

**Table 13.25-- AVERAGE ANNUAL EXPENDITURES AND OTHER
CHARACTERISTICS OF CONSUMER UNITS, FOR HONOLULU:
2000-2001 TO 2004-2005**

[Annual averages for two-year periods. The Consumer Expenditure Survey for 2005- 2006 was released by BLS on October 26, 2007 and for 2006- 2007 on November 25, 2008 but neither included data for Honolulu]

Item	2000-2001	2001-2002	2002-2003	2003-2004	2004-2005
Average annual expenditures	43,024	43,458	44,505	48,339	54,937
Food	6,722	6,418	5,819	6,666	8,089
Food at home	3,935	3,879	3,269	3,592	4,231
Cereals and bakery products	582	542	462	499	556
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	1,152	1,182	866	860	1,090
Dairy products	345	336	287	317	335
Fruits and vegetables	765	750	630	693	831
Other food at home	1,091	1,069	1,024	1,223	1,419
Food away from home	2,788	2,539	2,549	3,075	3,858
Alcoholic beverages	554	489	357	367	463
Housing	13,903	14,207	15,156	15,874	17,400
Shelter	9,460	9,470	10,067	10,324	10,887
Owned dwellings	4,966	4,810	5,367	5,629	6,516
Rented dwellings	3,986	4,030	3,971	4,160	3,960
Other lodging	509	630	728	535	411
Utilities, fuels, & public services	2,182	2,200	2,492	2,606	2,813
Household operations	647	569	707	770	692
Housekeeping supplies	539	567	480	593	817
Household furn. & equipment	1,075	1,402	1,410	1,582	2,191
Apparel and services	1,761	1,597	1,467	1,467	2,157
Transportation	6,523	7,230	8,023	8,778	9,921
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	2,329	3,040	3,724	4,356	4,768
Gasoline and motor oil	1,176	1,124	1,142	1,277	1,658
Other vehicle expenses	2,103	2,194	2,208	2,218	2,427
Public transportation	915	873	948	927	1,069
Health care	2,252	2,365	2,617	2,668	2,600
Entertainment	2,066	2,249	2,276	2,941	3,126
Personal care products & services	691	594	542	649	772
Reading	163	161	170	149	128
Education	864	1,088	1,040	1,020	1,320
Tobacco prod. & smoking supplies	247	297	300	270	241
Miscellaneous	763	759	831	825	861
Cash contributions	1,672	1,278	1,226	1,218	1,112
Personal insurance and pensions	4,844	4,727	4,684	5,447	6,746
Life & other personal insurance	636	641	607	554	520
Pensions and Social Security	4,208	4,086	4,076	4,893	6,226

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Item	2000-2001	2001-2002	2002-2003	2003-2004	2004-2005
Number of consumer units	279,000	276,000	275,000	273,000	278,000
Consumer unit characteristics					
Income before taxes 1/	54,819	56,000	59,114	64,082	70,104
Age of reference person	52.9	53.9	53.7	52.1	51.8
Average number in consumer unit					
Persons	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.8
Children under 18	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.6
Persons 65 and over	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4
Earners	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5
Vehicles	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.8
Percent homeowner	52	53	57	57	61

1/ Components of income and taxes are derived from "complete income reporters" only through 2003. Beginning in 2004, income imputation was implemented. As a result, all consumer units are considered to be complete income reporters.

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Selected Western Metropolitan Statistical Areas: Average Annual Expenditures and Characteristics, Consumer Expenditure Survey (annual)
 <<http://www.bls.gov/cex/csxmsa.htm>> accessed December 3, 2008.