

Table 55. Quintiles of income before taxes: Shares of annual aggregate expenditures and sources of income, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2000

(Aggregates in millions of dollars, unless otherwise indicated)

Item	Complete reporting of income					
	Aggregate	Lowest 20 percent	Second 20 percent	Third 20 percent	Fourth 20 percent	Highest 20 percent
Number of consumer units (in thousands)	81,454	16,268	16,292	16,290	16,283	16,321
Percent distribution of consumer units	100.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0
Consumer unit characteristics (mean values):						
Income before taxes ¹	\$44,649	\$7,683	\$19,071	\$32,910	\$53,295	\$110,118
Income after taxes ¹	41,532	7,457	18,637	31,349	49,695	100,369
Age of reference person	48.1	51.9	51.7	47.0	44.4	45.3
Average number in consumer unit:						
Persons	2.5	1.8	2.3	2.5	2.8	3.2
Children under 187	.4	.6	.7	.8	.9
Persons 65 and over3	.4	.5	.3	.2	.1
Earners	1.4	.7	1.0	1.4	1.7	2.1
Vehicles	1.9	1.0	1.5	1.9	2.4	2.9
Percent distribution:						
Sex of reference person:						
Male	53	37	47	55	62	65
Female	47	63	53	45	38	35
Housing tenure:						
Homeowner	65	43	57	62	75	88
With mortgage	39	10	21	36	55	72
Without mortgage	26	32	36	25	19	16
Renter	35	57	43	38	25	12
Race of reference person:						
Black	12	17	13	12	10	7
White and other	88	83	87	88	90	93
Education of reference person:						
Elementary (1-8)	6	14	10	5	2	1
High school (9-12)	39	47	49	41	35	20
College	55	39	40	54	63	78
Never attended and other	(²)	1	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
At least one vehicle owned or leased	88	66	86	94	97	98
Annual aggregate expenditures	\$3,228,865	8.9	13.2	17.2	23.2	37.5
Food	415,363	9.8	15.3	19.0	23.7	32.1
Food at home	239,952	11.6	17.5	19.5	22.8	28.6
Cereals and bakery products	36,047	11.4	17.6	19.8	22.3	28.9
Cereals and cereal products	12,370	11.8	19.2	20.2	22.3	26.4
Bakery products	23,677	11.1	16.8	19.6	22.4	30.1
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	62,099	12.0	18.5	20.3	22.2	27.0
Beef	18,503	11.6	18.6	20.8	21.9	27.1
Pork	12,966	13.4	20.2	20.2	22.3	23.9
Other meats	7,929	12.4	17.9	21.0	23.2	25.5
Poultry	11,368	11.9	17.9	20.4	22.0	27.9
Fish and seafood	8,628	10.1	16.7	18.1	22.5	32.8
Eggs	2,706	14.5	19.5	23.5	19.7	22.8
Dairy products	25,795	11.6	17.1	20.3	23.1	28.0
Fresh milk and cream	10,490	13.3	18.0	20.5	21.9	26.3
Other dairy products	15,305	10.4	16.5	20.1	24.0	29.1
Fruits and vegetables	41,312	12.0	18.3	18.9	21.7	29.1
Fresh fruits	12,887	12.0	19.3	18.3	21.1	29.4
Fresh vegetables	12,634	11.7	18.2	18.6	21.6	29.9
Processed fruits	9,157	12.7	16.8	19.3	22.0	29.3
Processed vegetables	6,634	11.5	18.7	20.2	22.9	26.7

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	Aggregate	Lowest 20 percent	Second 20 percent	Third 20 percent	Fourth 20 percent	Highest 20 percent
Other food at home	\$74,699	11.0	16.4	18.8	23.9	29.9
Sugar and other sweets	9,480	10.5	16.7	17.8	23.8	31.2
Fats and oils	6,498	12.5	19.5	20.0	22.2	25.9
Miscellaneous foods	34,968	10.4	15.8	18.4	24.3	31.1
Nonalcoholic beverages	20,166	11.7	17.2	20.3	23.9	26.9
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips	3,587	11.5	12.0	14.6	23.8	38.1
Food away from home	175,411	7.4	12.4	18.4	25.1	36.8
Alcoholic beverages	32,327	9.8	11.7	17.3	24.2	37.0
Housing	1,014,172	10.4	13.6	17.3	22.6	36.2
Shelter	581,104	10.5	13.2	17.6	22.2	36.5
Owned dwellings	374,587	6.4	9.3	15.0	23.7	45.6
Mortgage interest and charges	217,700	3.9	6.1	14.0	25.5	50.4
Property taxes	88,314	9.4	12.8	15.7	20.9	41.1
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses	68,573	10.2	15.3	17.1	21.6	35.8
Rented dwellings	167,975	19.7	22.8	24.5	19.7	13.3
Other lodging	38,542	9.9	9.2	12.2	18.8	50.0
Utilities, fuels, and public services	202,589	13.1	17.0	19.3	22.2	28.4
Natural gas	24,804	12.3	16.7	18.8	22.4	29.7
Electricity	73,098	13.8	18.2	19.9	21.9	26.3
Fuel oil and other fuels	7,778	17.6	19.2	17.9	20.0	25.3
Telephone services	72,493	12.9	15.8	19.3	22.6	29.4
Water and other public services	24,417	11.2	16.4	18.5	22.8	31.2
Household operations	57,609	7.6	11.4	12.0	21.4	47.6
Personal services	27,525	5.9	11.3	10.2	23.9	48.6
Other household expenses	30,084	9.2	11.4	13.6	19.1	46.7
Housekeeping supplies	41,471	9.1	14.2	17.4	24.3	34.9
Laundry and cleaning supplies	11,111	10.0	16.1	18.1	22.3	33.5
Other household products	19,578	7.9	13.9	17.9	25.8	34.6
Postage and stationery	10,782	10.4	12.9	16.0	23.8	36.9
Household furnishings and equipment	131,398	7.5	10.4	15.6	24.5	41.9
Household textiles	8,906	7.4	11.4	19.6	20.7	40.9
Furniture	33,662	7.2	10.0	14.1	20.7	47.9
Floor coverings	3,998	5.9	8.7	12.1	27.4	45.9
Major appliances	15,707	12.0	11.9	16.1	22.6	37.3
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares	7,416	7.7	11.7	16.1	27.2	37.3
Miscellaneous household equipment	61,709	6.7	10.0	15.9	27.1	40.2
Apparel and services	155,256	8.4	13.0	16.1	22.6	40.0
Men and boys	37,405	7.1	13.7	15.0	21.7	42.4
Men, 16 and over	29,464	7.0	13.2	14.8	21.8	43.3
Boys, 2 to 15	7,941	7.5	15.7	16.1	21.5	39.3
Women and girls	59,041	7.8	11.7	16.4	23.6	40.5
Women, 16 and over	48,969	7.8	11.4	16.6	24.0	40.2
Girls, 2 to 15	10,073	7.3	13.5	15.7	21.8	41.7
Children under 2	7,219	10.7	14.6	17.1	25.3	32.3
Footwear	28,388	10.6	15.5	18.4	23.2	32.4
Other apparel products and services	23,203	8.9	11.2	13.9	19.6	46.3
Transportation	616,023	8.5	13.3	18.6	24.4	35.3
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	282,286	8.3	13.3	18.7	24.9	34.8
Cars and trucks, new	131,277	5.5	9.8	18.8	24.0	42.0
Cars and trucks, used	146,947	11.0	16.5	19.1	25.3	28.0
Other vehicles	4,063	³ 1.7	³ 8.3	³ 1.4	40.6	48.0
Gasoline and motor oil	107,184	9.6	14.7	19.7	24.8	31.3

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Other vehicle expenses	\$190,688	7.9	13.0	18.3	24.2	36.6
Vehicle finance charges	27,466	4.9	11.3	18.9	29.4	35.5
Maintenance and repairs	53,477	9.9	14.4	19.6	22.4	33.7
Vehicle insurance	65,024	8.6	14.7	19.8	24.9	32.0
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, other charges	44,721	6.4	9.9	14.3	22.0	47.4
Public transportation	35,865	9.6	11.4	15.5	19.8	43.6
Health care	171,851	13.8	18.8	18.5	21.8	27.1
Health insurance	80,205	14.0	19.2	19.2	22.1	25.5
Medical services	47,482	11.6	14.5	18.0	22.6	33.3
Drugs	35,701	17.1	24.1	18.4	19.5	20.9
Medical supplies	8,464	11.5	16.0	16.1	23.7	32.7
Entertainment	157,931	8.6	11.7	16.4	23.7	39.6
Fees and admissions	43,614	7.4	9.4	12.4	20.4	50.5
Television, radios, sound equipment	53,174	11.1	14.2	18.0	23.9	32.8
Pets, toys, and playground equipment	28,209	6.9	13.4	18.9	23.8	37.1
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services	32,934	7.5	9.4	16.9	27.8	38.4
Personal care products and services	46,926	10.7	14.9	17.9	23.4	33.1
Reading	12,715	9.3	13.5	17.4	22.4	37.4
Education	51,459	13.6	9.1	12.3	18.8	46.2
Tobacco products and smoking supplies	27,137	15.4	19.0	22.0	23.4	20.2
Miscellaneous	67,294	8.8	14.3	20.0	25.2	31.8
Cash contributions	109,480	4.9	17.3	14.2	18.1	45.5
Personal insurance and pensions	350,932	1.9	5.8	13.4	25.2	53.7
Life and other personal insurance	33,797	6.9	11.9	16.9	21.8	42.5
Pensions and Social Security	317,135	1.4	5.2	13.0	25.5	54.9
Sources of income and personal taxes: ¹						
Money income before taxes	3,636,872	3.4	8.5	14.7	23.9	49.4
Wages and salaries	2,898,057	1.4	5.7	14.0	25.7	53.1
Self-employment income	190,915	-6	4.0	9.6	15.4	71.6
Social Security, private and government retirement	395,533	16.5	28.7	22.8	16.7	15.3
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income	75,516	2.1	7.0	12.3	19.0	59.6
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits	15,625	7.9	23.6	23.2	26.1	19.3
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps	25,234	45.8	30.2	11.7	6.4	5.9
Regular contributions for support	25,146	11.9	20.1	16.7	20.8	30.5
Other income	10,846	23.2	20.0	12.1	16.9	27.8
Personal taxes	253,929	1.5	2.8	10.0	23.1	62.7
Federal income taxes	196,250	1.2	2.1	9.3	22.5	65.0
State and local income taxes	45,761	1.5	3.4	11.2	25.3	58.7
Other taxes	11,919	5.8	11.9	18.0	24.7	39.5
Income after taxes	3,382,943	3.6	9.0	15.1	23.9	48.4

¹ Components of income and taxes are derived from "complete income reporters" only; see glossary.

² Value less than 0.5.

³ Data are likely to have large sampling errors.