425
Vehicle insurance .....	1,016	<sup>3</sup> 587	<sup>3</sup> 277	<sup>3</sup> 416	<sup>3</sup> 618	531	946	834	1,259	1,410
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges .....	501	195	158	168	234	221	373	373	471	849
Public and other transportation .....	673	292	196	201	224	229	427	445	539	1,257
Health care .....	3,240	1,795	654	1,506	1,877	2,371	2,711	2,873	3,509	4,633
Health insurance .....	1,803	995	584	797	1,064	1,400	1,538	1,730	1,965	2,485
Medical services .....	817	464	-216	326	335	495	627	650	941	1,290
Drugs .....	488	285	237	313	422	379	411	389	501	654
Medical supplies .....	132	51	<sup>3</sup> 49	69	56	98	134	103	103	203
Entertainment .....	2,771	1,294	862	958	1,101	1,423	1,681	1,846	3,020	4,630
Fees and admissions .....	723	298	164	143	147	191	369	390	547	1,466
Audio and visual equipment and services .....	965	499	406	474	627	673	752	814	1,032	1,385
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment .....	630	375	182	200	252	388	433	486	583	1,031
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services .....	453	122	110	142	76	170	127	156	857	748
Personal care products and services .....	697	318	329	324	363	399	537	567	714	1,060
Reading .....	126	66	54	59	77	65	87	101	117	201
Education .....	1,156	1,566	1,955	470	625	606	674	489	603	1,955
Tobacco products and smoking supplies .....	267	294	250	205	269	330	277	338	302	219
Miscellaneous .....	996	428	324	499	328	510	666	768	1,387	1,466
Cash contributions .....	1,850	963	506	688	909	887	1,411	1,232	1,790	3,083
Personal insurance and pensions .....	6,020	411	293	465	752	1,454	2,550	3,384	4,937	12,742
Life and other personal insurance .....	281	<sup>3</sup> 132	<sup>3</sup> 26	54	90	156	152	182	276	501
Pensions and Social Security .....	5,739	279	266	411	662	1,299	2,399	3,202	4,661	12,240
Sources of income and personal taxes:										
Money income before taxes .....	67,707	-4,132	7,765	12,642	17,588	24,920	34,828	44,685	59,281	133,001
Wages and salaries .....	53,492	2,041	3,425	4,142	7,295	13,498	23,276	31,582	45,937	111,615
Self-employment income .....	3,490	-7,822	<sup>3</sup> -336	350	161	746	1,280	1,251	2,559	8,700
Social Security, private and government retirement .....	7,092	698	2,038	5,348	7,040	7,747	7,188	8,592	7,739	7,705
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income .....	1,615	-221	114	166	229	343	564	1,141	1,176	3,489
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits .....	761	<sup>3</sup> 131	276	366	527	809	894	1,172	886	777
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps .....	523	519	1,273	1,060	1,020	876	658	549	345	170
Regular contributions for support .....	518	237	664	867	800	627	781	221	427	422
Other income .....	216	284	312	342	516	275	188	177	212	124
Personal taxes (missing values not imputed) .....	2,501	368	-255	-149	-338	-339	282	329	952	6,746
Federal income taxes .....	1,730	310	-240	-163	-382	-418	43	97	453	4,926
State and local income taxes .....	665	35	-24	-8	16	56	185	212	405	1,598
Other taxes .....	106	<sup>3</sup> 23	<sup>3</sup> 9	<sup>3</sup> 22	<sup>3</sup> 28	24	55	20	95	222
Income after taxes .....	65,206	-4,501	8,020	12,791	17,926	25,259	34,546	44,356	58,329	126,255

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Addenda:										
Net change in total assets and liabilities .....	-\$3,230	-\$4,283	-\$2,841	\$4,113	-\$129	\$1,915	-\$5,474	-\$3,343	-\$9,238	-\$3,631
Net change in total assets .....	12,301	1,045	391	4,758	405	605	4,557	6,264	6,275	28,275
Net change in total liabilities .....	15,531	5,329	3,232	644	534	-1,310	10,032	9,607	15,513	31,906
Other financial information:										
Other money receipts .....	708	2,304	<sup>3</sup> 206	82	<sup>3</sup> 249	127	215	267	1,078	1,088
Mortgage principal paid on owned property .....	-2,370	-794	-303	-413	-550	-575	-1,044	-1,759	-2,169	-4,638
Estimated market value of owned home .....	198,455	101,204	58,840	74,224	87,827	97,178	130,781	144,701	176,451	340,501
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home .....	937	469	310	391	484	486	690	742	891	1,519
Gifts of goods and services .....	1,132	511	402	424	369	504	833	587	1,001	2,010
Food .....	92	77	<sup>3</sup> 11	16	<sup>3</sup> 10	45	82	37	51	179
Alcoholic beverages .....	15	<sup>3</sup> 17	<sup>3</sup> 17	( <sup>1</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 10	<sup>3</sup> 5	7	<sup>3</sup> 5	12	27
Housing .....	224	60	191	161	137	157	144	108	160	370
Housekeeping supplies .....	30	<sup>3</sup> 11	<sup>3</sup> 15	<sup>3</sup> 26	<sup>3</sup> 7	20	18	20	43	42
Household textiles .....	10	<sup>3</sup> 1	( <sup>1</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 2	<sup>3</sup> 12	<sup>3</sup> 3	<sup>3</sup> 4	<sup>3</sup> 6	19	15
Appliances and miscellaneous housewares .....	21	<sup>3</sup> 1	<sup>3</sup> 7	<sup>3</sup> 39	<sup>3</sup> 2	<sup>3</sup> 15	<sup>3</sup> 19	<sup>3</sup> 4	17	34
Major appliances .....	6	( <sup>2</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 6	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 3	<sup>3</sup> 2	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	15
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares .....	15	<sup>3</sup> 1	<sup>3</sup> 1	<sup>3</sup> 39	<sup>3</sup> 2	<sup>3</sup> 13	<sup>3</sup> 17	<sup>3</sup> 4	17	19
Miscellaneous household equipment .....	52	<sup>3</sup> 7	14	43	25	66	31	38	36	78
Other housing .....	111	40	155	50	91	53	72	40	45	202
Apparel and services .....	219	268	<sup>3</sup> 44	98	94	100	208	234	288	282
Males, 2 and over .....	46	<sup>3</sup> 97	<sup>3</sup> 1	22	<sup>3</sup> 14	21	23	40	73	62
Females, 2 and over .....	85	<sup>3</sup> 28	<sup>3</sup> 16	<sup>3</sup> 32	<sup>3</sup> 41	34	94	133	96	107
Children under 2 .....	34	<sup>3</sup> 8	<sup>3</sup> 21	<sup>3</sup> 6	<sup>3</sup> 14	24	26	36	53	43
Other apparel products and services .....	54	<sup>3</sup> 135	<sup>3</sup> 7	<sup>3</sup> 38	<sup>3</sup> 24	<sup>3</sup> 22	66	<sup>3</sup> 26	66	70
Jewelry and watches .....	15	<sup>3</sup> 15	<sup>3</sup> 3	<sup>3</sup> 10	<sup>3</sup> 5	<sup>3</sup> 11	<sup>3</sup> 13	<sup>3</sup> 6	<sup>3</sup> 18	22
All other apparel products and services .....	39	<sup>3</sup> 120	<sup>3</sup> 5	<sup>3</sup> 28	<sup>3</sup> 19	<sup>3</sup> 11	<sup>3</sup> 53	<sup>3</sup> 20	48	48
Transportation .....	98	30	13	20	22	29	47	23	113	191
Health care .....	37	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 6	<sup>3</sup> 25	<sup>3</sup> 45	<sup>3</sup> 7	<sup>3</sup> 6	74	50
Entertainment .....	96	<sup>3</sup> 12	<sup>3</sup> 19	<sup>3</sup> 16	<sup>3</sup> 20	44	66	52	82	182
Toys, games, arts and crafts, and tricycles .....	31	<sup>3</sup> 9	( <sup>2</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 1	<sup>3</sup> 8	<sup>3</sup> 25	<sup>3</sup> 3	<sup>3</sup> 18	<sup>3</sup> 20	64
Other entertainment .....	65	<sup>3</sup> 4	<sup>3</sup> 19	15	11	19	63	33	62	118
Personal care products and services .....	14	<sup>3</sup> 19	<sup>3</sup> 8	<sup>3</sup> 2	<sup>3</sup> 6	<sup>3</sup> 15	<sup>3</sup> 6	<sup>3</sup> 6	13	24
Reading .....	1	<sup>3</sup> 1	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 2	<sup>3</sup> 1	<sup>3</sup> 1	<sup>3</sup> 2	1	2
Education .....	211	<sup>3</sup> 10	<sup>3</sup> 80	<sup>3</sup> 43	<sup>3</sup> 16	<sup>3</sup> 17	85	<sup>3</sup> 43	59	514
All other gifts .....	124	17	17	62	28	44	180	70	148	188

<sup>1</sup> Value is less than or equal to 0.5.

<sup>2</sup> No data reported.

<sup>3</sup> Data are likely to have large sampling errors.

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