

Table 5-12
Average expenditure per household, Canada and selected metropolitan areas, recent years — Saskatoon, Saskatchewan

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
	dollars				
Total expenditure	61,956	64,739	72,592	75,649	77,404
Food	5,827	6,282	6,425	7,194	6,830
Shelter	11,330	12,214	13,447	14,255	15,238
Household operation	3,048	3,247	3,468	3,465	3,529
Household furnishings and equipment	1,927	2,003	2,341	2,123	2,239
Clothing	2,403	2,694	2,618	3,167	3,064
Transportation	7,907	8,879	11,260	11,091	11,432
Health care	1,629	1,582	1,605	1,750	1,649
Personal care	1,088	1,198	1,240	1,255	1,394
Recreation	3,983	3,989	5,568	4,778	4,456
Reading materials and other printed matter	302	251	273	292	294
Education	1,252	1,398	1,350	1,814	2,001
Tobacco products and alcoholic beverages	1,223	1,482	1,530	1,311	1,401
Games of chance (net)	171	222	231	285	361
Miscellaneous expenditures	1,052	1,193	1,427	1,403	1,302
Total current consumption	43,140	46,634	52,783	54,184	55,187
Personal taxes	12,996	12,725	13,591	15,259	15,217
Personal insurance payments and pension contributions	4,089	3,840	4,370	4,389	4,831
Gifts of money and contributions	1,730	1,540	1,848	1,817	2,170

Note(s): Beginning with 2006, the distinction between full-year and part-year members and households has been removed. Spending data are collected for the reference year for all members of the household at the time of the interview. Since the data for the 1997-2005 were based on full-year members only, to maintain the comparability with prior years, the data for 1997-2005 have been revised to include both full-year and part-year households.