

Table 52. Region of residence: Shares of average annual expenditures and sources of income, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2011

Item	All consumer units	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Number of consumer units (in thousands)	122,287	22,538	27,107	44,901	27,741
Consumer unit characteristics:					
Income before taxes	\$63,685	\$71,733	\$60,897	\$58,780	\$67,810
Income after taxes	61,673	69,334	59,394	57,205	64,909
Age of reference person	49.7	50.8	49.1	50.2	48.7
Average number in consumer unit:					
Persons	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.6
Children under 18 .....	.6	.6	.6	.6	.7
Persons 65 and older .....	.3	.4	.3	.3	.3
Earners	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.3
Vehicles	1.9	1.6	2.0	1.9	2.0
Percent distribution:					
Sex of reference person:					
Male	47	45	46	45	50
Female	53	55	54	55	50
Housing tenure:					
Homeowner	65	64	68	68	58
With mortgage	40	39	43	39	39
Without mortgage	25	24	25	28	19
Renter	35	36	32	32	42
Race of reference person:					
Black or African-American	12	10	10	20	5
White, Asian, and all other races	88	90	90	80	95
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:					
Hispanic or Latino	12	10	5	13	20
Not Hispanic or Latino	88	90	95	87	80
Education of reference person:					
Elementary (1-8)	5	3	4	5	5
High school (9-12)	34	35	33	38	26
College	62	62	63	57	68
Never attended and other	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
At least one vehicle owned or leased	88	80	89	90	89
Average annual expenditures	\$49,705	\$54,547	\$47,192	\$45,699	\$54,745
Food					
Food at home	13.0	12.5	13.2	13.1	13.1
Cereals and bakery products	7.7	7.5	8.1	7.7	7.6
Cereals and cereal products	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.0	1.0
Bakery products .....	.4	.4	.4	.3	.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs .....	.7	.7	.8	.7	.6
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.6
Beef .....	.4	.4	.5	.5	.4
Pork .....	.3	.3	.3	.4	.3
Other meats .....	.2	.3	.3	.2	.2
Poultry .....	.3	.3	.3	.3	.3
Fish and seafood .....	.2	.3	.2	.2	.3
Eggs .....	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1
Dairy products8	.8	.9	.8	.8
Fresh milk and cream3	.3	.3	.3	.3
Other dairy products5	.5	.6	.5	.5

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Table 52. Region of residence: Shares of average annual expenditures and sources of income, Consumer Expenditure Survey, 2011 — Continued

Item	All consumer units	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Fruits and vegetables	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.5
Fresh fruits .....	.5	.5	.5	.4	.6
Fresh vegetables .....	.5	.5	.4	.4	.5
Processed fruits .....	.2	.2	.3	.2	.2
Processed vegetables .....	.3	.3	.3	.3	.2
Other food at home	2.7	2.5	3.0	2.7	2.7
Sugar and other sweets .....	.3	.3	.3	.3	.3
Fats and oils .....	.2	.2	.2	.2	.2
Miscellaneous foods	1.4	1.2	1.6	1.4	1.4
Nonalcoholic beverages .....	.7	.7	.8	.8	.7
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips .....	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1
Food away from home	5.3	5.0	5.1	5.4	5.5
Alcoholic beverages .....	.9	.9	.8	.8	1.1
Housing	33.8	35.9	31.6	32.8	35.4
Shelter	19.8	22.1	17.8	17.7	22.3
Owned dwellings	12.4	14.0	12.1	11.2	12.9
Mortgage interest and charges	6.4	6.1	5.6	6.0	7.9
Property taxes	3.7	5.5	4.1	2.9	3.0
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses	2.3	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.0
Rented dwellings	6.1	6.5	4.6	5.5	7.8
Other lodging	1.3	1.5	1.2	1.1	1.5
Utilities, fuels, and public services	7.5	7.5	7.4	8.5	6.2
Natural gas .....	.8	1.1	1.3	.5	.7
Electricity	2.9	2.5	2.6	3.9	2.1
Fuel oil and other fuels .....	.3	.9	.3	.2	.1
Telephone services	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.8	2.2
Water and other public services	1.0	.7	.9	1.2	1.1
Household operations	2.3	2.3	2.0	2.1	2.6
Personal services .....	.8	.9	.7	.6	1.0
Other household expenses	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.6
Housekeeping supplies	1.2	1.2	1.4	1.2	1.2
Laundry and cleaning supplies .....	.3	.2	.3	.3	.3
Other household products .....	.7	.7	.8	.7	.6
Postage and stationery .....	.3	.2	.3	.3	.3
Household furnishings and equipment	3.0	2.8	3.1	3.1	3.1
Household textiles .....	.2	.2	.2	.2	.3
Furniture .....	.7	.7	.8	.8	.6
Floor coverings	(²)	.1	.0	(²)	(²)
Major appliances .....	.4	.3	.4	.4	.4
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares .....	.2	.2	.2	.2	.2
Miscellaneous household equipment	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.6
Apparel and services	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.5
Men and boys .....	.8	.8	.8	.9	.8
Men, 16 and over .....	.7	.7	.6	.7	.6
Boys, 2 to 15 .....	.2	.2	.2	.2	.2
Women and girls	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.4	1.4
Women, 16 and over	1.2	1.2	1.4	1.2	1.2
Girls, 2 to 15 .....	.2	.3	.2	.2	.3
Children under 2 .....	.1	.1	.1	.2	.1
Footwear .....	.6	.6	.6	.7	.7
Other apparel products and services .....	.5	.5	.4	.4	.5
Transportation	16.7	15.5	17.2	18.1	15.3
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	5.4	4.9	5.9	6.0	4.4
Cars and trucks, new	2.5	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.0
Cars and trucks, used	2.7	2.1	3.1	3.1	2.3
Other vehicles1	.2	.2	.1	.1

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Item	All consumer units	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Gasoline and motor oil	5.3	4.6	5.6	6.1	4.7
Other vehicle expenses	4.9	4.6	4.7	5.3	5.0
Vehicle finance charges .....	.5	.4	.5	.6	.4
Maintenance and repairs	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.8
Vehicle insurance	2.0	1.6	1.8	2.4	1.9
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, other charges .....	.9	1.2	.8	.7	.9
Public and other transportation	1.0	1.3	1.0	.7	1.3
Health care	6.7	6.2	7.7	6.9	5.9
Health insurance	3.9	3.7	4.3	4.0	3.4
Medical services	1.5	1.4	2.0	1.5	1.4
Drugs	1.0	.8	1.1	1.1	.9
Medical supplies .....	.3	.2	.3	.3	.2
Entertainment	5.2	4.8	5.3	5.1	5.4
Fees and admissions	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.0	1.4
Audio and visual equipment and services	2.0	1.9	2.0	2.2	1.8
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment ..	1.3	1.0	1.3	1.4	1.2
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services .....	.7	.6	.8	.6	1.0
Personal care products and services	1.3	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.3
Reading .....	.2	.2	.3	.2	.3
Education	2.1	3.0	2.3	1.5	2.1
Tobacco products and smoking supplies .....	.7	.7	.8	.9	.5
Miscellaneous	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.4	1.6
Cash contributions	3.5	3.3	3.5	3.5	3.4
Personal insurance and pensions	10.9	10.9	11.0	10.8	11.0
Life and other personal insurance .....	.6	.7	.6	.7	.5
Pensions and Social Security	10.3	10.2	10.3	10.1	10.5
Sources of income and personal taxes:					
Money income before taxes	\$63,685	\$71,733	\$60,897	\$58,780	\$67,810
Wages and salaries	78.2	80.1	76.0	78.8	77.6
Self-employment income	5.1	3.4	7.3	4.6	5.5
Social Security, private and government retirement	12.0	11.5	12.2	12.7	11.2
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income	2.0	2.1	2.0	1.5	2.7
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits .....	.9	1.1	.9	.7	1.1
Public assistance, supplemental security income, food stamps .....	.8	.8	.8	.8	.8
Regular contributions for support .....	.6	.5	.5	.5	.8
Other income .....	.3	.4	.3	.3	.4
Personal taxes (missing values not imputed)	3.2	3.3	2.5	2.7	4.3
Federal income taxes	2.2	2.1	1.6	1.9	3.0
State and local income taxes .....	.8	.9	.8	.5	1.1
Other taxes .....	.2	.3	.1	.3	.1
Income after taxes	96.8	96.7	97.5	97.3	95.7

¹ Value less than or equal to 0.5.

² Value less than 0.05.

Source: Consumer Expenditure Survey, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, September, 2012