

**Table 3600. Consumer units of one person by age of reference person: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2011-2012**

Item	Total one person	Under 25 years	25-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and older	65-74 years	75 years and older
Number of consumer units (in thousands) .....	36,526	3,868	4,692	3,534	5,317	6,808	12,307	5,418	6,890
Consumer unit characteristics:									
Income before taxes .....	\$34,319	\$15,302	\$38,739	\$45,131	\$40,704	\$46,198	\$26,175	\$30,211	\$23,002
Income after taxes .....	32,856	14,995	37,035	42,872	38,534	43,487	25,665	29,399	22,729
Age of reference person .....	54.0	21.5	28.8	39.4	49.9	59.4	76.9	69.1	83.0
Average number in consumer unit:									
Persons .....	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
Children under 18 .....	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Persons 65 and older .....	.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	1.0	1.0	1.0
Earners .....	.6	.8	.9	.9	.8	.6	.2	.3	.1
Vehicles .....	1.1	.6	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.2	1.0	1.2	.9
Percent distribution:									
Sex of reference person:									
Male .....	47	55	62	61	55	46	31	36	27
Female .....	53	45	38	39	45	54	69	64	73
Housing tenure:									
Homeowner .....	50	5	23	41	50	63	70	68	71
With mortgage .....	22	3	21	32	35	33	14	21	8
Without mortgage .....	28	1	2	9	15	30	56	47	63
Renter .....	50	95	77	59	50	37	30	32	29
Race of reference person:									
Black or African-American .....	13	9	15	16	18	16	10	12	7
White, Asian, and all other races .....	87	91	85	84	82	84	90	88	93
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:									
Hispanic or Latino .....	7	9	11	12	8	5	5	6	5
Not Hispanic or Latino .....	93	91	89	88	92	95	95	94	95
Education of reference person:									
Elementary (1-8) .....	5	( <sup>1</sup> )	1	1	3	4	9	6	11
High school (9-12) .....	34	16	19	28	38	33	45	39	50
College .....	61	83	79	70	59	63	45	54	38
Never attended and other .....	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	1	1	1
At least one vehicle owned or leased .....	76	51	80	81	80	81	76	82	71
Average annual expenditures .....	\$30,665	\$20,700	\$33,969	\$36,102	\$34,360	\$34,187	\$27,309	\$30,117	\$25,033
Food .....	3,567	2,897	4,041	4,224	3,538	3,997	3,124	3,430	2,867
Food at home .....	2,017	1,174	1,744	2,087	2,097	2,423	2,066	2,235	1,922
Cereals and bakery products .....	277	173	233	276	280	319	299	294	303
Cereals and cereal products .....	88	68	86	98	92	91	87	80	93
Bakery products .....	190	106	147	178	188	228	212	214	210
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	395	213	323	452	427	498	380	438	331
Beef .....	92	57	81	96	110	107	88	98	80
Pork .....	78	40	50	98	81	98	80	95	66
Other meats .....	60	31	50	58	60	76	62	72	54
Poultry .....	75	40	71	100	86	91	63	71	57
Fish and seafood .....	61	27	45	70	62	89	57	70	46
Eggs .....	30	19	27	31	28	36	30	32	28
Dairy products .....	214	127	188	210	225	259	218	226	212
Fresh milk and cream .....	77	50	65	77	83	87	81	83	78
Other dairy products .....	137	77	122	132	142	172	138	143	134
Fruits and vegetables .....	393	223	332	381	392	453	433	464	406
Fresh fruits .....	139	76	112	128	128	163	163	171	157
Fresh vegetables .....	121	67	109	113	127	141	128	139	119
Processed fruits .....	66	39	53	68	62	77	72	78	67
Processed vegetables .....	67	40	59	70	75	72	69	77	63
Other food at home .....	739	438	668	769	772	895	736	813	670
Sugar and other sweets .....	78	44	60	80	82	88	87	92	82
Fats and oils .....	60	31	48	64	63	71	66	69	63
Miscellaneous foods .....	376	219	368	384	356	466	377	414	344
Nonalcoholic beverages .....	201	133	168	216	244	242	185	205	168
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips .....	23	11	24	26	27	29	22	34	12

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Item	Total one person	Under 25 years	25-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and older	65-74 years	75 years and older
Food away from home .....	1,550	1,722	2,297	2,137	1,441	1,573	1,058	1,194	945
Alcoholic beverages .....	357	498	695	600	342	279	157	240	87
Housing .....	11,494	7,046	12,465	13,447	12,646	12,214	11,052	11,759	10,486
Shelter .....	7,308	5,213	8,802	9,165	8,239	7,422	6,399	6,829	6,061
Owned dwellings .....	3,425	347	2,154	4,107	4,352	4,473	3,700	4,353	3,187
Mortgage interest and charges .....	1,413	199	1,399	2,456	2,251	2,035	794	1,277	415
Property taxes .....	1,125	82	483	1,006	1,271	1,424	1,503	1,576	1,446
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses .....	887	66	272	644	830	1,014	1,403	1,500	1,326
Rented dwellings .....	3,581	4,499	6,449	4,777	3,590	2,552	2,420	2,161	2,624
Other lodging .....	303	367	199	281	297	396	279	316	250
Utilities, fuels, and public services .....	2,335	875	1,974	2,458	2,607	2,660	2,599	2,715	2,508
Natural gas .....	256	78	199	239	252	298	317	312	321
Electricity .....	915	353	781	952	1,008	1,039	1,023	1,078	980
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	105	<sup>2</sup> 3	36	58	87	101	187	157	210
Telephone services .....	741	368	760	896	919	845	671	755	605
Water and other public services .....	319	74	198	312	342	376	402	413	393
Household operations .....	666	197	451	569	563	724	935	812	1,031
Personal services .....	120	<sup>2</sup> 6	<sup>2</sup> 29	<sup>2</sup> 65	<sup>2</sup> 50	<sup>2</sup> 71	<sup>2</sup> 65	<sup>2</sup> 115	<sup>2</sup> 383
Other household expenses .....	545	191	421	504	512	654	670	697	649
Housekeeping supplies .....	332	105	251	291	298	435	396	440	359
Laundry and cleaning supplies .....	78	34	78	72	76	96	84	97	73
Other household products .....	174	42	131	151	166	237	203	228	182
Postage and stationery .....	79	29	42	68	56	101	109	116	104
Household furnishings and equipment .....	853	655	987	964	939	974	722	962	526
Household textiles .....	69	35	43	63	53	98	81	117	50
Furniture .....	221	174	305	356	223	254	145	202	101
Floor coverings .....	10	3	10	7	8	10	13	22	5
Major appliances .....	96	46	92	101	109	105	101	131	77
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares .....	57	56	55	55	54	76	49	70	31
Miscellaneous household equipment .....	401	342	481	382	491	431	334	421	262
Apparel and services .....	942	919	1,282	1,232	904	1,005	708	868	575
Men and boys .....	230	255	389	452	206	235	99	128	74
Men, 16 and over .....	217	251	379	420	195	221	86	108	66
Boys, 2 to 15 .....	14	<sup>2</sup> 4	10	32	12	14	13	19	8
Women and girls .....	397	367	482	285	372	432	400	457	350
Women, 16 and over .....	374	364	468	263	336	400	379	419	345
Girls, 2 to 15 .....	23	<sup>2</sup> 2	13	22	36	32	21	39	<sup>2</sup> 6
Children under 2 .....	11	<sup>2</sup> 5	<sup>2</sup> 13	<sup>2</sup> 6	<sup>2</sup> 29	14	5	<sup>2</sup> 8	<sup>2</sup> 2
Footwear .....	152	171	212	251	122	166	99	117	83
Other apparel products and services .....	151	122	186	238	175	158	107	158	65
Transportation .....	4,485	3,261	5,538	5,310	5,363	5,329	3,371	4,388	2,562
Vehicle purchases (net outlay) .....	1,307	1,181	1,742	1,658	1,612	1,583	794	1,071	576
Cars and trucks, new .....	618	<sup>2</sup> 268	543	678	877	871	488	672	343
Cars and trucks, used .....	672	889	1,184	928	701	703	304	399	230
Other vehicles .....	17	<sup>2</sup> 24	<sup>2</sup> 15	<sup>2</sup> 52	<sup>2</sup> 34	<sup>2</sup> 10	<sup>2</sup> 2	( <sup>3</sup> )	<sup>2</sup> 3
Gasoline and motor oil .....	1,410	1,131	1,707	1,857	1,798	1,554	1,008	1,324	759
Other vehicle expenses .....	1,445	703	1,586	1,439	1,641	1,854	1,303	1,634	1,032
Vehicle finance charges .....	95	48	150	177	130	113	41	69	18
Maintenance and repairs .....	513	362	551	545	610	639	426	581	302
Vehicle insurance .....	587	<sup>2</sup> 161	526	387	601	866	626	721	545
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges .....	250	131	359	330	300	235	209	263	167
Public and other transportation .....	323	245	505	355	312	338	267	359	194
Health care .....	2,227	533	1,122	1,485	1,827	2,569	3,376	3,278	3,452
Health insurance .....	1,251	198	679	873	982	1,156	2,077	1,981	2,152
Medical services .....	545	236	273	380	499	848	646	671	626
Drugs .....	337	70	119	158	261	481	506	502	508
Medical supplies .....	95	29	52	74	84	83	147	123	165
Entertainment .....	1,503	880	1,589	1,837	1,647	1,697	1,389	1,864	1,001
Fees and admissions .....	295	250	401	422	300	302	227	327	146
Audio and visual equipment and services .....	674	398	725	803	684	749	657	729	599
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment .....	389	164	285	465	506	503	354	495	235
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services .....	145	69	178	147	157	144	152	314	21

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Personal care products and services .....	384	263	410	417	359	406	400	441	364
Reading .....	86	38	75	76	72	94	111	104	117
Education .....	727	2,714	1,495	426	389	463	189	122	241
Tobacco products and smoking supplies .....	253	159	247	347	438	338	132	208	72
Miscellaneous .....	612	211	549	830	708	695	609	555	652
Cash contributions .....	1,465	213	820	1,626	1,968	1,402	1,875	1,578	2,109
Personal insurance and pensions .....	2,562	1,069	3,639	4,243	4,161	3,700	816	1,282	450
Life and other personal insurance .....	166	12	73	124	133	330	186	197	178
Pensions and Social Security .....	2,395	1,057	3,566	4,119	4,028	3,370	630	1,085	272
Sources of income and personal taxes:									
Money income before taxes .....	\$34,319	\$15,302	\$38,739	\$45,131	\$40,704	\$46,198	\$26,175	\$30,211	\$23,002
Wages and salaries .....	21,710	12,060	36,096	40,474	36,002	27,995	4,219	7,336	1,767
Self-employment income .....	2,044	213	731	1,825	418	8,072	551	862	307
Social Security, private and government retirement .....	7,783	<sup>2</sup> 128	290	939	2,010	6,191	18,384	18,432	18,347
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income .....	1,356	119	271	438	542	2,277	2,263	2,588	2,008
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits .....	323	<sup>2</sup> 128	313	531	458	572	133	169	<sup>2</sup> 105
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps .....	386	156	187	290	737	659	260	357	184
Regular contributions for support .....	420	1,593	427	356	361	236	194	263	140
Other income .....	296	905	423	278	175	195	170	204	143
Personal taxes (missing values not imputed)	1,463	307	1,703	2,258	2,170	2,711	510	812	273
Federal income taxes .....	1,057	207	1,260	1,669	1,645	1,998	295	540	102
State and local income taxes .....	320	99	410	524	457	601	81	124	47
Other taxes .....	87	1	34	65	67	113	134	148	123
Income after taxes .....	32,856	14,995	37,035	42,872	38,534	43,487	25,665	29,399	22,729
Addenda:									
Net change in total assets and liabilities .....	-\$1,625	\$1,107	-\$1,661	-\$5,426	-\$241	-\$4,068	-\$624	-\$3,396	\$1,555
Net change in total assets .....	2,435	4,773	4,550	3,242	3,656	1,141	851	-148	1,636
Net change in total liabilities .....	4,060	3,666	6,211	8,668	3,897	5,209	1,475	3,247	81
Other financial information:									
Other money receipts .....	932	460	165	270	2,501	1,622	502	273	682
Mortgage principal paid on owned property .....	-909	-89	-572	-1,149	-1,440	-1,617	-605	-903	-370
Estimated market value of owned home .....	95,262	5,874	34,271	64,661	94,993	122,732	140,313	144,100	137,336
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home .....	559	48	255	464	556	724	774	788	762
Gifts of goods and services, total .....	835	266	571	839	1,093	1,201	792	975	643
Food .....	58	16	40	45	98	92	45	55	36
Alcoholic beverages .....	8	17	12	5	8	9	3	5	2
Housing .....	140	35	101	165	176	228	117	208	43
Housekeeping supplies .....	19	<sup>2</sup> 3	13	19	28	33	13	16	12
Household textiles .....	5	<sup>2</sup> 1	<sup>2</sup> 3	<sup>2</sup> 2	<sup>2</sup> 1	12	7	13	<sup>2</sup> 2
Appliances and miscellaneous housewares .....	11	<sup>2</sup> 4	<sup>2</sup> 5	<sup>2</sup> 16	14	16	10	17	4
Major appliances .....	4	( <sup>1</sup> )	<sup>2</sup> 1	<sup>2</sup> 8	7	6	4	7	<sup>2</sup> 2
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares .....	7	<sup>2</sup> 4	<sup>2</sup> 5	<sup>2</sup> 8	<sup>2</sup> 7	10	6	9	<sup>2</sup> 2
Miscellaneous household equipment .....	32	18	36	37	35	47	24	33	17
Other housing .....	73	10	44	91	97	119	62	130	9
Apparel and services .....	198	141	194	270	223	206	177	227	135
Males, 2 and over .....	50	33	44	54	42	64	53	55	51
Females, 2 and over .....	72	37	53	92	74	78	79	115	48
Children under 2 .....	11	<sup>2</sup> 5	13	<sup>2</sup> 6	29	14	5	8	<sup>2</sup> 2
Other apparel products and services .....	64	66	84	118	79	50	41	50	34
Jewelry and watches .....	35	29	48	71	47	22	21	35	11
All other apparel products and services .....	29	<sup>2</sup> 37	<sup>2</sup> 36	47	<sup>2</sup> 31	28	19	<sup>2</sup> 14	<sup>2</sup> 23

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Transportation .....	74	15	57	122	141	66	60	105	25
Health care .....	69	<sup>2</sup> 1	<sup>2</sup> 3	<sup>2</sup> 8	34	83	140	121	154
Entertainment .....	48	<sup>2</sup> 11	53	72	64	75	28	50	9
Toys, games, arts and crafts, and tricycles	11	( <sup>1</sup> )	<sup>2</sup> 15	<sup>2</sup> 20	<sup>2</sup> 4	18	<sup>2</sup> 8	<sup>2</sup> 15	<sup>2</sup> 2
Other entertainment .....	37	11	37	52	60	57	20	35	8
Personal care products and services .....	8	<sup>2</sup> 6	9	12	<sup>2</sup> 4	14	7	13	<sup>2</sup> 1
Reading .....	2	( <sup>1</sup> )	4	<sup>2</sup> 2	3	2	2	2	1
Education .....	152	<sup>2</sup> 17	<sup>2</sup> 37	73	269	310	124	77	161
All other gifts .....	78	6	62	66	74	116	90	110	75

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

<sup>2</sup> Data are likely to have large sampling errors.

<sup>3</sup> No data reported.

n.a. Not applicable.

Source: Consumer Expenditure Survey, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, September, 2013