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Item	Aggregate	One person	Two or more people				
			Total	Two people	Three people	Four people	Five or more people
Number of consumer units (in thousands) ¹	131,234	39,127	92,107	43,169	19,028	16,628	13,283
Percent distribution of consumer units	100.0	29.8	70.2	32.9	14.5	12.7	10.1
Consumer unit characteristics (mean values):							
Income before taxes	\$84,352	\$43,674	\$101,631	\$88,115	\$103,701	\$122,777	\$116,123
Income after taxes	74,949	38,566	90,405	78,108	89,187	109,306	108,451
Age of reference person	52.2	56.9	50.2	55.9	48.0	43.8	42.7
Average number in consumer unit:							
People.....	2.5	1.0	3.1	2.0	3.0	4.0	5.7
Children under 18.....	.6	n.a.	.8	.1	.6	1.5	2.6
Adults 65 and older.....	.4	.4	.4	.7	.3	.1	.2
Earners	1.3	.6	1.6	1.2	1.8	2.0	2.3
Vehicles	1.9	1.1	2.2	2.1	2.2	2.4	2.5
Percent distribution:							
Reference person:							
Men.....	47	45	48	50	45	49	45
Women	53	55	52	50	55	51	55
Housing tenure:							
Homeowner	66	52	72	74	68	72	70
With mortgage	39	22	46	38	47	58	55
Without mortgage.....	27	29	26	36	21	14	15
Renter	34	48	28	26	32	28	30
Race of reference person:							
Black or African-American.....	13	16	12	11	13	14	14
White, Asian, and all other races	87	84	88	89	87	86	86
Hispanic or Latino origin of reference person:							
Hispanic or Latino	14	9	16	11	18	19	30
Not Hispanic or Latino	86	91	84	89	82	81	70
Education of reference person:							
Elementary (1-8).....	2	2	3	2	3	3	6
High school (9-12)	28	31	27	27	27	25	31
College.....	69	67	70	71	70	72	63
Never attended and other.....	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	1	(²)	(²)
At least one vehicle owned or leased.....	90	80	94	94	93	95	96
Annual aggregate expenditures.....	\$8,051,248	18.9	81.1	34.0	16.5	17.3	13.3
Food.....	961,333	17.5	82.5	32.5	16.5	18.7	14.9
Food at home	649,324	17.1	82.9	32.1	16.4	18.6	15.7
Cereals and bakery products	84,058	16.3	83.7	31.8	16.3	19.2	16.4
Cereals and cereal products	27,832	14.6	85.4	30.7	16.5	19.5	18.7
Bakery products	56,226	17.1	82.9	32.3	16.2	19.1	15.3
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	141,308	15.5	84.5	32.5	16.8	18.5	16.7
Beef	38,889	13.8	86.2	33.5	17.6	18.4	16.7
Pork	28,174	15.0	85.0	32.9	16.5	20.0	15.6
Other meats	18,648	17.2	82.8	30.0	18.2	18.4	16.3
Poultry	24,864	16.0	84.0	31.3	16.0	17.3	19.3
Fish and seafood.....	22,344	16.1	83.9	34.7	15.8	18.3	15.2
Eggs	8,388	17.6	82.4	30.2	15.8	18.5	17.9
Dairy products	62,244	17.6	82.4	31.5	16.4	19.1	15.3
Fresh milk and cream	19,286	17.3	82.7	30.2	17.1	18.9	16.5
Other dairy products	42,958	17.8	82.2	32.1	16.1	19.3	14.8
Fruits and vegetables.....	128,370	17.6	82.4	32.0	16.4	19.0	15.0
Fresh fruits	45,806	18.2	81.8	30.6	16.7	19.5	15.0
Fresh vegetables.....	40,856	16.9	83.1	34.5	15.8	18.7	14.1
Processed fruits	16,461	17.9	82.1	30.6	16.8	18.8	15.9
Processed vegetables.....	25,247	17.6	82.4	31.4	16.7	18.4	16.0
Other food at home	233,344	18.0	82.0	32.1	16.3	18.2	15.4
Sugar and other sweets.....	21,794	18.0	82.0	31.0	15.8	19.2	16.0

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Fats and oils.....	17,419	17.1	82.9	33.0	15.8	17.1	17.0
Miscellaneous foods.....	127,852	17.9	82.1	32.1	16.0	18.8	15.2
Nonalcoholic beverages.....	59,771	18.7	81.3	31.5	17.1	17.4	15.3
Food prepared by consumer unit on out-of-town trips.....	6,509	14.4	85.6	41.0	16.3	14.8	13.4
Food away from home.....	312,009	18.2	81.8	33.3	16.6	18.7	13.3
Alcoholic beverages.....	62,801	20.9	79.1	42.6	13.9	15.2	7.4
Housing.....	2,809,933	22.1	77.9	32.7	15.7	16.7	12.8
Shelter.....	1,654,047	23.6	76.4	32.3	15.7	16.0	12.3
Owned dwellings.....	980,723	17.1	82.9	34.6	16.3	18.6	13.3
Mortgage interest and charges.....	388,670	13.8	86.2	29.4	17.9	22.5	16.4
Property taxes.....	308,849	17.9	82.1	36.5	16.0	17.4	12.1
Maintenance, repairs, insurance, other expenses.....	283,203	20.9	79.1	39.7	14.5	14.6	10.4
Rented dwellings.....	578,518	36.1	63.9	27.0	15.0	11.6	10.3
Other lodging.....	94,807	14.8	85.2	40.2	14.1	16.0	14.9
Utilities, fuels, and public services.....	545,665	19.0	81.0	33.5	16.8	16.4	14.3
Natural gas.....	54,387	20.5	79.5	34.1	15.1	16.8	13.5
Electricity.....	198,942	20.2	79.8	33.6	16.9	15.6	13.7
Fuel oil and other fuels.....	13,799	24.0	76.0	34.8	17.6	12.0	11.7
Telephone services.....	189,045	17.4	82.6	33.1	17.6	17.0	15.0
Residential phone service, VOIP, and phone cards.....	24,611	27.6	72.4	39.2	14.1	11.2	8.0
Cellular phone service.....	164,434	15.8	84.2	32.2	18.1	17.9	16.0
Water and other public services.....	89,492	18.4	81.6	33.7	16.0	17.0	14.8
Household operations.....	192,203	18.4	81.6	29.2	16.8	23.0	12.6
Personal services.....	45,489	35.0	95.0	8.5	21.0	46.5	19.0
Other household expenses.....	146,714	22.6	77.4	35.6	15.5	15.7	10.6
Housekeeping supplies.....	109,917	18.3	81.7	34.7	14.7	19.2	13.2
Laundry and cleaning supplies.....	22,375	19.8	80.2	33.3	16.1	16.2	14.6
Other household products.....	70,453	17.6	82.4	33.6	14.2	21.3	13.3
Postage and stationery.....	17,089	19.3	80.7	41.3	14.7	14.3	10.5
Household furnishings and equipment.....	308,101	22.9	77.1	34.9	13.7	15.9	12.6
Household textiles.....	15,249	22.8	77.2	34.5	16.9	13.9	11.8
Furniture.....	70,101	16.3	83.7	35.4	15.4	17.5	15.4
Floor coverings.....	3,925	18.1	81.9	38.2	14.3	10.2	19.2
Major appliances.....	46,458	15.7	84.3	34.8	16.8	16.5	16.1
Small appliances, miscellaneous housewares.....	17,695	22.8	77.2	33.5	13.7	15.2	14.8
Miscellaneous household equipment.....	154,673	28.2	71.8	34.8	11.7	15.4	9.9
Apparel and services.....	188,417	19.1	80.9	29.9	14.2	20.9	15.9
Men and boys.....	42,869	15.6	84.4	32.5	14.0	20.6	17.3
Men, 16 and over.....	31,537	19.7	80.3	39.2	13.1	16.3	11.7
Boys, 2 to 15.....	11,332	4.3	95.7	13.8	16.5	32.5	32.9
Women and girls.....	71,603	20.6	79.4	28.5	15.2	19.3	16.4
Women, 16 and over.....	59,915	23.9	76.1	31.8	14.3	17.1	12.9
Girls, 2 to 15.....	11,687	3.3	96.7	12.0	20.0	30.5	34.3
Children under 2.....	8,918	34.7	95.3	19.0	20.2	31.3	24.8
Footwear.....	41,252	19.1	80.9	29.6	11.4	25.6	14.4
Other apparel products and services.....	23,775	26.1	73.9	34.1	14.3	13.9	11.6
Transportation.....	1,289,479	16.2	83.8	32.8	18.6	17.9	14.5
Vehicle purchases (net outlay).....	593,602	14.7	85.3	32.9	20.3	18.3	13.8
Cars and trucks, new.....	274,152	15.1	84.9	38.3	21.6	15.9	9.0
Cars and trucks, used.....	309,659	12.9	87.1	28.4	19.6	20.8	18.2
Other vehicles.....	9,791	59.5	40.5	23.6	33.7	34.6	38.6
Gasoline, other fuels, and motor oil.....	205,806	16.3	83.7	31.7	17.2	18.2	16.6
Other vehicle expenses.....	455,490	17.5	82.5	33.3	17.3	17.4	14.5
Vehicle finance charges.....	33,876	12.7	87.3	33.5	19.4	19.9	14.4
Maintenance and repairs.....	115,430	19.2	80.8	33.2	16.1	17.0	14.5
Vehicle rental, leases, licenses, and other charges.....	99,519	18.1	81.9	34.8	16.2	18.3	12.7
Vehicle insurance.....	206,665	17.1	82.9	32.7	18.2	16.8	15.3
Public and other transportation.....	34,580	22.6	77.4	29.8	16.9	15.3	15.4
Healthcare.....	679,445	18.4	81.6	40.0	16.2	14.9	10.5
Health insurance.....	481,223	17.9	82.1	40.5	16.7	14.6	10.2

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Item	Aggregate	One person	Two or more people				
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Medical services	113,387	18.3	81.7	36.5	15.2	18.0	12.0
Drugs	62,556	22.3	77.7	41.5	14.7	11.9	9.6
Medical supplies	22,279	20.0	80.0	41.1	14.9	13.6	10.4
Entertainment	382,340	19.8	80.2	35.2	15.7	17.7	11.6
Fees and admissions.....	55,723	11.9	88.1	32.3	18.4	22.5	14.9
Audio and visual equipment and services.....	137,719	20.8	79.2	39.5	14.8	13.6	11.3
Pets, toys, hobbies, and playground equipment	112,904	18.2	81.8	33.8	15.7	21.0	11.3
Pets	90,601	19.6	80.4	35.1	15.6	20.8	8.9
Toys, hobbies, and playground equipment.....	22,303	12.5	87.5	28.5	16.4	21.7	21.0
Other entertainment supplies, equipment, and services	75,994	26.3	73.7	31.5	15.4	16.7	10.1
Personal care products and services	84,885	19.5	80.5	35.2	15.6	17.0	12.7
Reading.....	14,953	25.4	74.6	39.4	11.9	13.7	9.5
Education	166,865	13.4	86.6	24.2	22.1	25.2	15.1
Tobacco products and smoking supplies	41,311	21.9	78.1	33.7	18.1	13.6	12.6
Miscellaneous	119,029	21.7	78.3	39.3	12.2	14.5	12.3
Cash contributions	299,564	22.0	78.0	47.1	10.0	8.8	12.1
Personal insurance and pensions	950,893	13.8	86.2	33.0	18.9	19.9	14.4
Life and other personal insurance.....	63,746	14.6	85.4	37.4	18.4	17.8	11.8
Pensions and Social Security.....	887,147	13.8	86.2	32.7	19.0	20.0	14.6
Sources of income and personal taxes:							
Income before taxes	\$11,069,815	15.4	84.6	34.4	17.8	18.4	13.9
Wages and salaries	8,589,128	13.1	86.9	31.2	19.4	20.9	15.4
Self-employment income.....	762,150	12.8	87.2	33.2	16.2	20.6	17.2
Social Security, private and government retirement	1,245,861	29.2	70.8	54.2	9.8	3.5	3.4
Interest, dividends, rental income, other property income	257,572	26.9	73.1	48.7	8.7	8.0	7.7
Public assistance, Supplemental Security Income, Supplementary Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	60,161	22.3	77.7	25.0	15.6	13.6	23.6
Unemployment and workers' compensation, veterans' benefits, and regular contributions for support.....	118,405	19.6	80.4	39.5	17.7	11.9	11.3
Other income	36,539	35.0	65.0	28.5	12.8	13.5	10.2
Personal taxes (contains some imputed values).....	1,233,909	16.2	83.8	35.0	22.4	18.2	8.3
Federal income taxes	1,156,407	16.6	83.4	35.4	22.2	17.3	8.5
Stimulus payment (new UCC Q20202)#	-250,790	16.2	83.8	33.5	17.4	16.4	16.5
State and local income taxes	318,861	14.8	85.2	32.1	19.1	20.1	13.9
Other taxes	9,432	19.4	80.6	40.0	21.8	9.8	9.0
Income after taxes	9,835,905	15.3	84.7	34.3	17.3	18.5	14.6

¹ Data are rounded to the nearest thousands.

² Value is too small to display.

³ Data are likely to have large sampling errors.

n.a. Not applicable.

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.