## Table 13.21-- AVERAGE ANNUAL EXPENDITURES AND OTHER CHARACTERISTICS OF CONSUMER UNITS, FOR HONOLULU: 1991-92 TO 1997-98

[Annual averages for two-year periods. No data were released for 1995-96]

Item	1991-92	1992-93	1993-94	1994-95	1996-97	1997-98
Average annual expenditures	37,273	38,997	43,214	40,999	41,992	42,636
Food	6,333	7,104	6,815	5,918	5,672	6,206
Food at home	3,455	3,889	3,899	3,292	3,493	3,479
Cereals and bakery products	519	582	606	504	517	523
Meats, poultry, fish, and eggs	946	1,151	1,144	882	923	974
Dairy products	278	294	294	258	304	281
Fruits and vegetables	693	781	751	629	717	725
Other food at home	1,019	1,080	1,105	1,020	1,033	976
Food away from home	2,878	3,215	2,916	2,626	2,179	2,727
Alcoholic beverages	449	503	417	440	381	467
Housing	11,863	12,261	14,301	14,168	13,638	14,775
Shelter	8,080	8,352	9,957	9,720	9,371	10,233
Owned dwellings	3,775	4,163	5,399	5,244	5,458	6,290
Rented dwellings	4,000	3,837	3,896	3,734	3,584	3,602
Other lodging	305	351	662	742	329	341
Utilities, fuels, and public serv.	1,448	1,673	1,835	1,837	1,975	2,011
Household operations	509	430	532	653	387	419
Housekeeping supplies	514	483	489	446	526	540
Housefurnishings and equipment	1,313	1,324	1,489	1,511	1,379	1,571
Apparel and services	2,166	2,086	1,712	1,485	2,215	1,876
Transportation	5,628	5,490	2,259	6,350	7,955	6,845
Vehicle purchases (net outlay)	2,061	1,809	2,259	2,231	3,521	2,394
Gasoline and motor oil	759	819	937	911	1,046	1,111
Other vehicle expenses	1,972	2,083	2,246	2,329	2,357	2,427
Public transportation	837	780	942	879	1,032	913
Health care	1,557	1,661	1,910	1,848	1,618	1,905
Entertainment	1,534	1,652	1,870	1,958	2,041	1,906
Personal care prod. and services	515	496	528	502	709	617
Reading	204	203	233	230	216	207
Education	573	1,043	1,428	1,117	847	1,141
Tobacco prod. and smoking sup.	228	282	257	227	280	222
Miscellaneous	1,837	1,109	1,324	1,275	964	962
Cash contributions	1,139	1,029	1,253	1,113	892	782
Personal insurance and pensions	3,245	4,078	4,781	4,368	4,564	4,724
Life and other personal insur.	446	424	594	546	743	777
Pensions and Social Security	2,799	3,654	4,187	3,822	3,821	3,947

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## Table 13.21-- AVERAGE ANNUAL EXPENDITURES AND OTHER CHARACTERISTICS OF CONSUMER UNITS, FOR HONOLULU: 1991-92 TO 1997-98--Con.

Item	1991-92	1992-93	1993-94	1994-95	1996-97	1997-98
Consumer unit characteristics:						
Number of consumer units	266,000	265,000	257,000	274,000	263,000	275,000
Income before taxes (dollars) 1/	42,156	46,404	52,064	51,847	49,255	53,461
Age of reference person	48.8	48.2	49.3	49.8	49.6	50.4
Number of persons	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.9	3.0
Number of children under 18	(NA)	(NA)	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.8
Number of persons 65 and over	(NA)	(NA)	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4
Number of earners	1.4	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.5
Number of vehicles	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.8
Percent homeowner	44	47	52	51	54	56

NA Not available.

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, *Selected Western Metropolitan Statistical Areas: Average Annual Expenditures, Characteristics, and Sources of Income of Consumer Units* (annual) and <a href="http://stats.bls.gov/csxhome.htm">http://stats.bls.gov/csxhome.htm</a>.

<sup>1/</sup> Components of income and taxes are derived from "complete income reporters" only.