

Economic Pulse: October 2021



Millions of dollars; months are seasonally adjusted at annual rates	2020			2021			Mon/Mon	YR/Yr
	2020M08	2020M09	2020M10	2021M08	2021M09	2021m10		
Personal consumption expenditures: Goods and Services	14,270,546	14,481,715	14,546,011	15,975,833	16,076,442	16,290,700	1.3%	12.0%
Nondurable goods	3,089,153	3,156,734	3,143,183	3,525,350	3,558,991	3,617,072	1.6%	15.1%
Food and beverages purchased for off-premises consumption	1,151,637	1,158,990	1,152,148	1,255,987	1,265,013	1,274,377	0.7%	10.6%
Food and nonalcoholic beverages purchased for off-premises consumption (4)	978,971	986,518	981,948	1,074,055	1,082,483	1,092,021	0.9%	11.2%
Food purchased for off-premises consumption	870,634	876,803	871,740	953,865	961,313	969,653	0.9%	11.2%
Cereals and bakery products	163,830	164,786	163,788	179,822	181,245	182,726	0.8%	11.6%
Meats and poultry	203,587	204,379	202,731	220,289	221,957	223,886	0.9%	10.4%
Fish and seafood	18,561	18,702	18,505	20,039	20,122	20,289	0.8%	9.6%
Milk, dairy products, and eggs	97,587	98,335	97,838	107,363	108,365	109,318	0.9%	11.7%
Fats and oils	26,728	26,819	26,640	28,978	29,175	29,458	1.0%	10.6%
Fresh fruits and vegetables	100,077	100,702	100,050	109,320	110,000	110,952	0.9%	10.9%
Processed fruits and vegetables	34,354	34,507	34,279	37,348	37,594	37,945	0.9%	10.7%
Sugar and sweets	50,171	51,190	51,046	57,007	57,573	57,974	0.7%	13.0%
Food products, not elsewhere classified	175,741	177,383	176,862	193,699	195,281	197,103	0.9%	11.4%
Nonalcoholic beverages purchased for off-premises consumption	108,337	109,714	110,208	120,190	121,170	122,368	1.0%	11.0%
Coffee, tea, and other beverage materials	18,589	18,701	18,635	20,285	20,431	20,630	1.0%	10.7%
Mineral waters, soft drinks, and vegetable juices	89,749	91,014	91,573	99,905	100,739	101,738	1.0%	11.1%
Alcoholic beverages purchased for off-premises consumption (5)	172,157	171,962	169,689	181,408	182,007	181,833	-0.1%	7.2%
Spirits	39,182	39,046	38,429	40,709	40,765	40,582	-0.4%	5.6%
Wine	53,936	53,856	53,143	56,812	56,976	56,921	-0.1%	7.1%
Beer	79,040	79,060	78,117	83,887	84,266	84,330	0.1%	8.0%
Food produced and consumed on farms (6)	509	510	512	523	523	524	0.2%	2.3%
Other nondurable goods	1,312,529	1,323,940	1,331,102	1,412,595	1,419,643	1,441,858	1.6%	8.3%
Nonprescription drugs	81,649	82,013	83,344	91,478	91,326	92,420	1.2%	10.9%
Household supplies (parts of 32 and 36)	168,265	170,022	170,329	187,735	189,406	192,896	1.8%	13.2%
Household cleaning products	44,212	44,858	44,481	48,627	49,175	49,698	1.1%	11.7%
Household paper products	44,279	45,077	44,678	49,212	49,849	50,261	0.8%	12.5%
Household linens	45,990	46,963	47,075	52,498	53,072	54,108	2.0%	14.9%
Sewing items	2,152	2,180	2,142	2,278	2,322	2,364	1.8%	10.4%
Miscellaneous household products	31,633	30,944	31,953	35,121	34,987	36,465	4.2%	14.1%
Personal care products (part of 118)	148,707	149,033	150,418	168,849	167,783	169,826	1.2%	12.9%
Hair, dental, shaving, and miscellaneous personal care products except electrical products	80,705	81,865	81,821	91,631	91,913	92,684	0.8%	13.3%
Cosmetic / perfumes / bath / nail preparations and implements	56,958	56,042	57,440	64,886	63,460	64,433	1.5%	12.2%
Electric appliances for personal care	11,045	11,126	11,157	12,331	12,410	12,709	2.4%	13.9%
Net expenditures abroad by U.S. residents (131)	10,552	10,984	11,727	9,803	9,720	9,486	-2.4%	-19.1%
Food Beverage and Nondurables	2,464,166	2,482,930	2,483,250	2,668,582	2,684,656	2,716,235	1.2%	9.4%
Food & Alcohol	1,151,637	1,158,990	1,152,149	1,255,986	1,265,013	1,274,378	0.7%	10.6%
Personal Use Goods	409,173	412,052	415,818	457,865	458,235	464,628	1.4%	11.7%
Consumer Brands	1,560,810	1,571,042	1,567,967	1,713,851	1,723,248	1,739,006	0.9%	10.9%