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Number of consumer units (in thousands) .....	120,847	24,704	96,142	18,615	9,486	19,817	15,575	16,791	15,858
Consumer unit characteristics:									
Income before taxes .....	\$62,857	\$59,715	\$63,664	\$51,157	\$56,252	\$59,060	\$65,415	\$75,629	\$74,144
Income after taxes .....	60,753	57,609	61,561	49,556	55,052	57,201	63,190	72,206	72,122
Age of reference person .....	49.4	53.0	48.5	48.8	48.2	47.9	48.7	47.4	50.0
Average number in consumer unit:									
Persons .....	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.6
Children under 18 .....	.6	.6	.6	.6	.7	.6	.6	.6	.6
Persons 65 and older .....	.3	.4	.3	.3	.3	.3	.3	.2	.3
Earners .....	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.3
Vehicles .....	2.0	2.6	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.5
Percent distribution:									
Sex of reference person:									
Male .....	47	47	47	46	45	46	49	49	48
Female .....	53	53	53	54	55	54	51	51	52
Housing tenure:									
Homeowner .....	66	83	62	61	64	64	64	62	57
With mortgage .....	41	45	41	34	42	42	45	44	38
Without mortgage .....	25	38	21	27	22	22	19	18	19
Renter .....	34	17	38	39	36	36	36	38	43
Race of reference person:									
Black or African-American .....	12	6	14	11	8	14	14	18	14
White, Asian, and all other races .....	88	94	86	89	92	86	86	82	86
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:									
Hispanic or Latino .....	12	4	14	12	9	9	13	19	21
Not Hispanic or Latino .....	88	96	86	88	91	91	87	81	79
Education of reference person:									
Elementary (1-8) .....	5	6	4	6	4	3	3	4	6
High school (9-12) .....	34	42	33	36	34	33	32	27	33
College .....	61	52	63	57	63	64	64	68	61
Never attended and other .....	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )
At least one vehicle owned or leased .....	88	95	87	87	89	89	89	88	78
Average annual expenditures .....	\$49,067	\$46,890	\$49,627	\$40,605	\$43,895	\$48,083	\$50,416	\$57,380	\$56,351
Food .....									
Food at home .....	3,753	3,865	3,724	3,099	3,461	3,899	3,913	3,885	3,990
Cereals and bakery products .....	506	521	503	414	472	533	525	533	526
Cereals and cereal products .....	173	173	172	148	152	176	176	183	191
Bakery products .....	334	347	330	267	320	357	349	350	335
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	841	877	832	684	742	857	897	853	926
Beef .....	226	264	217	203	211	216	249	209	214
Pork .....	168	188	163	145	157	176	174	159	165
Other meats .....	114	116	113	96	106	122	119	116	115
Poultry .....	154	144	157	108	116	166	172	171	189
Fish and seafood .....	135	121	139	96	113	133	141	148	193
Eggs .....	44	44	44	36	39	44	41	50	50
Dairy products .....	406	432	400	339	389	437	402	412	411
Fresh milk and cream .....	144	153	142	126	134	154	134	144	153
Other dairy products .....	262	278	258	213	254	283	268	268	259
Fruits and vegetables .....	656	624	665	519	578	668	654	740	793
Fresh fruits .....	220	197	225	165	193	215	230	263	275
Fresh vegetables .....	209	194	213	161	184	211	201	242	268
Processed fruits .....	118	111	120	96	100	128	119	128	139
Processed vegetables .....	110	122	106	97	100	114	105	107	111

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Other food at home .....	\$1,343	\$1,411	\$1,326	\$1,142	\$1,280	\$1,404	\$1,435	\$1,347	\$1,334
Sugar and other sweets .....	141	159	136	123	116	148	163	135	122
Fats and oils .....	102	116	99	84	100	100	105	102	103
Miscellaneous foods .....	715	729	712	591	685	763	761	727	733
Nonalcoholic beverages .....	337	359	331	303	332	341	362	326	324
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips .....	49	48	49	40	47	53	44	56	52
Food away from home .....	2,619	2,282	2,705	2,176	2,487	2,660	2,687	3,067	3,081
Alcoholic beverages .....	435	356	455	340	390	468	510	554	442
Housing .....	16,895	14,329	17,555	13,233	15,132	16,125	17,915	20,898	21,967
Shelter .....	10,075	7,547	10,724	7,230	8,892	9,415	10,974	13,149	14,746
Owned dwellings .....	6,543	5,941	6,697	4,559	5,955	6,203	7,118	7,969	8,511
Mortgage interest and charges .....	3,594	3,056	3,732	2,507	3,245	3,469	4,182	4,702	4,320
Property taxes .....	1,811	1,597	1,866	1,132	1,811	1,487	1,729	2,163	3,054
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses .....	1,138	1,287	1,100	920	899	1,247	1,207	1,104	1,137
Rented dwellings .....	2,860	1,025	3,332	2,163	2,362	2,670	3,213	4,245	5,260
Other lodging .....	672	581	695	508	575	542	644	935	975
Utilities, fuels, and public services .....	3,645	3,737	3,621	3,341	3,467	3,491	3,702	3,878	3,852
Natural gas .....	483	257	541	391	480	490	602	519	782
Electricity .....	1,377	1,620	1,314	1,337	1,255	1,263	1,367	1,453	1,188
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	141	354	87	81	101	75	34	65	176
Telephone services .....	1,162	1,161	1,162	1,018	1,124	1,121	1,154	1,270	1,299
Water and other public services .....	481	345	516	514	507	542	545	573	407
Household operations .....	1,011	712	1,088	745	841	1,002	1,060	1,448	1,394
Personal services .....	389	184	442	267	276	387	402	605	684
Other household expenses .....	622	529	646	477	565	615	658	844	710
Housekeeping supplies .....	659	749	636	575	617	739	653	630	581
Laundry and cleaning supplies .....	156	172	152	149	159	141	151	154	160
Other household products .....	360	420	345	313	316	447	338	340	286
Postage and stationery .....	143	157	140	113	142	151	163	137	134
Household furnishings and equipment .....	1,506	1,583	1,486	1,342	1,315	1,479	1,526	1,792	1,394
Household textiles .....	124	143	119	106	140	109	124	131	119
Furniture .....	343	313	351	286	312	331	343	416	412
Floor coverings .....	30	34	29	22	22	37	26	31	35
Major appliances .....	194	247	180	160	143	194	212	203	153
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares .....	93	88	95	72	73	98	93	118	104
Miscellaneous household equipment .....	721	759	711	695	625	710	729	894	572
Apparel and services .....	1,725	1,412	1,805	1,406	1,425	1,724	1,852	2,344	1,933
Men and boys .....	383	380	384	291	326	396	465	412	396
Men, 16 and over .....	304	306	304	205	272	325	382	325	310
Boys, 2 to 15 .....	79	75	80	86	53	71	83	87	86
Women and girls .....	678	524	718	575	608	667	705	993	708
Women, 16 and over .....	561	428	595	469	487	525	595	854	591
Girls, 2 to 15 .....	118	95	123	107	121	142	110	139	117
Children under 2 .....	91	82	94	84	79	103	92	106	89
Footwear .....	323	292	331	229	254	286	344	475	368
Other apparel products and services .....	249	134	279	227	159	271	246	357	373
Transportation .....	7,658	8,510	7,440	6,794	6,531	7,198	7,363	8,534	7,925
Vehicle purchases (net outlay) .....	2,657	3,038	2,559	2,730	2,068	2,655	2,326	2,929	2,369
Cars and trucks, new .....	1,297	1,230	1,315	1,209	959	1,467	1,211	1,578	1,283
Cars and trucks, used .....	1,304	1,715	1,199	1,460	1,077	1,130	1,081	1,304	1,056
Other vehicles .....	55	94	45	61	31	57	34	48	30
Gasoline and motor oil .....	1,986	2,440	1,870	1,796	1,775	1,847	1,939	2,031	1,803

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Other vehicle expenses .....	\$2,536	\$2,767	\$2,476	\$1,972	\$2,285	\$2,334	\$2,529	\$2,898	\$2,832
Vehicle finance charges .....	281	366	259	273	239	292	280	277	175
Maintenance and repairs .....	733	824	709	576	702	759	743	793	686
Vehicle insurance .....	1,075	1,279	1,023	859	923	912	1,073	1,168	1,182
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges .....	447	298	485	264	421	371	433	659	789
Public transportation .....	479	264	534	295	403	362	569	677	921
Healthcare .....	3,126	3,587	3,008	2,939	2,899	3,199	3,051	3,017	2,864
Health insurance .....	1,785	2,067	1,712	1,623	1,719	1,805	1,782	1,698	1,644
Medical services .....	736	765	729	774	588	729	721	794	699
Drugs .....	486	609	455	442	473	535	435	416	420
Medical supplies .....	119	145	112	99	118	130	113	109	102
Entertainment .....	2,693	2,859	2,650	2,434	2,429	2,627	2,759	2,964	2,622
Fees and admissions .....	628	496	662	442	568	698	643	791	815
Audio and visual equipment and services .....	975	945	983	912	1,014	975	969	1,067	979
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment .....	690	887	639	642	500	608	758	717	560
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services .....	400	532	366	438	348	347	389	388	268
Personal care products and services .....	596	504	619	470	548	629	611	795	639
Reading .....	110	104	111	98	106	124	108	121	106
Education .....	1,068	712	1,159	862	899	1,105	1,021	1,254	1,766
Tobacco products and smoking supplies .....	380	547	337	404	403	355	312	301	257
Miscellaneous .....	816	894	796	608	785	796	925	909	774
Cash contributions .....	1,723	1,832	1,695	1,424	1,418	1,856	1,656	1,806	1,898
Personal insurance and pensions .....	5,471	5,097	5,567	4,319	4,983	5,318	5,733	6,931	6,087
Life and other personal insurance .....	309	365	295	251	271	331	302	286	317
Pensions and Social Security .....	5,162	4,732	5,272	4,067	4,712	4,987	5,431	6,645	5,770
Sources of income and personal taxes:									
Money income before taxes .....	62,857	59,715	63,664	51,157	56,252	59,060	65,415	75,629	74,144
Wages and salaries .....	50,339	44,243	51,906	39,002	45,100	48,415	53,466	62,904	62,308
Self-employment income .....	2,673	3,493	2,463	2,172	2,746	1,431	2,631	3,217	2,960
Social Security, private and government retirement .....	6,837	8,920	6,301	7,278	5,974	6,295	6,531	5,473	6,007
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income .....	1,460	1,741	1,387	1,134	705	1,107	1,213	2,622	1,307
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits .....	432	400	440	459	612	423	467	337	417
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps .....	435	405	442	533	414	419	522	318	435
Regular contributions for support .....	416	269	453	396	366	597	341	537	416
Other income .....	266	243	272	181	335	372	243	222	294
Personal taxes .....	2,104	2,105	2,103	1,601	1,200	1,859	2,225	3,423	2,022
Federal income taxes .....	1,404	1,373	1,413	1,009	660	1,130	1,455	2,598	1,393
2008 Tax stimulus (new UCC Q20082) (thru Q20091) .....	3-1	3-2	3-1	3-1	( 1 )	3-1	3-2	3-1	3-2
State and local income taxes .....	524	503	529	460	358	465	678	581	594
Other taxes .....	177	231	162	133	182	265	93	245	37

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Income after taxes .....	60,753	57,609	61,561	49,556	55,052	57,201	63,190	72,206	72,122
Addenda:									
Net change in total assets and liabilities .....	-\$5,416	-\$712	-\$6,624	-\$2,104	-\$9,174	-\$4,802	-\$11,840	-\$5,778	-\$8,454
Net change in total assets .....	6,448	6,828	6,350	4,932	-683	7,325	6,463	11,428	5,518
Net change in total liabilities .....	11,864	7,540	12,975	7,037	8,492	12,127	18,303	17,206	13,973
Other financial information:									
Other money receipts .....	514	790	443	382	361	541	421	491	413
Mortgage principal paid on owned property .....	-2,211	-2,047	-2,253	-1,645	-1,902	-2,181	-2,228	-2,852	-2,660
Estimated market value of owned home .....	157,630	162,649	156,340	103,871	133,974	134,699	150,453	191,658	226,739
Estimated monthly rental value of owned home .....	856	818	866	625	782	792	877	1,019	1,116
Gifts of goods and services .....	1,067	1,073	1,066	790	1,152	1,084	1,139	1,209	1,087
Food .....	96	105	94	54	110	136	113	66	87
Alcoholic beverages .....	9	7	9	9	8	7	13	11	8
Housing .....	202	191	205	172	235	223	206	232	177
Housekeeping supplies .....	31	34	30	33	25	32	47	25	17
Household textiles .....	9	12	8	8	<sup>38</sup>	7	7	12	<sup>36</sup>
Appliances and miscellaneous housewares .....	15	15	16	15	18	18	15	12	16
Major appliances .....	4	5	4	4	<sup>34</sup>	5	4	5	5
Small appliances and miscellaneous housewares .....	11	10	11	11	14	14	11	6	11
Miscellaneous household equipment .....	41	40	42	36	63	34	38	50	39
Other housing .....	106	90	110	80	120	132	99	132	98
Apparel and services .....	237	228	239	188	178	279	275	292	191
Males, 2 and over .....	53	67	49	41	21	60	63	60	37
Females, 2 and over .....	86	74	90	72	90	106	109	104	55
Children under 2 .....	48	49	48	41	38	51	49	57	48
Other apparel products and services .....	49	38	52	34	29	62	54	72	50
Jewelry and watches .....	14	6	16	8	<sup>35</sup>	30	16	11	23
All other apparel products and services .....	35	32	36	26	24	33	38	61	28
Transportation .....	86	73	89	73	49	56	159	110	85
Healthcare .....	28	18	31	33	<sup>310</sup>	35	19	34	41
Entertainment .....	91	102	89	49	128	108	124	78	64
Toys, games, arts and crafts, and tricycles .....	34	39	33	23	58	31	50	30	18
Other entertainment .....	57	63	56	27	71	78	73	48	46
Personal care products and services .....	12	15	12	15	16	11	8	16	5
Reading .....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	( <sup>1</sup> )
Education .....	229	241	226	129	376	168	146	286	335
All other gifts .....	76	93	72	69	41	60	75	83	94

<sup>1</sup> Value is less than or equal to 0.5.  
<sup>2</sup> No data reported.  
<sup>3</sup> Data are likely to have large sampling errors.