

Table 3870. Consumer units with reference person age 75 and over by region of residence: Average annual expenditures and characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Surveys, 2020-2021

Item	Total 75 and over	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Number of consumer units (in thousands) ¹	14,643	2,825	3,146	5,461	3,212
Consumer unit characteristics:					
Income before taxes	\$42,509	\$43,389	\$40,614	\$39,253	\$49,128
Income after taxes	42,127	43,025	40,532	39,047	48,137
Age of reference person	81.4	81.2	81.8	81.2	81.4
Average number in consumer unit:					
People	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.7
Children under 18	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	.1
Adults 65 and older	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4
Earners3	.2	.3	.2	.4
Vehicles	1.4	1.2	1.5	1.4	1.5
Percent distribution:					
Reference person:					
Men	43	41	39	45	45
Women	57	59	61	55	55
Housing tenure:					
Homeowner	78	70	76	84	77
With mortgage	17	12	16	16	21
Without mortgage	61	58	59	68	55
Renter	22	30	24	16	23
Race of reference person:					
Black or African-American	9	10	8	13	3
White, Asian, and all other races, not including Black or African-American	91	90	92	87	97
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:					
Hispanic or Latino	5	5	2	6	6
Not Hispanic or Latino	95	95	98	94	94
Education of reference person:					
Elementary (1-8)	4	4	4	4	3
High school (9-12)	38	46	42	39	26
College	57	49	54	56	70
Never attended and other	1	1	(²)	(²)	1
At least one vehicle owned or leased	84	76	86	85	85
Average annual expenditures	\$43,316	\$43,867	\$43,452	\$40,469	\$47,504
Food					
Food at home	3,878	3,745	3,441	4,049	4,152
Cereals and bakery products	538	564	483	561	536
Cereals and cereal products	152	131	140	164	161
Bakery products	386	433	343	396	375
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	801	781	658	885	817
Beef	214	209	168	242	219
Pork	178	113	167	221	163
Other meats	112	138	87	106	126
Poultry	116	114	107	131	100
Fish and seafood	130	162	87	130	151
Eggs	51	45	42	54	59
Dairy products	390	405	350	388	426
Fresh milk and cream	117	136	102	112	127
Other dairy products	274	268	248	277	300
Fruits and vegetables	813	778	732	806	943
Fresh fruits	286	275	262	253	382
Fresh vegetables	252	257	232	236	302
Processed fruits	118	110	108	126	120
Processed vegetables	156	136	130	190	139
Other food at home	1,336	1,217	1,218	1,409	1,430
Sugar and other sweets	149	117	148	151	171
Fats and oils	110	108	91	123	107
Miscellaneous foods	718	634	627	766	801

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Item	Total 75 and over	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Nonalcoholic beverages	335	322	329	352	323
Food prepared by consumer unit on out of town trips	25	36	22	18	29
Food away from home.....	1,374	1,182	1,539	1,297	1,489
Alcoholic beverages	265	212	253	290	272
Housing.....	16,527	18,524	16,134	13,984	19,464
Shelter	9,521	11,710	9,537	7,190	11,542
Owned dwellings	5,665	6,678	5,231	5,092	6,173
Mortgage interest and charges	825	556	715	732	1,327
Property taxes	2,320	3,449	2,145	1,794	2,390
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, and other expenses	2,520	2,673	2,371	2,565	2,456
Rented dwellings	3,328	4,167	3,769	1,765	4,817
Other lodging.....	528	866	537	334	551
Utilities, fuels, and public services	3,540	3,644	3,265	3,577	3,656
Natural gas	446	618	589	301	401
Electricity	1,341	1,179	1,135	1,582	1,277
Fuel oil and other fuels.....	154	425	113	87	68
Telephone services	950	946	878	981	972
Residential phone service, VOIP, and phone cards.....	360	428	354	357	309
Cellular phone service	591	518	524	624	662
Water and other public services	649	477	550	626	939
Household operations	1,357	1,380	1,285	1,239	1,611
Personal services.....	160	³ 156	³ 332	³ 83	³ 128
Other household expenses	1,197	1,225	954	1,156	1,483
Housekeeping supplies	730	520	790	654	979
Laundry and cleaning supplies	143	116	187	121	160
Other household products.....	454	279	462	416	661
Postage and stationery	132	125	142	116	157
Household furnishings and equipment.....	1,379	1,270	1,257	1,324	1,677
Household textiles.....	76	48	125	63	69
Furniture	311	357	220	299	381
Floor coverings.....	32	³ 24	42	31	30
Major appliances	316	310	294	301	368
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares	86	82	77	77	114
Miscellaneous household equipment.....	558	449	500	552	714
Apparel and services	673	648	709	617	753
Men and boys	109	86	176	80	108
Men, 16 and over	99	³ 76	176	72	85
Boys, 2 to 15	³ 10	³ 10	(²)	³ 9	³ 23
Women and girls	314	383	272	318	294
Women, 16 and over.....	303	379	256	314	273
Girls, 2 to 15.....	³ 10	³ 4	³ 16	³ 4	³ 21
Children under 2	³ 12	³ 2	³ 16	³ 19	³ 5
Footwear.....	111	³ 82	125	98	142
Other apparel products and services	127	96	119	101	204
Transportation	4,794	4,128	5,073	4,790	5,120
Vehicle purchases (net outlay).....	1,613	³ 1,027	1,842	1,726	1,710
Cars and trucks, new	787	³ 721	³ 687	³ 870	³ 802
Cars and trucks, used	824	³ 307	1,155	852	908
Other vehicles	³ 1	(⁴)	(⁴)	³ 3	(⁴)
Gasoline, other fuels, and motor oil	862	678	887	897	941
Other vehicle expenses.....	2,181	2,254	2,193	2,080	2,285
Vehicle finance charges	71	52	83	76	67
Maintenance and repairs	564	523	547	503	729
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges	546	754	622	444	461
Vehicle insurance.....	1,000	926	941	1,056	1,028
Public and other transportation	137	168	151	87	184
Healthcare	6,874	6,835	7,134	6,631	7,062
Health insurance	4,900	4,802	4,957	4,878	4,968
Medical services.....	1,014	1,192	1,225	791	1,032
Drugs	714	607	654	763	781
Medical supplies.....	245	234	298	199	281
Entertainment	1,887	1,655	1,668	2,057	1,993
Fees and admissions	300	285	190	318	390
Audio and visual equipment and services.....	955	965	940	948	966
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment.....	476	322	344	576	558

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Pets	389	303	281	479	411
Toys, hobbies, and playground equipment.....	86	³ 19	³ 63	97	147
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services	156	83	195	215	79
Personal care products and services	534	486	533	509	613
Reading	168	215	172	117	214
Education.....	412	³ 759	218	355	395
Tobacco products and smoking supplies.....	122	115	118	133	116
Miscellaneous	792	958	741	669	914
Cash contributions.....	3,681	3,074	4,492	3,714	3,363
Personal insurance and pensions	1,336	1,329	1,228	1,257	1,582
Life and other personal insurance.....	389	449	365	409	327
Pensions and Social Security.....	947	880	862	849	1,256
Sources of income and personal taxes:					
Income before taxes	\$42,509	\$43,389	\$40,614	\$39,253	\$49,128
Wages and salaries.....	7,683	7,014	6,061	6,911	11,173
Self-employment income.....	1,390	1,495	1,558	971	1,848
Social Security, private and government retirement.....	28,911	29,944	28,195	27,741	30,692
Interest, dividends, rental income, and other property income.....	3,307	3,769	3,661	2,253	4,346
Public assistance, Supplemental Security Income, Supplementary Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	254	405	210	209	241
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits, and regular contributions for support.....	719	335	589	976	745
Other income	245	³ 427	³ 339	³ 192	84
Personal taxes (contains some imputed values)	382	364	82	206	992
Federal income taxes.....	1,740	1,681	1,672	1,547	2,184
Stimulus payment (new UCC Q20202)#.....	-1,746	-1,734	-1,775	-1,708	-1,795
State and local income taxes	350	363	120	327	601
Other taxes.....	40	³ 54	³ 66	40	³ 1
Income after taxes	42,127	43,025	40,532	39,047	48,137
Addenda:					
Net change in total assets and liabilities	\$10,241	\$18,390	\$1,625	\$8,083	\$15,185
Net change in total assets.....	11,937	20,636	2,699	9,639	17,244
Net change in total liabilities.....	1,696	2,246	1,074	1,556	2,059
Other financial information:					
Other money receipts.....	436	³ 514	³ 518	³ 297	524
Mortgage principal paid on owned property.....	-1,054	-766	-910	-981	-1,572
Estimated market value of owned home.....	263,007	242,256	165,283	217,926	453,629
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home.....	1,338	1,286	1,033	1,319	1,715

¹ Data are rounded to the nearest thousands.

² Value is too small to display.

³ Data are likely to have large sampling errors.

⁴ No data reported.

Data collection for this item began in June 2020. Stimulus payments delivered to respondents interviewed in April and May of 2020 were not included in estimation.