

**Table 3213. Consumer units with reference person age 25 to 34 by income before taxes: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2012-2013**

Item	Total 25-34 years	Less than \$5,000	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$10,000 to \$14,999	\$15,000 to \$19,999	\$20,000 to \$29,999	\$30,000 to \$39,999	\$40,000 to \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$69,999	\$70,000 and more
Number of consumer units (in thousands) .....	20,409	630	749	1,040	982	2,315	2,616	2,122	3,773	6,183
Consumer unit characteristics:										
Income before taxes .....	\$58,918	\$1,173	\$8,072	\$12,842	\$17,652	\$24,978	\$34,582	\$44,538	\$59,158	\$113,059
Income after taxes .....	55,276	1,591	8,703	14,028	19,242	26,332	34,844	43,493	55,955	102,162
Age of reference person .....	29.7	29.1	28.8	29.4	29.2	29.2	29.4	29.4	29.6	30.4
Average number in consumer unit:										
People .....	2.8	2.4	2.7	2.6	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.8	3.1
Children under 18 .....	1.1	1.0	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0
Adults 65 and older .....	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )
Earners .....	1.5	.6	.7	.8	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.5	1.6	1.9
Vehicles .....	1.6	.9	.8	.9	1.0	1.2	1.4	1.6	1.8	2.2
Percent distribution:										
Reference person:										
Men .....	47	38	32	37	39	44	48	49	51	51
Women .....	53	62	68	63	61	56	52	51	49	49
Housing tenure:										
Homeowner .....	40	18	20	13	16	17	27	36	46	65
With mortgage .....	34	10	11	5	10	11	22	30	40	60
Without mortgage .....	6	8	10	7	6	6	5	6	6	5
Renter .....	60	82	80	87	84	83	73	64	54	35
Race of reference person:										
Black or African-American .....	14	29	29	29	24	19	16	14	11	7
White, Asian, and all other races .....	86	71	71	71	76	81	84	86	89	93
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:										
Hispanic or Latino .....	19	19	22	22	29	28	21	21	15	13
Not Hispanic or Latino .....	81	81	78	78	71	72	79	79	85	87
Education of reference person:										
Elementary (1-8) .....	4	7	9	5	12	9	6	4	2	1
High school (9-12) .....	26	45	43	47	38	38	29	31	23	12
College .....	69	48	48	48	50	53	65	66	75	87
Never attended and other .....	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	1	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )
At least one vehicle owned or leased .....	88	61	63	68	74	82	90	90	93	96
Average annual expenditures .....	\$48,848	\$24,604	\$22,883	\$23,490	\$25,517	\$31,699	\$35,469	\$41,452	\$50,810	\$75,687
Food .....	6,353	4,004	3,802	3,486	4,428	4,711	5,017	6,025	6,629	8,764
Food at home .....	3,619	2,138	2,886	2,316	3,329	3,116	3,162	3,614	3,566	4,473
Cereals and bakery products .....	489	304	465	300	473	428	426	492	488	587
Cereals and cereal products .....	181	135	186	115	196	157	174	164	173	213
Bakery products .....	308	169	278	185	278	270	251	328	315	374
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	765	502	603	447	814	704	750	814	738	866
Beef .....	188	109	105	114	166	184	218	237	167	201
Pork .....	146	74	169	86	130	137	140	153	144	164
Other meats .....	106	80	111	73	106	94	89	108	105	124
Poultry .....	169	117	109	82	211	149	160	173	164	198
Fish and seafood .....	103	388	355	52	146	85	94	93	106	122
Eggs .....	52	34	54	41	55	56	48	49	52	56
Dairy products .....	388	171	274	208	382	310	319	366	405	504
Fresh milk and cream .....	147	81	116	81	120	128	126	129	161	183
Other dairy products .....	242	90	158	127	262	183	193	237	243	320
Fruits and vegetables .....	686	380	459	462	546	596	589	686	656	883
Fresh fruits .....	245	109	149	163	181	196	200	248	232	334
Fresh vegetables .....	215	100	137	134	156	179	186	224	209	281
Processed fruits .....	107	70	75	71	80	110	95	101	103	129
Processed vegetables .....	119	100	97	93	129	111	107	113	113	139
Other food at home .....	1,290	781	1,086	899	1,113	1,077	1,079	1,256	1,279	1,633
Sugar and other sweets .....	125	55	113	83	100	113	101	113	146	150
Fats and oils .....	101	69	91	57	114	88	104	93	103	115
Miscellaneous foods .....	692	356	599	516	603	561	571	696	655	893
Nonalcoholic beverages .....	337	294	269	225	291	297	282	327	345	411
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips .....	34	37	313	319	36	19	21	27	30	64

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Food away from home .....	2,735	1,865	916	1,171	1,098	1,595	1,854	2,411	3,063	4,292
Alcoholic beverages .....	526	355	138	168	156	351	391	489	538	832
Housing .....	17,198	10,033	9,306	9,277	10,444	12,025	13,529	14,977	17,188	25,502
Shelter .....	10,587	6,554	5,830	5,896	6,598	7,306	8,653	9,398	10,662	15,406
Owned dwellings .....	4,556	1,164	880	569	821	1,014	2,219	2,968	4,546	9,477
Mortgage interest and charges .....	2,935	<sup>3</sup> 760	<sup>3</sup> 587	<sup>3</sup> 301	<sup>3</sup> 400	547	1,456	1,881	2,984	6,137
Property taxes .....	1,024	281	239	202	239	290	453	615	972	2,145
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses .....	598	<sup>3</sup> 123	<sup>3</sup> 54	<sup>3</sup> 66	<sup>3</sup> 182	177	310	471	590	1,195
Rented dwellings .....	5,744	5,324	4,738	5,259	5,658	6,215	6,320	6,269	5,845	5,341
Other lodging .....	287	<sup>3</sup> 66	<sup>3</sup> 212	<sup>3</sup> 68	<sup>3</sup> 119	77	114	160	271	588
Utilities, fuels, and public services .....	3,158	2,157	1,977	2,231	2,546	2,454	2,702	3,125	3,353	4,006
Natural gas .....	288	163	220	191	195	180	206	287	297	411
Electricity .....	1,212	1,033	913	1,038	1,099	1,048	1,091	1,194	1,208	1,435
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	64	<sup>3</sup> 30	<sup>3</sup> 28	<sup>3</sup> 1	<sup>3</sup> 21	<sup>3</sup> 40	<sup>3</sup> 52	48	89	95
Telephone services .....	1,196	664	577	702	881	939	1,074	1,206	1,347	1,510
Residential phone service, VOIP, and phone cards .....	166	95	100	113	127	118	138	147	159	237
Cellular phone service .....	1,030	569	477	589	754	822	936	1,059	1,188	1,273
Water and other public services .....	398	267	240	299	349	247	279	391	412	555
Household operations .....	1,371	397	550	462	440	614	750	969	1,220	2,645
Personal services .....	778	<sup>3</sup> 141	<sup>3</sup> 293	<sup>3</sup> 201	167	297	342	508	598	1,662
Other household expenses .....	593	256	257	261	273	317	408	461	622	983
Housekeeping supplies .....	517	228	296	224	335	403	421	432	519	755
Laundry and cleaning supplies .....	147	71	95	101	150	131	154	127	149	173
Other household products .....	267	104	147	102	157	204	190	230	249	417
Postage and stationery .....	104	<sup>3</sup> 54	<sup>3</sup> 53	<sup>3</sup> 21	28	69	77	75	122	165
Household furnishings and equipment .....	1,564	697	652	465	526	1,248	1,002	1,053	1,433	2,690
Household textiles .....	85	<sup>3</sup> 52	<sup>3</sup> 13	<sup>3</sup> 21	24	84	59	74	59	146
Furniture .....	426	191	96	154	135	215	249	274	422	790
Floor coverings .....	17	<sup>3</sup> 2	<sup>3</sup> 4	<sup>3</sup> 2	<sup>3</sup> 1	6	19	9	19	30
Major appliances .....	165	91	<sup>3</sup> 51	49	54	74	77	128	196	288
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares .....	91	31	<sup>3</sup> 28	26	52	66	47	89	80	154
Miscellaneous household equipment .....	780	330	460	214	260	803	552	480	656	1,283
Apparel and services .....	1,961	1,432	824	688	1,275	1,787	1,492	1,772	1,870	2,809
Men and boys .....	432	644	253	132	198	386	321	295	447	624
Men, 16 and over .....	316	590	<sup>3</sup> 129	<sup>3</sup> 15	<sup>3</sup> 113	264	201	192	338	496
Boys, 2 to 15 .....	116	55	125	116	85	122	120	104	109	128
Women and girls .....	725	363	163	257	308	644	468	821	746	1,042
Women, 16 and over .....	581	300	83	168	183	464	332	664	612	888
Girls, 2 to 15 .....	143	62	80	89	125	180	136	157	134	155
Children under 2 .....	163	<sup>3</sup> 52	<sup>3</sup> 220	<sup>3</sup> 90	<sup>3</sup> 111	131	133	132	144	234
Footwear .....	372	<sup>3</sup> 250	<sup>3</sup> 71	<sup>3</sup> 87	525	422	332	274	342	468
Other apparel products and services .....	269	123	117	122	134	204	239	250	191	441
Transportation .....	9,450	4,065	3,436	4,200	4,516	6,087	6,604	7,991	10,977	14,444
Vehicle purchases (net outlay) .....	3,904	<sup>3</sup> 1,294	<sup>3</sup> 595	<sup>3</sup> 1,341	1,634	2,266	2,233	3,090	4,927	6,339
Cars and trucks, new .....	1,565	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 533	( <sup>2</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 156	676	<sup>3</sup> 1,023	2,302	2,977
Cars and trucks, used .....	2,292	<sup>3</sup> 1,294	587	805	1,621	2,069	1,514	2,066	2,566	3,281
Other vehicles .....	47	( <sup>2</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 8	<sup>3</sup> 3	<sup>3</sup> 13	<sup>3</sup> 41	<sup>3</sup> 43	<sup>3</sup> 2	<sup>3</sup> 59	81
Gasoline and motor oil .....	2,748	1,504	1,381	1,586	1,841	2,124	2,349	2,624	3,082	3,620
Other vehicle expenses .....	2,328	1,104	1,190	1,080	897	1,506	1,711	1,942	2,541	3,620
Vehicle finance charges .....	279	<sup>3</sup> 82	<sup>3</sup> 94	44	74	125	181	238	338	469
Maintenance and repairs .....	694	311	231	293	371	629	541	658	761	970
Vehicle insurance .....	833	<sup>3</sup> 465	<sup>3</sup> 685	<sup>3</sup> 442	<sup>3</sup> 290	<sup>3</sup> 543	625	<sup>3</sup> 634	946	1,254
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges .....	523	246	180	301	162	209	363	411	496	928
Public and other transportation .....	469	164	271	193	145	191	312	335	426	866
Healthcare .....	2,118	956	473	598	666	1,004	1,457	1,871	2,489	3,482
Health insurance .....	1,282	462	285	293	368	569	863	1,130	1,630	2,081
Medical services .....	553	226	69	170	175	238	367	509	538	990
Drugs .....	205	233	99	80	78	145	168	169	237	292
Medical supplies .....	79	<sup>3</sup> 34	<sup>3</sup> 20	<sup>3</sup> 53	45	52	60	63	85	119
Entertainment .....	2,308	929	698	901	973	1,481	1,494	1,918	2,310	3,844
Fees and admissions .....	519	107	112	118	167	196	253	333	544	1,012
Audio and visual equipment and services .....	936	510	426	546	510	835	699	827	971	1,314

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Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment .....	552	254	119	162	221	330	426	482	548	906
Pets .....	387	<sup>3</sup> 196	109	131	126	211	311	313	366	658
Toys, hobbies, and playground equipment .....	165	<sup>3</sup> 58	<sup>3</sup> 10	<sup>3</sup> 31	<sup>3</sup> 96	119	115	169	182	248
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services .....	301	<sup>3</sup> 57	<sup>3</sup> 40	77	75	120	116	277	247	611
Personal care products and services .....	556	243	256	267	300	424	410	423	584	849
Reading .....	66	<sup>3</sup> 22	22	28	37	34	57	55	71	102
Education .....	1,020	1,550	2,610	2,379	558	733	722	545	832	1,128
Tobacco products and smoking supplies .....	330	363	368	325	246	332	342	362	378	289
Miscellaneous .....	618	204	218	92	364	247	442	396	655	1,104
Cash contributions .....	1,036	283	313	438	409	613	686	877	1,039	1,760
Personal insurance and pensions .....	5,308	166	419	644	1,146	1,870	2,826	3,749	5,251	10,778
Life and other personal insurance .....	134	<sup>3</sup> 19	<sup>3</sup> 28	<sup>3</sup> 27	38	44	76	81	119	279
Pensions and Social Security .....	5,174	147	391	617	1,107	1,826	2,750	3,669	5,131	10,499
Sources of income and personal taxes:										
Money income before taxes .....	\$58,918	\$1,173	\$8,072	\$12,842	\$17,652	\$24,978	\$34,582	\$44,538	\$59,158	\$113,059
Wages and salaries .....	54,713	1,743	3,979	7,178	12,631	21,699	31,607	41,937	56,117	106,602
Self-employment income .....	1,705	<sup>3</sup> -2,305	<sup>3</sup> -10	<sup>3</sup> 266	<sup>3</sup> 715	392	695	821	1,349	4,159
Social Security, private and government retirement .....	549	<sup>3</sup> 80	<sup>3</sup> 625	1,189	<sup>3</sup> 915	520	399	<sup>3</sup> 417	461	595
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income .....	267	<sup>3</sup> 14	<sup>3</sup> -31	<sup>3</sup> 34	<sup>3</sup> 12	6	118	68	87	747
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps .....	623	875	2,248	2,360	1,984	1,170	520	417	186	69
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits, and regular contributions for support .....	704	<sup>3</sup> 205	542	1,039	1,058	784	923	739	577	604
Other income .....	357	<sup>3</sup> 561	719	775	<sup>3</sup> 336	406	321	138	380	283
Personal taxes (contains some imputed values) .....	3,642	-418	-631	-1,187	-1,590	-1,355	-262	1,045	3,203	10,897
Federal income taxes .....	2,573	-407	-609	-1,158	-1,603	-1,470	-550	453	2,144	8,376
State and local income taxes .....	1,019	-33	-25	-38	-1	100	269	566	1,021	2,408
Other taxes .....	50	<sup>3</sup> 22	<sup>3</sup> 3	<sup>3</sup> 9	<sup>3</sup> 13	16	18	26	37	113
Income after taxes .....	55,276	1,591	8,703	14,028	19,242	26,332	34,844	43,493	55,955	102,162
Addenda:										
Net change in total assets and liabilities .....	- \$51	- \$1,128	\$2,625	\$547	\$568	\$446	\$434	- \$5,215	\$1,780	- \$200
Net change in total assets .....	12,944	-982	10,157	1,150	2,192	3,329	3,032	4,614	11,743	29,779
Net change in total liabilities .....	12,995	146	7,532	603	1,624	2,884	2,598	9,829	9,963	29,978
Other financial information:										
Other money receipts .....	179	<sup>3</sup> 290	<sup>3</sup> 446	<sup>3</sup> 134	<sup>3</sup> 16	<sup>3</sup> 103	<sup>3</sup> 47	113	308	197
Mortgage principal paid on owned property .....	-1,129	<sup>3</sup> -304	<sup>3</sup> -236	<sup>3</sup> -130	<sup>3</sup> -184	-229	-496	-765	-1,220	-2,314
Estimated market value of owned home .....	76,824	21,984	25,406	11,141	19,128	20,290	34,621	47,521	73,914	159,709
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home .....	508	179	179	108	138	158	258	367	519	987
Gifts of goods and services, total .....	511	282	345	169	228	469	364	287	420	855
Food .....	33	<sup>3</sup> 17	<sup>3</sup> 3	<sup>3</sup> 1	<sup>3</sup> 3	15	<sup>3</sup> 10	20	31	71
Alcoholic beverages .....	11	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 4	<sup>3</sup> 6	<sup>3</sup> 6	<sup>3</sup> 9	23
Housing .....	107	<sup>3</sup> 75	83	104	135	81	71	62	88	160
Housekeeping supplies .....	15	<sup>3</sup> 3	( <sup>1</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 2	<sup>3</sup> 4	<sup>3</sup> 10	<sup>3</sup> 9	<sup>3</sup> 7	13	30
Household textiles .....	4	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 7	<sup>3</sup> 3	<sup>3</sup> 4	<sup>3</sup> 3	<sup>3</sup> 5
Appliances and miscellaneous housewares .....	14	( <sup>1</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 2	( <sup>2</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 13	<sup>3</sup> 9	<sup>3</sup> 7	<sup>3</sup> 3	<sup>3</sup> 10	31
Major appliances .....	3	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 2	( <sup>1</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 1	<sup>3</sup> 7
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares .....	12	( <sup>1</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 2	( <sup>2</sup> )	<sup>3</sup> 13	<sup>3</sup> 9	<sup>3</sup> 5	<sup>3</sup> 3	<sup>3</sup> 9	24
Miscellaneous household equipment .....	31	<sup>3</sup> 1	<sup>3</sup> 24	<sup>3</sup> 3	<sup>3</sup> 38	9	8	15	23	65
Other housing .....	43	<sup>3</sup> 70	<sup>3</sup> 56	99	<sup>3</sup> 80	46	43	<sup>3</sup> 34	40	29

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Apparel and services .....	177	386	3228	330	329	179	193	97	133	274
Males, 2 and over .....	42	311	358	31	34	322	43	18	24	83
Females, 2 and over .....	43	344	313	33	31	80	28	40	47	49
Children under 2 .....	35	( <sup>2</sup> )	3141	320	315	326	365	328	331	30
Other apparel products and services .....	56	331	316	36	39	352	357	310	31	112
Jewelry and watches .....	32	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	36	( <sup>2</sup> )	320	323	34	38	83
All other apparel products and services ...	24	331	316	( <sup>2</sup> )	39	332	334	37	323	29
Transportation .....	31	27	8	8	7	10	12	14	27	67
Healthcare .....	5	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	38	34	32	32	311	37	34
Entertainment .....	90	317	312	37	36	160	349	47	65	146
Toys, games, arts and crafts, and tricycles	26	36	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	33	37	331	319	318	51
Other entertainment .....	64	311	312	37	32	154	18	29	47	95
Personal care products and services .....	5	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	34	34	31	312	8
Reading .....	3	( <sup>2</sup> )	31	32	31	31	33	32	32	5
Education .....	17	34	( <sup>2</sup> )	32	( <sup>2</sup> )	34	36	( <sup>1</sup> )	9	45
All other gifts .....	32	356	311	38	344	8	9	26	37	52

<sup>1</sup> Value is too small to display.

<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, 2014