

Table 2400. Population size of area of residence: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2015-2016

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Number of consumer units (in thousands)	128,993	24,514	104,479	14,912	7,902	27,962	16,423	15,755	21,526
Consumer unit characteristics:									
Income before taxes	\$72,156	\$67,802	\$73,178	\$55,263	\$56,631	\$69,227	\$74,131	\$92,559	\$81,883
Income after taxes	62,320	59,016	63,095	49,710	51,015	60,065	64,017	77,665	69,370
Age of reference person	50.7	54.9	49.8	50.5	48.9	49.7	49.4	48.8	50.6
Average number in consumer unit:									
People	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.5
Children under 186	.6	.6	.6	.6	.6	.6	.6	.6
Adults 65 and older4	.5	.3	.4	.4	.4	.3	.3	.3
Earners	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4
Vehicles	1.9	2.5	1.7	2.0	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.4
Percent distribution:									
Reference person:									
Men	47	47	47	44	46	47	50	47	48
Women	53	53	53	56	54	53	50	53	52
Housing tenure:									
Homeowner	62	81	58	60	56	60	59	59	53
With mortgage	36	37	35	33	32	37	38	39	31
Without mortgage	27	44	23	27	23	23	21	20	22
Renter	38	19	42	40	44	40	41	41	47
Race of reference person:									
Black or African-American	13	5	15	8	16	16	14	17	16
White, Asian, and all other races	87	95	85	92	84	84	86	83	84
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:									
Hispanic or Latino	13	4	15	12	21	9	13	15	25
Not Hispanic or Latino	87	96	85	88	79	91	87	85	75
Education of reference person:									
Elementary (1-8)	3	4	3	4	3	1	2	2	5
High school (9-12)	32	42	30	36	31	29	28	24	30
College	65	53	67	60	66	69	70	73	64
Never attended and other	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
At least one vehicle owned or leased	87	94	86	88	85	89	88	87	78
Average annual expenditures	\$56,648	\$53,556	\$57,355	\$47,132	\$47,843	\$55,402	\$59,155	\$67,654	\$61,566
Food	7,113	6,742	7,181	6,405	6,438	7,046	7,620	7,977	7,256
Food at home	4,032	4,092	4,009	3,794	3,571	3,947	4,174	4,347	4,027
Cereals and bakery products	521	522	519	492	497	514	545	535	523
Cereals and cereal products	172	160	174	156	156	170	188	178	186
Bakery products	349	361	345	335	341	344	358	357	337
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	893	917	886	795	767	876	898	971	934
Beef	244	282	235	248	192	246	224	261	216
Pork	167	200	159	151	152	162	170	162	153
Other meats	122	132	119	112	120	118	124	122	122
Poultry	172	156	175	143	142	170	178	179	214
Fish and seafood	128	93	136	84	109	121	142	179	165
Eggs	60	54	61	57	53	59	60	68	64
Dairy products	411	436	404	398	351	402	428	418	404
Fresh milk and cream	139	152	136	138	124	134	138	132	145
Other dairy products	272	283	268	260	227	268	291	285	260
Fruits and vegetables	776	724	786	665	661	746	811	889	875
Fresh fruits	286	255	292	233	237	279	300	336	333
Fresh vegetables	250	223	256	208	200	233	268	303	299
Processed fruits	108	101	109	92	95	106	112	116	125
Processed vegetables	131	145	128	132	129	128	131	134	118
Other food at home	1,431	1,494	1,413	1,445	1,294	1,409	1,491	1,534	1,290
Sugar and other sweets	152	159	149	157	130	150	145	186	125
Fats and oils	111	121	109	106	102	109	112	110	110
Miscellaneous foods	730	743	726	750	677	716	794	778	648
Nonalcoholic beverages	384	423	374	378	350	381	377	386	358

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Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips	54	48	55	54	34	51	63	74	49
Food away from home	3,081	2,650	3,172	2,611	2,867	3,099	3,446	3,630	3,229
Alcoholic beverages	499	358	532	429	425	530	602	692	476
Housing	18,648	15,446	19,400	14,712	15,731	17,914	19,606	23,493	22,771
Shelter	10,936	7,706	11,694	7,871	8,736	10,287	11,615	14,888	14,978
Owned dwellings	6,253	5,784	6,363	4,295	4,527	5,881	6,478	8,239	7,635
Mortgage interest and charges	2,874	2,478	2,967	2,107	2,189	2,780	3,126	4,111	3,133
Property taxes	1,942	1,744	1,988	1,132	1,159	1,737	1,851	2,350	3,050
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses	1,437	1,562	1,408	1,055	1,179	1,365	1,501	1,778	1,451
Rented dwellings	3,919	1,322	4,528	3,033	3,620	3,668	4,315	5,500	6,466
Other lodging	764	601	803	543	588	738	821	1,149	877
Utilities, fuels, and public services	3,885	4,155	3,821	3,600	3,588	3,815	3,875	4,013	3,887
Natural gas	388	225	426	328	194	424	435	491	526
Electricity	1,452	1,790	1,373	1,357	1,475	1,401	1,403	1,350	1,302
Fuel oil and other fuels	101	290	56	57	37	64	12	57	87
Telephone services	1,389	1,390	1,389	1,253	1,255	1,361	1,398	1,489	1,490
Residential phone service, VOIP, and phone cards	316	385	300	269	232	284	290	323	356
Cellular phone service	1,073	1,005	1,090	983	1,023	1,077	1,107	1,165	1,134
Water and other public services	555	460	577	605	626	564	628	627	482
Household operations	1,346	970	1,435	959	1,172	1,352	1,431	1,893	1,636
Personal services	442	232	491	220	421	507	511	675	532
Other household expenses	905	738	944	738	751	844	920	1,218	1,103
Housekeeping supplies	658	742	637	612	618	659	665	615	630
Laundry and cleaning supplies	158	173	154	154	137	151	159	152	164
Other household products	365	437	348	337	370	374	362	336	315
Postage and stationery	134	133	135	122	111	134	145	127	152
Household furnishings and equipment	1,824	1,872	1,813	1,671	1,618	1,802	2,020	2,084	1,640
Household textiles	107	104	107	97	84	99	131	128	100
Furniture	481	415	496	415	410	508	521	586	485
Floor coverings	19	13	21	14	12	15	21	27	30
Major appliances	276	315	266	259	321	260	327	270	211
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	120	120	120	124	106	118	128	140	106
Miscellaneous household equipment	821	905	802	762	686	803	892	934	708
Apparel and services	1,824	1,490	1,902	1,451	1,397	1,882	1,851	2,241	2,219
Men and boys	424	382	434	344	370	398	465	508	487
Men, 16 and over	327	297	334	257	269	299	367	398	386
Boys, 2 to 15	97	85	99	88	101	99	98	110	101
Women and girls	681	556	711	620	509	716	712	876	717
Women, 16 and over	583	483	607	525	413	617	610	764	604
Girls, 2 to 15	98	72	104	94	96	99	103	112	113
Children under 2	75	74	74	67	69	90	74	59	74
Footwear	371	360	373	255	265	377	373	448	435
Other apparel products and services	274	119	310	164	185	301	227	350	504
Transportation	9,275	10,470	8,999	8,236	8,268	8,957	9,817	10,106	8,423
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	3,815	4,804	3,583	3,683	3,812	3,774	4,170	3,869	2,522
Cars and trucks, new	1,802	2,278	1,691	1,312	2,239	1,661	2,155	1,992	1,215
Cars and trucks, used	1,950	2,440	1,835	2,272	1,558	2,043	1,951	1,815	1,290
Other vehicles	62	85	57	100	215	69	64	62	218
Gasoline and motor oil	1,999	2,404	1,904	1,908	1,768	1,906	1,892	2,054	1,846
Other vehicle expenses	2,820	2,932	2,798	2,288	2,330	2,725	2,967	3,169	3,023
Vehicle finance charges	221	269	210	220	242	205	243	217	166
Maintenance and repairs	843	962	815	771	709	830	848	971	725
Vehicle insurance	1,114	1,302	1,075	904	929	1,071	1,133	1,141	1,162
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges	642	398	699	392	450	620	743	841	970
Public and other transportation	642	329	715	357	357	551	788	1,014	1,032
Healthcare	4,477	5,059	4,341	3,997	3,802	4,576	4,464	4,661	4,146
Health insurance	3,069	3,425	2,986	2,673	2,667	3,109	3,032	3,191	2,973
Medical services	815	923	790	743	628	844	851	890	690
Drugs	444	550	419	452	353	473	429	417	345
Medical supplies	150	161	147	129	155	149	152	164	138

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Entertainment	2,878	3,041	2,839	2,572	2,343	2,889	2,950	3,398	2,647
Fees and admissions	667	406	728	441	424	701	799	1,064	774
Audio and visual equipment and services	1,084	1,089	1,083	1,053	949	1,099	1,100	1,139	1,078
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment	697	899	651	615	553	656	737	785	542
Pets	556	742	513	465	411	511	583	635	445
Toys, hobbies, and playground equipment	141	157	138	150	142	144	154	150	97
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services	430	646	377	463	416	434	314	410	254
Personal care products and services	695	553	725	612	594	706	769	847	754
Reading	116	104	119	108	77	119	128	152	110
Education	1,322	896	1,422	831	1,200	1,336	1,554	1,734	1,694
Tobacco products and smoking supplies	343	508	305	446	305	305	310	268	228
Miscellaneous	915	1,021	891	729	889	845	894	992	987
Cash contributions	1,950	1,998	1,939	1,734	1,739	1,844	1,761	2,345	2,116
Personal insurance and pensions	6,591	5,870	6,760	4,868	4,635	6,453	6,830	8,748	7,740
Life and other personal insurance	327	347	323	307	197	317	316	422	319
Pensions and Social Security	6,263	5,523	6,437	4,561	4,438	6,136	6,514	8,326	7,421
Sources of income and personal taxes:									
Money income before taxes	\$72,156	\$67,802	\$73,178	\$55,263	\$56,631	\$69,227	\$74,131	\$92,559	\$81,883
Wages and salaries	55,868	46,256	58,124	41,391	44,796	54,114	59,298	75,395	66,279
Self-employment income	5,321	8,398	4,599	2,728	2,230	4,576	4,079	6,201	6,020
Social Security, private and government retirement	7,901	10,471	7,298	8,469	7,311	7,574	7,534	6,873	6,257
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income	1,744	1,722	1,749	1,112	1,000	1,553	1,744	2,751	1,992
Public assistance, Supplemental Security Income, Supplementary Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	543	405	576	665	475	562	565	511	623
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits, and regular contributions for support	438	365	455	542	465	478	468	457	352
Other income	340	185	377	356	354	370	443	371	361
Personal taxes (contains some imputed values)	9,836	8,786	10,083	5,553	5,616	9,161	10,114	14,894	12,513
Federal income taxes	7,742	7,012	7,913	4,174	4,564	6,884	7,929	12,047	10,032
State and local income taxes	2,022	1,698	2,098	1,354	1,013	2,155	2,141	2,790	2,399
Other taxes	73	76	72	26	40	122	44	57	82
Income after taxes	62,320	59,016	63,095	49,710	51,015	60,065	64,017	77,665	69,370
Addenda:									
Net change in total assets and liabilities	\$7,837	\$6,059	\$8,254	\$4,810	\$6,849	\$8,444	\$9,090	\$9,913	\$9,058
Net change in total assets	15,510	13,127	16,069	10,673	11,662	14,952	20,095	21,585	15,767
Net change in total liabilities	7,673	7,068	7,815	5,863	4,813	6,508	11,004	11,672	6,710
Other financial information:									
Other money receipts	742	784	732	598	195	435	489	1,340	1,146
Mortgage principal paid on owned property	-1,833	-1,717	-1,860	-1,257	-1,311	-1,924	-1,922	-2,449	-1,917
Estimated market value of owned home	167,526	171,366	166,625	108,474	98,247	137,952	153,906	245,793	221,017
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home	951	916	959	677	709	874	941	1,207	1,187
Gifts of goods and services, total	1,187	1,159	1,193	1,129	997	1,304	1,240	1,238	1,099
Food	83	72	86	90	66	81	87	124	65
Alcoholic beverages	14	6	15	13	20	11	24	14	16
Housing	241	232	244	215	223	263	287	228	225
Housekeeping supplies	28	30	28	26	27	32	30	22	26
Household textiles	9	14	8	24	26	10	14	7	24

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Major appliances	8	8	8	10	6	9	13	9	4
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares	13	10	14	18	² 19	13	16	13	10
Miscellaneous household equipment	45	40	47	31	59	58	50	40	40
Other housing	137	130	139	125	105	141	164	138	141
Apparel and services	222	193	228	170	215	307	201	233	188
Males, 2 and over	55	53	55	40	50	52	56	81	51
Females, 2 and over	63	61	64	56	78	64	57	79	59
Children under 2	34	40	32	33	25	49	34	14	23
Other apparel products and services	70	39	77	41	63	143	54	59	55
Jewelry and watches	37	5	44	10	² 8	110	19	25	31
All other apparel products and services ..	33	34	33	31	55	33	35	33	24
Transportation	120	139	116	213	108	104	104	86	98
Healthcare	31	34	30	61	39	30	26	28	11
Entertainment	95	108	92	134	84	94	103	82	62
Toys, games, arts and crafts, and tricycles	36	48	33	52	42	36	33	19	26
Other entertainment	59	60	58	82	41	58	70	63	36
Personal care products and services	15	13	15	10	18	18	16	17	11
Reading	5	3	5	7	4	6	6	7	3
Education	277	258	281	133	138	307	296	328	358
All other gifts	85	100	81	83	84	83	91	93	59

¹ Value is too small to display.

² Data are likely to have large sampling errors.

Source: Consumer Expenditure Survey, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, September, 2017