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# Alternative Estimates of the Cost of Children 

## from the 1980-86 Consumer Expenditure Survey

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#### Abstract

Arriving at estimates of the cost of raising children in different types of families -two-parent and single-parent households in particular - has proved a difficult exercise for economists to perform, owing primarily to the lack of appropriate data for a large number of households and to the difficulty of allocating such costs as housing and transportation that reflect the needs of all households members, not just those of the children. Five different approaches - per capita, Engel, ISO-PROP, Rothbarth, and Barten-Gorman for performing these estimates are prominent in the economics literature. This study, prepared at the request of the Congress, uses data from the Consumer Expenditure Survey of the Bureau of Labor Statistics from 1980 to 1986 to estimate the costs of children by these five methods, all of which are based upon household expenditures.

Although data limitations mean that most of the results must be qualified in varying degrees, several general conclusions are evident. More children in a family result in higher total expenditures on children in that family, but the average expenditure on each child does not rise when the number of children in the family increases. As a child ages, expenditures on the child rise. When total household expenditures rise, expenditures on children rise in roughly the same proportion. In comparing expenditures among two-parent as opposed to single-parent families, if all other factors are held constant, including levels of total expenditures, the level of expenditures on a child in a single-parent family is higher than that made by two parents. If, however, we take differences in average total expenditures into account, the expenditures are similar across the families types - i.e., poor single parents face costs of raising children similar to those of poot two-parent families. Comparing the costs of children among divorced, separated, and never-married women indicates that, holding all other factors constant, the highest costs of raising children are experienced by never-married mothers, followed by separated and then divorced mothers. This last set of results is not, however, statistically significant.


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## I. Measuring the Cost of Raising Children

This report describes the work that I have performed to compute the expenditures made on behalf of children in different family structures. The project was initiated in response to a Congressional mandate in Section 128 of the Family Support Act of 1988, which directs the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services to submit to Congress a report that

- details the patterns of expenditures on children in two-parent families and single-parent families where the custodial parent was either divorced, separated, or never married;
- examines the standard of living of households during the period of separation and divorce; and
- draws the implications of such findings for possible legislation and administration of a child support system.

This report addresses the first of these charges. The other two are addressed in a companion report being prepared by Lewin/ICF, a private consulting firm.

Computing how much parents spend on their children would seem to be fairly straightforward: make a list of the household's expenditures and count those made on behalf of the children. This first section of the report attempts to show that there are many pitfalls in trying to make these calculations. Topping the list of potential problems is lack of data and difficulty in allocating expenditures to the individual members in the household. The second and third sections describe alternative methodologies in the economic literature to measure the cost of raising children and how they will be implemented in this research. Section four describes the data utilized in this study. The fifth section describes the regression results that serve as the basis for the estimates of the costs of raising children, which are reported in the sixth section.

At the outset, a few words of caution. Computing the cost of children is not a straightforward exercise. To overcome problems inherent in it, many assumptions and indirect techniques must be utilized. These assumptions are often technical in nature, and the discussion in this report is consequently technical at times. The first and sixth sections of the paper are aimed at the general audience. Those wishing only an introduction to the methodological issues in the calculation of the cost of raising children and a summary of the results of this project can read these sections. The intervening sections offer more technical background and detail of the methodologies employed in this research.

## Computing the Level of Expenditures Made on Behalf of Children

Let us assume that a household has retained the receipts for all of their purchases during a year. We now ask the parents to go through these receipts and place each expenditure into one of two categories: those made on the children and those made on themselves. Concerning purchases made for purely personal consumption, a determination could in principle be made. For example, purchase of a pair of shoes or a haircut could be attributed to either a child or an adult member of the household. However, the allocation of the expenditures on goods such as shelter or transportation are extremel problematic. If a household spends $\$ 600$ per month on rent, how would we allocate this expenditure among adults and children in the household? ${ }^{1}$ Thus, even with detailed information about the household's expenditures, a full accounting of the expenditures on a child would require some ad hoc allocation of expenditures on jointly consumed goods.

Our difficulties in performing this exercise are compounded by other absences of data linking expenditures to specific individuals in the household. For example, we will

[^1]have available the amount spent on entertainment, but no information indicating whether the expenditure was made on behalf of a child or an adult in the household. The only allocation that can be done with the data available is to characterize expenditures on the basis of whether the goods would be solely consumed by either adults or children or jointly consumed. Under this characterization, total expenditures (TE) are equal to expenditures made on goods consumed solely by children, on goods which only adults consume, and on goods which are consumed by adults and children either collectively or singly . Toys, children's clothing, cribs, and the like would for most parents be the expenditures that would quickly come to mind when thinking about children's goods (C). Cigars, beer, wine, clothing and jewelry for the adult members of the household would fall into the adult goods category (A). The final category would be a residual category containing commodities that could not be assigned on the nature of the good to consumption of the child or adult ( M ), such as shelter and utilities.

Since the majority of the expenditures of the household would fall into the last category, the question is, how may we devise a reasonable method to allocate these expenditures to the children in the household?

Let us consider the following hypothetical situation in which we are attempting to compute the expenditures made on a child. We have available the expenditure patterns of two virtually identical households, the sole difference being that one household has a child and the other does not. ${ }^{2}$ We will assume that both households have total expenditures of $\$ 10,000$, and that the presence of the child does not raise or lower total household expenditures.

[^2]
## Expenditure Patterns of Two Households

## With No Children With One Child

Expenditures on:
"Pure" adult goods (A)
\$3,250
"Pure" child goods (C)
Goods which could be consumed by either adults or children (M)

Total expenditures (TE)

0
6,750
$\$ 10,000$
\$2,045
1,115
6,840
\$10,000

Confronted with the above expenditures patterns, how might we be tempted to compute the cost of the child? One seemingly reasonable approach would be to allocate $\$ 1,205$ to expenditures for the child, since expenditures on "pure" child goods increased by $\$ 1,115$ and expenditures on "mixed" goods increased by $\$ 90$. Alternatively, we could have arrived at the same number by observing that the child's household reduced its expenditures on adult goods by $\$ 1,205$. The point is that this approach to allocating expenditures on behalf of the child is identical to asking how much the adults reduced expenditures on themselves. The question then is, How well does this approach accomplish its goal?

When a child is present in a household, additional needs are placed on the household's budget without, normally, a corresponding increase in the household's income. Faced with this increased demand for household expenditures, adults might choose to reduce spending on themselves for goods in both the pure adult and mixed categories. However, by attributing the change in expenditures on mixed goods ( $M$ ) to be solely increased expenditures for the child is to implicitly assume that expenditures in this category which are consumed by adults do not change when the child is present. The $\$ 90$ increase in expenditures in category $M$ may underestimate the expenditures made on the
child, because the increased expenditures on children are likely being offset by decreases in expenditures on goods consumed by adults which also appear in this category. ${ }^{3}$

While this accounting approach may seem reasonable, there are reasons to believe that it would tend to underestimate expenditures on the child. Let us now consider an alternative approach that focuses on the measurement of the economic costs of children. To describe the distinction that economists make between expenditures and economic costs, consider the situation where the price of a good rises. In response to the increase in the price of the good, an individual will purchase fewer units of the good even though the dollar expenditures on the good will rise. ${ }^{4}$ The accounting approach described above would attribute these increased expenditures as an indication of the "cost" to the individual of the rise of the good's price. However, if the individual is given a grant equal to the increased expenditures on the good whose price has risen, the individual will not be able to afford the bundle of goods purchased prior to the price increase. ${ }^{5}$ Since the individual, even after the compensation, is not able to afford what was purchased prior to the price increase, the individual will not have been fully compensated for the price increase. The total expenditures that would be required to raise the individual to the standard of living enjoyed by the individual prior to the price rise would be denoted by economists as the economic costs of the rise in the price of the good.

Differences in family structure can be thought to have effects on household decisions and well-being in much the same manner as changes in the market prices of goods. For example, a trip to the Dairy Queen for ice cream becomes more expensive as

[^3]the number of household members increases because the number of ice cream cones purchased will rise. Thus, as the members and composition of the household change, the effective price of economic activities such as the trip to the Dairy Queen will also change. When a child is present in a household, the needs of the household and consequently the effective prices of many economic activities will be higher than if the child was not present. Holding total expenditures constant, the household's well-being with the child will be lower than that without the child. Finding the difference in the levels of total expenditure that equate the standard of living between the household with the child and without the child is denoted as the economic cost of the child.

## Limitations to This Approach to Measuring the Cost of Children

Before proceeding to a discussion of alternative approaches to measuring the cost of raising children, let us briefly describe how we will deal with the problems discussed above and some limitations to the approach we take.

In this report, we estimate expenditures made by parents on behalf on their children by estimating the economic costs incurred by the parents due to the presence of children in the household. Holding the level of total expenditures constant, the presence of children causes a reduction in the economic standard of living enjoyed by the members of the household compared to the situation where the children were not present. That is, if the children were not present and the level of total expenditures were the same, the remaining members of the household could enjoy a higher standard of living. Alternatively, these remaining members would achieve the same standard of living as with the children present only if they reduced the level of total spending in the household. The difference between the level of total expenditures with children present in the household and this reduced level of spending is the economic costs of the children and will be assumed to be the expenditures made by the parents on children.

As this discussion indicates, the crucial relationship in estimating the cost of children is that between the standard of living of a household and total expenditures made by the household as its composition varies. While expenditures and household composition can be observed in some data sets, the standard of living enjoyed by a household cannot. Alternative approaches to estimating the cost of children differ with respect to how they choose to develop a proxy for standard of living. The per capita approach uses the total expenditures of the household divided by the number of family members as its proxy. The Engel method utilizes the share of total expenditures made on food; the Rothbarth method, the level of expenditures made on adult goods; the ISO-PROP approach, the share of total expenditures made on necessities (for example, food, shelter, clothing, and medical care). Finally, the Barten-Gorman method uses an empirically derived weighting of all commodity purchases as a proxy for the household's standard of living.

Note that all of these methods use commodity-based proxies of the household's standard of living. They thus account for the market purchases of goods, but not for commodities provided to children but not purchased on the market -- namely, the time adults spend in raising and caring for children. Day care and babysitting represent market substitutes for the time inputs of the adults which are reflected in the household's budget, but other significant expenditures of adult time still remain. Thus a full accounting needs to take into consideration the value of the time spent on the children that is not reflected in market purchases.

Another limitation is the implicit assumption that the presence of children in the household does not raise or lower the household's total expenditures. Nor do these methods attempt to examine the effect of children on a household's potential income. If the presence of children affects career decisions and investment in the adult's human capital in
such a manner as to reduce household income, the approaches examined in this paper will tend to underestimate the costs of children to their parents. Hence, even though some of the costs of children may seem drastically overestimated, the approaches have a built-in bias toward underestimating these costs.

## II. Alternative Approaches to Estimating the Cost of Children

We here briefly describe five approaches that are employed to estimate the cost of children: the per capita, Rothbarth, Engel, ISO-PROP, and the Barten-Gorman methodologies. The reader is reminded that although the purpose of this research is to estimate the household's expenditures on children, we do so by the estimating the cost of children to the household -- that is, differences in total expenditures made by households to achieve equivalent standards of living.

## Per Capita Method

The simplest way to measure the standard of living of a household is to divide the total expenditures of the household by the number of its members. The rationale for such a procedure is that all family members share equally in consumption by the household and that there are no economies of scale in consumption. That is, two individuals whose total expenditures are the same and are living apart will not be better off if they live together.

If we make these assumptions, then for a household composed of N adults and K children with total expenditures of X dollars, the cost of the K children to the adults is

$$
C C_{P C}=X-\frac{N X}{N+K}=\frac{K X}{N+K} .
$$

## Rothbarth Method

In the previous section, we suggested that another reasonable approximation to measuring expenditures on children is to observe how much adults reduce spending on themselves. Hence, we could measure the expenditures on a child by observing how the household reduced its spending on pure adult goods (A).

We can reformulate this observation into an estimation of the cost of children by first assuming that the parents' standard of living can be proxied by how much is spent on adult goods. As we have already assumed, expenditures on adult goods should fall with the number of children in the household and hence is related to the reduction in the standard of living of the parents. However, holding the number of household members constant while increasing household income would raise both the standard of living of the adults and expenditures made on adult goods. Thus, to estimate the cost of the children in the household, we would first observe the level of expenditures made on adult goods in the household with the children. We would then ask what level of income the parents would need so that they would spend the same amount on adult goods when the children were not present. The difference between the actual total expenditures of the household and this hypothetical level would represent the cost of the children. This approach to cost estimation was proposed by Erwin Rothbarth and in the literature has been given his name. ${ }^{6}$

Let $\mathrm{E}_{\mathrm{A}}(\mathrm{X}, \mathrm{K})$ represent the relationship between the level of expenditures on adult goods and the household's level of total expenditures on all goods (X) and number of children (K). Given the knowledge of this relationship, the Rothbarth approach would compute the cost of one child to be equal to $\mathrm{CC}_{\mathrm{R}}$, where $\mathrm{CC}_{\mathrm{R}}$ solves the following relationship, holding the level of the standard of living constant:

$$
\mathrm{E}_{\mathrm{A}}(\mathrm{X}, \mathrm{~K}=1)=\mathrm{E}_{\mathrm{A}}\left(\mathrm{X}-\mathrm{CC}_{\mathrm{R}}, \mathrm{~K}=0\right)
$$

Figure 1 illustrates the Rothbarth methodology for the case of one child. The two curves in the figure represent the relationship between total expenditures $(X)$ and

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Figure 1
The Rothbarth Methodology :
Using Adult Goods as a Proxy
for the Household's Standard of Living
expenditures on adult goods for a household of a couple without children (FS=2) and a couple with a child ( $\mathrm{FS}=3$ ). Note that the relationship is upward sloping, representing the positive relationship between expenditures on adult goods and the adults' standard of living. Second, the figures are constructed so that the curve for the household without children lies above the curve for the household with a child, representing the assumption that for a given level of total expenditures, an additional person lowers the standard of living of the household. Now if the household with a child has total expenditures $X_{3}$, it will spend $A_{3}$ on adult goods [point (1)]. If the child was not present in the household, the adults would reach a higher standard of living (spend more on adult goods) [point (2)]. For them to achieve same standard of living in the absence of the child as with the child, Rothbarth assumes that the household should spend not more but the same amount, $\mathrm{A}_{3}$, on adult goods [point (3)]. The level of total expenditures for a household without children that is consistent with spending $\mathrm{A}_{3}$ dollars on adult goods is $\mathrm{X}_{2}$. The difference between these two level of total expenditures $\left(\mathrm{X}_{3}-\mathrm{X}_{2}\right)$ is equal to the cost of the child $\left(\mathrm{CC}_{\mathrm{R}}\right)$.

## Engel Method

In 1895, Ernst Engel developed a methodology to measure the cost of children that was based upon the supposition that the standard of living of the household could be proxied by the share of total expenditures devoted to the consumption of food. ${ }^{7}$ Examining budget data, he found that as total household expenditures rose, the share of total expenditures devoted to food fell, i.e., the standard of living rose. He also found that as family size increased, holding total expenditures constant the food share rose, i.e., the standard of living fell. Combining these two empirical facts, Engel felt that he had

[^5]sufficient justification to declare that food shares were inversely related to standards of living.

If we let $\Theta(\mathrm{X}, \mathrm{K})$ denote the relationship between the share of total expenditures spent on food, total expenditures (X), and the number of children (K), the Engel approach would compute the cost of a child, $\left(\mathrm{CC}_{\mathrm{E}}\right)$, where $\mathrm{CC}_{\mathrm{E}}$ must satisfy the following relationship:

$$
\Theta(X, K=1)=\Theta\left(X-C_{E}, K=0\right)
$$

Figure 2 depicts the determination of the cost of a child under the Engel methodology. The two curves, representing the relationship between total expenditures and the share of total expenditures spent on food, are downward sloping, the share curve for a couple with a child ( $\mathrm{FS}=3$ ) lying above the share curve for the household composed of two adults without a child ( $\mathrm{FS}=2$ ). Both of these relationships correspond to the assumption that the budget share spent on food is inversely related to total expenditures and hence to the standard of living of the household. If the household with a child has total expenditures $X_{3}$ [point (1)], then $\Theta_{3}$ will be spent on food. A couple with $X_{3}$ dollars of total expenditures without a child, however, will enjoy a higher standard of living [point (2)]. For this couple to enjoy the same level of living as the couple with the child, they would only require $\mathrm{X}_{2}$ dollars of total expenditures [point (3)]. The difference in levels of total expenditures, $\mathrm{X}_{3}-\mathrm{X}_{2}$, represents the cost of the child, $\mathrm{CC}_{\mathrm{E}}$.


Figure 2

Engel Methodology :
Using Food Shares as an Inverse Proxy
for the
Household's Standard of Living

## ISO-PROP Method

The natural question that arises when considering the Engel approach is, Why food? Why not include other necessities such as housing? Harold Watts developed an approach similar to the Engel methodology, in which the indicator of the household's standard of living was expanded to include the share of total expenditures spent on food, clothing, housing, utilities, and health care. The underlying logic was identical to that of the Engel methodology -- necessities such as food should represent a smaller share of a household's budget when its standard of living increases. Hence we should expect that when total expenditures (standard of living) increase the share devoted to these goods should fall. However, if children reduce the standard of living of a household, holding total expenditures constant, then the budget share spent on these goods should rise. The difference between the level of total expenditures required to maintain a given budget share spent on these goods for households of different composition would estimate the economic costs of the different compositions of the households. This expanded Engel methodology was denoted the ISO-PROP Index, denoting equal proportion (budget shares). ${ }^{8}$

## Barten-Gorman Method

The common theme in all of the above methodologies is that each selects a proxy for the standard of living of the household and uses the empirically derived relationship between the total expenditures and the selected proxy to arrive at equivalent levels of expenditures across households of different composition. The Engel method selected food shares; the ISO-PROP method utilized the share of total expenditures on a bundle of "necessities" such as food, housing, and clothing. The Rothbarth method used the level of

[^6]expenditures on adult goods to proxy for the standard of living of adults in the household. While each of these methods is empirically straightforward to implement, all base their approach on the questionable assumption that a household's well-being can be captured by the amount spent for a particular bundle of goods and that the economies of scale in consumption of that bundle of goods reflect the economies of scale for all other goods. ${ }^{9}$

To rectify this apparent shortcoming in the Engel approach, Barten suggested the following model. ${ }^{10}$ He assumed that households based their consumption decisions upon a common preference ordering, where the consumption of each good was individually scaled. Hence, individual households are assumed to make their consumption decisions by

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \operatorname{Max}_{\text {wrt } \underline{x}} \quad \mathrm{U}\left[\mathrm{x}_{1} / \mathrm{m}_{1}, \mathrm{x}_{2} / \mathrm{m}_{2}, \ldots, \mathrm{x}_{\mathrm{n}} / \mathrm{m}_{\mathrm{n}}\right] \\
& \quad \text { subject to } \underline{\underline{p}^{\prime} \underline{x}}=\mathrm{X}
\end{aligned}
$$

where X is the total amount of expenditures to be made and $\mathrm{m}_{\mathrm{i}}$ is the scaling factor for the ith consumption good. The $\mathrm{m}_{\mathrm{i}}$ 's are assumed to be a function of the demographic characteristics of the household and are equal to one for the reference household.

The function, U , commonly denoted the utility function, is a measure of the standard of living of the household. In this model, the standard of living of the household is explicitly defined to be a function of all goods consumed by the household. However,

[^7]10 A. P. Barten, "Family Composition, Prices and Expenditure Patterns," in Economic Analysis for National Economic Planning, edited by Hart, Mills and Whitaker, London, Butterworth, 1966.
households of different composition or size will differ with respect to their ability to take given amounts of goods and "produce" a given standard of living. For example, as the household increases in size it will require more food and more clothing to achieve the same standard of living. But how much more? Will the increase be the same for all goods? The Barten-Gorman model assumes that the required change in the consumption of each good to maintain a given standard of living is a constant factor varying across goods, reflecting the varying economies of scale across goods, but is independent of the level of well-being of the household. These scaling factors or economies of scales are the $m_{i}$ 's.

To analyze this model and develop a method to estimate the cost of children, we begin by transforming the basis of analysis from unscaled consumption ( $\mathbf{x}$ ) and prices ( p ) to scaled consumption ( $\underline{\mathrm{x}}^{*}$ ) and prices ( $\mathrm{p}^{*}$ ). First define the following variables:

$$
\mathrm{x}_{\mathrm{i}}{ }^{*}=\mathrm{x}_{\mathrm{i}} / \mathrm{m}_{\mathrm{i}} \text { and } \mathrm{p}_{\mathrm{i}}{ }^{*}=\mathrm{m}_{\mathrm{i}} \mathrm{p}_{\mathrm{i}} .
$$

Given this transformation of variables, the model can be rewritten as

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \operatorname{Max}_{\text {wrt } \underline{x}^{*}} \mathrm{U}\left[\mathrm{x}_{1}{ }^{*}, \mathrm{x}_{2}^{*}, \ldots, \mathrm{x}_{\mathrm{n}}^{*}\right] \\
& \quad \text { subject to } \underline{\underline{w}}^{*} \underline{\mathrm{x}}^{*}=\mathrm{X}
\end{aligned}
$$

The solutions to this model are the Marshallian demands for scaled consumption which would be a function of scaled prices and total expenditures:

$$
\mathrm{x}_{\mathrm{i}}=\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{i}}\left(\mathrm{p}^{*}, \mathrm{X}\right) .
$$

In terms of unscaled consumption, the purchases of the $i^{\text {th }}$ good would be equal to:

$$
x_{i}=m_{i} f_{i}\left(m_{1} p_{1}, m_{2} p_{2}, \ldots, m_{n} p_{n}, X\right)
$$

The consumption behavior predicted by this model can be described with the following example. Consider two households whose total expenditures are identical but which differ with respect to size. The first household contains no children and will be assumed to represent the reference household. For this household, the $m_{i}$ 's will all be one. The other household contains one child but the scales, $m_{i}$ 's, will be greater or equal to one. Let us examine the difference in predicted consumption for the $\mathrm{k}^{\text {th }}$ good between these two households. The model states that the presence of the child will have a direct effect on the household's consumption of the $\mathrm{k}^{\text {th }}$ good by a factor of $\left(\mathrm{m}_{\mathrm{k}}-1\right)$ percent. However, there exists a round of secondary effects on consumption. Note that the consumption of the $\mathrm{k}^{\text {th }}$ good will depend upon scaled prices of all goods. Hence as the needs of the household increase owing to the presence of the child, the effective price of all goods in terms of achieving a given standard of living are higher for the household with the child. ${ }^{11}$ Hence the presence of the child sets off a series of absolute and relative price effects on the household's consumption of the $\mathrm{k}^{\text {th }}$ good. Depending upon the magnitude of the "price" effects, the secondary effect of the difference of household composition may be either to increase or decrease consumption of the $\mathrm{k}^{\text {th }}$ good. In the special case where all scales except $m_{k}$ are equal to one, then the Barten-Gorman model would predict that while the needs of the household for the $\mathrm{k}^{\text {th }}$ good rise by the percent $\left(\mathrm{m}_{\mathrm{k}}-1\right)$ the household will not increase their consumption of the $\mathrm{k}^{\text {th }}$ good by this percentage but by some lesser amount. The reasoning would be similar to that applied to the analysis of the behavior of a household to any price change. If a good becomes more expensive, holding all else constant, the household will consume less of the good because its real income has fallen and the household will wish to substitute away from the more expensive good.

[^8]This explanation focuses upon an important feature of this model that should be emphasized. The presence of children is assumed to raise the consumption needs of a household above those if children were not present. These increased consumption needs confront the household with an effective rise in the cost of achieving any standard of living by raising the effective price of various consumption goods. This rise in prices faced by the household will have relative price effects (substitution) but also real income effects. That is, to the extent that children increase the consumption needs of a household, they will decrease the real income (standard of living) of the household.

We can develop a measure of the cost of a child by first examining a concept denoted as the indirect utility function. This concept concerns the relationship between the maximum standard of living that a household of given composition can achieve and the prices for goods and the total level of expenditures made by the household. In the context of the Barten-Gorman model, the indirect utility function, $\mathrm{V}[\mathrm{p}, \mathrm{X}]$, is:

$$
V\left[\underline{p}^{*}, X\right]=U\left[f_{1}\left(\underline{p}^{*}, X\right), f_{1}\left(\underline{p}^{*}, X\right), \ldots, f_{n}\left(\underline{p}^{*}, X\right)\right]
$$

Inverting this expression for X , we would derive the relationship between the minimum level of expenditures needed by the household to achieve the level of well-being, $U$, when it faces prices, $p$, as

$$
\mathrm{C}\left[\mathrm{p}^{*} ; \mathrm{U}\right]=\mathrm{C}\left[\mathrm{~m}_{1} \mathrm{p}_{1}, \mathrm{~m}_{2} \mathrm{p}_{2}, \ldots, \mathrm{~m}_{\mathrm{n}} \mathrm{p}_{\mathrm{n}} ; \mathrm{U}\right] .
$$

This expression is denoted as the cost or expenditure function.

To derive the cost of a child, we would adopt as reference a virtually identical household except that the household would not have a child. Let $\underline{\mathrm{m}}^{\mathrm{K}}$ denote the set of scales for the household with a child and $\underline{m}^{\mathrm{NK}}$ denote the set of scales for the household
without a child. ${ }^{12}$ The cost of a child to a household whose total expenditures are X would then be expressed as:

$$
X-C\left[m_{1}{ }^{N K} p_{1}, m_{2}{ }^{N K} p_{2}, \ldots, m_{n}{ }^{N K} p_{n} ; V\left(m_{1}^{K} p_{1}, m_{2}^{K} p_{2}, \ldots, m_{n}{ }^{K} p_{n} ; X\right)\right]
$$

where the second term of the expression is interpreted as the minimum amount of total expenditures required by the household if it did not have a child and was still able to achieve the standard of living it had with the child. If children do increase the consumption needs of the household, then this amount will never exceed X .

Given this presentation of the Barten-Gorman model, the estimation of the cost of the children hinges upon knowledge of two concepts: the utility function and the set of scale factors for different household compositions. The empirical implementation of this strategy will proceed by assuming a given functional form for the utility function and using the implied restrictions to estimate not only the parameters of the common utility function but also the scale factors that differ across households.

We now turn to the empirical specifications of these methods described in this section.

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## III. Empirical Specification of Alternative Approaches

The previous section stressed that all the methodologies are based upon the relationship between the share (or level) of total expenditures on a given commodity group (which is intended to represent the household's standard of living) and the demographic characteristics and the total expenditures of the household. This section describes the empirical specification of these relationships as well as the econometric techniques employed in their estimation.

## Engel and ISO-PROP Methods

Since the Engel and ISO-PROP methodologies are quite similar, their empirical implementation is described together. Recall that both approaches to estimating child costs rely upon the knowledge of how budget shares of various commodity groups are related to total expenditures and the demographic characteristics of the household. Hence the first step of the empirical implementation is to estimate these relationships.

Let $\Theta$ be the budget share of the commodity group implied by the method and let the vector $\underline{z}=(X, \underline{d}, \underline{s})$ be the set of explanatory variables that include total expenditures (X), composition of the household (d), and a set of other socioeconomic variables (s). To specify the relationship between $\Theta$ and $\underline{z}$, I chose a functional form that took account of the fact that $\Theta$ was bounded by zero and one and yet was easy to estimate. The functional form I chose was the logistic function form which can be written as:

$$
\Theta=\frac{1}{1+\exp [-\mathrm{f}(\underline{z})-\varepsilon]}
$$

or

$$
\log [\Theta /(1-\Theta)]=\mathrm{f}(\underline{\mathrm{z}})+\varepsilon
$$

After examination of the literature and some experimentation with various functional forms for $\mathrm{f}(\underline{\mathrm{z}})$, the following functional form was found to best fit the various hudget share
data: ${ }^{13}$

$$
\mathrm{f}(\underline{\mathrm{z}})=\alpha_{0}+\alpha_{1} \log (\mathrm{X} / \mathrm{FS})+\alpha_{2}[\log (\mathrm{X} / \mathrm{FS})]^{2}+\alpha_{3} \log (\mathrm{FS})+\underline{\delta^{\prime}} \underline{\mathrm{d}}+\underline{\omega}^{\prime} \underline{\mathbf{s}}
$$

where FS is family size and

## Household Composition Variables (d):

CKA1 $=\quad$ Number of children 1 to 2 years old divided by family size
CKA2 $=\quad$ Number of children 3 to 5 years old divided by family size
CKA3 $=\quad$ Number of children 6 to 12 years old divided by family size
CKA4 $\quad=\quad$ Number of children 13 to 14 years old divided by family size
CKA5 $=\quad$ Number of children 15 to 17 years old divided by family size
CAA6 $=\quad$ Number of adults 18 to 24 years old divided by family size
CAA7 $=\quad$ Number of adults 25 to 35 years old divided by family size (note that this variable was omitted in the analysis)

CAA8 $\quad=\quad$ Number of adults 36 to 45 years old divided by family size
CAA9 $=\quad$ Number of adults 46 to 55 years old divided by family size

## Other Socioeconomic Variables (s):

HD_NO_HS = 1 if head's education was less than 12 years, 0 otherwise
HD_COLL $=1$ if head's education was greater than 12 years, 0 otherwise
BLACK $=1$ if the head was black, 0 otherwise
In Two-Adult Families:
SP_NO_HS $=1$ if spouse's education was less than 12 years, 0 otherwise
SP_COLL $=1$ if spouse's education was greater than 12 years, 0 otherwise
TWOERN $=1$ if both adults worked, 0 otherwise
W_WORK $=$ Weeks worked by spouse divided by 52
FTIME $=1$ if the spouse worked more than 30 hours per week, 0 otherwise

In One-Adult Families:

[^10]| FEMALE $=$ | 1 if the head was a female, 0 otherwise |
| :--- | :--- |
| H_WORK $=$ | Weeks worked by head divided by 52 |
| HFTIME $=$ | 1 if the head worked more than 30 hours per week, 0 otherwise |
| DIV | $=1$ if the head was a divorced single-parent, 0 otherwise |
| SEP $=$ | 1 if the head was a separated single-parent, 0 otherwise |
| NMAR $=$ | 1 if the head was a never-married single-parent, 0 otherwise |

Beside fitting the data well, this formulation provides a convenient way to separate out various demographic effects on consumption. In this specification, total expenditures are stated in per capita terms. Hence if no economies of scale effects on consumption are present, then $\alpha_{3}$ will be zero. If there are scale effects, then the coefficient on the $\log$ of family size will be nonzero. The coefficients on $\underline{d}$ reflect compositional effects of different family types with respect to the age and the number of children and adults in the household.

Five different commodity groups were used in the estimation of child costs under the Engel and ISO-PROP methodologies. These were:

## Engel Method:

| $\Theta_{\mathrm{FH}}$ |  | the share of total expenditures devoted to food consumption at home; |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\Theta_{\mathrm{FT}}$ |  | share of total expen |

## ISO-PROP Method:

| $\Theta_{\text {ISO1 }}$ | $=\quad$the share of total expenditures devoted to food at home, shelter, <br> clothing and health care; |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\Theta_{\mathrm{ISO} 2}$ | $=\quad$the share of total expenditures devoted to food at home, shelter, and <br> clothing; and |
| $\Theta_{\mathrm{ISO} 3} \quad=\quad$ the share of total expenditures devoted to food at home and shelter. |  |

Each of these five different specifications was estimated for all one- and all two-adult households using both the total analysis sample and the sample which included only those households with three or more quarterly interviews. ${ }^{14}$

Once the parameters $\underline{\beta}=(\underline{\alpha}, \underline{\delta}, \underline{\omega})$ have been estimated, we can proceed to impute child costs. The next step is to specify the characteristics of the household with children in terms of their total expenditures $\left(\mathrm{X}_{\mathrm{k}}\right)$, family size $\left(\mathrm{FS}_{\mathrm{k}}\right)$, household composition ( $\mathrm{d}_{\mathrm{k}}$ ), and other socioeconomic characteristics $\left(\mathrm{s}_{\mathrm{k}}\right)$. Let $\Gamma_{\mathrm{k}}$ denote the $\log$ of the budget share of total expenditures spent on the particular commodity group relative to the budget share spent on all other goods. Hence for the household with children, $\Gamma_{\mathrm{k}}$ would equal

$$
\Gamma_{\mathrm{k}}=\alpha_{0}+\alpha_{1} \log \left(\mathrm{X}_{\mathrm{k}} / \mathrm{FS} \mathrm{~S}_{\mathrm{k}}\right)+\alpha_{2}\left[\log \left(\mathrm{X}_{\mathrm{k}} / \mathrm{FS} \mathrm{~S}_{\mathrm{k}}\right)\right]^{2}+\alpha_{3} \log \left(\mathrm{FS}_{\mathrm{k}}\right)+\underline{\delta}^{\prime} \underline{d}_{\mathrm{k}}+\underline{\omega}^{\prime} \underline{\mathrm{s}}_{\mathrm{k}}
$$

The next step is to specify a set of characteristics for the household in the case there are no children present. If there are K children in the household and $\underline{\mathrm{d}}_{0}$ and $\underline{\mathrm{s}}_{0}$ reflect the compositional and socioeconomic variables for the household without children, then to compute the child costs we need to solve for the equivalent level of expenditures $\left(\mathrm{X}_{0}\right)$ from the following equation:

$$
\Gamma_{\mathrm{k}}=\alpha_{0}+\alpha_{1} \log \left(\mathrm{X}_{0} /\left(\mathrm{FS}_{\mathrm{k}}-\mathrm{K}\right)\right)+\alpha_{2}\left[\log \left(\mathrm{X}_{0} /\left(\mathrm{FS}_{\mathrm{k}}-\mathrm{K}\right)\right]^{2}+\alpha_{3} \log \left(\mathrm{FS}_{\mathrm{k}}-\mathrm{K}\right)+\delta^{\prime} \underline{\underline{d}}_{0}+\omega^{\prime} \mathrm{S}_{0}\right.
$$

Note that since there exists a one-to-one relationship between the budget share and the logit of the budget share, solving for the equivalent level of total expenditures in terms of the logit of the budget share is identical to solving for it in terms of the budget share.

Once $\mathrm{X}_{\mathrm{O}}$ has been computed, the cost of the children is equal to

[^11]$$
\mathrm{CC}=\mathrm{X}_{\mathrm{k}}-\mathrm{X}_{\mathrm{o}}
$$

## Rothbarth Method

The only real difference between the Rothbarth method and the above two equalproportional methods is that Rothbarth focuses upon the level of expenditures on adult goods. Hence the above procedures have only to be adopted to reflect this difference.

To account for the focus upon the level on expenditures as opposed to the share, we modified the estimating equation to the form:

$$
\log (R E)=f(\underline{z})+\varepsilon
$$

where RE is the level of real expenditures on the adult-good commodity group and $f(\underline{z})$ is identical to the specification in the Engel and ISO-PROP methods. ${ }^{15}$

For this report, we chose to estimate the Rothbarth model using the following two definitions of adult goods:

| $\mathrm{RE}_{\mathrm{R} 1}$ | $=\quad$Real expenditures on adult clothing, alcohol, and tobacco <br> consumption; and |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\mathrm{RE}_{\mathrm{R} 2}$ | $=\quad$ Real expenditures on adult clothing |

If a household reported no annual expenditures on the particular commodity group, then the observation was excluded from the estimation. After the estimation was completed, child costs were imputed in a similar manner as described in the previous section.

[^12]
## Barten-Gorman Method

As noted in the previous section, the empirical implementation of the BartenGorman model begins with an assumption of the specific functional form for the utility function. Based upon observations on how households make their consumption decisions, the parameters of the common utility function and the scaling factors (m's) could be estimated. However, as Muellbauer has shown, without price variation the model's parameters are underidentified. ${ }^{16}$ Hence, at a minimum, a pooled time series and crosssectional data would be needed for the estimation of the Barten type of scaling. Unfortunately, although the CEX data are of this form, they do not provide sufficient variation in relative prices of commodities to identify the model.

In the absence of price variation, the identification of the model is possible if other identifying assumptions are made. As Kakwani has shown, the identification problem can be circumvented if one utilizes the Barten scaling in Lluch's Extended Linear Expenditure System. ${ }^{17}$

In this formulation of the Barten-Gorman model, the household is assumed to maximize a two-period utility function under a wealth constraint. If the Barten scaling is applied to this model, it can be expressed as

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \quad \operatorname{Max} \quad \mathrm{U}=\sum_{\mathrm{i}} \beta_{\mathrm{i}} \log \left(\mathrm{x}_{\mathrm{i} 1} / \mathrm{m}_{\mathrm{i}}-\mu_{\mathrm{i}}\right)+1 /(1+\rho) \sum_{\mathrm{i}} \beta_{\mathrm{i}} \log \left(\mathrm{x}_{\mathrm{i} 2} / \mathrm{m}_{\mathrm{i}}-\mu_{\mathrm{i}}\right) \\
& \text { wrt } \underline{\mathrm{x}}_{1} \text { and } \underline{\underline{x}_{2}} \\
& \quad \text { subject to } \sum_{\mathrm{i}} \mathrm{p}_{\mathrm{i} 1} \mathrm{x}_{\mathrm{i} 1}+1 /(1+\mathrm{r}) \sum_{\mathrm{i}} \mathrm{p}_{\mathrm{i} 2} \mathrm{x}_{\mathrm{i} 2}=\mathrm{I}_{1}+\mathrm{I}_{2} /(1+\mathrm{r})
\end{aligned}
$$

[^13]where the second subscript on each commodity refers to the time period, $\rho$ is the subjective rate of time preference and $r$ is the interest rate. If one assumes that prices and incomes are constant over the two periods, then expenditures on the ith good in the first period is equal to:
$$
\mathrm{p}_{\mathrm{i}} \mathrm{x}_{\mathrm{i}}=\mathrm{p}_{\mathrm{i}} \mathrm{~m}_{\mathrm{i}} \mu_{\mathrm{i}}+\beta_{\mathrm{i} 0}\left(\mathrm{I}-\Sigma_{\mathrm{k}} \mathrm{p}_{\mathrm{k}} \mathrm{~m}_{\mathrm{k}} \mu_{\mathrm{k}}\right)
$$
where
$$
\beta_{\mathrm{i} 0}=\beta \mathrm{i}(1+\rho)(2+\mathrm{r}) /(1+\mathrm{r})(2+\rho) .
$$

If the scaling factors are assumed to be linear functions of the household's characteristics (h)

$$
\mathrm{m}_{\mathrm{i}}=1+\underline{\mathrm{d}}_{\dot{\prime}} \underline{\mathrm{h}}^{\prime}
$$

and the prices are normalized to one, the expenditures on the ith good in the first period would be a linear function of income and the household characteristics. For each of the $n$ commodities, we can estimate the following linear regression model:

$$
x_{i}=a_{i 0}+\underline{a}_{i}^{\prime} \underline{h}+b_{i} I+\varepsilon_{i}
$$

where $\varepsilon_{\mathrm{i}}$ is a random disturbance with mean zero and constant variance.

From the n estimated equations, estimates of the underlying utility parameters ( $\beta^{\prime}$ 's and $\mu$ 's) and the components of the scaling factors (d's) can be derived by using the following relationships:

$$
\beta_{\mathrm{i}}=\mathrm{b}_{\mathrm{i}} /\left(\sum_{\mathrm{k}} \mathrm{~b}_{\mathrm{k}}\right)
$$

$$
\begin{gathered}
\mu_{i}=a_{i 0}+b_{i}\left(\sum_{k} a_{k 0}\right) /\left(\sum_{k} b_{k}\right) \\
d_{i j}=a_{i j} / \mu_{i}+b_{i}\left(\sum_{k} a_{k j}\right) /\left(\mu_{i} \sum_{k} b_{k}\right)
\end{gathered}
$$

Once the parameters of the utility function ( $\beta$ and $\underline{\mu}$ ) and the coefficients of the relationship between the household characteristics and the scaling factors are estimated $\left(\mathrm{d}_{\mathrm{i}}\right)$, the cost of a child to a household whose total expenditures are E can be computed as

$$
C_{B G}=E-\Sigma_{k} \mu_{k} m_{k}^{N K}-\left(\Pi_{k}\left(m_{k}^{N K}\right)^{\beta k}\right)\left[\left(E-\Sigma_{k} \mu_{k} m_{k}^{K}\right) / \Pi_{k}\left(m_{k}{ }^{N K}\right)^{\beta k}\right]
$$

where
$\mathrm{m}_{\mathrm{k}}{ }^{\mathrm{NK}}=1+\underline{\mathrm{d}}_{\mathrm{k}}{ }^{\prime} \underline{h}^{\mathrm{NK}}=$ the scaling factor for the $\mathrm{k}^{\text {th }}$ good for the household without children.
$\mathrm{m}_{\mathrm{k}}{ }^{\mathrm{K}}=1+\underline{\mathrm{d}}_{\mathrm{k}} \underline{h}^{\mathrm{K}}=$ the scaling factor for the $\mathrm{k}^{\text {th }}$ good for the household with a child or children.

To implement this version of the Barten-Gorman model, five commodity goods
were utilized. ${ }^{18}$ The commodities were:
FOOD: expenditures on food at home.
HOUSE: expenditures on all housing (primary and vacation), which includes interest on mortgages and/or rental payments, insurance, property taxes, and periodic maintenance of property. Expenditures on natural gas, electricity, oil, water, trash collection, telephone and other utility services. Expenditures on the operation of the home, which include domestic services, day care, repair of household items, and rental of household equipment.

TRANS: the net outlay for the purchase of new and used vehicles, gasoline and motor oil, vehicle finance charges, maintenance and repair of vehicles, insurance, public transportation, and rent of vehicles.

AGOODS: expenditures on men's and women's clothing; tobacco and alcohol
OTHER: included the following broad Bureau of Labor Statistics classifications:
Children's Clothing: expenditures on boy's, girl's and infant's clothing and footware.

[^14]Household Furnishing: expenditures on household textiles, furniture, floor covering, major appliances, small appliances, and other household equipment.

Entertainment: the expense of fees and admissions to movies, sporting events, country clubs, and other entertainment events. Also includes the purchase price of any video or audio equipment and any recreational equipment.

Health Care: any out-of-pocket expense for health insurance, medical service or drugs.

Personal Care: expenditures on wigs and hairpieces, electrical personal care appliances, and personal care services.

Reading and Education: subscriptions and purchases of newspapers, magazines and books. Also includes any payment of fees, tuition, purchase of books and equipment for any public and private elementary, secondary, and postsecondary schooling.

Miscellaneous: expenditures on personal life and disability insurance, banking, legal and accounting fees, funeral expenses, occupational expenses and finance charges for other than vehicle and mortgages loans.

All expenditures were in constant dollar amounts with a base period of 1983. Real household after-tax income was used for I. The list of demographic characteristics that were controlled for in the analysis were identical to the list of variables utilized in the previous methodologies.

## IV. The Data Employed in the Analysis

As noted, measurement of the cost of children requires information on household demographic characteristics, income, and expenditures. The premier data set containing this variety of information is the Consumer Expenditure Survey conducted by the Bureau of Labor Statistics. This section provides a brief description of this data set and the various procedures that were employed to construct the analysis file on which this study is based. The section concludes with a series of descriptive tables examining the limitations of this data for the purposes of this study.

## The Consumer Expenditure Survey (CEX)

In 1980, the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) began collecting data for an ongoing series of yearly surveys of American expenditure patterns. ${ }^{19}$ Like its predecessors, the new survey has two components: (1) quarterly interview surveys in which each consumer is interviewed every 3 months over a 15 -month period, and (2) a diary survey in which consumer units are asked to complete a diary of expenses for consecutive, one-week periods. This report utilizes the public use file from the quarterly interview survey only.

Each quarterly interview collects income and expenditure data from the previous three month period. In the first interview, the consumer unit (household) is asked not only for demographic, income, and expenditure information over the previous three months but also to complete an inventory of all consumer durables currently owned by the unit. In the second through the fifth interviews, the basic demographic, and expenditure surveys are completed for the unit as a whole and for each individual member within the unit. In the

[^15]fifth and final interview, the unit is questioned about the level and change in financial assets of the unit over the previous 12 month period. The public use file employed for this project contains only the responses from the second through fifth interviews.

The BLS definition of an expenditure is the total transaction cost of any purchase made during the previous three month period. The full cost of the transaction, which includes excise and sales taxes, is recorded even though full payment may not have been made at the time of the purchase. ${ }^{20}$ Installment payments (except for mortage payments) are excluded from the definition of expenditures.

While most demographic information is available for all household records, regional location variables are included for only the urban subsample of ihe survey.

## Construction of the Analysis Sample

The data utilized in this study have been manipulated by three different groups of individuals; Data Resources (DRI), the programming staff of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation (ASPE) at the Department of Health and Human Services, and myself. The original extract from the public use files of the CEX was made by DRI under contract from ASPE. This extract contained selected demographic, income, and expenditure data from the panel of individual household interviews covering the period from the first quarter of 1980 to the first quarter of $1987 .{ }^{21}$ For this data set, DRI constructed a series of constant dollar expenditure amounts for detailed and aggregate expenditure categories. However, the data extract delivered to ASPE from DRI grouped

[^16]the data by the quarter that the interview was conducted rather than by individual households. For the purpose of this study, the data for any given household had to be linked across time. The linking and merging of the quarterly household interviews was performed by the programming staff of ASPE. The process of linking the household data was complicated by a change in the sample design in the CEX in 1986. Because of this change, the BLS provided households which were in the sample in the first quarter of 1986 with a new identification numbers. Linking of the household information for units who were in the sample both in 1985 and 1986 is not possible, so these households appear as two different households in the linked extract. This extract formed the basis of the analysis sample used in this present study. The manipulation of the data that I performed took two forms: construction of variables to reflect what I felt was the "ideal" data base for this analysis, and the exclusion of observations from the sample.

Upon receiving the extract tape from ASPE, I posed the question, What would constitute the ideal data for this study? This report has already discussed the ideal variables required to examine the cost of children. The lack of complete information on these variables is the motivation in this study for pursuing the alternative methodologies. The next question concerned the time dimension of data. Should the analysis be performed on a quarterly or a yearly basis? The choice of yearly rather than quarterly observations was dictated by the purpose of these estimates -- the construction of welfare comparisons across households. It was felt that yearly expenditures patterns will better reflect permanent consumption decisions and be less subject to transitory shocks in the household's experience and seasonal considerations present in the quarterly data. Thus, the first set of manipulations was to convert the quarterly household interviews into a single data set reflecting what the household spent in the previous year.

The following information from the various quarterly interviews was used to construct this hypothetical yearly data set. Since the income information was asked on a
yearly basis, it was constructed from the questions on the last recorded quarterly interview. The socioeconomic information, such as age, race, and occupation of the head and spouse in the household, was also taken from the last interview. ${ }^{22}$ The size and age composition of the household unit were computed from all available quarterly interviews to reflect the proportion of the year that various members were present in the unit and the "aging" of the individuals in the household. For example, if for two quarters there were three family members and for two quarters there were only two members, the recorded family size for the household would be 2.5. The quarterly expenditure data were adjusted to reflect yearly total expenditures in any category by first computing the average quarterly expenditure amounts from the available quarterly interviews. This average quarterly figure then was multiplied by four to arrive at an estimate of the yearly expenditure figure.

The second set of manipulations involved eliminating observations from the analysis sample according to seven criteria, summarized in Table 1. In the CEX data, if a household had more than $\$ 75,000$ in expenditures, all of its expenditure data were given a special character code on the data file to reflect topcoding. This code prohibited use of the household's expenditure data since, in effect, all expenditure information was zero for the household. Rather than try to impute expenditure information to these households, it was decided to eliminate them from the sample. This resulted in the loss of 692 household records from the sample.

[^17]
## Table 1

## Selection of Analysis Sample

(Number of Household Records)
Total Number of Households in the 1980-87Consumer Expenditure Survey Panel
Reduction due to:
a) Total expenditures greater than $\$ 75,000$(-692)
b) Head's age greater than 55$(-16,752)$
c) Family type "other family" ..... $(-3,751)$
d) Household contained more than two adults ..... $(-7,722)$
e) Inconsistency in demographic information ..... (-457)
e) Reported zero food expenditures ..... (-442)
f) Single parent is a widow ..... (-260)56,966
Analysis Sample ..... 26,890

The next three criteria were sequentially employed to restrict the sample to households that would constitute the population of interest in the development of child support guidelines, which I took to be households that either have or could have children. This population would include single individuals or childless couples who are of an age with adults in households containing children. To provide a rough cut on this dimension, any household whose head's age was greater than 55 was excluded. This reduced the sample by 16,752 observations.

I then eliminated any household classified as "other family," a classification implying that the unit was living within another family unit. The decision to eliminate these households was based upon consideration that the sharing of income and expenditures between the family units in the household would complicate the analysis of child costs. This criterion eliminated 3,751 households from the sample.

Also eliminated were the households containing more than two adults (persons 18 or older). The rationale for this criterion was based upon the decision that even though children 18-21 might be covered under child support guidelines, the methodologies employed in this study could not realistically capture the major costs of such children, namely college education costs, if we examined only those households where an older child stayed at home. This eliminated 7,722 households from the sample.

The next two exclusions concerned "goodness" of the data. Four hundred and forty-seven households were eliminated owing to inconsistencies in household demographic information. Another 442 households were eliminated on the basis of reporting zero food expenditures over the course of a year.

The final exclusion eliminated single-parent households headed by widows - 260 households. The rationale for this exclusion was that Congress mandated a study of the
expenditures on children in one-adult households where the head was either divorced, separated or never married. Widows were felt to be sufficiently different from these three types of single-parents to warrant their exclusion.

The process of applying these selection criteria left 26,890 household records in the total analysis sample. The listing of the program used in the construction of the analysis sample is provided in Appendix A.

## Description of the Analysis Sample

The focus of this study is the cost of children in two-adult households and households headed by single-parents who are either divorced, separated, or never married. While this disaggregation of the population of single-parents is conceptually always possible, the precision of empirical estimates for these subgroups will hinge upon not only the aggregate sample size of the subgroup but also upon the distribution of subgroups across the expenditure classes.

The quality of the estimates also will depend upon the quality of the underlying expenditure data. Although constructed to reflect yearly amounts, these amounts could be based upon as little as one quarter of data. In fact, 33 percent of the analysis sample had only one quarterly interview as a result either of nonresponse or the start and ending dates of the panel. One would imagine that the quality of the data would improve with the number of quarters of data. The question is, Are one, two, three, or four quarterly interviews needed to assure "good" measures of yearly expenditures? Requiring four interviews would reduce the sample to 8,903 observations or 30 percent of the total analysis sample. While we hope this would increase the quality of data, it would drastically decrease the sizes not only of the aggregate sample but of the subgroups of interest. An arbitrary decision was made to perform the analysis on two samples: the total sample of 26,890 households, and a second sample including only those households which
had three or more quarterly interviews, which amounts to 43.1 percent of the total analysis sample, or 11,591 household records.

Tables 2 and 3 present the disaggregation of these two samples by expenditure class ${ }^{23}$ and by martial status and number of children. Examination of the tables provides insights into the limitations of the sample for imputation of the cost of children.

In the full sample, there appears to be an ample distribution of sample observations across the demographic groups of interest, especially with regards to sample sizes of single-parent families. However, Table 2 provides an indication of a potential weakness of the data for supporting the imputation of child costs to higher income groups. While for two-adult households the sample seems adequate to support the imputation of costs up to $\$ 60,000,24$ the imputation of child costs for single-parent families would seem very problematic for incomes in excess of $\$ 30,000$ because of small sample sizes.

One reason for constructing the second sample was the belief that the quality of the data would improve with more information on the household's annual expenditures. However, a comparison of Tables 2 and 3 points to a clear trade-off between the "quality" of the data and sample sizes. The sample of single-adult households is substantial, especially at low and high levels of annual real total expenditures. There is a 67 percent reduction among single individuals and a 54 percent reduction among single parents.

[^18]Table 2

## Economic and Demographic Composition of Sample (Total Analysis Sample)

| Expenditure Class |  | Single Individuals | Childless Couples |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0 to 5,000 |  | 2026 |  |  |
| 5,000 to 10,000 |  | 3459 |  |  |
| 10,000 to 15,000 |  | 2659 |  |  |
| 15,000 to 20,000 |  | 1417 |  |  |
| 20,000 to 30,000 |  | 1095 |  |  |
| 30,000 to 40,000 |  | 322 |  |  |
| 40,000 to 60,000 |  | 185 |  |  |
| Over 60,000 |  | 57 |  |  |
| Total |  | 11220 |  |  |
| Two-Adult Families with: |  |  |  |  |
|  | One | Two | Three or more |  |
| Expenditure Class |  |  | Children | Total |
| 0 to 5,000 | 26 | 25 | 8 | 59 |
| 5,000 to 10,000 | 241 | 201 | 156 | 598 |
| 10,000 to 15,000 | 578 | 487 | 312 | 1377 |
| 15,000 to 20,000 | 640 | 733 | 397 | 1770 |
| 20,000 to 30,000 | 931 | 1155 | 604 | 2690 |
| 30,000 to 40,000 | 371 | 567 | 263 | 1201 |
| 40,000 to 60,000 | 237 | 358 | 175 | 770 |
| Over 60,000 | 66 | 106 | 59 | 231 |
| Total | 3090 | 3632 | 1974 | 8696 |
| One-Adult (Divorced) Families with: |  |  |  |  |
|  | One | Two <br> Three or more |  |  |
| Expenditure Class | Child | Children | Children | Total |
| 0 to 5,000 | 39 | 18 | 11 | 68 |
| 5,000 to 10,000 | 158 | 130 | 60 | 348 |
| 10,000 to 15,000 | 187 | 110 | 94 | 351 |
| 15,000 to 20,000 | 114 | 78 | 20 | 212 |
| 20,000 to 30,000 | 117 | 66 | 28 | 221 |
| 30,000 to 40,000 | 24 | 18 | 3 | 45 |
| 40,000 to 60,000 | 8 | 11 | 4 | 23 |
| Over 60,000 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 6 |
| Total | 649 | 435 | 180 | 1264 |

Table 2 -- Continued

## One-Adult (Separated) Families with:

| Expenditure Class | One <br> Child | Two <br> Children | Three or more <br> Children | Total |
| :---: | ---: | :---: | ---: | ---: |
| 0 to 5,000 | 26 | 25 | 10 | 61 |
| 5,000 to 10,000 | 76 | 60 | 59 | 195 |
| 10,000 to 15,000 | 48 | 44 | 27 | 119 |
| 15,000 to 20,000 | 29 | 13 | 12 | 54 |
| 20,00 to 30,000 | 19 | 27 | 9 | 55 |
| 30,000 to 40,000 | 2 | 6 | 2 | 10 |
| 40,000 to 60,000 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 6 |
| Over 60,000 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Total | 204 | 178 | 120 | 502 |

## One-Adult (Never Married) Families with:

| Expenditure Class | One <br> Child | Two <br> Children | Three or more <br> Children | Total |
| :---: | ---: | :---: | ---: | ---: |
| 0 to 5,000 | 95 | 29 | 16 | 140 |
| 5,000 to 10,000 | 146 | 72 | 54 | 272 |
| 10,000 to 15,000 | 59 | 16 | 15 | 90 |
| 15,000 to 20,000 | 21 | 5 | 3 | 29 |
| 20,000 to 30,000 | 7 | 5 | 1 | 13 |
| 30,000 to 40,000 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 6 |
| 40,000 to 60,000 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Over 60,000 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Total | 332 | 131 | 89 | 552 |

## Table 3

## Economic and Demographic Composition of Sample

 (Sample with Three or More Quarterly Interviews per Household)
## Expenditure Class

0 to 5,000
5,000 to 10,000
10,000 to 15,000
15,000 to 20,000
20,000 to 30,000
30,000 to 40,000
40,000 to 60,000
Over 60,000
Total

Expenditure Class
0 to 5,000
5,000 to $10,000 \quad 83$
10,000 to $15,000 \quad 273$
$\begin{array}{ll}15,000 \text { to } 20,000 & 323 \\ 20,000 \text { to } 30,000 & 494\end{array}$
30,000 to $40,000 \quad 227$
40,000 to $60,000 \quad 123$
Over 60,000 23
Total

Expenditure Class

| 0 to 5,000 | 16 |
| :---: | ---: |
| 5,000 to 10,000 | 68 |
| 10,000 to 15,000 | 102 |
| 15,000 to 20,000 | 58 |
| 20,000 to 30,000 | 66 |
| 30,000 to 40,000 | 9 |
| 40,000 to 60,000 | 3 |
| Over 60,000 | 0 |

Total
322

Single
Childless Individuals
$342 \quad 14$ Couples
$1009 \quad 147$
1054368
$628 \quad 470$
$463 \quad 745$
147306
$51 \quad 152$
5 50
3699
2252

Two-Adult Families with:

Two Children

3

| 3 | 1 | 9 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 73 | 60 | 216 |
| 246 | 147 | 666 |
| 399 | 218 | 940 |
| 680 | 345 | 1519 |
| 335 | 160 | 722 |
| 200 | 92 | 415 |
| 35 | 30 | 88 |

1971
30
1053
4575

One-Adult (Divorced) Families with:

| One | Two | Three or more |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Child | Children | Childien | Total |

Table 3 -- Continued

## One-Adult (Separated) Families with:

Expenditure Class

> 0 to 5,000
> 5,000 to 10,000
> 10,000 to 15,000
> 15,000 to 20,000
> 20,000 to 30,000
> 30,000 to 40,000 40,000 to 60,000
> Over 60,000

Total


| One | Two |
| :---: | :---: |
| Child | Children |


| 9 | 11 | 4 | 24 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 24 | 27 | 20 | 71 |
| 18 | 18 | 8 | 44 |
| 14 | 6 | 2 | 22 |
| 9 | 13 | 5 | 27 |
| 1 | 2 | 2 | 5 |
| 2 | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 77 | 78 | 41 | 196 |

## One-Adult (Never Married) Families with:

Expenditure Class
0 to 5,000
5,000 to 10,000
10,000 to 15,000
15,000 to 20,000
20,000 to 30,000
30,000 to 40,000
40,000 to 60,000
Over 60,000
Total

| One <br> Child | Two <br> Children | Three or more <br> Children |  |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | ---: |
| 53 | 11 | 4 | Total |
| 68 | 33 | 32 | 68 |
| 17 | 5 | 8 | 133 |
| 6 | 4 | 1 | 30 |
| 3 | 0 | 0 | 11 |
| 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|  |  |  | 0 |
| 150 | 53 | 45 | 248 |

A third sample was needed to estimate the cost of children according to the BartenGorman methodology, which requires information on the after-tax income of the household. Households having incomplete income data had to be dropped from the sample. After making this exclusion, an analysis of the relationship between spending ( E ) and disposable income (DI) yielded an average propensity to consume (E/DI) of over four, implying that on average households were reporting total expenditures four times their after-tax income. While this result could be the result of the BLS's definition of an expenditure, it also calls into question the reasonableness of the income data in CEX. ${ }^{25}$ While it is possible for a household to spend more than its disposable income in any year, it is not believable that the average propensity to consume would be that high. Since the CEX is primarily designed to collect expenditure data, the income data were viewed to be suspect. After an investigation of this result, I decided to exclude all households whose propensity to consume was greater than two.

The effect of these two exclusions and the requirement that there be at least three quarterly interviews is shown in Table 4. While the exclusions affect all subgroups of the sample almost equally ( 18 percent reduction for single individuals; 16 percent reduction for childless couples; 15 percent reduction for both one- and two-parent families with children), the exclusions were proportionally higher at low levels of total expenditure. However, it was judged that this restricted sample was sufficiently comparable to the second analysis sample to estimate the Barten-Gorman methodology.

[^19]Table 4

# Economic and Demographic Composition of Sample with Three or More Quarterly Interviews,Complete Income Data, and a Propensity to Consume of Less Than 2.0 

| Expenditure Class | Single Individuals |  | Childless Couples |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0 to 5,000 |  | 236 |  |  |
| 5,000 to 10,000 |  | 775 |  |  |
| 10,000 to 15,000 |  | 909 |  |  |
| 15,000 to 20,000 |  | 536 |  |  |
| 20,000 to 30,000 |  | 386 |  |  |
| 30,000 to 40,000 |  | 112 |  |  |
| 40,000 to 60,000 |  | 36 |  |  |
| Over 60,000 |  | 3 |  |  |
| Total |  | 2993 |  |  |
|  | Two-Adult Families with: |  |  |  |
|  | One | Two | Three or more |  |
| Expenditure Class | Child | Children | Children | Total |
| 0 to 5,000 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 6 |
| 5,000 to 10,000 | 72 | 61 | 46 | 179 |
| 10,000 to 15,000 | 220 | 207 | 128 | 555 |
| 15,000 to 20,000 | 272 | 340 | 191 | 803 |
| 20,000 to 30,000 | 429 | 578 | 302 | 1309 |
| 30,000 to 40,000 | 203 | 301 | 142 | 646 |
| 40,000 to 60,000 | 99 | 173 | 71 | 343 |
| Over 60,000 | 17 | 24 | 20 | 61 |
| Total | 1315 | 1686 | 901 | 3902 |

## One-Adult (Divorced) Families with:

| Expenditure Class | One <br> Child | Two <br> Children | Three or more <br> Children | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | ---: |
| 0 to 5,000 | 16 | 5 | 2 | 23 |
| 5,000 to 10,000 | 58 | 54 | 25 | 137 |
| 10,000 to 15,000 | 91 | 45 | 22 | 158 |
| 15,000 to 20,000 | 48 | 32 | 10 | 90 |
| 20,000 to 30,000 | 56 | 34 | 9 | 99 |
| 30,000 to 40,000 | 8 | 10 | 2 | 20 |
| 40,000 to 60,000 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 6 |
| Over 60,000 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Total | 279 | 184 | 71 | 534 |

Table 4 -- Continued

## One-Adult (Separated) Families with:

Expenditure Class

$$
\begin{gathered}
0 \text { to } 5,000 \\
5,000 \text { to } 10,000 \\
10,000 \text { to } 15,000 \\
15,000 \text { to } 20,000 \\
20,000 \text { to } 30,000 \\
30,000 \text { to } 40,000 \\
40,000 \text { to } 60,000 \\
\text { Over } 60,000
\end{gathered}
$$

Total

Expenditure Class

$$
0 \text { to } 5,000
$$

5,000 to 10,000
10,000 to 15,000
15,000 to 20,000
20,000 to 30,000 30,000 to 40,000 40,000 to 60,000

Over 60,000
Total
123

Two
Children

11
26
10
5
9
2
1
0
64

Three or more Children Total

| 44 | 23 |
| ---: | ---: |
| 17 | 62 |
| 7 | 32 |
| 1 | 18 |
| 4 | 21 |
| 1 | 4 |
| 0 | 3 |
| 0 | 0 |
|  |  |
| 34 | 163 |

One-Adult (Never Married) Families with:

| One <br> Child | Two <br> Children | Three o more <br> Children | Total |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | ---: |
| 46 | 11 | 3 |  |
| 52 | 27 | 28 | 60 |
| 16 | 5 | 7 | 107 |
| 5 | 3 | 1 | 28 |
| 3 | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 123 | 46 | 39 | 0 |
|  |  |  | 208 |

## V. Regression Results

This section describes the regression analyses that forms the basis of the estimates of the cost of children, which are presented in the next section. All the empirical methodologies used in this study concern the relationship between the household's standard of living, proxied by its expenditures on various commodities, and the household's composition, and total expenditures. The Engel and ISO-PROP approaches both utilize the share of total expenditures on a specific commodity group $(\Theta)$ as the proxy for the household's standard of living. The results of the Engel model using both the total sample and the sample including only households with three or more quarters of information are reported in Appendix Tables B1 to B8. Appendix Tables B9 to B20 display the results utilizing the three alternative definitions of necessities for the ISO-PROP approach.

I estimated the relationships for the Engel and ISO-PROP methods using the logistic functional form which in general can be written as:

$$
\Theta=1 /(1+\exp (-\alpha-\beta x)),
$$

estimated as the following functional form:

$$
\log (\Theta / 1-\Theta)=\alpha+\beta x
$$

Thus the interpretation of the estimated coefficients $(\beta)$ is the marginal effect of a change in $x$ on the log of the ratio of the share of total expenditures spent on the commodity group of necessities relative to the share spent on other goods. The marginal effect of the variable x on $\Theta$ is

$$
\partial \Theta / \partial x=\beta \Theta(1-\Theta)
$$

which has the sign of $\beta$. Hence if $\beta$ is positive then $x$ and $\Theta$ will be positively related, and if $\beta$ is negative it indicates that if $x$ increases $\Theta$ will fall.

The Engel and ISO-PROP approaches are both based upon the assumption that as total expenditures rise, the share spent on food or any groups of necessities will fall. The results show that all the models estimated are consistent with this assumption within the range of total expenditures in the data.

These two methods are also based upon the assumption that as family size increases, the share spent on necessities will rise, reflecting a fall in the household's standard of living. To examine whether the estimates support this assumption, recall that family size is included in three variables: LFSIZE, LEFS and LEFS2. Although the coefficient on LFSIZE is often negative, the combined effect of all three effects on share spent on necessities is positive throughout the range of expenditures in the data.

The estimation of the Rothbarth approach was performed by regressing the log of annual expenditures (in $\$ 1,000$ ) on the various control variables. The results of these regressions are reported in Appendix Tables B21 to B28 for the different family groups, samples, and definitions of adult goods.

The Rothbarth approach, in which adult goods proxy for the ho' sehold's standard of living, posits that expenditures on adult goods will rise as total expenditures rise and fall as family size falls. The tables indicate that both of these conditions are met in these results.

The final set of regression results for the Barten-Gorman approach are reported in Appendix Tables B29 and B30, which present estimates of the system of five commodity groups used in this study. As indicated earlier, the estimates from the regression models are not directly used to compute the cost of children. They are instead used to identify the
underlying parameters of the utility function ( $\Omega$ and $\mu$ ) and the components used to compute the scaling factors $\left(\mathrm{d}_{\mathrm{ij}}\right)$. These coefficients are reported in Appendix Tables B31 and B32 for two- and one-adult families respectively.

Even though the regression coefficients in this form provide little information on the magnitude of the costs of children, we gain one insight from these tables. One of the goals of this study was to explore the level of expenditures in one-parent households whose head was either divorced, separated, or never married. The list of variables included in each analysis contained variables for each of these three types of households (DIV, SEP, and NMAR). Although the coefficients on these variables are not statistically different in any of the models, there appears to be a consistent ordering of the effect of these three types of household structure on the various proxies for the household's standard of living. Holding all variables constant, divorced women have higher standards of living than do separated women. The lowest standards of living are experienced by never-married women. The implications are that holding all else constant, the cost of a child to a never-married woman is highest, to a separated woman intermediate, and to a divorced woman lowest. I wish to stress that these differences are not statistically significant.

## VI. Estimates of the Cost of Children

In principle the methodologies can provide estimates over a wide range of household compositions. In this report, for each methodology, estimates are provided for one- and two-adult households with one, two, and three children at different levels of total expenditures. The effect of varying the age of the children is also shown. For the Engel, ISO-PROP, and Rothbarth approaches, estimates are given for both the full sample and the sample restricted to household with a minimum of three quarters of information.

The point estimates are informative, but we should remember that they are subject to some uncertainty. To indicate the extent of variability in the estimates and to provide a means for statistical comparison of the results across methodologies, I have computed the standard deviations of the mean cost estimates. To compute these standard deviations, I employed a bootstrapping technique using 500 replications of the sample. The description of this technique is provided in Appendix D.

The tables depicting the cost of children appear in Appendix E. Tables E1 to E8 present the results from the Engel method. The three variants of the ISO-PROP methods are shown in Tables E9 to E20. Tables E21 to E28 present the estimates from the Rothbarth method, and Tables E29 and E30 show the results from the Barten-Gorman model. ${ }^{26}$

To demonstrate how to read these tables, let us consider Table E1, reproduced on the next page. According to the Engel method, the mean cost estimate for one child aged 8 in a two-parent household spending $\$ 25,000$ per year is $\$ 8,296$. The standard deviation of this estimate is $\$ 262$, or 3 percent of the mean. A 95 percent confidence bound for this

[^20]estimate would be $\$ 8,296$ plus or minus $\$ 514$ ( $\pm 6$ percent). Alternatively, we could express the costs of the children as a percentage of the household's total expenditures. For this example, the point estimate would tell us that 33 percent plus or minus 2 percentage points of the household's expenditures went to the child. The cost estimates expressed in this fashion are presented in Appendix F.

In the same table, let us examine the effect of having more children close in age in the same household. Moving to the panel with two children, we see that for the household with $\$ 25,000$ in total expenditures and two children aged 8 and 10 , the total cost of the children is $\$ 12,200$. Given the previous estimate, the cost of the second child of this age to the family is $\$ 3,904$; on average the household spends $\$ 6,100$ on each child. For three children aged 4,8 , and 13 , Table E1 shows that the cost of the children to the household is $\$ 14,535$. The marginal cost of the third child is $\$ 2,335$ or, on average, the household spends $\$ 4,845$ on each of the children. Put simply, the tables tells us that both the marginal and average costs of children fall as the number of children rises.

Before attempting to summarize this large body of estimates, I would like to highlight two problems encountered in their computation. First, under the ISO-PROP approach we could not compute the costs of children in various household types because households without children were not predicted to spend as much of their total expenditures on necessities as was predicted for the household with children. This problem is depicted in Figure 3. For the family with one child ( $\mathrm{FS}=3$ ) and $\mathrm{X}_{3}$ of total expenditures, $\Theta_{3}$ of total expenditures would be predicted to be spent on necessities. As the figure shows, a level of total expenditures is absent for a similar household without a child ( $\mathrm{FS}=2$ ) spending $\Theta_{3}$ of total expenditures on necessities. When this problem occurred, a dash (--) was entered in the table. An example of this occurs in Appendix Table E21 for households with two or more children and at low levels of total expenditures.

Table E1
Cost of Children in Two-Adult Families Employing the Engel Method Food at Home -- All Observations
Cost SD Cost SD Cost SD

Total Expenditures
One Child:
(4)
(8)
(16)

| 5 | 1285 | 91 | 1656 | 69 | 1961 | 85 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 10 | 2661 | 157 | 3316 | 121 | 3856 | 152 |
| 15 | 4057 | 218 | 4975 | 170 | 5736 | 215 |
| 20 | 5466 | 277 | 6635 | 217 | 7607 | 276 |
| 25 | 6882 | 334 | 8296 | 262 | 9472 | 335 |
| 30 | 8304 | 390 | 9956 | 307 | 11333 | 393 |
| 35 | 9732 | 444 | 11616 | 350 | 13190 | 450 |
| 40 | 11163 | 498 | 13277 | 393 | 15044 | 506 |
| 45 | 12598 | 551 | 14938 | 435 | 16895 | 561 |
| 50 | 14035 | 603 | 16599 | 477 | 18744 | 616 |

Total Expenditures
$(4,8)$
$(8,10)$
$(10,16)$

| 5 | 2196 | 73 | 2420 | 70 | 2607 | 66 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 10 | 4469 | 124 | 4860 | 122 | 5189 | 117 |
| 15 | 6758 | 172 | 7304 | 171 | 7765 | 164 |
| 20 | 9057 | 218 | 9751 | 217 | 10338 | 209 |
| 25 | 11362 | 262 | 12200 | 262 | 12909 | 253 |
| 30 | 13672 | 305 | 14649 | 306 | 15478 | 296 |
| 35 | 15986 | 348 | 17100 | 349 | 18045 | 338 |
| 40 | 18304 | 389 | 19552 | 391 | 20612 | 379 |
| 45 | 20624 | 431 | 22004 | 433 | 23177 | 420 |
| 50 | 22946 | 471 | 24457 | 474 | 25742 | 460 |

Three Children:
Total Expenditures
$(4,8,10)$
$(4,8,13)$
$(10,13,16)$

| 5 | 2708 | 66 | 2875 | 68 | 3141 | 58 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 10 | 5494 | 113 | 5782 | 117 | $r_{2} 248$ | 101 |
| 15 | 8295 | 156 | 8696 | 163 | 9346 | 141 |
| 20 | 11105 | 197 | 11614 | 207 | 12441 | 179 |
| 25 | 13922 | 237 | 14535 | 249 | 15532 | 217 |
| 30 | 16743 | 276 | 17458 | 290 | 18622 | 253 |
| 35 | 19568 | 314 | 20382 | 330 | 21709 | 289 |
| 40 | 22397 | 352 | 23308 | 370 | 24795 | 324 |
| 45 | 25227 | 389 | 26235 | 409 | 27880 | 358 |
| 50 | 28061 | 426 | 29162 | 448 | 30963 | 393 |



Figure 3
Potential Problem in the Determination of Equivalent Incomes

The second problem was encountered in the Rothbarth method. In all other methodologies, the costs of children continually rise with the age of the child. Under the Rothbarth method, the costs steadily rise until the child is about 15 , but then they fall. This can be explained by the fact that in the CEX, clothing purchases of children over 16 are classified as purchases of adult clothing. Thus, the regression results would predict that the expenditures on adults rise with the number of older children and hence the cost of the older children would fall.

## Summary of Results

I offer the following observations concerning what can be generally learned from this exercise, that is, what is generalizable from all of the methods.

- Using the sample with households with three or more quarterly interviews does not significantly affect the costs of children in twoadult families but significantly lowers the cost estimates in one-adult families relative to the estimates derived from the total analysis sample. In my opinion, estimates from the sample of households with three or more quarters are more reliable.
- The standard deviations of the cost estimates at average levels of total expenditures are higher for one-adult families than frr twoadult households. The greatest variability in estimates are for the ISO-PROP method. The standard deviations in both the Engel and Rothbarth methods are similar.
- More children in the family lead to higher total costs of children. However, as the number of children rises, the average cost of a child does not rise.
- With the exception of the Rothbarth method, there is evidence that as a child grows older, the cost of the child rises.
- When total household expenditures rise, expenditures on children rise in roughly the same proportion. In other words, the cost of children expressed as percentage of total expenditures is almost constant across all levels of total expenditures. This observation is limited to the sample used in the estimation, i.e., where total expenditures are less than $\$ 75,000$.
- Holding all else constant, including total expenditures, the cost of a child to a single parent is higher than to a family with two adults. Taking differences in average total expenditures into account, the total costs of children are quite similar.

Finally, it is useful to compare all of these methods to a previously mentioned alternative which is very simple to compute: per capita allocation of expenditures. Using this method, child costs as percentage of total expenditures would not vary with income or age of child, but, only with number of children and of adults in the household. In oneadult families, the costs for one, two, and three children are 50 percent, 67 percent and 75 percent of household expenditures respectively. In two-adult families the cost are 33 percent, 50 percent and 60 percent of expenditures.

A graphical summary of the relationship between the various methods is presented in Figures 4 and 5. In each figure there are three horizontal lines. Each line represents the number of children in the household. For simplicity, I chose the intermediate age child or group of children from the age groups in the tables. Since the cost of the children expressed as a percentage of total expenditures did not vary significantly with levels of total expenditures, I chose the $\$ 25,000$ and $\$ 15,000$ levels for two and one-adult families to construct these figures. ${ }^{27}$ For each set of children, I used an abbreviation designating each

[^21]method, placed to depict its relative position on a line representing costs as a percentage of total household expenditures. The abbreviations are:

| PC | $=$ | Per capita |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| E1 | $=$ | Engel using food at home |
| E2 | $=$ | Engel using total food expenditures |
| I1 | $=$ | ISO-PROP using food at home,shelter,clothing and health care |
| I2 | $=$ | ISO-PROP using food at home,shelter and clothing |
| I3 | $=$ | ISO-PROP using food at home and shelter |
| R1 | $=$ | Rothbarth using adult clothing, alcohol and tobacco |
| R2 | $=$ | Rothbarth using adult clothing |
| BG | $=$ | Barten-Gorman |

Examining the figure for two-adult families (Figure 4), the first observation we can make is that the Engel and per capita methods yield very similar cost estimates. All other methodologies using proportional approaches indicate that the costs of children in two-adult households are significantly less than indicted by the per capita method. The Rothbarth method produces child costs lower than either the Engel or per capita methods, while the ISO-PROP and Barten-Gorman methods yield significantly lower estimates for one child. The difference between the ISO-PROP and the Rothbarth approaches diminishes as the number of children increases, but the Barten-Gorman results remain significantly lower than all others.

Child costs in percentage-of-expenditures terms are higher in one-adult household (Figure 5) than in two-adult households. This is the expected result from a per capita apportionment of total expenditures, which indicates that 50 percent, 67 percent and 75 percent of total expenditures would be required for raising one, two, and three children, respectively. But what is surprising is that all the equal-proportional methods (Engel and ISO-PROP) provide estimates that are at least as great as those under the per capita method. Only the Rothbarth and Barten-Gorman methods consistently yield estimates which are smaller than those under the per capita method.


[^22]

FIGURE 5
The Cost of Raising Children in a Single-Parent Family
(Expressed as a Percentage of Total Household Expenditures)

These two figures show that the definition of commodities utilized within each method does not significantly alter the estimates derived. The only exception to this observation is ISO3, which employed the share of total expenditures on food at home and shelter. For two-adult families this ISO-PROP variant yielded lower estimates of child costs, and for one-adult families it yielded higher estimates than the other two variants.

Were these results to be expected? The finding that the Engel and the per capita approaches yielded similar results was to be expected from previous work by Espenshade, ${ }^{28}$ who used the 1972-73 CEX to estimate the cost of raising a child under the Engel method and obtained results similar to a per capita apportionment.

The consistency with which the Engel approach yielded higher estimates of the cost of children than did the Rothbarth method was not unexpected, in view of the theoretical work of Deaton and Muellbauer, ${ }^{29}$ which demonstrated that in general this relationship should hold. However, they also argued that in theory the Barten-Gorman approach should yield estimates falling between those produced by Engel and Rothbarth. Why was this not true in my study?

We need to remember the conditions under which the Barten-Gorman model was estimated in comparison to the other two methods. First, to identify the Barten-Gorman model a series of very restrictive assumptions were needed concerning the preferences and hence the behavior of the households. In particular, we had to assume that expenditures on goods were linear in relation to total expenditures. Both the Engel and Fothbarth approaches allowed for expenditures on their respective commodities to be non-linear. In

[^23]previous work, I showed that the linearity assumption used in implementing the BartenGorman model is not appropriate and that the functional forms used in the specification of the Engel and Rothbarth provide a better fit of the expenditure data. ${ }^{30}$

These differences in functional forms point to an additional difference confounding the comparison. To illustrate, let us compute the Engel and Rothbarth methods from the estimates of the linear expenditure system in Tables 35 and 36. Using these estimates of the scaling factors and parameters of the utility function, one can calculate, with the Engel method, that the cost of an eight-year-old child to a two-adult family with expenditures of $\$ 25,000$ is 38 percent of total expenditures. The corresponding figure for the Rothbarth method is 23 percent. Thus, differences in functional forms can not explain this departure from our theoretical expectations.

The implicit commodity scaling factors for this household type may account for this result. In this case of the household with an eight year old child the scaling factor ( m ) is 1.32 for food; 1.02 for housing; .96 for transportation; .75 for adult goods; and 1.33 for all other goods. Given that these scales have been normalized to equal one for a two-adult household without children, the two scale factors that are less than one imply that a household with a child needs less transportation and fewer adult goods to achieve the same standard of living as a household without children. The scale for transportation is not significantly different from one, but the scale for adult goods is. If we recalculate child costs requiring that all scales be at least one, then our theoretical expectations are met.

These scales also explain why the estimates from the ISO-PROP methodology for two-adult families are low compared to the Engel and Rothbarth methods. While the scale for food (1.32) is close to a per capita share, the scale for housing (1.02) indicates larger

[^24]economies of scale in housing as compared to food. The third ISO-PROP variant, which considers only food at home and housing, should represent the budget share weighted economies of scales in these two goods. Hence it should come as no surprise then that any of the ISO-PROP variants that include housing produce estimates lower than does the Engel method.

## VII. Conclusions

The main findings of this study are as follows:

- More children in a family result in higher total costs of children in the family. However, as the number of children rises, the average cost of each child does not rise.
- With the exception of results under the Rothbarth method, there is evidence that as the child grows older, the cost of the child rises.
- When total expenditures rise in the household, the expenditures on the children rise in roughly the same proportion. In other words, the cost of children expressed as percentage of total expenditures is almost constant across all levels of expenditures observed in the survey.
- Holding all else constant, including levels of total expenditures, the cost of a child to a single-parent is higher than to a two-parent family. Taking differences in average total expenditures into account, the costs of children are quite similar.

Ideally, I would have hoped that many of the assumptions needed to perform these estimates would not have made a difference to the end results. Some did not. At the mean of the samples, the choice of functional form to estimate the various models did not make much difference in the final results. However, the choice of method did have a substantial effect on the estimates. The variation in results across methods can not be explained by the uncertainty in our estimates of the underlying relationship describing the expenditure patterns of households of different composition. The choice of underlying assumptions did make an important difference.

Thus, arriving at what would be described as best estimates will depend on which set of underlying assumptions seems to be most realistic and which set of estimates conforms to common sense. The Engel approach theoretically is believed to provide an upper bound estimate of the cost of raising children. The use of economies of scale in food consumption to estimate the average economies in other goods seems on the surface unrealistic in today's society. But given the high estimates that result from this
methodology, even when compared to the per capita method, the estimates from the Engel method should be discounted.

The Barten-Gorman approach, while most theoretically pleasing, was hindered by the large set of restricting assumptions required to identify the model with this data set. Moreover, implementation of the model relied upon the validity of the income data in the survey, which is suspect. These problems reduced the acceptability of the Barten-Gorman estimates.

The ISO-PROP approach resembles the Engel approach, but differs in several ways. By including other goods which could be considered necessities, this approach potentially could overcome some objections to the Engel method. However, the estimates from this method are quite different if we compare one- and two-adult families. For ISO2 (which included food at home, shelter, and clothing), the average and marginal cost of children is equal to constant 14 percent of total expenditures. For one-adult families, the estimates reflect almost a per capita appoportionment of expenditures. The reason this a result is not clear. Given the sensitivity of the estimates to what is included in the definition of a necessity, the robustness of these results is questionable. The ISO-PROP approach, as opposed to other approaches, was significantly affected by the choice of the level of total expenditures. For all of these reasons, I have tended to discount the ISOPROP estimates.

The others having been discounted or eliminated from consideration, the Rothbarth method remains the leading contender. In the first section of the report, this method, based on how adults reduced spending on themselves in favor of their children, was considered a reasonable approach. The similarity of its results for one- and two-parent families, in comparison with the per capita appoportionment of total expenditures, is
striking. ${ }^{31}$ My own experience is that the marginal and average costs of children appear to fall with the number of children, while the percentage of total expenditures devoted to children remains constant. For these reasons, I have concluded that the Rothbarth method produces what I would consider the "best" set of estimates of the cost of raising children. Rounding the numbers, I arrive at my best guess of the total cost of raising children, expressed in percentage of total household expenditures as 25 percent, 35 percent and 40 percent for one, two, and three children in a two-parent household and 40 percent, 55 percent and 60 percent for one, two, and three children in a one-parent household. ${ }^{32}$

The estimates of the cost of children prepared for this report are given as estimates of expenditures on children. Two cautionary points should be made. First, the Consumer Expenditure Survey contains expenditure information only on households whose total expenditures were less than $\$ 75,000$ per year. Thus, the costs of children in households with expenditures in excess of $\$ 75,000$ remains purely speculation. Second, all estimates of expenditures on children were made as a function of total expenditures, not income, of the household. It is tempting to equate total expenditures with income, but these are two distinct concepts. ${ }^{33}$ For the purpose of child support guidelines, it would be more informative to know how expenditure patterns varied according with income. Unfortunately, the income data on the CEX is not of sufficient quality to permit such

[^25]analysis. The relationship between the estimates given in this report to child support guidelines are left to the report prepared by Lewin/ICF.

## Appendix A

## Listing of Extract Program for Analysis Sample

```
//F6WXFN1 JOB (AF,E409), BETSON,NOTIFY=F6WXFN,TIME=10,
// MSGLEVEL=(2,0),MSGCLASS=Q
/*OPENBIN
/*SETUP CEX1,NOCODE
/*SETUP CEX2,NOCODE
//STEP1 EXEC VSFORT
//FORT.SYSIN DD *
    INTEGER IRD(4,73),YKID,OKTD,NREC(11),IPL(4),IEP(41)
    REAL XIN(4,90),XOUT(62),AGEKID (5),DUM(12)
    DATA IEP/2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10,11,14,15,16,18,19,20,21,22,23,24,
    * 25,26,27,28,29,30,32,34,35,36,38,39,40,41,42,44,45,46,47,48,
    *49/
    DATA NREC/11*O/
1 READ (10,200, END=100) ((IRD.(K,.J.),J=1, 29),XIN(K, 1.),
    $ (IRD (K,J),J=30, 69), (XIN (K,J),J=2,68), IRD (K,70),
    $ (XIN (K,J),J=69, 90),(IRD(K,J),J=71,73),K=1,4)
200 FORMAT(4(I7,I1,2(I3,1X),14I2,I1,2(I8,1X),I1,I9,1X,I1,2I2,
    $ I1,I9,1X,I9,F11.3,4(I8,1X),2I3,4I1,2I2,I8,1X,I1,4I2,2I1,
    $ 4I2,3I1,2I8,3I1,5I8,1X,2(I8,1X),I3,67F9.2,I1, 22F9.2,
    $ 2(I8,1X),I3))
            NREC(1)=NREC (1) +1
        IGOOD=0
        DO 2 K=1.4
        IF(IRD(K,1).LE.0) GO TO 2
        IF(XIN(K,67).LE.O.) GO TO 2
        IGOOD=IGOOD +1
        IPL(IGOOD)=K
        CONTINUE
        IFIRST=IPL(1)
        ILAST=IPL(IGOOD)
        IF(IGOOD.LT.1) GO TO 1
        NREC (2) =NREC (2) +1
C ELIMINATE IF AGE OF RP IS GT 55
    IF(IRD(ILAST, 3).GT.55) GO TO 1
    NREC (3) =NREC (3) +1
C ELIMINATE OTHER FAMILIES
    IF(IRD(ILAST, 27).GT.8) GO TO 1
    NREC(4)=NREC(4)+1
    GOOD=IGOOD
    DO 300 K=1,62
300
    XOUT (K)=0.0
    XOUT (1)=IRD(IFIRST,1)
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    XOUT (2)=GOOD
    DO 13 I=1,IGOOD
    J=IPL(I)
    K=I+2
    JQ=(IRD (J,50)-1)/3 + 1
    XOUT (K)=JQ + (IRD (J,51)-80)*4
    XOUT (7) =IRD(ILAST, 70)
    XOUT (8) =XIN(ILAST, 1)
    XOUT (9)=IRD (ILAST, 19)
    XOUT (10) =IRD (ILAST,56)
    XOUT (11) = IRD (ILAST, 61)
    NKID=0
    DO 4 KK=5.16
    IF (IRD (ILAST,KK).GT.0) NKID=NKID+1
    IF(NKID.LT.1) GO TO 9
    YKID=IRD(ILAST,5)
    OKID=0
    IEND=4+NKID
    DO 5 KK=5,IEND
    YKID=MIN(YKID,IRD (ILAST,KK))
    OKID=MAX (OKID,IRD (ILAST,KK))
    CONTINUE
    XOUT (12)=YKID
    XOUT (13)=OKID
    CONTINUE
    DO }6\textrm{KK}=1,
    AGEKID (KK) =0.0
    DO }7\textrm{J}=1,IGOO
    KJ=IPL(J)
    DO }7\textrm{LL}=5,1
    KID=IRD (KJ, LL)
    IF(KID.GT.0.AND.KID.LT.3) AGEKID(1)==AGEKID(1) +1
    IF(KID.GT.2.AND.KID.LT.6) AGEKID (2)=AGEKID(2) +1
    IF(KID.GT.5.AND.KID.LT.13) AGEKID(3)=AGEKID (3) +1
    IF(KID.GT.12.AND.KID.LT.15) AGEKID (4)=AGEKID(4)+1
    IF(KID.GT.14.AND.KID.LT.18) AGEKID (5)=AGEKID (5) +1
    CONTINUE
    XOUT (14)=AGEKID (1)/GOOD
    XOUT (15)=AGEKID (2)/GOOD
    XOUT (16)=AGEKID (3)/GOOD
    XOUT (17)=AGEKID (4)/GOOD
    XOUT (18)=AGEKID (5)/GOOD
    DO 8 K=14,18
    XoUT (19) = XOUT (19) + XOUT (K)
    DO 10 K=1,IGOOD
    J=IPL(K)
    XOUT (20) =XOUT (20) +IRD(J, 26)
    XOUT (20)=XOUT (20)/GOOD
C ELIMINATE IF MORE THAN TWO ADULTS IN LAST INTERVIEW
KID=0
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DO 400 KK=5,16
400 IF(IRD(ILAST,KK).GT.0.AND.IRD(ILAST,KK).LT.18) KID=KID+1
IAD=IRD (ILAST,.26) -KID
IF(IAD.LT.1) GO TO 1
IF(IAD.GT.2) GO TO 1
AD=XOUT (20)-XOUT (19)
IF (AD.GT.2..OR.AD.LE.0.) GO TO 1
IF(XOUT(20).LT.1.0) GO TO 1
NREC (5)=NREC (5) +1
IFAM=0
ISP=0
IF(IRD(ILAST,4).GT.12)ISP=1
IF(IAD.EQ.2.AND.KID.GT.O.AND.ISP.EQ.1) IFAM=4
IF(IAD.EQ.2.AND.KID.LE.O.AND.ISP.EQ.1). IFAM=2
IF(IAD.EQ.1.AND.KID.GT.O.AND.ISP.EQ.0) IFAM=3
IF(IAD.EQ.1.AND.KID.LE.O.AND.ISP.EQ.0) IFAM=1
XOUT (21)=IFAM
IF(IFAM.EQ.O) GO TO 1
IF(KID.GT.O.AND.XOUT(19).LE.O.) GO TO 1
NREC (6) =NREC (6) +1
XOUT (22)=IRD(ILAST, 43)
xOUT (23)=IRD (ILAST, 44)
XOUT (24)=IRD (ILAST,22)
DO 15 K=1,IGOOD
J=IPL (K)
Z=IRD (J,32)
XOUT (25)=AMAX1 (XOUT (25), 2)
Z=IRD (J, 23)
XOUT (26) =AMAX1 (XOUT (26), 2)
Z=IRD(J,28)
XOUT (27)=AMAX1 (XOUT (27) , Z)
Z=IRD (J,29)
XOUT (28)=AMAX1 (XOUT (28), 2)
Z=IRD (J,31)
XOUT (29)=AMAX1 (XOUT (29), Z)
Z=IRD (J, 33)
XOUT (30)=AMAX1 (XOUT (30),2)
Z=IRD (J,67)
XOUT (31)=AMAX1 (XOUT (31), 2)
Z=IRD (J, 68)
XOUT (32)=AMAX1 (XOUT (32), 2)
Z=IRD (J,66)
XOUT (33)=AMAX1 (XOUT (33), 2)
Z=IRD(J,42)
XOUT (34)=AMAX1 (XOUT (34),Z)
Z=IRD (J, 20)
XOUT (35)=AMAX1 (XOUT (35), 2)
CONTINUE
XOUT (36)=IRD (ILAST,3)
XOUT (37)=IRD (ILAST, 59)
XOUT (38)=IRD (ILAST,55)
XOUT (39)=IRD (ILAST, 24)
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    IF (XOUT (39).GE.7.1 XOUT (39)=0.
    XOUT (40)=IRD(ILAST,57)
    XOUT (41)=IRD(ILAST, 34)
    XOUT (42)=IRD(ILAST, 40)
    YOUT (43) =IRD(ILAST, 46)
    DO 30 KK=44,51
    XOUT (KK)=-1.
    IF(IRD(ILAST,4).LE.12) GO TO 31
    XOUT (44)=IRD(ILAST, 4)
    XOUT (45)=IRD (ILAST, 50)
    XOUT (46)=IRD (ILAST,54)
    IED=IRD(ILAST, 25)
    IF(IED.EQ.0) XOUT(47)=0.
    IF(IED.GT.O.AND.IED.LE.8) XOUT(47)=1.
    IF(IED.GE.9.AND.IED.LT.12) XOUT(47)=2.
    IF(IED.EQ.12) XOUT(47)=3.
    IF(IED.GT.20.AND.IED.LE.23) XOUT(47)=4.
    IF(IED.EQ.24) XOUT(47)=5.
    IF(IED.GT.24) XOUT(47)=6.
    XOUT (48)=IRD (ILAST,58)
    XOUT (49)=IRD(ILAST, 35)
    XOUT (50)=IRD (ILAST, 41)
    XOUT (51)=IRD(ILAST, 47)
    cONTINUE
    DO 40 K=1,11
    DUM(K)=0.
    DO 41 J=1,IGOOD
    K=IPL(J)
    DUM(1)=\operatorname{DUM}(1)+XIN (K,15)
    DUM(2)=\operatorname{DUM}(2)+XIN (K,16)
    DUM(3) =DUM (3) +XIN (K,4)
    DUM(4)=\operatorname{DUM}(4)+XIN (K,23) +XIN (K, 24)
    DUM(5)=\operatorname{DUM}(5)+XIN (K,10) +XIN (K,21)
    DUM(6)=DUM(\sigma)+XIN(K,50)
    DUM(7)=\operatorname{DUM (7) +XIN (K,80)}
    DUM(8)=\operatorname{DUM}(8)+XIN (K,82)
    DUM(10)=\operatorname{DUM}(10)+XIN (K,67)
    \operatorname{DUM}(11)=\operatorname{DUM}(11) +XIN (K,5) +XIN (K,9) +XIN (K,11) +XIN (K,70) +XIN (K,72)
    * +XIN(K,73)+XIN(K,74)
    DO 45 IJ=1,41
    L=IEP(IJ)
    DUM(9)=DUM(9) +XIN (K,L)
    CONTINUE
    DUM(2)=\operatorname{DUM}(2)+\operatorname{DUM}(1)
    DO 42 K=1,11
    J=K+51
    XOUT(J)=4.*DUM(K)/GOOD
C ELIMINATE IF FOOD EXPENDITURES < 1 OR
C ELIMINATE IF NOMINAL TOTAL EXPENDITURES < 1
IF(XOUT(52).LT.1.0) GO TO 1
IF (XOUT (60).LT.1.0) GO TO 1
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NREC (7) =NREC (7) +1
J=IGOOD +7
NREC (J) =NREC (J) +1
WRITE(11) XOUT
GO TO 1
100 CONTINUE
WRITE(6,101) NREC
101 FORMAT (I20)
ENDFILE(11)
STOP
END
//GO.FTO6F001 DD SYSOUT=T
//GO.FT10F001 DD UNIT=TAPE,VOL=SER=(CEX1,CEX2),LABEL=(1,SL,,IN),
// DISP=(OLD,KEEP),DSN=BETSON.CEX8086.DATA,
// DCB=(RECFM=FB,LRECL=4380,BLKSI2E=17520,DSORG=PS)
//GO.FTIIF001 DD UNIT=DISK,DISP=(NEW,CATLG),DSN=AUDMB0.CEX8086.DATA,
// DCB=(RECFM=VBS,LRECL=252,BLKSIZE=19069,DSORG=PS),
// SPACE=(TRK, (50,15),RLSE),VOL=SER=USER08
//
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## Appendix B

# Regression Analysis of <br> Various Commodity Groups <br> By One- and Two-Adult Families 

## Definitions of Dependent Variables Used in Study

Engel :

| $\Theta_{\mathrm{FH}}$ | $=$ | the share of total expenditures devoted to food consumption at home |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| L_FHSHR | = | $\log \left[\Theta_{\mathrm{FH}} /\left(1-\Theta_{\mathrm{FH}}\right)\right.$ ] |
| $\Theta_{\mathrm{FT}}$ | = | the share of total expenditures devoted to total food consumption |
| L_FTSHR | = | $\log \left[\Theta_{\mathrm{FH}} /\left(1-\Theta_{\mathrm{FH}}\right)\right.$ ] |
| ISO-PROP : |  |  |
| $\Theta_{\text {ISO1 }}$ | = | the share of total expenditures devoted to food at home, shelter, clothing and health care |
| L_ISO1 | = | $\log \left[\Theta_{\text {ISO1 }} /\left(1-\Theta_{\text {ISO1 }}\right)\right]$ |
| $\Theta_{\mathrm{ISO} 2}$ | $=$ | the share of total expenditures devoted to food at home, shelter and clothing |
| L_ISO1 | $=$ | $\log \left[\Theta_{\mathrm{ISO} 2} /\left(1-\Theta_{\mathrm{ISO} 2}\right)\right]$ |
| $\Theta_{\text {ISO3 }}$ | $=$ | the share of total expenditures devoted to food at home and shelter |
| L_ISO3 | $=$ | Log [ $\left.\Theta_{\text {ISO3 }} /\left(1-\Theta_{\text {ISO3 }}\right)\right]$ |

## Rothbarth :

$\mathrm{RE}_{\mathrm{R} 1}=\quad$ Real expenditures on adult clothing, alcohol and tobacco
L_ROTH1 $=\log \left[\mathrm{RE}_{\mathrm{R} 1}\right]$
$\mathrm{RE}_{\mathrm{R} 2}=\quad$ Real expenditures on adult clothing
$\mathrm{L}_{-} \mathrm{ROTH} 2=\log \left[\mathrm{RE}_{\mathrm{R} 2}\right]$

## Barten-Gorman :

FOOD $\quad=\quad$ Real expenditures on Food at Home (in 1000's)
HOUSE $\quad=\quad$ Real expenditures on Shelter and Utilities (in 1000's)
TRANS $\quad=\quad$ Real expenditures on Transportation (in 1000's)
AGOODS $=$ Real expenditures on Adult Clothing, Alcohol and Tobacco ( in 1000 's)
OTHER $=$ Real expenditures on All Other Goods (in 1000's)

## Definition of Explanatory Variables Used in Study

Total Expenditures (X):

| LEFS | $=$ | Log of per capita Total Real Expenditures |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| LEFS2 | $=$ | LEFS * LEFS |

Household Composition (d):

| LNFSIZE | $=\quad$ Log of family size |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| CKA1 | $=$ | Number of children 1 to 2 years old divided by family size |
| CKA2 | $=$ | Number of children 3 to 5 years old divided by family size |
| CKA3 | $=$ | Number of children 6 to 12 years old divided by family size |
| CKA4 | $=$ | Number of children 13 to 14 years old divided by family size |
| CKA5 | $=\quad$ Number of children 15 to 17 years old divided by family size |  |
| CAA6 | $=\quad$Number of adults 18 to 24 years old divided by family size <br> CAA7 <br> Number of adults 25 to 35 years old divided by family size <br> CAA8$\quad=\quad$Number of adults 36 to 45 years old divided by family size <br> (note this variable was omitted in the analysis) |  |

CAA9 $\quad=\quad$ Number of adults 46 to 55 years old divided by family size
Other Socioeconomic Variables (s):

| HD_NO_HS | $=\quad 1$ if Head's education was less than 12 years, 0 otherwise |
| :--- | :--- |
| HD_COLL | $=1$ if Head's education was greater than 12 years, 0 otherwise |

In Two-Adult Families :

| SP_NO_HS | $=$ | 1 if spouse's education was less than 12 years, 0 otherwise |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| SP_COLL | = | 1 if spouse's education was greater than 12 years, 0 otherwise |
| TWOERN | $=$ | 1 if both adults worked, 0 otherwise |
| W_WORK | = | Weeks worked by spouse divided by 52 |
| FTIME | = | 1 if the spouse worked more than 30 hours per week, 0 otherwis |

In One-Adult Families :

| FEMALE | $=1$ if the Head was a female, 0 otherwise |
| :--- | :--- |
| H_WORK | $=\quad$ Weeks worked by head divided by 52 |
| HFTIME | $=1$ if the head worked more than 30 hours per week, 0 otherwise |
| DIV | $=1$ if the head is a divorced single parent, 0 otherwise |
| SEP | $=1$ if the head is a separated single parent, 0 otherwise |
| NMAR | $=1$ if the head is a never married single parent, 0 otherwise |

Table B1
Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home All Observations

## All Two-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODEL01 | SSE | 2969.364 | F RATIO | 778.84 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DFE | 13332 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: | L FHSHR | MSE | 0.222725 | R-SQUARE | 0.5261 |
|  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| LABEL |  |  |  |  |  |
| INTERCEPT | 1 | -0.530727 | 0.060382 | -8.7.894 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | -0.174694 | 0.068361 | -2.5555 | 0.0106 |
| CKA1 | 1 | -0.038457 | 0.104381 | -0.3684 | 0.7126 |
| CKA2 | 1 | 0.008169597 | 0.107765 | 0.0758 | 0.9396 |
| CKA3 | 1 | 0.201295 | 0.107561 | 1.8714 | 0.0613 |
| CKA 4 | 1 | 0.403097 | 0.115977 | 3.4757 | 0.0005 |
| CKA5 | 1 | 0.367675 | 0.109686 | 3.3521 | 0.0008 |
| CAA6 | 1 | -0.116943 | 0.019622 | -5.9599 | 0.0001 |
| CAA8 | 1 | 0.173319 | 0.018839 | 9.1999 | 0.0001 |
| CAA9 | 1 | 0.213965 | 0.017619 | 12.1441 | 0.0001 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | 0.088087 | 0.013084 | 6.7322 | 0.0001 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | 0.0138 .51 | .0.0.10.745 | 1.28.91 | $0 . .1974$ |
| SP_NO_HS | 1 | 0.051917 | 0.013955 | 3.7203 | 0.0002 |
| SP_COLL | 1 | -0.076751 | 0.0.12147 | -6.31.86 | 0.0001 |
| BLACK | 1 | -0.114079 | 0.016280 | -7.0075 | 0.0001 |
| TWOERN | 1 | -0.067779 | 0.013290 | -5.0999 | 0.0001 |
| W_WORK | 1 | -0.066157 | 0.015179 | -4.3583 | 0.0001 |
| FTIME | 1 | 0.013596 | 0.011220 | 1.2118 | 0.2256 |
| LEFS | 1 | -0.538572 | 0.027178 | -19.8162 | 0.0001 |
| LEFS2 | 1 | -0.055550 | 0.006711724 | -8.2765 | 0.0001 |

Table B2
Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home Three or More Observations

## All Two-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 1112.906 | FRATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Table B3

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home All Observations

## All One-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 8757.588 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Table B4

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home Three or More Observations

## All One-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 1954.46 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Table B5

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food All Observations

All Two-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 2601.482 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Table B6

## Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food

 Three or More Observations
## All Two-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODEL01 |  | SSE | 974.471597 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Table B7

## Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food

 All Observations
## All One-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 5519.968 | FRATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

Table B8

## Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food Three or More Observations

## One-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODEL01 |  | SSE | 1209.377 | FRATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

Table B9
Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home, Shelter, Clothing and Health Care

## All Observations

## All Two-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | S612.126 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

Table B10
Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home, Shelter, Clothing and Health Care

Three or More Observations

## All Two-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 1391.593 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Table B11

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home, Shelter, Clothing and Health Care All Observations

## All One-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 9708.52 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

Table B12
Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home, Shelter, Clothing and Health Care Three or More Observations

## All One-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODEL01 | SSE | 2083.176 | F RAtIo | 156.33 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DFE | 4799 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: | L_ISO1 | MSE | 0.434085 | R-SQUARE | 0.3945 |
|  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| LABEL |  |  |  |  |  |
| INTERCEPT | - 1 | 0.874058 | 0.070721 | 12.3593 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | -0.050406 | 0.106845 | -0.4718 | 0.6371 |
| CKA1 | 1 | 0.389380 | 0.285992 | 1.3615 | 0.1734 |
| CKA2 | 1 | -0.064654 | 0.251159 | -0.2574 | 0.7969 |
| CKA3 | 1 | -0.017422 | 0.244915 | -0.0711 | 0.9433 |
| CKA4 | 1 | 0.187659 | 0.267103 | 0.7026 | 0.4824 |
| CKA5 | 1 | -0.077682 | 0.257268 | -0.3019 | 0.7627 |
| CAA6 | 1 | -0.617761 | 0.029867 | -20.6836 | 0.0001 |
| CAA 8 | 1 | 0.149986 | 0.029615 | 5.0646 | 0.0001 |
| CAA9 | 1 | 0.142643 | 0.032796 | 4.3494 | 0.0001 |
| DIV | 1 | 0.021632 | 0.070821 | 0.3054 | 0.7600 |
| SEP | 1 | 0.146810 | 0.081730 | 1.7963 | 0.0725 |
| NMAR | 1 | 0.191131 | 0.078262 | 2. 4.422 | 0.0146 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | 0.054748 | 0.031137 | 1.7583 | 0.0788 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | 0.048353 | 0.023411 | 2.0654 | 0.0389 |
| BLACK | 1 | 0.167333 | 0.029229 | 5.7249 | 0.0001 |
| FEMALE | 1 | 0.186810 | 0.021137 | 8.8379 | 0.0001 |
| H_WORK | 1 | -0.164258 | 0.037692 | -4.3579 | 0.0001 |
| HFTIME | 1 | -0.046462 | 0.030338 | -1.5315 | 0.1257 |
| LEFS | 1 | -0.401566 | 0.058952 | -6.8117 | 0.0001 |
| LEFS2 | 1 | -0.019658 | 0.012894 | -1.5246 | 0.1274 |

## Table B13

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home, Shelter and Clothing All Observations

## All Two-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 3683.094 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

Table B14
Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home, Shelter and Clothing Three or More Observations

## All Two-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 1425.842 | ERATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Table B15

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home, Shelter and Clothing All Observations

## All One-Adult Families

| MODEL: M | MODEL01 | SSE | 9847.84 | F RATIO | 308.30 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DFE | 13612 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: | L_ISO2 | MSE | 0.723468 | R-SQUARE | 0.3118 |
|  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| VARIABLE | DF | ESTIMATE | ERROR | T RAtio | PROB $>\|T\|$ |
| LABEL |  |  |  |  |  |
| INTERCEPT | - 1 | 0.167107 | 0.042600 | 3.9227 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | 0.287250 | 0.110861 | 2.5911 | 0.0095 |
| CKA1 | 1 | 0.331766 | 0.274497 | 1.2086 | 0.2268 |
| CKA2 | 1 | -0.022537 | 0.257483 | -0.0875 | 0.9303 |
| CKA3 | 1 | -0.269737 | 0.256060 | -1.0534 | 0.2922 |
| CKA4 | 1 | -0.081186 | 0.274108 | -0.2962 | 0.7671 |
| CKA5 | 1 | -0.364.070 | 0.. 26368.0 | -1..3.80.7 | $0 . .1674$ |
| CAA6 | 1 | -0.732073 | 0.020251 | -36.1501 | 0.0001 |
| CAA8 | 1 | 0.177069 | 0.025669 | 6.8982 | 0.0001 |
| CAA9 | 1 | 0.174607 | 0.029133 | 5.9935 | 0.0001 |
| DIV | 1 | -0.090074 | 0.070154 | -1.2840 | 0.1 .992 |
| SEP | 1 | 0.057603 | 0.076649 | 0.7515 | 0.4524 |
| NMAR | 1 | 0.202230 | 0.075008 | 2.6961 | 0.0070 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | 0.048938 | 0.022560 | 2.1692 | 0.0301 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | 0.076448 | 0.018763 | 4.0745 | 0.0001 |
| BLĀCK | 1 | 0.181631 | 0.022868 | 7.9425 | 0.0001 |
| FEMALE | 1 | 0.229513 | 0.015985 | 14.3576 | 0.0001 |
| H_WORK | 1 | -0.091599 | 0.025334 | -3.6157 | 0.0003 |
| HFTIME | 1 | 0.010096 | 0.019850 | 0.5086 | 0.6110 |
| LEFS | 1 | -0.022207 | 0.033476 | -0.6634 | 0.5071 |
| LEFS 2 | 1 | -0.100547 | 0.0.07684984 | -13.0836 | 0.0001 |

## Table B16

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home, Shelter and Clothing Three or More Observations

## All One-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODEL01 |  | SSE | 2086.274 | F RATIO | 156.70 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | DFE | 4801 | PROB $>\mathrm{F}$ | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: | L_ISO2 |  | MSE | 0.434550 | R-SQUARE | 0.3950 |
|  |  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| LABEL |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| INTERCEPT |  | 1 | 0.895980 | 0.070734 | 12.6670 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE |  | 1 | -0.074844 | 0.106899 | -0.7001 | 0.4839 |
| CKA1 |  | 1 | 0.381387 | 0.286144 | 1.3328 | 0.1826 |
| CKA2 |  | 1 | -0.047941 | 0.251292 | -0.1908 | 0.8487 |
| CKA3 |  | 1 | -0.023175 | 0.245045 | -0.0946 | 0.9247 |
| CKA 4 |  | 1 | 0.107409 | 0.267245 | 0.4019 | 0.6878 |
| CKA5 |  | 1 | -0.088654 | 0.257406 | -0.3444 | 0.7305 |
| CAA5 |  | 1 | -0.610104 | 0.029876 | -20.4215 | 0.0001 |
| CAA 8 |  | 1 | 0.121354 | 0.029614 | 4.0978 | 0.0001 |
| CAA9 |  | 1 | 0.048062 | 0.032808 | 1.4650 | 0.1430 |
| DIV |  | 1 | 0.014308 | 0.070858 | 0.2019 | 0.8400 |
| SEP |  | 1 | 0.155985 | 0.081773 | 1.9076 | 0.0565 |
| NMAR |  | 1 | 0.213415 | 0.078302 | 2.7255 | 0.0064 |
| HD NO_HS |  | 1 | 0.059455 | 0.031133 | 1.9097 | 0.0562 |
| HD_COLL |  | 1 | 0.046091 | 0.023420 | 1.9680 | 0.0491 |
| BLACK |  | 1 | 0.177737 | 0.029242 | 6.0782 | 0.0001 |
| FEMALE |  | 1 | 0.152785 | 0.021145 | 7.2257 | 0.0001 |
| H_WORK |  | 1 | -0.173824 | 0.037705 | -4.6101 | 0.0001 |
| HFTIME |  | 1 | -0.039802 | 0.030352 | -1.3113 | 0.1898 |
| LEFS |  | 1 | -0.477484 | 0.058964 | -8.0979 | 0.0001 |
| LEFS 2 |  | 1 | -0.00594721 | 0.012899 | -0.4611 | 0.6448 |

Table B17
Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home, Shelter and Clothing All Observations

## Atl Two-Adult Famities

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 3934.556 | FRATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Table B18

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home and Shelter Three or More Observations

## All Two-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODEL01 | SSE | 1541.96 | F RATIO | 155.24 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DFE | 6807 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: | L_ISO3 | MSE | 0.226526 | R-SQUARE | 0.3023 |
|  |  | PARAMETER | StANDARD |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { VARIABLE } \\ & \text { LABEL } \end{aligned}$ | DF | ESTIMATE | ERROR | T RATIO | PROB>\|T| |
| INTERCEPT | 1 | 1.073422 | 0.090454 | 11.8671 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | -0.152304 | 0.091677 | -1.6613 | 0.0967 |
| CKA1 | 1 | -0.154326 | 0.144487 | -1.0681 | 0.2855 |
| CKA2 | 1 | -0.256127 | 0.147048 | -1.7418 | 0.0816 |
| CKA3 | 1 | -0.287617 | 0.144400 | -1.9918 | 0.0464 |
| CKA4 | 1 | -0.213063 | 0.157710 | -1.3510 | 0.1767 |
| CKA5 | 1 | -0.206736 | 0.148782 | -1.3895 | 0.1647 |
| CAA 6 | 1 | -0.172425 | 0.031503 | -5.4732 | 0.0001 |
| CAA8 | 1 | 0.014521 | 0.026444 | 0.5491 | 0.5829 |
| CAA9 | 1 | -0.107280 | 0.024271 | -4.4201 | 0.0001 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | -0.00648849 | 0.019373 | -0.3349 | 0.7377 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | 0.084049 | 0.015028 | 5.5928 | 0.0001 |
| SP_NO_HS | 1 | 0.022027 | 0.020878 | 1.0550 | 0.2915 |
| SP_COLL | 1 | -0.00185396 | 0.016732 | -0.1108 | 0.9118 |
| BLĀCK | 1 | -0.039913 | 0.023529 | -1.6963 | 0.0899 |
| TWOERN | 1 | -0.100564 | 0.019021 | -5.2871 | 0.0001 |
| W_WORK | 1 | -0.027751 | 0.021816 | -1.2720 | 0.2034 |
| FTIME | 1 | 0.010671 | 0.015777 | 0.6764 | 0.4988 |
| LEFS | 1 | -0.818472 | 0.048434 | -16.8986 | 0.0001 |
| LEFS2 | 1 | 0.058237 | 0.011812 | 4.9303 | 0.0001 |

## Table B19

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home and Shelter
All Observations

## All One-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODEL01 |  | SSE | 14147.44 | FRATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Table B20

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home and Shelter
Three or More Observations

## All One-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 2973.442 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | 114.19

Table B21
Regression on the Log of the Expenditures Spend on Adult Clothing, Alcohol:and Tobacco All Observations

## All Two-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 3554.22 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Table B22

Regression on the Log of the Expenditures Spend on Adult Clothing, Alcohol and Tobacco Three or More Observations

## All Two-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 1391.239 | F RATIO | 25. 23 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | DFE | 3036 | PROB $>$ F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: | L_ROTH1 |  | MSE | 0.458247 | R-SQUARE | 0.1364 |
|  |  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| LABEL |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| INTERCEPT |  | 1 | -2.458059 | 0.178693 | -13.7557 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE |  | 1 | 0.612436 | 0.187770 | 3.2616 | 0.0011 |
| CKA1 |  | 1 | -0.653103 | 0.302644 | -2.1580 | 0.0310 |
| CKA2 |  | 1 | -0.769765 | 0.309718 | -2.4854 | 0.0130 |
| CKA3 |  | 1 | -0.722560 | 0.305571 | -2.3646 | 0.0181 |
| CKA4 |  | 1 | -0.503491 | 0.337422 | -1.4922 | 0.1358 |
| CKA5 |  | 1 | -0.175388 | 0.321093 | -0.5462 | 0.5850 |
| CAA6 |  | 1 | 0.0008095229 | 0.066102 | 0.0122 | 0.9902 |
| CAA 8 |  | 1 | -0.017262 | 0.060627 | -0.2847 | 0.7759 |
| CAA9 |  | 1 | -0.170378 | 0.056221 | -3.0305 | 0.0025 |
| HD_NO_HS |  | 1 | -0.062620 | 0.037433 | -1.6729 | 0.0945 |
| HD_COLI |  | 1 | -0.018105 | 0.034299 | -0. 5279 | 0.5976 |
| SP_NO_HS |  | 1 | 0.059288 | 0.038810 | 1.5276 | 0.1267 |
| SP_COLL |  | 1 | -0.023684 | 0.039359 | -0.6017 | 0.5474 |
| BLACK |  | 1 | -0.120427 | 0.044263 | -2.7207 | 0.0066 |
| TWOERN |  | 1 | -0.00693865 | 0.037739 | -0.1839 | 0.8541 |
| W_WORK |  | 1 | 0.030228 | 0.045039 | 0.6712 | 0.5022 |
| FTIME |  | 1 | 0.008455277 | 0.032890 | 0.2571 | 0.7971 |
| LEFS |  | 1 | 1.040622 | 0.107094 | 9.7169 | 0.0001 |
| LEFS 2 |  | 1 | -0.160238 | 0.031222 | -5.1323 | 0.0001 |

Table B23
Regression on the Log of the Expenditures Spend on Adult Clothing, Alcohol and Tobacco
All Observations

## All One-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODEL01 | SSE | 6728.358 | F RATIO | 31.77 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DFE | 8524 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: | L_ROTH1 | MSE | 0.789343 | R-SQUARE | 0.0694 |
|  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| VARIABLE LABEL | LABEL |  |  |  | PROB>\|T| |
| INTERCEPT | - 1 | -1. 523215 | 0.050239 | -30.3191 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | 0.285608 | 0.143744 | 1.9869 | 0.0470 |
| CKA1 | 1 | -0.829397 | 0.347273 | -2.3883 | 0.0169 |
| CKA2 | 1 | -0.765688 | 0.330296 | -2.3182 | 0.0205 |
| CKA3 | 1 | -0.717603 | 0.332095 | -2.1608 | 0.0307 |
| CKA4 | 1 | -0.805591 | 0.349747 | -2.3034 | 0.0213 |
| CKA5 | 1 | -0.396551 | 0.344762 | -1.1502 | 0.2501 |
| CAA6 | 1 | 0.068964 | 0.027494 | 2.5083 | 0.0121 |
| CAA 8 | 1 | -0.107131 | 0.036367 | -2.9459 | 0.0032 |
| CAA9 | 1 | -0.157736 | 0.039451 | -3.9983 | 0.0001 |
| DIV | 1 | 0.128416 | 0.086986 | 1.4763 | 0.1399 |
| SEP | 1 | 0.027272 | 0.092738 | 0.2941 | 0.7687 |
| NMAR | 1 | -0.020083 | 0.090072 | -0.2230 | 0.8236 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | 0.045039 | 0.027276 | 1.6512 | 0.0987 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | -0.022104 | 0.026745 | -0.82.65 | 0.4086 |
| BLACK | 1 | -0.068340 | 0.027722 | -2.4652 | 0.0137 |
| FEMALE | 1 | 0.067434 | 0.021614 | 3.1200 | 0.0018 |
| H_WORK | 1 | 0.029140 | 0.031837 | 0.9153 | 0.3601 |
| HFTIME | 1 | 0.057279 | 0.025072 | 2.2845 | 0.0224 |
| LEFS | 1 | 0.287504 | 0.041057 | 7.0025 | 0.0001 |
| LEFS2 | 1 | -0.00685291 | 0.010818 | -0.6335 | 0.5264 |

## Table B24

Regression on the Log of the Expenditures Spend on Adult Clothing, Alcohol and Tobacco Three or More Observations

## All One-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 2114.438 | FRATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Table B25

Regression on the Log of the Expenditures Spend on Adult Clothing All Observations

## All Two-Adult Families

| MODEL : | MODEL01 | SSE | 9165.732 | F RATIO | 51.13 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DFE | 9991 | PROB $>$ F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: | I_ROTH2 | MSE | 0.917399 | R-SQUARE | 0.0886 |
|  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| VARIABLE | DF | ESTIMATE | ERROR | T RATIO | PROB>\|T| |
| LABEL |  |  |  |  |  |
| INTERCEPT | 1 | -2.150071 | 0.137754 | -15.6081 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | 0.260004 | 0.158095 | 1.6446 | 0.1001 |
| CKA1 | 1 | -0.187500 | 0.243310 | -0.7706 | 0.4409 |
| CKA2 | 1 | -0.288495 | 0.251679 | -1.1463 | 0.2517 |
| CKA3 | 1 | -0.235865 | 0.251772 | -0.9368 | 0.3489 |
| CKA 4 | 1 | -0.171720 | 0.271524 | -0.6324 | 0.5271 |
| CKA5 | 1 | 0.514559 | 0.260708 | 1.9737 | 0.0484 |
| CAA6 | 1 | 0.010629 | 0.045550 | 0.2333 | 0.8155 |
| CAA 8 | 1 | 0.008478148 | 0.045522 | 0.1862 | 0.8523 |
| CAA9 | 1 | -0.020254 | 0.043644 | -0.4641 | 0.6426 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | -0.078817 | 0.028242 | -2.7908 | 0.0053 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | 0.075451 | 0.026734 | 2.8223 | 0.0048 |
| SP_NO_HS | 1 | -0.075223 | 0.030002 | -2. 5072 | 0.0122 |
| SP-COLL | 1 | 0.092102 | 0.031562 | 2.9182 | 0.0035 |
| BLACK | 1 | -0.062690 | 0.037179 | -1.6862 | 0.0918 |
| TWOERN | 1 | 0.026727 | 0.0.30164 | 0.8861 | 0.37 .56 |
| W WORK | 1 | 0.042035 | 0.034907 | 1.2042 | 0.2286 |
| FTIME | 1 | 0.012012 | 0.026060 | 0.4609 | 0.6449 |
| LEFS | 1 | 0.404040 | 0.065895 | 6.1316 | 0.0001 |
| LEFS2 | 1 | 0.011121 | 0.018195 | 0.6112 | 0.5411 |

Table B26

## Regression on the Log of the Expenditures Spend on Adult Clothing Three or More Observations

## All Two-Adult Families

| MODEL : | MODEL01 | SSE | 3545.087 | F RATIO | 82.10 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DFE | 5082 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: | L ROTH2 | MSE | 0.697577 | R-SQUARE | 0.2349 |
|  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| LABEL |  |  |  |  |  |
| INTERCEPT | - 1 | -4.038403 | 0.182680 | -22.1065 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | 1.048741 | 0.186129 | 5.6345 | 0.0001 |
| CKA1 | 1 | -1.103542 | 0.294890 | -3.7422 | 0.0002 |
| CKA2 | 1 | -1.060159 | 0.300986 | -3.5223 | 0.0004 |
| CKA3 | 1 | -1.099716 | 0.296803 | -3.7052 | 0.0002 |
| CKA 4 | 1 | -1.050196 | 0.323541 | -3.2459 | 0.0012 |
| CKA5 | 1 | -0.057947 | 0.309965 | -0.1869 | 0.8517 |
| CAA 6 | 1 | 0.019882 | 0.063256 | 0.3143 | 0.7533 |
| CAA8 | 1 | -0.077221 | 0.054904 | -1. 4065 | 0.159 .6 |
| CAA9 | 1 | -0.095194 | 0.052213 | -1.8232 | 0.0683 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | -0.081205 | 0.036173 | -2.2449 | 0.0248 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | 0.097572 | 0.032457 | 3.0062 | 0.0027 |
| SP_NO_HS | 1 | -0.103344 | 0.038785 | -2.6645 | 0.0077 |
| SP_COLL | 1 | 0.059439 | 0.037199 | 1.5978 | 0.1101 |
| BLACK | 1 | -0.092275 | 0.046481 | -1.9852 | 0.0472 |
| TWOERN | 1 | 0.029136 | 0.037336 | 0.78 .04 | 0.4352 |
| W_WORK | 1 | 0.059221 | 0.043507 | 1.3612 | 0.1735 |
| FTIME | 1 | -0.012373 | 0.031791 | -0.3892 | 0.6972 |
| LEFS | 1 | 1.450199 | 0.107381 | 13.5052 | 0.0001 |
| LEFS2 | 1 | -0.170355 | 0.029276 | -5.8190 | 0.0001 |

## Table B27

Regression on the Log of the Expenditures Spend on Adult Clothing All Observations

## All One-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 14409.1 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Table B28

## Regression on the Log of the Expenditures Spend on Adult Clothing Three or More Observations

## All One-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 4457.709 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

Table B29
Regression of the Linear Expenditure System for the Barten Gorman Model

## Two-Adult Families

| MODEL: MODELO1 |  |
| :--- | :--- |
|  |  |
| DEP VAR: FOOD |  |
|  |  |
|  |  |
| VARIABLE |  |
|  |  |
| INTERCEPT |  |
| LFSIZE | 1 |
| CKA1 | 1 |
| CKA2 | 1 |
| CKA3 | 1 |
| CKA4 | 1 |
| CKA5 | 1 |
| CAA6 | 1 |
| CAA8 | 1 |
| CAA9 | 1 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 |
| HD_COLL | 1 |
| SP_NO_HS | 1 |
| SP_COLL | 1 |
| BLACK | 1 |
| TWOERN | 1 |
| W_WORK | 1 |
| FTIME | 1 |
| INCOME | 1 |
|  |  |


| SSE | 10297.98 | F RATIO | 224.74 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| DFE | 5776 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| MSE | 1.782892 | R-SQUARE | 0.4119 |
| PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| ESTIMATE | ERROR | T RATIO | PROB>\|T| |
| 0.635553 | 0.190241 | 3.3408 | 0.0008 |
| 1.669585 | 0.268610 | 6.2157 | 0.0001 |
| -1.250456 | 0.428670 | -2.9171 | 0.0035 |
| -1.200668 | 0.434981 | -2.7603 | 0.0058 |
| -0.066089 | 0.427270 | -0.1547 | 0.8771 |
| 1.575534 | 0.469399 | 3.3565 | 0.0008 |
| 1.017240 | 0.444341 | 2.2893 | 0.0221 |
| -0.222756 | 0.095319 | -2.3369 | 0.0195 |
| 0.392984 | 0.080526 | 4.8802 | 0.0001 |
| 0.542431 | 0.075870 | 7.1495 | 0.0001 |
| -0.116009 | 0.058338 | -1.9886 | 0.0468 |
| 0.146855 | 0.046265 | 3.1742 | 0.0015 |
| -0.117051 | 0.063361 | -1.8474 | 0.0647 |
| -0.099856 | 0.051130 | -1.9530 | 0.0509 |
| -0.666418 | 0.070590 | -9.4407 | 0.0001 |
| -0.016639 | 0.059221 | -0.2810 | 0.7787 |
| -0.116627 | 0.066986 | -1.7411 | 0.0817 |
| 0.009028779 | 0.047657 | 0.1895 | 0.8497 |
| 0.047514 | 0.0013032 .62 | 36.4580 | 0.0001 |


| MODEL: | MODELO2 |  | SSE | 43953.49 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

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| MODEL: | MODEL05 |  | SSE | 93429.51 | $F$ RATIO | 368.30 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | DFE | 577.6 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: | OTHER |  | MSE | 16.175469 | R-SQUARE | 0.5344 |
|  |  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| VARIABLE |  | DF | ESTIMATE | ERROR | T RATIO | PROB> $\|T\|$ |
| INTERCEPT |  | 1 | 0.360164 | 0.573020 | 0.6285 | 0.5297 |
| LFSIZE |  | 1 | 0.252182 | 0.809073 | 0.3117 | 0.7553 |
| CKA1 |  | 1 | 2.060198 | 1.291186 | 1.5956 | 0.1106 |
| CKA2 |  | 1 | 1.782634 | 1.310195 | 1.3606 | 0.1737 |
| CKA3 |  | 1 | 2.306690 | 1.286970 | 1.7923 | 0.0731 |
| CKA 4 |  | 1 | 3.130444 | 1.413865 | 2.2141 | 0.0269 |
| CKA5 |  | 1 | 1.028192 | 1.338390 | 0.7682 | 0.4424 |
| CAA6 |  | 1 | -0.332998 | 0.287109 | -1.1598 | 0.2462 |
| CAA8 |  | 1 | 1.392257 | 0.242551 | 5.7401 | 0.0001 |
| CAA9 |  | 1 | 2.243181 | 0.228527 | 9.8158 | 0.0001 |
| HD_NO_HS |  | 1 | -1.036407 | 0.175719 | -5.8981 | 0.0001 |
| $\mathrm{HD}_{-}^{-} \mathrm{COLL}$ |  | 1 | 1.152906 | 0.139353 | 8.2733 | 0.0001 |
| SP_NO_HS |  | 1 | -0.949552 | 0.190847 | -4.9755 | 0.0001 |
| SP_COLL |  | 1 | 1.442495 | 0.154009 | 9.3663 | 0.0001 |
| BLACK |  | 1 | -1.036157 | 0.212623 | -4.8732 | 0.0001 |
| TWOERN |  | 1 | 0.126920 | .0.178378 | 0.7115 | .0.4768 |
| W_WORK |  | 1 | 0.238807 | 0.2017 .67 | 1.1 .836 | 0.2366 |
| FTIME |  | 1 | 0.00769088 | 0.143546 | 0.0536 | 0.9573 |
| INCOME |  | 1 | 0.219987 | 0.003925524 | 56.0401 | 0.0001 |

Table B30
Regression of the Linear Expenditure System for the Barten Gorman Model

## One-Adult Families

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 3808.049 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | 105.52

Table 34 -- Continued

| MODEL: | MODELO | SSE | 39455.11 | F RATIO | 32.93 |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | :--- | ---: |
|  |  | DFE | 3878 | PROB $>F$ | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: $: ~ T R A N S ~$ | MSE | 10.067647 | R-SQUARE | 0.1377 |  |


| VARIABLE | PARAMETER |  | STANDARD |  | PROB>.\| ${ }^{\text {I }}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | DF | estimate | ERROR | T RATIO |  |
| INTERCEPT | 1 | 0.538413 | 0.202678 | 2.6565 | 0.0079 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | 1.547299 | 0.577749 | 2.6782 | 0.0074 |
| CKA1 | 1 | -1.274214 | 1.551408 | -0.8213 | 0.4115 |
| CKA2 | 1 | -1.313556 | 1.381644 | -0.9507 | 0.3418 |
| CKA3 | 1 | -1.792000 | 1.342403 | -1.3349 | 0.1820 |
| CKA4 | 1 | -3.401189 | 1.472236 | -2.3102 | 0.0209 |
| CKA5 | 1 | -0.679725 | 1.419257 | -0.4789 | 0.6320 |
| CAA6 | 1 | 0.064497 | 0.161670 | 0.3989 | 0.6900 |
| CAAB | 1 | 0.018991 | 0.156562 | 0.1213 | 0.9035 |
| cas 9 | 1 | -0.182046 | 0.176549 | -1.0311 | 0.3025 |
| DIV | 1 | -0.353349 | 0.387786 | -0.9112 | 0.3622 |
| SEP | 1 | -0.366661 | 0.444114 | -0.8256 | 0.4091 |
| NMAR | 1 | -0.617681 | 0.427472 | -1.4450 | 0.1485 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | -0.525401 | 0.164632 | -3.1914 | 0.0014 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | -0.029897 | 0.123793 | -0.2415 | 0.8092 |
| BLACK | 1 | -0.249694 | 0.156200 | -1.5985 | 0.1100 |
| FEMALE | 1 | -0.425811 | 0.113530 | $-3.7506$ | 0.0002 |
| H_WORK | 1 | 0.794872 | 0.208947 | 3.8042 | 0.0001 |
| HFTIME | 1 | 0.373104 | 0.169991 | 2.1948 | 0.0282 |
| INCOME | 1 | 0.080980 | 0.005408832 | 14.9719 | 0.0001 |
| MODEL: MODELO4 |  | SSE | 2813.236 | F RATIO | 70.69 |
|  |  | DFE | 3878 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: AGOODS |  | MSE | 0.717845 | R-SQOARE | 0.2552 |


|  | PARAMETER |  | Standard |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| VARIABLE | DF | estimate | ERROR | I RATIO | $P \mathrm{POB}>\|T\|$ |
| INTERCEPT | 1 | 0.523237 | 0.054120 | 9.6681 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | -0.220787 | 0.154273 | -1.4311 | 0.1525 |
| CKA1 | 1 | -0.387917 | 0.414264 | -0.9364 | 0.3491 |
| CKA2 | 1 | -0.159823 | 0.368933 | -0.4332 | 0.6649 |
| CKA3 | 1 | -0.325042 | 0.358455 | -0.9068 | 0.3646 |
| CKA4 | 1 | -0.482053 | 0.393123 | -1.2262 | 0.2202 |
| CKA5 | 1 | 0.620411 | 0.378977 | 1.6371 | 0.1017 |
| CAA6 | 1 | 0.061643 | 0.043170 | 1.4279 | 0.1534 |
| CAA8 | 1 | -0.184409 | 0.041806 | -4.4111 | 0.0001 |
| CAA9 | 1 | -0.286530 | 0.047143 | -6.0779 | 0.0001 |
| DIV | 1 | -0.114945 | 0.103549 | -1.1101 | 0.2670 |
| SEP | 1 | -0.121982 | 0.118589 | -1.0286 | 0.3037 |
| NMAR | 1 | -0.152971 | 0.114146 | -1.3401 | 0.1803 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | -0.022664 | 0.043961 | -0.5155 | 0.6062 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | 0.066329 | 0.033056 | 2.0066 | 0.0449 |
| BLACK | 1 | -0.085992 | 0.041709 | -2.0617 | 0.0393 |
| FEMALE | 1 | 0.089676 | 0.030315 | 2.9581 | 0.0031 |
| H_WORK | 1 | 0.088939 | 0.055794 | 1.5941 | 0.1110 |
| HFTIME | 1 | 0.040076 | 0.045392 | 0.8829 | 0.3773 |
| INCOME | 1 | 0.036199 | 0.001444292 | 25.0632 | 0.0001 |

Table B30 -- Continued

| MODEL: | MODEL05 |  | SSE | 27526.3 | F RATIO | 235.69 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | DFE | 3878 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: | OTHER |  | MSE | 7.023807 | R-SQUARE | 0.5333 |
|  |  | PARAMETER |  | STANDARD |  |  |
| VARIABLE |  | DF | ESTIMATE | ERROR | T RATIO | PROB>\|T| |
| INTERCEPT |  | 1 | -0.233818 | 0.169289 | -1.3812 | 0.1673 |
| LFSIZE |  | 1 | -0.196042 | 0.482571 | -0.4062 | 0.6846 |
| CKA1 |  | 1 | 1.943340 | 1.295831 | 1.4997 | 0.1338 |
| CKA2 |  | 1 | 2.142580 | 1.154034 | 1.8566 | 0.0634 |
| CKA3 |  | 1 | 1.563584 | 1.121257 | 1.3945 | 0.1632 |
| CKA4 |  | 1 | 2.310644 | 1.229702 | 1.8790 | 0.0603 |
| CKA5 |  | 1 | 1.095880 | 1.185450 | 0.9244 | 0.3553 |
| CAA6 |  | 1 | 0.042164 | 0.135037 | 0.3122 | 0.7549 |
| CAA 8 |  | 1 | 0.491498 | 0.130770 | 3.7585 | 0.0002 |
| CAA9 |  | 1 | 0.791313 | 0.147465 | 5.3661 | 0.0001 |
| DIV |  | 1 | 0.190761 | 0.323903 | 0.5889 | 0.5559 |
| SEP |  | 1 | 0.018611 | 0.370951 | 0.0502 | 0.9600 |
| NMAR |  | 1 | -0.097438 | 0.357051 | -0.2729 | 0.7849 |
| HD_NO_HS |  | 1 | -0.611688 | 0.137511 | -4.4483 | 0.0001 |
| HD COLL |  | 1 | 1.068517 | 0.103400 | 10.3338 | 0.0001 |
| BLACK |  | 1 | -0.105604 | 0.130468 | -0.8094 | 0.4183 |
| FEMALE |  | 1 | -0.087691 | 0.094827 | -0.9247 | 0.3552 |
| H_WORK |  | 1 | 0.972128 | 0.174526 | 5.5701 | 0.0001 |
| HFTIME |  | 1 | 0.185714 | 0.141987 | 1.3080 | 0.1910 |
| INCOME |  | 1 | 0.214537 | 0.004517788 | 47.4871 | 0.0001 |

Table B31

Estimated Preference Parameters ( $\beta^{\prime}$ s and $\mu$ 's) and the Components of the Scaling Factors (m's) of the Barten-Gorman Model

## Two-Adult Families

|  | FOOD | HOUSE | TRANS | AGOODS | OTHER |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| $\beta_{\mathrm{i}}$ | .098 | .214 | .167 | .067 | .454 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\mu_{\mathrm{i}}$ | 2.455 | 3.715 | 3.582 | 1.148 | 3.757 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\mathrm{~d}_{\mathrm{ik}}:$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| LFSIZE | .722 | -.005 | .200 | .296 | .219 |
| CKA1 | -1.036 | .448 | -.585 | -1.327 | .467 |
| CKA2 | -1.053 | .098 | -.665 | -1.517 | .245 |
| CKA3 | -.528 | .057 | -.551 | -1.354 | .555 |
| CKA4 | .246 | -.043 | -.268 | -1.042 | 1.053 |
| CKA5 | -.019 | -.123 | -.123 | -.258 | .370 |
| CAA6 | -.133 | -.210 | -.028 | -.124 | -.215 |
| CAA8 | .226 | .123 | .078 | .135 | .583 |
| CAA9 | . .117 | -.203 | -.204 | -.033 | .673 |
| HD_NO_HS | -.109 | -.209 | -.148 | -.120 | -.477 |
| HD_COLL | . .102 | . .255 | -.136 | .128 | .459 |
| SP_NO_HS | -.032 | -.32 | -.150 | -.147 | -.441 |
| SP_COLL | .037 | .197 | .176 | .152 | .614 |
| BLACK | -.370 | -.182 | -.221 | -.267 | -.555 |
| TWOERN | .006 | -.007 | .137 | .049 | .082 |
| W_WORK | -.044 | -.048 | .042 | -.048 | .067 |
| FTMME | .021 | .039 | .117 | .109 | .058 |

Table B32

Estimated Preference Parameters ( $\beta^{\prime} \mathrm{s}$ and $\mu^{\prime} \mathrm{s}$ )<br>and the<br>Components of the Scaling Factors (m's)<br>of the<br>Barten-Gorman Model

## One-Adult Families

FOOD HOUSE TRANS AGOODS OTHER

| $\beta_{\mathrm{i}}$ | .088 | .196 | .177 | .078 | .461 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| $\mu_{\mathrm{i}}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1.687 | 1.769 | 1.090 | .752 | 1.156 |
| $\mathrm{~d}_{\mathrm{ik}}:$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| LFSIZE | 1.016 | -.250 | -.249 | .154 | -.798 |
| CKA1 | -.393 | 1.818 | 3.132 | -.875 | 4.961 |
| CKA2 | -.719 | 1.490 | 2.890 | -.609 | 4.956 |
| CKA3 | -.286 | 1.535 | 2.537 | -.877 | 4.433 |
| CKA4 | -.045 | 1.533 | .990 | -1.130 | 4.909 |
| CKA5 | .221 | 1.958 | 3.842 | .620 | 4.850 |
| CAA6 | -.181 | -.526 | -.057 | .005 | -.262 |
| CAA8 | .060 | .187 | .093 | -.189 | .629 |
| CAA9 | .079 | .022 | -.101 | -.347 | .817 |
| DIV | -.177 | -.245 | -.959 | -.152 | -.426 |
| SEP | -.201 | .067 | -.849 | -.150 | -.441 |
| NMAR | -.231 | -.455 | -1.292 | -.282 | -.959 |
| HD_NO_HS | -.109 | -.320 | -.667 | -.172 | -1.039 |
| HD_COLL | .132 | .396 | .191 | .235 | 1.490 |
| BLACK | -.183 | -.137 | -.350 | -.184 | -.364 |
| FEMALE | -.300 | .020 | -.492 | .055 | -.324 |
| H_WORK | .200 | .438 | 1.039 | .335 | 1.651 |
| HFTIME | .045 | .235 | .455 | .133 | .457 |

## Appendix C

Regression Results for
Various Commodity Groups
Estimated Separately for
Single Individuals, Childless Couplesand
One- and Two-Parent Families

## Definitions of Dependent Variables Used in Study

Engel :
$\Theta_{\mathrm{FH}}=$ the share of total expenditures devoted to food consumption at hom
$\mathrm{L}_{-} \mathrm{FHSHR}=\log \left[\Theta_{\mathrm{FH}} /\left(1-\Theta_{\mathrm{FH}}\right)\right]$
$\Theta_{\mathrm{FT}}=$ the share of total expenditures devoted to total food consumption
$\mathrm{L}_{-} \mathrm{FTSHR}=\log \left[\Theta_{\mathrm{FH}} /\left(1-\Theta_{\mathrm{FH}}\right)\right]$

## ISO-PROP :

| $\Theta_{\mathrm{ISO} 1}$ | $=$the share of total expenditures devoted to food at home, shelter, <br> clothing and health care |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\mathrm{L}_{-} \mathrm{ISO} 1$ | $=\log \left[\Theta_{\mathrm{ISO} 1} /\left(1-\Theta_{\mathrm{ISO} 1}\right)\right]$ |
| $\Theta_{\mathrm{ISO} 2}$ | $=$the share of total expenditures devoted to food at home, shelter and <br> clothing |
| $\mathrm{L}_{\_} \mathrm{ISO} 1$ | $=\log \left[\Theta_{\mathrm{ISO} 2} /\left(1-\Theta_{\mathrm{ISO} 2}\right)\right]$ |
| $\Theta_{\mathrm{ISO} 3}$ | $=$ the share of total expenditures devoted to food at home and shelter |
| $\mathrm{L}_{-} \mathrm{ISO} 3$ | $=\log \left[\Theta_{\mathrm{ISO} 3} /\left(1-\Theta_{\mathrm{ISO} 3}\right)\right]$ |

## Rothbarth :

RE $_{\text {R1 }} \quad=\quad$ Real expenditures on adult clothing, alcohol and tobacco
L_ROTH1 $=\log \left[\mathrm{RE}_{\mathrm{R} 1}\right]$
$\mathrm{RE}_{\mathrm{R} 2}=\quad$ Real expenditures on adult clothing
L_ROTH2 $=\quad \log \left[\mathrm{RE}_{\mathrm{R} 2}\right]$

## Barten-Gorman :

| FOOD | $=$ | Real expenditures on Food at Home (in 1000's) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| HOUSE | $=\quad$ Real expenditures on Shelter and Utilities (in 1000's) |  |
| TRANS | $=\quad$ Real expenditures on Transportation (in 1000's) |  |
| AGOODS | $=\quad$ Real expenditures on Adult Clothing, Alcohol and Tobacco (in |  |
|  |  |  |
| OTHER | $=\quad 1000 ' s)$ |  |

## Definition of Explanatory Variables Used in Study

Total Expenditures (X):


In Two-Adult Families :

| SP_NO_HS | $=$ | 1 if spouse's education was less than 12 years, 0 otherwise |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| SP_COLL | $=$ | 1 if spouse's education was greater than 12 years, 0 otherwise |
| TWOERN | = | 1 if both adults worked, 0 otherwise |
| W_WORK | = | Weeks worked by spouse divided by 52 |
| FTIME | = | 1 if the spouse worked more than 30 hours per week, 0 otherwise |

In One-Adult Families :

| FEMALE | $=1$ if the Head was a female, 0 otherwise |
| :--- | :--- |
| H_WORK | $=\quad$Weeks worked by head divided by 52 |
| HFTIME | $=1$ if the head worked more than 30 hours per week, 0 otherwise |
| DIV | $=1$ if the head is a divorced single parent, 0 otherwise |
| SEP | $=1$ if the head is a separated single parent, 0 otherwise |
| NMAR | $=1$ if the head is a never married single parent, 0 otherwise |

## Table Cl

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home All Observations

Two-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 1695.02 | FRATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Two-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 1268.151 | FRATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Table C2

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home Three or More Observations

Two-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODEL01 | SSE | 679.072105 | F RATIO | 262.62 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DFE | 4555 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: | L_FHSHR | MSE | 0.149083 | R-SQUARE | 0.5228 |
|  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| VARIABLFLABEL |  |  |  |  |  |
| INTERCEPT | - 1 | -0.560914 | 0.092281 | -6.0783 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | -0.138102 | 0.140438 | -0.9834 | 0.3255 |
| CKA1 | 1 | 0.019897 | 0.293121 | 0.0679 | 0.9459 |
| CKA2 | 1 | -0.0079261 | 0.285880 | -0.0277 | 0.9779 |
| CKA3 | 1 | 0.187657 | 0.282571 | 0.6641 | 0.5067 |
| CKA4 | 1 | 0.436563 | 0.288236 | 1.5146 | 0.1299 |
| CKA5 | 1 | 0.372947 | 0.284878 | 1.3091 | 0.1906 |
| CAA6 | 1 | -0.182936 | 0.0 .58271 | -3.1394 | 0.0017 |
| CAA8 | 1 | 0.161279 | 0.032918 | 4.8995 | 0.0001 |
| CAA9 | 1 | 0.320245 | 0.048273 | 6.6340 | 0.0001 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | 0.055028 | 0.018885 | 2.9139 | 0.0036 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | -0.012094 | 0.015257 | -0.7927 | 0.4280 |
| SP_NO_HS | 1 | 0.040552 | 0.020305 | 1.9971 | 0.0459 |
| SP_COLL | 1 | -0.054047 | 0.017219 | -3.1388 | 0.0017 |
| BLACK | 1 | -0.113307 | 0.022670 | -4.9981 | 0.0001 |
| TWOERN | 1 | -0.053350 | 0.017864 | -2.9864 | 0.0028 |
| W_WORK | 1 | -0.066424 | 0.020748 | -3.2015 | 0.0014 |
| FTIME | 1 | 0.010268 | 0.015104 | 0.6798 | 0.4967 |
| LEFS | 1 | -0.533172 | 0.051389 | -10.3753 | 0.0001 |
| LEFS2 | 1 | -0.058550 | 0.014080 | -4.1584 | 0.0001 |

## Two-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 428.455831 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

Table C3
Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home All Observations

## One-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 728.875986 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## One-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 7876.32 | FRATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Table C4

## Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home Three or More Observations

One-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 231.912227 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## One-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 1662.861 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Table C5

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food All Observations

Two-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 1532.346 | FRATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Two-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 1062.553 | FRATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Table C6

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food Three or More Observations

## Two-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODELOI | SSE | 600.854266 | F RATIO | 175.67 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DFE | 4555 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: | L_FTSHR | MSE | 0.131911 | R-SQUARE | 0.4229 |
|  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| LABEL |  |  |  |  |  |
| INTERCEPT | - 1 | -0.417.55.7 | 0.086804 | -4.81.03 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | -0.224468 | 0.132103 | -1.6992 | 0.0894 |
| CKA1 | 1 | 0.035368 | 0.275724 | 0.1283 | 0.8979 |
| CKA2 | 1 | 0.075490 | 0.268912 | 0.2807 | 0.7789 |
| CKA3 | 1 | 0.375366 | 0.265799 | 1.4122 | 0.1580 |
| CKA 4 | 1 | 0.710391 | 0.271128 | 2.6201 | 0.0088 |
| CKA5 | 1 | 0.583129 | 0.267969 | 2.1761 | 0.0296 |
| CAA6 | 1 | -0.116006 | 0.054812 | -2.1164 | 0.0344 |
| CAA 8 | 1 | 0.134440 | 0.030964 | 4.3418 | 0.0001 |
| CAA9 | 1 | 0.237908 | 0.045408 | 5.2393 | 0.0001 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | 0.042290 | 0.017764 | 2.3807 | 0.0173 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | 0.008867491 | 0.014351 | 0.6179 | 0.5367 |
| SP_NO_HS | 1 | 0.011546 | 0.019100 | 0.6045 | 0.5456 |
| SP_COLL | 1 | -0.040442 | 0.016197 | -2.4969 | 0.0126 |
| BLĀCK | 1 | -0.132428 | 0.021324 | -6.2102 | 0.0001 |
| TWOERN | 1 | -0.042685 | 0.016804 | -2.5402 | 0.0111 |
| W_WORK | 1 | -0.038946 | 0.019516 | -1.9956 | 0.0460 |
| FTIME | 1 | 0.007021127 | 0.014208 | 0.4942 | 0.6212 |
| LEFS | 1 | -0.488525 | 0.048339 | -10.1063 | 0.0001 |
| LEFS2 | 1 | -0.022372 | 0.013244 | -1.6892 | 0.0913 |

Two-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 369.206014 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

Table C7
Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food All Observations

One-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 | SSE | 627.391271 | F Ratio | 121.83 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DFE | 2409 | PROB $>\mathrm{F}$ | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: | L_FTSHR | MSE | 0.260436 | R-Square | 0.4765 |
|  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| VARIABLE LABEL | LABEL |  |  |  | PROB>\| ${ }^{\text {I }}$ \| |
| InTERCEPT | T 1 | -0.538583 | 0.117456 | -4.5854 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | -0.266272 | 0.125993 | -2.1134 | 0.0347 |
| CKA1 | 1 | 0.369823 | 0.361551 | 1.0229 | 0.3065 |
| CKA2 | 1 | 0.401016 | 0.348489 | 1.1507 | 0.2500 |
| CKA3 | 1 | 0.696063 | 0.347856 | 2.0010 | 0.0455 |
| CKA4 | 1 | 0.812465 | 0.352917 | 2.3021 | 0.0214 |
| CKA5 | 1 | 0.843652 | 0.352043 | 2.3964 | 0.0166 |
| CAA 6 | 1 | 0.054121 | 0.084736 | 0.6387 | 0.5231 |
| CAA 8 | 1 | 0.049392 | 0.068999 | 0.7158 | 0.4742 |
| CAA9 | 1 | 0.294739 | 0.114131 | 2.5825 | 0.0099 |
| SEP | 1 | -0.043470 | 0.027444 | -1.5840 | 0.1133 |
| NMAR | 1 | -0.025518 | 0.030933 | -0.8250 | 0.4095 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | 0.122229 | 0.026587 | 4.5973 | 0.0001 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | 0.042429 | 0.035775 | 1.1860 | 0.2357 |
| BLACK | 1 | 0.017886 | 0.025481 | 0.7019 | 0.4828 |
| H_WORK | 1 | -0.250365 | 0.040448 | -6.1898 | 0.0001 |
| hFtime | 1 | -0.027672 | 0.034628 | -0.7991 | 0.4243 |
| LEFS | 1 | -0.483161 | 0.053166 | -9.0877 | 0.0001 |
| Lefs2 | 1 | -0.030469 | 0.016438 | -1.8536 | 0.0639 |

## One-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: MODELO1 |  | SSE | 4821.7 .89 | F.RATIO | .27 .8 .75 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  | DFE | MSE | 0.41203 | PROB>F |

## Table C8

## Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food

 Three or More Observations
## One-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 210.501263 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## One-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: MODELO1 |  | SSE | 972.436091 | F RATIO | 114.93 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  | DFE | MSE | 0.263819 | PROB>F |

## Table C9

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home, Shelter, Clothing and Health Care All Observations

## Two-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODELOI |  | SSE | 2198.078 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Two-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 1406.16 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Table C10

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home, Shelter, Clothing and Health Care Three or More Observations

## Two-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 892.942306 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

Two-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: | MODEL01 | SSE | 488.525843 | F RATIO | 61.24 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DFE | 2237 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: | L_ISO1 | MSE | 0.218384 | R-SQUARE | 0.2771 |
|  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| VARIABLE | DF | ESTIMATE | ERROR | T RATIO | PROB $>\|T\|$ |
| INTERCEPT | 1 | 1.495571 | 0.182695 | 8.1862 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | 0.314128 | 0.166070 | 1.8915 | 0.0587 |
| CAA6 | 1 | -0.168254 | 0.035921 | -4.6840 | 0.0001 |
| CAA8 | 1 | 0.007652426 | 0.036041 | 0.2123 | 0.8319 |
| CAA9 | 1 | -0.022654 | 0.028436 | -0.7967 | 0.4257 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | -0.00966032 | 0.034755 | -0.2780 | 0.7811 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | 0.128194 | 0.025055 | 5.1165 | 0.0001 |
| SP_NO_HS | 1 | -0.00175523 | 0.037547 | -0.0467 | 0.9627 |
| SP_COLL | 1 | 0.001886326 | 0.027186 | 0.0694 | 0.9447 |
| BLACK | 1 | 0.027526 | 0.043713 | 0.6297 | 0.5290 |
| TWOERN | 1 | -0.129000 | 0.037470 | -3.4427 | 0.0006 |
| W_WORK | 1 | 0.014734 | 0.041288 | 0.3568 | 0.7212 |
| FTIME | 1 | 0.002550241 | 0.029475 | 0.0865 | 0.9311 |
| LEFS | 1 | -1.224839 | 0.119202 | -10.2753 | 0.0001 |
| LEFS2 | 1 | 0.146186 | 0.025134 | 5.8163 | 0.0001 |

Table C11
Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home, Shelter, Clothing and Health Care All Observations

One-Aduilt Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 | SSE | 1138.14 | F RATIO | 102.89 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DFE | 2404 | PROB $>\mathrm{F}$ | 0.0001 |
| dep Var: | L_ISO1 | MSE | 0.473436 | R-SQUARE | 0.1352 |
|  |  | PARAMETER | StANDARD |  |  |
| VARIABLE LABEL | DF | estimate | ERROR | T RATIO | PROB>\|I $\mid$ |
| INTERCEPT | T 1 | 1.663277 | 0.158636 | 10.4849 | 0.0001 |
| LFSI2E | 1 | -0.176838 | 0.169978 | -1.0404 | 0.2983 |
| CKA1 | 1 | 0.054918 | 0.487578 | 0.1126 | 0.9103 |
| CKA2 | 1 | -0.154232 | 0.470034 | -0.3281 | 0.7428 |
| CKA3 | 1 | -0.017873 | 0.469152 | -0.0381 | 0.9696 |
| CKA4 | 1 | 0.134558 | 0.475997 | 0.2827 | 0.7774 |
| CKA5 | 1 | 0.044330 | 0.474767 | 0.0934 | 0.9256 |
| CAA6 | 1 | -0.339987 | 0.114283 | -2.9749 | 0.0030 |
| CAA8 | 1 | 0.183681 | 0.093169 | 1.9715 | 0.0488 |
| CAA9 | 1 | 0.148051 | 0.153979 | 0.9615 | 0.3364 |
| SEP | 1 | 0.019112 | 0.037035 | 0.5160 | 0.6059 |
| NMAR | 1 | 0.014731 | 0.041767 | 0.3527 | 0.7243 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | 0.180576 | 0.035898 | 5.0303 | 0.0001 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | 0.038880 | 0.048235 | 0.8061 | 0.4203 |
| BLACM | 1 | 0.014024 | 0.034379 | 0.4079 | 0.6834 |
| H_WORK | 1 | -0.392919 | 0.054541 | $-7.2042$ | 0.0001 |
| HFTIME | 1 | -0.088126 | 0.046690 | -1.8875 | 0.0592 |
| LEFS | 1 | -0.544640 | 0.071839 | -7.5814 | 0.0001 |
| LEFS2 | 1 | -0.036261 | 0.022192 | -1.6339 | 0.1024 |

One-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: MODEL01 |  | SSE | 8137.397 | F RATIO | 263.32 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DFE | 11196 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: L_ISO1 |  | MSE | 0.726813 | R-SQUARE | 0.2201 |
|  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| VARIABLE | DF | ESTIMATE | ERROR | T RATIO | PROB $>\|T\|$ |
| LABEL |  |  |  |  |  |
| INTERCEPT | 1 | -0.250023 | 0.048237 | -5.1832 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | 0.003089624 | 0.117330 | 0.0263 | 0.9790 |
| CAA6 | 1 | -0.661899 | 0.020915 | -31.6473 | 0.0001 |
| CAA8 | 1 | 0.213348 | 0.026488 | 8.0546 | 0.0001 |
| CAA9 | 1 | 0.291749 | 0.029721 | 9.8161 | 0.0001 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | -0.084125 | 0.026492 | -3.1756 | 0.0015 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | 0.070734 | 0.019889 | 3.5564 | 0.0004 |
| BLACK | 1 | 0.247615 | 0.027388 | 9.0410 | 0.0001 |
| FEMALE | 2 | 0.266146 | 0.016611 | 16.0222 | 0.0001 |
| H_WORK | 1 | 0.052546 | 0.027998 | 1.8768 | 0.0606 |
| HFTIME | 1 | 0.069414 | 0.021387 | 3.2456 | 0.0012 |
| LEFS | 1 | 0.263697 | 0.037799 | 6.9764 | 0.0001 |
| LEFS2 | 1 | -0.157531 | 0.008474427 | -18.5890 | 0.0001 |

## Table C12

## Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home, Shelter, Clothing and Health Care Three or More Observations

## One-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 405.044040 | FRATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## One-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: MODELO1 |  | SSE | 1584.427 | F RATIO | 105.23 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DFE | 3683 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: L_ISO1 |  | MSE | 0.430200 | R-SQUARE | 0.2553 |
|  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| VARIABLE LABEL | DF | ESTIMATE | ERROR | T RATIO | PROB $>\|T\|$ |
| INTERCEPT | 1 | 0.07 .3179 | 0.09445 .0 | 0.7748 | 0.4385 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | -0.111698 | 0.100618 | -1.1101 | 0.2670 |
| CAA 6 | 1 | -0.561080 | 0.030752 | -18.2453 | 0.0001 |
| CAAB | 1 | 0.170412 | 0.030490 | 5.5892 | 0.0001 |
| CAA9 | 1 | 0.190264 | 0.033596 | 5.6632 | 0.0001 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | -0.031937 | 0.039282 | -0.8130 | 0.4163 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | 0.050744 | 0.025072 | 2.0239 | 0.0430 |
| BLACK | 1 | 0.277964 | 0.036873 | 7.5385 | 0.0001 |
| FEMALE | 1 | 0.178488 | 0.022224 | 8.0313 | 0.0001 |
| H_WORK | 1 | -0.047713 | 0.043186 | -1.1048 | 0.2693 |
| HFTIME | 1 | -0.038439 | 0.033642 | -1.1426 | 0.2533 |
| LEFS | 1 | 0.195306 | 0.077926 | 2.5063 | 0.0122 |
| LEFS2 | 1 | -0.141955 | 0.016378 | -8.6673 | 0.0001 |

## Table C13

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home, Shelter and Clothing

## All Observations

## Two-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 2266.123 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Two-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | I408.152 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Table C14

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home, Shelter and Clothing Three or More Observations

## Two-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 931.857910 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

Two-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL : | MODELO1 | SSE | 484.362908 | F RATIO | 52.23 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DFE | 2237 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: | L_ISO2 | MSE | 0.216523 | R-SQUARE | 0.2464 |
|  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| VARIABLE | DF | ESTIMATE | ERROR | I RATIO | PROB $>\|T\|$ |
| INTERCEPT | 1 | 1.271535 | 0.181915 | 6.9897 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZF. | . 1 | 0.344149 | 0.165360 | 2.0812 | 0.0375 |
| CAA6 | 1 | -0.156551 | 0.035768 | -4.3769 | 0.0001 |
| CAA8 | 1 | -0.012777 | 0.035887 | -0.3560 | 0.7219 |
| CAA9 | 1 | -0.081007 | 0.028314 | -2.8610 | 0.0043 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | -0.00849794 | 0.034607 | -0.2456 | 0.8060 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | 0.128404 | 0.024948 | 5.1468 | 0.0001 |
| SP_NO_HS | 1 | -0.032717 | 0.037386 | -0.8751 | 0.3816 |
| SP_COLL | 1 | 0.012106 | 0.027070 | 0.4472 | 0.6548 |
| BLACK | 1 | 0.041788 | 0.043527 | 0.9600 | 0.3371 |
| TWOERN | 1 | -0.076637 | 0.037310 | -2.0540 | 0.0401 |
| W_WORK | 1 | -0.00585955 | 0.041112 | -0.1425 | 0.8867 |
| FTIME | 1 | 0.028238 | 0.029349 | 0.9622 | 0.3361 |
| LEFS | 1 | -1.230738 | 0.118693 | -10.3691 | 0.0001 |
| LEFS2 | 1 | 0.153252 | 0.025027 | 6.1236 | 0.0001 |

## Table C15

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home, Shelter and Clothing
All Observations

## One-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: MODELO1 |  | SSE | 1134.728 | F RATIO | 120.65 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DFE | 2404 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR.: I, ISO2. |  | MSE | 0.47201 .7 | R-SQUARF | 0.47 .45 |
|  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| LABEL |  |  |  |  |  |
| INTERCEPT | 1 | 1.583197 | 0.158398 | 9.9951 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | -0.221821 | 0.169723 | -1.3070 | 0.1914 |
| CKA1 | 1 | 0.166817 | 0.486846 | 0.3426 | 0.7319 |
| CKA2 | 1 | 0.007668075 | 0.469329 | 0.0163 | 0.9870 |
| CKA3 | 1 | 0.100598 | 0.468448 | 0.2147 | 0.8300 |
| CKA4 | 1 | 0.262505 | 0.475283 | 0.5523 | 0.5808 |
| CKA5 | 1 | 0.217376 | 0.474055 | 0.4585 | 0.6466 |
| CAA6 | 1 | -0.320521 | 0.114112 | -2.8088 | 0.0050 |
| CAA8 | 1 | 0.163406 | 0.093029 | 1.7565 | 0.0791 |
| CAA9 | 1 | 0.027246 | 0.153748 | 0.1772 | 0.8594 |
| SEP | 1 | 0.020848 | 0.036980 | 0.5638 | 0.5730 |
| NMAR | 1 | 0.026491 | 0.041704 | 0.6352 | 0.5253 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | 0.200321 | 0.035844 | 5.588 .7 | 0.0001 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | 0.048803 | 0.048163 | 1.0133 | 0.3110 |
| BLACK | 1 | 0.015871 | 0.034328 | 0.4624 | 0.6439 |
| H_WORK | 1 | -0.453366 | 0.054459 | -8.3249 | 0.0001 |
| HFTIME | 1 | -0.101755 | 0.046620 | -2.1827 | 0.0292 |
| LEFS | 1 | -0.562104 | 0.071732 | -7.8362 | 0.0001 |
| LEFS2 | 1 | -0.039209 | 0.022159 | -1.7694 | 0.0769 |

## One-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 8208.002 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Table C16

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home, Shelter and Clothing Three or More Observations

## One-Adult Families with Children



## One-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: MODELO1 |  | SSE | 1568.496 | F RATIO | 98.67 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  | DFE | MSE | 0.425644 | RROB>F |

## Table C17

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home and Shelter
All Observations

## Two-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 2400.303 | FRATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Two-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: MODELOI |  | SSE | 1526.686 | F RATIO | 128.75 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DFE | 4640 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: L_ISO3 |  | MSE | 0.329027 | R-SQUARE | 0.2798 |
|  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| LABEL |  |  |  |  |  |
| INTERCEPT | 1 | 0.600194 | 0.153839 | 3.9014 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | 0.269953 | 0.178213 | 1.5148 | 0.1299 |
| CAA 6 | 1 | -0.217408 | 0.028108 | -7.7349 | 0.0001 |
| CAA 8 | 1 | 0.056970 | 0.031008 | 1.8373 | 0.0662 |
| CAA9 | 1 | -0.078711 | 0.025051 | -3.1421 | 0.0017 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | 0.032685 | 0.028890 | 1.1393 | 0.2547 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | 0.084856 | 0.021582 | 3.9317 | 0.0001 |
| SP_NO_HS | 1 | 0.023488 | 0.030894 | 0.7603 | 0.4471 |
| SP_COLL | 1 | 0.049730 | 0.023586 | 2.1085 | 0.0350 |
| BLACK | 1 | 0.026036 | 0.035999 | 0.7233 | 0.4696 |
| TWOERN | 1 | -0.078663 | 0.031698 | -2.4816 | 0.0131 |
| W_WORK | 1 | -0.060105 | 0.033795 | -1.7785 | 0.0754 |
| FTIME | 1 | 0.054809 | 0.024791 | 2.2109 | 0.0271 |
| LEFS | 1 | -0.607393 | 0.075858 | -8.0070 | 0.0001 |
| LEFS2 | 1 | -0.00536344 | 0.016268 | -0.3297 | 0.7416 |

## Table C18

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home and Shelter
Three or More Observations
Two-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 | SSE | 993.072603 | F RATIO | 101.62 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DFE | 4555 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: | L_ISO3 | MSE | 0.218018 | R-SQUARE | 0.2977 |
|  |  | parameter | Standard |  |  |
| variable | DF | estimate | ERROR | t RAtio | PROB>\| ${ }^{\text {l }}$ \| |
| INTERCEPT | - 1 | 1.219729 | 0.111595 | 10.9299 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | -0.725825 | 0.169831 | -4.2738 | 0.0001 |
| CKA1 | 1 | 1.070545 | 0.354470 | 3.0201 | 0.0025 |
| CKA2 | 1 | 0.958389 | 0.345713 | 2.7722 | 0.0056 |
| СКАЗ | 1 | 0.914705 | 0.341712 | 2.6768 | 0.0075 |
| CKA4 | 1 | 0.977125 | 0.348562 | 2.8033 | 0.0051 |
| CKA5 | 1 | 0.960277 | 0.344502 | 2. 7.7874 | 0.0 .053 |
| CAA6 | 1 | -0.100339 | 0.070467 | -1.4239 | 0.1545 |
| CAA8 | 1 | 0.040187 | 0.039807 | 1.0095 | 0.3128 |
| CAA9 | 1 | -0.047490 | 0.058376 | -0.8135 | 0.4160 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | -0.011654 | 0.022837 | -0.5103 | 0.6099 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | 0.071912 | 0.018450 | 3.8977 | 0.0001 |
| SP_NO_HS | 1 | 0.033517 | 0.024555 | 1.3650 | 0.1723 |
| SP_COLL | 1 | -0.016881 | 0.020823 | -0.8107 | 0.4176 |
| BLACK | 1 | -0.060560 | 0.027415 | -2. 2090 | 0.0272 |
| TWOERN | 1 | -0.097405 | 0.021603 | -4.5088 | 0.0001 |
| W_WORK | 1 | -0.028987 | 0.025090 | -1.1553 | 0.2480 |
| FTIME | 1 | 0.003139708 | 0.018266 | 0.1719 | 0.8635 |
| LEFS | 1 | -0.762085 | 0.062144 | -12.2632 | 0.0001 |
| LEFS2 | 1 | 0.046965 | 0.017027 | 2.7583 | 0.0058 |

## Two-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: | MODEL01 | SSE | 538.685677 | F RATIO | 59.35 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DFE | 2237 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: | L_ISO3 | MSE | 0.240807 | R-SQUARE | 0.2708 |
|  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| VARIABLE | DF | ESTIMATE | ERROR | T RATIO | PROB> \| T | |
| INTERCEPT | 1 | 1.222140 | 0.191845 | 6.3705 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | 0.352605 | 0.174387 | 2.0220 | 0.0433 |
| CAA6 | 1 | -0.178327 | 0.037720 | -4.7277 | 0.0001 |
| CAA8 | 1 | -0.00601909 | 0.037846 | -0.1590 | 0.8737 |
| CAA9 | 1 | -0.115422 | 0.029860 | -3.8654 | 0.0001 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | 0.005182593 | 0.036496 | 0.1420 | 0.8871 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | 0.106588 | 0.026310 | 4.0513 | 0.0001 |
| SP_NO_HS | 1 | -0.012309 | 0.039427 | -0.3122 | 0.7549 |
| SP_COLL | 1 | 0.008660702 | 0.028548 | 0.3034 | 0.7616 |
| BLACK | 1 | 0.024172 | 0.045903 | 0.5266 | 0.5985 |
| TWOERN | 1 | -0.092142 | 0.039347 | -2.3418 | 0.0193 |
| W_WORK | 1 | -0.019709 | 0.043356 | -0.4546 | 0.6495 |
| FTIME | 1 | 0.031448 | 0.030951 | 1.0161 | 0.3097 |
| LEFS | 1 | -1.259382 | 0.125172 | -10.0612 | 0.0001 |
| LEFS2 | 1 | 0.146614 | 0.026393 | 5.5551 | 0.0001 |

## Table C19

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home and Shelter
All Observations

## One-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 1107.864 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## One-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 12261.55 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Table C20

Regression on the Logit of the Share of Total Expenditures Spend on Food at Home and Shelter

## Three or More Observations

## One-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODEL01 |  | SSE | 412.406295 | F RATIO | 63.21 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | DFE | 1106 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: | L_ISO3 |  | MSE | 0.372881 | R-SQUARE | 0.5071 |
|  |  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| VARIABLE |  | DF | ESTIMATE | ERROR | T RATIO | PROB $>1 \mathrm{~T} \mid$ |
| LABEL |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| INTERCEPT |  | 1 | 1.611803 | 0.190223 | 8.4732 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE |  | 1 | -0.580890 | 0.184364 | -3.1508 | 0.0017 |
| CKA1 |  | 1 | 0.667101 | 0.536860 | 1.2426 | 0.2143 |
| CKA2 |  | 1 | 0.349608 | 0.497405 | 0.7029 | 0.4823 |
| CKA3 |  | 1 | 0.643283 | 0.496637 | 1.2953 | 0.1955 |
| CKA4 |  | 1 | 0.713452 | 0.505600 | 1.4111 | 0.1585 |
| CKA5 |  | 1 | 0.714490 | 0.507300 | 1.4084 | 0.1593 |
| CAA 6 |  | 1 | -0.251172 | 0.160484 | -1.5651 | 0.1178 |
| CAA8 |  | 1 | 0.028371 | 0.118747 | 0.2389 | 0.8112 |
| CAA9 |  | 1 | -0.145852 | 0.186622 | -0.7815 | 0.4347 |
| SEP |  | 1 | 0.106231 | 0.051617 | 2.0581 | 0.0398 |
| NMAR |  | 1 | 0.025484 | 0.055660 | 0.4579 | 0.6471 |
| HD_NO_HS |  | 1 | 0.128854 | 0.047705 | 2.7010 | 0.0070 |
| HD COLL |  | 1 | 0.034536 | 0.061399 | 0.5625 | 0.5739 |
| BLACK |  | 1 | -0.052238 | 0.045202 | -1.1556 | 0.2481 |
| H_WORK |  | 1 | -0.337670 | 0.075265 | -4.4864 | 0.0001 |
| HFTIME |  | 1 | -0.054246 | 0.065084 | -0.8335 | 0.4048 |
| LEFS |  | 1 | -0.945974 | 0.116873 | -8.0940 | 0.0001 |
| LEFS2 |  | 1 | 0.068800 | 0.036089 | 1.9064 | 0.0569 |

## One-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: MODEL01 |  | SSE | 2359.708 | F RATIO | 89.47 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DFE | 3686 | PROB $>$ F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: L_ISO3 |  | MSE | 0.640181 | R-SQUARE | 0.2256 |
|  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| VARIABLE LABEL | DF | ESTIMATE | ERROR | T RATIO | PROB> $\|T\|$ |
| INTERCEPT | 1 | -0.773157 | 0.115124 | -6.7159 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | -0.093900 | 0.122735 | -0.7651 | 0.4443 |
| CAA6 | 1 | -0.781386 | 0.037499 | -20.8378 | 0.0001 |
| CAA8 | 1 | 0.187994 | 0.037170 | 5.0577 | 0.0001 |
| CAA9 | 1 | 0.193190 | 0.040963 | 4.7163 | 0.0001 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | -0.054465 | 0.047843 | -1.1384 | 0.2550 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | 0.038394 | 0.030580 | 1.2555 | 0.2094 |
| BLACK | 1 | 0.310032 | 0.044968 | 6.8945 | 0.0001 |
| FEMALE | 1 | -0.023875 | 0.027100 | -0.8810 | 0.3784 |
| H_WORK | 1 | -0.00548771 | 0.052661 | -0.1042 | 0.9170 |
| HFTIME | 1 | -0.00488821 | 0.041033 | -0.1191 | 0.9052 |
| LEFS | 1 | 0.684292 | 0.094991 | 7.2038 | 0.0001 |
| LEFS2 | 1 | -0.241889 | 0.019971 | -12.1122 | 0.0001 |

## Table C21

Regression on the Log of the Expenditures Spend on Adult Clothing, Alcohol and Tobacco
All Observations
Two-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 2652.317 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

Two-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 889.316288 | FRATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Table C22

Regression on the Log of the Expenditures Spend on Adult Clothing, Alcohol and Tobacco Three or More Observations

## Two-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 1087.545 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

Two-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 298.760434 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Table C23

Regression on the Log of the Expenditures Spend on Adult Clothing, Alcohol and Tobacco
All Observations

## One-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 2084.297 | FRATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## One-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 | SSE | 4607.739 | F RATIO | 26.43 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DFE | 6596 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: | L_ROTH1 | MSE | 0.698566 | R-SQUARE | 0.0459 |
|  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| LABEL |  |  |  |  |  |
| INTERCEPT | - 1 | -1.401243 | 0.053522 | -26.1806 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | 0.343324 | 0.160921 | 2.1335 | 0.0329 |
| CAA6 | 1 | 0.051389 | 0.026896 | 1.9106 | 0.0561 |
| CAA8 | 1 | -0.112896 | 0.035570 | -3.1739 | 0.0015 |
| CAA9 | 1 | -0.147675 | 0.037979 | -3.8883 | 0.0001 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | 0.035683 | 0.031095 | 1.1476 | 0.2512 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | -0.017876 | 0.026895 | -0.6647 | 0.5063 |
| BLACK | 1 | -0.067738 | 0.032242 | -2.1009 | 0.0357 |
| FEMALE | 1 | 0.060067 | 0.021144 | 2.8409 | 0.0045 |
| H_WORK | 1 | 0.058359 | 0.033742 | 1.7296 | 0.0838 |
| HFTIME | 1 | 0.048900 | 0.025773 | 1.8973 | 0.0578 |
| LEFS | 1 | 0.183926 | 0.043516 | 4.2266 | 0.0001 |
| LEFS2 | 1 | 0.010787 | 0.011160 | 0.9666 | 0.3338 |

## Table C24

Regression on the Log of the Expenditures Spend on Adult Clothing,
Alcohol and Tobacco
Three or More Observations

## One-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODEL01 |  | SSE | 911.121489 | F RATIO | 11.57 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | DFE | 863 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: | L_ROTH1 |  | MSE | 1.055761 | R-SQUARE | 0.1944 |
|  |  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| LABEL |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| INTERCEPT |  | 1 | -3.005767 | 0.350087 | -8.5858 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE |  | 1 | -0.190113 | 0.342064 | -0.5558 | 0.5785 |
| CKA1 |  | 1 | 0.826562 | 0.985505 | 0.8387 | 0.4019 |
| CKA2 |  | 1 | 1.226785 | 0.914440 | 1.3416 | 0.1801 |
| CKA3 |  | 1 | 1.165061 | 0.913154 | 1.2759 | 0.2023 |
| CKA4 |  | 1 | 1.094142 | 0.940800 | 1.1630 | 0.2452 |
| CKA5 |  | 1 | 1.337415 | 0.938857 | 1.4245 | 0.1547 |
| CAA6 |  | 1 | 0.338156 | 0.281727 | 1.2003 | 0.2304 |
| CAA8 |  | 1 | 0.150815 | 0.235234 | 0.6411 | 0.5216 |
| CAA9 |  | 1 | -0.581215 | 0.381243 | -1.5245 | 0.1277 |
| SEP |  | 1 | 0.018646 | 0.098447 | 0.1894 | 0.8498 |
| NMAR |  | 1 | -0.082508 | 0.100462 | -0.8213 | 0.4117 |
| HD_NO_HS |  | 1 | 0.069100 | 0.085143 | 0.8116 | 0.4173 |
| $\mathrm{HD}^{-} \mathrm{COL}$ |  | 1 | -0.095559 | 0.133861 | -0.7139 | 0.4755 |
| BLACK |  | 1 | 0.131315 | 0.083350 | 1.5755 | 0.1155 |
| H_WORK |  | 1 | -0.264760 | 0.136945 | -1.9333 | 0.0535 |
| HFTIME |  | 1 | 0.246156 | 0.117826 | 2.0891 | 0.0370 |
| LEFS |  | 1 | 1.135367 | 0.226749 | 5.0071 | 0.0001 |
| LEFS2 |  | 1 | -0.109304 | 0.078596 | -1.3907 | 0.1647 |

One-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 | SSE | 1177.418 | F. RATIO | 22.97 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | RFE | 202.5 | PROB>F | 0.00 .01. |
| DEP VAR: | L_ROTH1 | MSE | 0.581441 | R-SQUARE | 0.1198 |
|  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| LABEL |  |  |  |  |  |
| INTERCEPT | 1 | -2.051238 | 0.126224 | -16.2508 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | 0.486769 | 0.165501 | 2.9412 | 0.0033 |
| CAA 6 | 1 | 0.162813 | 0.047134 | 3.4543 | 0.0006 |
| CAA8 | 1 | -0.103241 | 0.049117 | -2.1019 | 0.0357 |
| CAA9 | 1 | -0.207593 | 0.051752 | -4.0113 | 0.0001 |
| HD_NQ_HS | 1 | 0.052705 | 0.055315 | 0.9528 | 0.3408 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | -0.039108 | 0.041010 | -0.9536 | 0.3404 |
| BLACK | 1 | -0.101061 | 0.052487 | -1.9254 | 0.0543 |
| FEMALE | 1 | 0.175922 | 0.034826 | 5.0515 | 0.0001 |
| H_WORK | 1 | 0.018902 | 0.061259 | 0.3086 | 0.7577 |
| HFTIME | 1 | 0.036606 | 0.048686 | 0.7519 | 0.4522 |
| LEFS | 1 | 0.611539 | 0.113487 | 5.3886 | 0.0001 |
| LEFS2 | 1 | -0.047011 | 0.027167 | -1.7304 | 0.0837 |

## Table C25

Regression on the Log of the Expenditures Spend on Adult Clothing All Observations

Two-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 6532.564 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

Two-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: MODELO1 |  | SSE | 2605.149 | F RATIO | 17.31 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DFE | 3170 | PROB $>$ F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: L_ROTH2 |  | MSE | 0.821813 | R-SQUARE | 0.0710 |
|  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| VARIABLE LABEL | DF | ESTIMATE | ERROR | T RATIO | PROB>\|T| |
| INTERCEPT | 1 | -1.882004 | 0.289767 | -6.4949 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | 0.133823 | 0.345449 | 0.3874 | 0.6985 |
| CAA6 | 1 | 0.066545 | 0.051869 | 1.2829 | 0.1996 |
| CAA 8 | 1 | 0.048337 | 0.059966 | 0.8061 | 0.4203 |
| CAA9 | 1 | 0.013511 | 0.048990 | 0.2758 | 0.7827 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | -0.083572 | 0.049642 | -1.6835 | 0.0924 |
| HD COLL | 1 | 0.038776 | 0.044452 | 0.8723 | 0.3831 |
| SP_NO_HS | 1 | -0.064071 | 0.053160 | -1.2052 | 0.2282 |
| SP_COLL | 1 | 0.102860 | 0.050561 | 2.0344 | 0.0420 |
| BLACK | 1 | -0.013147 | 0.067 .021 | -0.1962 | 0.8445 |
| TWOERN | 1 | -0.023895 | 0.058030 | -0.4118 | 0.6805 |
| W_WORK | 1 | 0.161401 | 0.061792 | 2.6120 | 0.0090 |
| FTIME | 1 | -0.026852 | 0.046449 | -0.5781 | 0.5632 |
| LEFS | 1 | 0.258199 | 0.148695 | 1.7364 | 0.0826 |
| LEFS2 | 1 | 0.028394 | 0.034995 | 0.8114 | 0.4172 |

## Table C26

## Regression on the Log of the Expenditures Spend on Adult Clothing Three or More Observations

Two-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | . 2.64 .8 .057 | FRATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Two-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 881.785860 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Table C27

Regression on the Log of the Expenditures Spend on Adult Clothing All Observations

## One-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 3795.292 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## One-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 | SSE | 10466.44 | F RATIO | 23.51 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | DFE | 9410 | PROB>F | 0.0001 |
| DEP VAR: | L_ROTH2 | MSE | 1.112268 | R-SQUARE | 0.0291 |
|  |  | PARAMETER | STANDARD |  |  |
| LABEL |  |  |  |  |  |
| INTERCEPT | 1 | -1.492445 | 0.061997 | -24.0729 | 0.0001 |
| LFSIZE | 1 | 0.183896 | 0.157947 | 1.1643 | 0.2443 |
| CAA6 | 1 | 0.160804 | 0.028075 | 5.7277 | 0.0001 |
| CAA 8 | 1 | -0.103105 | 0.0361 .64 | -2.8510 | 0.0044 |
| CAA9 | 1 | -0.039082 | 0.040126 | -0.9740 | 0.3301 |
| HD_NO_HS | 1 | -0.00498052 | 0.034647 | -0.1437 | 0.8857 |
| HD_COLL | 1 | 0.077848 | 0.027562 | 2.8244 | 0.0047 |
| BLACK | 1 | 0.028914 | 0.036655 | 0.7888 | 0.4302 |
| FEMALF, | . 1 | 0.157210 | 0.0228 .26 | 6.8875 | 0.0001 |
| H_WORK | 1 | 0.035426 | 0.037023 | 0.9568 | 0.3387 |
| HFTIME | 1 | 0.047847 | . 0.028353 | 1.6875 | 0.0915 |
| LEFS | 1 | -0.162400 | 0.049907 | -3.2541 | 0.0011 |
| LEFS2 | 1 | 0.090745 | 0.011881 | 7.6376 | 0.0001 |

Table C28
Regression on the Log of the Expenditures Spend on Adult Clothing Three or More Observations

One-Adult Families with Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 1519.49 .7 | FRATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## One-Adult Families without Children

| MODEL: | MODELO1 |  | SSE | 2854.181 | F RATIO |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

## Appendix D

## Bootstrapping Methods for Computation of Variances

The discussion of the various methodologies has concentrated upon the steps required to produce a point estimate of the cost of children. But , how robust are these estimates? Are these estimates statistically different? To answer these questions, it is necessary to produce estimates of the variance of the cost of children from the various methodologies. The problem in producing confidence bounds is that the cost estimates are a nonlinear function of the parameters of the budget share equations. One possible technique to use to estimate the variance would be the Delta Method which utilizes a first order approximation to the variance. However, the technique that was employed the bootstrapping technique as described by Efron and Tibshirani. ${ }^{1}$

To provide a rationale for the bootstrap method, consider the situation where that instead of one sample of observations, you had 500 equal sized samples. In each of the 500 samples, one could employ any of the above techniques to impute a cost of a child(ren). Using these 500 estimates of child cost, one could compute a variance. Of course, the problem is that we have only one sample. What the bootstrap method does is to provide a method for constructing the additional 499 samples from the original sample. Hence, the bootstrap method is often denoted as a "sample replication" variance estimation method.

The bootstrap method in our context can be describe in terms of the following seven step process where $y_{i}$ represents the logit of the budget share of the commodity group (

[^26]$\log [\Theta /(1-\Theta)])$ or $\log$ of real expenditures and $\underline{z}_{i}$ represents the vector of explanatory variables.

Step 1: $\quad$ Estimate the regression model $\left(y_{i}=\underline{\beta}^{\prime} \underline{z}_{i}+\varepsilon_{i}\right)$ using the original data to obtain $\underline{b}_{1}$.

Step 2: Compute the predicted values of the dependent variable ( $\underline{b}_{1} \underline{z}_{i}$ )
Step 3: Compute a residual for each observation in sample $\left(\mathrm{e}_{\mathrm{i}}=\mathrm{y}_{\mathrm{i}}-\underline{\mathrm{b}}_{1} \underline{z}_{\mathrm{i}}\right)$ and store the residuals in an "urn"

Do Steps 4 to 5, S-1 times :
Step 4 : $\quad$ Construct a synthetic sample by computing for each observation in the original data :
a) With replacement, randomly draw a residual from the "urn" $\left(\zeta_{\mathrm{i}}\right)$
b) Construct a new dependent variable ( $\psi_{i}=\underline{b}^{\prime} \underline{z}_{i}+\zeta_{i}$ )

Step 5 : In the current synthetic sample, regress $\psi_{i}$ on $\underline{x}_{i}$ to obtain a new set of coefficients ( $\underline{b}_{s}$ )

Step 6: Use the $\underline{b}_{s}$ 's $(s=1, S)$ to impute a cost of a child $\left(C C_{s}\right)$
Step 7: Use the $\mathrm{SCC}_{\mathrm{k}}$ 's to compute a mean and variance

For this report, I replicated the original sample 499 times. The source listing of the bootstrap program follows.

## Program Listing for Bootstrapping Program

Note this listing is for the Two Parent Sample to Estimate the Engel Method

```
//F6WXFN1 JOB (AF,E409), BETSON,NOTIFY=F6WXFN,TIME=10,
// MSGLEVEL=(2,0),MSGCLASS=Q
/*OPENBINS
//STEP1 EXEC VSFORT
//FORT.SYSIN DD *
    CALL SETUP(1)
    CALL BOOT(1)
    CALL CCOST(1)
    STOP
    END
    SUBROUTINE SEIUP (UUMMY)
    REAL XIN (62), XOUT (21), COMP (10), ED (4),WORK (5)
    NT=21
    LX=NT-2
    NOUT=0
10 READ(10,END=100) XIN
    ITYPE=XIN(21)
    IF(ITYPE.EQ.1.OR.ITYPE.EQ.3) GO TO 10
    CEXP=XIN (52)
    IF(CEXP.LE..D.) GO TO.JO
    XOUT(1)=XIN(21)
    DO 1 K=2,NT
1 XOUT (K)=0.0
    PROP=CEXP/XIN(60)
    IF(PROP.LE.O..OR.PROP.GT..99) GO TO 10
    XOUT (NT) =ALOG (PROP / (1.-PROP))
    XOUT (2)=ALOG (XIN (20))
    AD1=0.
    AD2=0.
    AD3=0.
    AD4=0.
    IAGE=XIN(36)
    DO 2 K=1,2
    IF(K.EQ.2.AND.ITYPE.EQ.1.OR.ITYPE.EQ.3) GO TO 2
    IF(K.EQ.2) IAGE=XIN(44)
    IF(IAGE.LT.25) AD1=AD1+1.
    IF(IAGE.GE.25.AND.IAGE.LT.36) AD2=AD2+1.
    IF(IAGE.GE.36.AND.IAGE.LT.46) AD3=AD3+1.
    IF(IAGE.GE.46) AD4=AD4+1.
    CONTINUE
    ADULT=AD1 + AD2 + AD 3 + AD 4
    RFS=ADULT+XIN (19)
    DO 4 K=1,5
    J=13+K
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4
    COMP(K)=XIN(J)/RFS
    COMP (6) =AD1/RFS
    COMP (7) =AD2 /RFS
    COMP (8) =AD3/RFS
    COMP (9) =AD4/RFS
    DO 5 K=1,4
    ED (K)=0.0
    IF(XIN(39).LT.3.) ED(1)=1.
    IF(XIN(39).GT.4.) ED(2)=1.
    IF(XIN(47).GT.0..AND.XIN(47).LT. 3.)ED (3)=1.
    IF(XIN(47).GT.4.)ED(4)=1.
    DO 6 K=1,5
    WORK (K)=0.0
    WORK(1)=XIN(42)/52.
    IF(XIN(41).GT.30.) WORK(2)=1.
    IF(XIN(23).GT.1.) WORK(3)=1.
    IF(XIN(50).GT.0.) WORK(4)=XIN(50)/52.
    IF(XIN(49).GT.30.) WORK(5)=1.
    BLACK=0.
    IF(XIN(38).EQ.2.) BLACK=1.
    FEMALE=0.
    IF(XIN(37).EQ.2.) FEMALE=1.
    FSIZE=XIN(20)
    ALNFS=ALOG(XIN(61)/(1000.*FSIZE))
    ALNFS2=ALNFS*ALNFS
    XOUT (NT-2) =ALNFS
    XOUT (NT-1)=ALNFS2
C--------------------------------------------------
C
C FILL IN THE X'S FROM VAR3 TO VAR NT-3
C
C VAR E/FS AND (E/FS)2 HAVE BEEN FILLED IN
C
C----------------------------------------------------
    XOUT (3) = COMP (1)
    XOUT (4) =COMP (2)
    XOUT (5) =COMP (3)
    XOUT (6) =COMP (4)
    XOUT (7) =COMP (5)
    XOUT (8)=COMP (6)
    XOUT (9) = COMP (8)
    XOUT (10) =COMP (9)
    XOUT (11) =ED (1)
    XOUT (12) =ED (2)
    XOUT (13) =ED (3)
    XOUT (14) =ED (4)
    XOUT (15) =BLACK
    XOUT (16) =WORK (3)
    XOUT (17) =WORK (4)
    XOUT (18) =WORK.(5.)
```

```
    WRITE(11) XOUT
    NOUT=NOUT+1
    GO TO 10
    WRITE (6,101) NOUT
    FORMAT('NUMBER OF OUTPUT RECORDS',I15)
    ENDFILE(11)
    REWIND(11)
    RETURN
    END
    SUBROUTINE BOOT(DUMMY)
    REAL ERR (2,9000).,XIN (50), BETA (30)
    REAL*8 XPX(20, 20),.XPXIN(20, 20) , XPY.(50.0,2.0)
    INTEGER INDX(20)
    NX=20
    NT=NX+1
    NOBS=0
    NTIMES=499
    WKID=4.
    X=RAN 1 (-1)
    DO 1 J=1,500
    DO 1 K=1,NX
    XPY (J,K)=0.DO
    DO 2 K=1,NX
    DO 2 J=1,NX
    XPX(K,J)=0.DO
    READ(11,END=20) (XIN(JJ),JJ=1,NT)
    NOBS=NOBS +1
    XIN(1)=1.0
    Y=XIN(NT)
    DO 11 J=1,NX
    XPY(1,J)=XPY(1,J)+Y*XIN(J)
    DO 11 K=1,NX
    XPX(J,K) =XPX (J,K) +XIN (K) *XIN (J)
    GO TO 10
    CONTINUE
    REWIND(11)
    DO 25 K=1,NX
    DO 23 J=1,NX
    XPXIN (K,J)=0.0DO
    XPXIN}(K,K)=1.OD
    CALL LUDCMP (XPX,NX,NX,INDX,D)
    DO 30 J=1,NX
    CALL LUBKSB(XPX,NX,NX,INDX,XPXIN(I,J).)
    DO 40 J=1,NX
    BETA (J)=0.0
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```
DO 50 J=1,NX
DO 45 K=1,NX
BETA(J)=BETA(J) +XPXIN(J,K)*XPY(1,K)
CONTINUE
WRITE(12,500) (BETA(KJ),KJ=1,NX)
FORMAT(4E20.10)
DO 51 K=1,NX
XPY(1,K)=0.D0
NOUT=0
N1=0
N2=0
READ(11,END=70) (XIN(KJ), KJ=1,NT)
    NOUT=NOUT +1
    ITYPE=1
    IF(XIN(1).EQ.WKID)ITYPE=2
    IF(ITYPE.EQ.1) THEN
        N1=Nl+1
        IPL=N1
    ELSE
            N2=N2+1
            IPL=N2
    ENDIF
    XIN (1)==1.0
    PRED=0.0
    DO 61 K=1,NX
    PRED=PRED+XIN(K) *BETA (K)
ERR(ITYPE,IPL)=XIN(NT) -PRED
GO TO 60
CONTINUE
REWIND(11)
NN=0
READ(11,END=130) (XIN(JJ),JJ=1,NT)
NN=NN+1
ITYPE=1
IE(XIN(1).EQ.WKID) ITYPE=2
XIN(1)=1.0
PRED=0.0
DO 111 K=1,NX
PRED=PRED+XIN(K)*BETA(K)
NOBS=N1
IF(ITYPE.EQ.2) NOBS=N2
DO 125 NQ=1,NTIMES
INUM=MIN(NOBS,1+INT(NOBS*RAN1(ISEED)))
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```
        Y=PRED+ERR(ITYPE,INUM)
        DO 120 K=1,NX
        XPY(NQ,K)=XPY(NQ,K)+Y*XIN(K)
CONTINUE
GO TO 110
CONTINUE
    DO 200 NQ=1,NTIMES
    DO 135 K=1,NX
    BETA(K)=0.0
    DO 150 K=1,NX
    DO 140 J=1,NX
    BETA(K)=BETA(K)+XPXIN(K,J)*XPY(NQ,J)
    CONTINUE
    WRITE(12,500) (BETA(KJ),KJ=1,NX)
CONTINUE
ENDFILE(12)
REWIND(12)
RETURN
END
FUNCTION RAN1(IDUM)
DIMENSION R(97)
SAVE R,IFF,IX1,IX2,IX3
PARAMETER (M1=259200,IA1=7141,IC1=54773,RM1=3.8580247E-6)
PARAMETER (M2 = 1 34456,IA2 = 8121,IC2=28411, RM2=7.4373773E-6)
PARAMETER (M3=243000,IA 3=4561,IC3=51349)
DATA IFF /0/
IF (IDUM.LT.O.OR.IFF.EQ.O) THEN
        IFF=1
        IX1=MOD (IC1-IDUM,M1)
        IX1=MOD(IA1*IX1+IC1,M1)
        IX2=MOD(IX1,M2)
        IX1=MOD(IA1*IX1+IC1,M1)
        IX3=MOD(IX1,M3)
        DO 11 J=1,97
            IX1=MOD(IA1*IX1+IC1,M1)
            IX2=MOD (IA2*IX2+IC2,M2)
            R(J)=(FLOAT (IX1) +FLOAT (IX2) *RM2) *RM1
        CONTINUE
        IDUM=1
ENDIF
IX1=MOD (IA.1*IX1+IC1,M1.)
IX2=MOD (IA2*IX2+IC2,M2)
IX3=MOD(IA 3*IX3+IC3,M3)
J=1+(97*IX3)/M3
J=MIN0 (97, MAXO (1,J))
RAN1=R(J)
R(J)=(FLOAT (IX1) +FLOAT (IX2)*RM2)*RM1
RETURN
END
SUBROUTINE LUDCMP (A,N,NP, INDX,D)
REAL\star8 A(NP,NP),VV(100),TINY,SUM, AAMAX, DUM
```

```
INTEGER INDX(N)
PARAMETER (NMAX=100,TINY=1.OD-20)
D=1.
DO 12 I=1,N
    AAMAX=0.DO
    DO 11 J=1,N
        IF (DABS (A(I,J)).GT.AAMAX) AAMAX=DABS(A(I,J))
    continue
        IF (AAMAX.EQ.O.DO) PAUSE 'SINGULAR MATRIX'
        IF (AAMAX.EQ.O.DO) PRINT }10
        FORMAT(' SINGULAR MATRIX')
    VV(I)=1.DO/AAMAX
CONTINUE
DO 19 J=1,N
    IF (J.GT.1) THEN
        DO 14 I=1,J-1
            SUM=A(I,J)
            IF (I.GT.1)THEN
                    DO 13 K=1,I-1
                    SUM=SUM-A (I, K)*A (K,J)
                    continue
                    A(I,J) =SUM
            ENDIF
        CONTINOE
    ENDIF
    AAMAX=0.DO
    DO 16 I=J,N
            SUM=A(I,J)
            IF (J.GT.1)THEN
                DO 15 K=1,J-1
                    SUM=SUM-A (I,K)*A(K,J)
                CONTINUE
                A(I,J)=SUM
            ENDIF
            DUM=VV(I)*DABS (SUM)
            IF (DUM.GE.AAMAX) THEN
                IMAX=I
                AAMAX=DUM
            ENDIF
    CONTINUE
    IF (J.NE.IMAX) THEN
            DO 17 K=1,N
                DUM=A (IMAX,K)
                A(IMAX,K)=A (J,K)
                A (J,K) = DUM
        CONTINUE
        D=-D
        VV (IMAX) =VV (J)
    ENDIF
    INDX(J)=IMAX
    IF(J.NE.N)THEN
        IF(A(J,J).EQ.O.)A(J,J)=TINY
        DUM=1./A(J,J)
        DO 18 I=J+1,N
                A(I,J) =A (I,J)*DUM
        CONTINUE
        ENDIF
CONTINUE
IF (A (N,N).EQ.O.DO)A(N,N )=TINY
RETURN
END
SUBROUTINE LUBKSB(A,N,NP,INDX,B)
REAL*8 A (NP,NP),B(N),SUM
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```
INTEGER INDX(N)
I I=0
DO 12 I=1,N
    LL=INDX(I)
    SUM=B(LL)
    B(LL)=B(I)
    IF (II.NE.0) THEN
            DO 11 J=II,I-1
                SUM=SUM-A(I,J)*B(J)
            CONTINUE
        ELSE IF (SUM.NE.O.DO) THEN
            II=I
    ENDIF
    B(I) =SUM
CONTINUE
DO 14 I=N,1,-1
    SUM=B(I)
    IF (I,LT.N) THEN
            DO 13 J=I +1,N
                SUM=SUM-A(I,J)*B(J)
            CONTINUE
        ENDIF
        B(I) =SUM/A (I,I)
    CONTINUE
    RETURN
    END
    SUBROUTINE CCOST(DUMMY)
    REAL INC (10), BETA(20), KID (3,3,18),DUM(9)
    REAL*8 COST (3,3,3,10),CT
    DATA {KID (1, 1,J),J=1,18)/2*0,,0.,1,0.,0.,0.,11*0./
    DATA (KID (1,2,J),J=1,18)/2*0.,0.,0.,1,.0.,0.,11*0./
    DATA (KID (1, 3,J),J=1,18)/2*0.,0.,0.,0.,0.,1.,11*0./
    DATA (KID (2, 1,J),J=1,18)/2*0.,0.,1.,1.,0.,0.,11*0./
    DATA (KID (2, 2,J),J=1,18)/2*0.,0,,0.,2.,0.,0.,11*0./
    DATA (KID (2,3,J),J=1,18)/2*0.,0.,0.,1,,0.,1.,11*0./
    DATA (KID (3,1,J),J=1,18)/2*0.,0.,1.,2.,0.,0.,11*0./
    DATA (KID (3,2,J),J=1,18)/2*0.,0.,1.,1.,1.,0.,11*0./
    DATA (KID (3, 3,J),J=1,18)/2*0.,0.,0.,1,.1.,1,.11*0./
    DATA INC/5.,10.,15.,20.,25.,30.,35.,40.,45.,50./
```

C*****************
c
c number of adults ADUiT
C NUMBER OF VARIBLES NT
c
C*******************
ADULT=2
$\mathrm{NT}=20$
$\mathrm{NT} 1=\mathrm{NT}-1$
DO $1 \mathrm{~K}=1,3$
DO $1 \mathrm{~J}=1,3$
DO $1 \mathrm{M}=1,3$
DO $1 \mathrm{I}=1,10$
$1 \operatorname{cosT}(K, J, M, I)=0 . D 0$
ALNFS=ALOG (ADULT $)$
IADULT=ADULT

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N=0
READ(12,11, END=200) BETA
FORMAT (4E20.10)
N=N+1
DO 100 NKID=1,3
RFSIZE=FLOAT (NKID) +ADULT
ALFS=ALOG (RFSIZE)
DO 90 NTYPE=1,3
RSHR=BETA(1) +ALFS*BETA(2)
DO 24 J=8,18
RSHR=RSHR+KID (NKID,NTYPE,J) *BETA(J)
DO 25 J=3,7
RSHR=RSHR+KID.(NKID,NTYPE,J)*BETA(J)/RFSIZE
CON=BETA(1)
DO 50 I=1,10
RY=INC(I)
IRY=RY
Z=ALOG (RY/RFSIZE)
RSHARE=RSHR+Z*BETA(NT1) +BETA(NT) *Z*Z
A = BETA(NT)
B = BETA(NT1) - 2.0*BETA(NT)*ALNFS
C = CON + ALNFS*BETA(2)
& - RSHARE - BETA(NT1)*ALNFS + BETA(NT)*ALNFS**2
SR=B**2 - 4.0*A*C
IF(SR.GT.O.) THEN
SR=SQRI'(SR)
Z=1.0
IF(B.LT.0.0)Z=-1.0
Q}=-(B+Z*SR)/2
XFAM1=Q/A
XFAM2=C/Q
IF(XFAM1.LT.160.0) THEN
COST1=1000.* (RY-EXP(XFAM1))
ELSE
cosT1= -1.
ENDIF
IF(XFAM2.LT.160.0) THEN
            COST2=1000.* (RY-EXP(XFAM2))
ELSE
            CosT2=-1.
ENDIF
ELSE
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```
        cosT1=-1.
        cosT2=-1.
    ENDIF
    Z=cosT1*\operatorname{cosT2}
    IF(Z.GT.0..AND.COST1.LT.O.) THEN
        CKID=-1.,
    ELSE IF(2.GT.0..AND.COST1.GT.O.) THEN
    CKID=AMINL(COST'1,COSI'2)
    ELSE IF(Z.LT.O..AND.COST1.GT.O.) THEN
        CKID=COST1
    ELSE IF(Z.LT.O..AND.COST2.GT.O.) THEN
        CKID=COST2
    ELSE
        CKID=0.0
    ENDIF
    IF(CKID.GT.O.) THEN
        COST(1,NKID,NTYPE,I)=COST(1,NKID,NTYPE,I) +1.DO
        COST (2,NKID,NTYPE,I)=COST (2,NKID,NTYPE,I) +CKID
        COST (3,NKID,NTYPE,I) =COST (3,NKID,NTYPE,I) +CKID*CKID
ENDIF
CONTINUE
CONTINUE
CONTINUE
GO TO 10
CONTINUE
DO 210 J=1,3
DO 210 K=1,3
DO 210 I=1,10
CT=CosT (1, J, K,I)
N=CT
IF(CT.GT.O.DO) THEN
    CosT (2,J,K,I)=\operatorname{CosT}(2,J,K,I)/CT
    CosT (3,J,K,I) = CosT (3,J, K,I)/CT - CosT (2,J, K,I)**2
    CosT (3,J,K,I) = DSQRT (CosT (3,J,K,I))
ENDIF
CONTINUE
DO 300 J=1,3
DO 250 I=1,10
IR=INC(I)
L=0
DO 240 K=1.3
DO 240 M=1,3
L}=\textrm{L}+
240 DUM(L)=COST (M,J,K,I)
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```
250 WRITE(13,400) IR,DUM
400 FORMAT (I2,3(2X,3F8.0))
    WRITE(13,401)
401 FORMAT(/)
300 CONTINUE
    RETURN
    END
//GO.FT06F001 DD SYSOUT=T
//GO.FT1OFOO1 DD UNIT=DISK,DISP=(OLD,KEEP),DSN=AUDMB0.CEX8086.DATA,
// DCB=(RECFM=VBS,LRECL=252,BLKSI2E=19069,DSORG=PS),VOL=SER=USER08
//GO.FTIIFOO1 DD UNIT=DISK,DISP=(NEW,DELETE),DSN=AUDMBO.XDATA.DATA,
// DCB=(RECFM=VBS,LRECL=88,BLKSIZE=19069,DSORG=PS),VOL=SER=USER08,
// SPACE=(TRK,(50,15),RLSE)
//GO.FT12F001 DD UNIT=DISK,DISP=(NEW,CATLG),DSN=AUDMB0.BTAFHT.DATA,
// DCB=(RECFM=FB,LRECL=80,BLKSIZE=3120,DSORG=PS),VOL=SER=USER08,
// SPACE=(TRK,(1,15),RLSE)
//GO.FT13F001 DD UNIT=DISK,DISP=(NEW,CATLG),DSN=F6WXFN.CTAFHT.DATA,
// DCB=(RECFM=FB, LRECL=80,BLKSIZE=3120,DSORG=PS),VOL=SER=USER08,
// SPACE=(TRK,(1,15),RLSE)
//
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## Appendix E

## Estimates of the Mean and Standard Deviation of the Cost of Children by Level of Total Expenditure and Family Type <br> (Expressed in Dollar Amounts)

Table E1
Cost of Children in Two-Adult Families
Food at Home -- All Observations

|  | Cost | SD | Cost | SD | Cost | SD |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Expenditures | One Child : |  |  |  | (16) |  |
| 5 | 1285 | 91 | 1656 | 69 | 1961 | 85 |
| 10 | 2661 | 157 | 3316 | 121 | 3856 | 152 |
| 15 | 4057 | 218 | 4975 | 170 | 5736 | 215 |
| 20 | 5466 | 277 | 6635 | 217 | 7607 | 276 |
| 25 | 6882 | 334 | 8296 | 262 | 9472 | 335 |
| 30 | 8304 | 390 | 9956 | 307 | 11333 | 393 |
| 35 | 9732 | 444 | 11616 | 350 | 13190 | 450 |
| 40 | 11163 | 498 | 13277 | 393 | 15044 | 506 |
| 45 | 12598 | 551 | 14938 | 435 | 16895 | 561 |
| 50 | 14035 | 603 | 16599 | 477 | 18744 | 616 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ |  | $(8,10)$ |  | $(10,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 2196 | 73 | 2420 | 70 | 2607 | 66 |
| 10 | 4469 | 124 | 4860 | 122 | 5189 | 117 |
| 15 | 6758 | 172 | 7304 | 171 | 7765 | 164 |
| 20 | 9057 | 218 | 9751 | 217 | 10338 | 209 |
| 25 | 11362 | 262 | 12200 | 262 | 12909 | 253 |
| 30 | 13672 | 305 | 14649 | 306 | 15478 | 296 |
| 35 | 15986 | 348 | 17100 | 349 | 18045 | 338 |
| 40 | 18304 | 389 | 19552 | 391 | 20612 | 379 |
| 45 | 20624 | 431 | 22004 | 433 | 23177 | 420 |
| 50 | 22946 | 471 | 24457 | 474 | 25742 | 460 |

Three Children :
Total Expenditures
$(4,8,10)$
$(4,8,13)$

| 2708 | 66 | 2875 | 68 | 3141 | 58 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 5494 | 113 | 5782 | 117 | 6248 | 101 |
| 8295 | 156 | 8696 | 163 | 9346 | 141 |
| 11105 | 197 | 11614 | 207 | 12441 | 179 |
| 13922 | 237 | 14535 | 249 | 15532 | 217 |
| 16743 | 276 | 17458 | 290 | 18622 | 253 |
| 19568 | 314 | 20382 | 330 | 21709 | 289 |
| 22397 | 352 | 23308 | 370 | 24795 | 324 |
| 25227 | 389 | 26235 | 409 | 27880 | 358 |
| 28061 | 426 | 29162 | 448 | 30963 | 393 |

Table E2
Cost of Children in Two-Adult Families Food at Home -- Three or More Observations

|  | Cost | SD | Cost | SD | Cost | SD |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Expenditures | (4) One Child : |  |  |  | (16) |  |
| 5 | 1278 | 111 | 1647 | 79 | 1994 | 93 |
| 10 | 2611 | 202 | 3297 | 146 | 3946 | 175 |
| 15 | 3960 | 288 | 4948 | 211 | 5887 | 256 |
| 20 | 5317 | 372 | 6600 | 274 | 7821 | 335 |
| 25 | 6681 | 455 | 8252 | 335 | 9750 | 414 |
| 30 | 8050 | 535 | 9905 | 396 | 11675 | 491 |
| 35 | 9423 | 615 | 11557 | 455 | 13596 | 568 |
| 40 | 10799 | 694 | 13210 | 514 | 15516 | 645 |
| 45 | 12178 | 772 | 14863 | 573 | 17433 | 721 |
| 50 | 13559 | 850 | 16516 | 631 | 19348 | 797 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ |  | $(8,10)$ |  | $(10,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 2234 | 85 | 2448 | 79 | 2655 | 72 |
| 10 | 4508 | 155 | 4905 | 146 | 5289 | 135 |
| 15 | 6792 | 221 | 7363 | 210 | 7918 | 196 |
| 20 | 9082 | 285 | 9822 | 272 | 10544 | 256 |
| 25 | 11376 | 348 | 12283 | 333 | 13167 | 314 |
| 30 | 13674 | 409 | 14744 | 393 | 15788 | 372 |
| 35 | 15975 | 470 | 17206 | 452 | 18407 | 430 |
| 40 | 18278 | 530 | 19668 | 510 | 21026 | 486 |
| 45 | 20583 | 590 | 22131 | 568 | 23643 | 543 |
| 50 | 22890 | 649 | 24593 | 625 | 26260 | 599 |
| Three Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ |  | $(4,8,13)$ |  | $(10,13,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 2784 | 75 | 2959 | 71 | 3219 | 60 |
| 10 | 5601 | 137 | 5925 | 131 | 6409 | 112 |
| 15 | 8426 | 195 | 8892 | 189 | 9590 | 161 |
| 20 | 11256 | 252 | 11859 | 246 | 12766 | 210 |
| 25 | 14090 | 308 | 14828 | 301 | 15939 | 258 |
| 30 | 16927 | 362 | 17797 | 355 | 19109 | 305 |
| 35 | 19766 | 416 | 20767 | 409 | 22277 | 352 |
| 40 | 22607 | 470 | 23737 | 462 | 25443 | 399 |
| 45 | 25450 | 523 | 26707 | 515 | 28608 | 445 |
| 50 | 28294 | 575 | 29677 | 567 | 31771 | 492 |

Table E3
Cost of Children in One-Adult Families
Food at Home -- All Observations
Cost SD Cost SD Cost SD

Total Expenditures
One Child :

| 5 | 3075 | 188 | 3191 | 161 | 3276 | 168 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 10 | 5971 | 316 | 6169 | 271 | 6316 | 283 |
| 15 | 8837 | 435 | 9112 | 374 | 9316 | 391 |
| 20 | 11685 | 549 | 12033 | 473 | 12291 | 495 |
| 25 | 14521 | 659 | 14939 | 569 | 15251 | 595 |
| 30 | 17347 | 766 | 17834 | 663 | 18197 | 693 |
| 35 | 20166 | 871 | 20721 | 754 | 21134 | 790 |
| 40 | 22979 | 974 | 23600 | 845 | 24062 | 885 |
| 45 | 25787 | 1076 | 26473 | 933 | 26984 | 978 |
| 50 | 28591 | 1176 | 29340 | 1021 | 29900 | 1070 |

Two Children :
Total Expenditures

| 5 | 4037 | 127 | 4086 | 120 | 4123 | 120 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 10 | 7839 | 198 | 7923 | 185 | 7986 | 183 |
| 15 | 11606 | 267 | 11722 | 249 | 11810 | 247 |
| 20 | 15351 | 335 | 15499 | 312 | 15611 | 310 |
| 25 | 19082 | 400 | 19260 | 373 | 19395 | 370 |
| 30 | 22802 | 464 | 23010 | 433 | 23167 | 430 |
| 35 | 26513 | 527 | 26750 | 493 | 26929 | 489 |
| 40 | 30217 | 589 | 30482 | 551 | 30682 | 547 |
| 45 | 33915 | 650 | 34207 | 608 | 34429 | 604 |
| 50 | 37607 | 710 | 37927 | 665 | 38170 | 660 |

## Three Children :

Total Expenditures $\quad(4,8,10)$
$(4,8,13)$
$(10,13,16)$

| 5 | 4455 | 113 | 4500 | 109 | 4544 | 104 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 10 | 8666 | 168 | 8753 | 170 | 8829 | 162 |
| 15 | 12840 | 221 | 12960 | 222 | 13067 | 210 |
| 20 | 16994 | 273 | 17147 | 275 | 17283 | 259 |
| 25 | 21134 | 325 | 21318 | 326 | 21482 | 308 |
| 30 | 25263 | 375 | 25477 | 377 | 25669 | 355 |
| 35 | 29383 | 425 | 29627 | 427 | 29846 | 403 |
| 40 | 33496 | 474 | 33770 | 476 | 34015 | 449 |
| 45 | 37603 | 523 | 37905 | 525 | 38177 | 496 |
| 50 | 41704 | 571 | 42036 | 573 | 42334 | 541 |

Table E4
Cost of Children in One-Adult Families
Food at Home -- Three or More Observations

Cost SD Cost SD Cost SD

| Total Expenditures | One Child : |  |  |  | (16) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5 | 3086 | 240 | 3325 | 205 | 3431 | 213 |
| 10 | 5993 | 394 | 6404 | 326 | 6588 | 338 |
| 15 | 8869 | 539 | 9442 | 443 | 9699 | 460 |
| 20 | 11728 | 678 | 12455 | 558 | 12783 | 579 |
| 25 | 14574 | 812 | 15452 | 669 | 15847 | 696 |
| 30 | 17411 | 944 | 18435 | 778 | 18896 | 810 |
| 35 | 20241 | 1072 | 21407 | 885 | 21934 | 923 |
| 40 | 23065 | 1199 | 24372 | 991 | 24963 | 1034 |
| 45 | 25883 | 1323 | 27329 | 1095 | 27983 | 1144 |
| 50 | 28697 | 1446 | 30280 | 1199 | 30996 | 1253 |

Two Children :
Total Expenditures
$(4,8)$

| 5 | 4033 | 177 | 4129 | 165 | 4174 | 162 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 10 | 7839 | 265 | 8015 | 250 | 8095 | 247 |
| 15 | 11609 | 348 | 11853 | 325 | 11966 | 318 |
| 20 | 15358 | 429 | 15668 | 400 | 15812 | 391 |
| 25 | 19093 | 509 | 19467 | 473 | 19641 | 462 |
| 30 | 22817 | 587 | 23254 | 546 | 23456 | 533 |
| 35 | 26533 | 664 | 27031 | 617 | 27262 | 603 |
| 40 | 30241 | 739 | 30800 | 688 | 31059 | 672 |
| 45 | 33944 | 814 | 34562 | 758 | 34849 | 740 |
| 50 | 37641 | 887 | 38318 | 827 | 38632 | 808 |

Three Children :
Total Expenditures
$(4,8,10)$

| 5 | 4416 | 134 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 10 | 8651 | 237 |
| 15 | 12821 | 300 |
| 20 | 16972 | 362 |
| 25 | 21110 | 424 |
| 30 | 25237 | 486 |
| 35 | 29356 | 546 |
| 40 | 33468 | 606 |
| 45 | 37574 | 665 |
| 50 | 41675 | 724 |

$(4,8,13)$
$(10,13,16)$

Table E5

## Cost of Children in Two-Adult Families Total Food -- All Observations

|  | Cost | SD | Cost | SD | Cost | SD |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Expenditures | One Child : |  |  |  | (16) |  |
| 5 | 676 | 111 | 1436 | 72 | 1794 | 90 |
| 10 | 1413 | 204 | 2886 | 139 | 3582 | 176 |
| 15 | 2169 | 296 | 4340 | 204 | 5368 | 259 |
| 20 | 2938 | 388 | 5797 | 269 | 7152 | 342 |
| 25 | 3715 | 480 | 7255 | 333 | 8935 | 424 |
| 30 | 4499 | 573 | 8715 | 397 | 10718 | . 506 |
| 35 | 5289 | 666 | 10177 | 460 | 12500 | 587 |
| 40 | 6083 | 760 | 11639 | 523 | 14281 | 668 |
| 45 | 6881 | 854 | 13102 | 586 | 16062 | 749 |
| 50 | 7683 | 949 | 14566 | 649 | 17842 | 829 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ |  | $(8,10)$ |  | $(10,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 1731 | 84 | 2177 | 72 | 2394 | 68 |
| 10 | 3510 | 153 | 4372 | 137 | 4795 | 132 |
| 15 | 5305 | 221 | 6574 | 202 | 7197 | 195 |
| 20 | 7109 | 289 | 8780 | 265 | 9600 | 256 |
| 25 | 8920 | 358 | 10988 | 328 | 12005 | 318 |
| 30 | 10737 | 426 | 13199 | 391 | 14410 | 378 |
| 35 | 12558 | 495 | 15411 | 454 | 16816 | 439 |
| 40 | 14383 | 564 | 17625 | 516 | 19222 | 499 |
| 45 | 16211 | 634 | 19841 | 579 | 21629 | 559 |
| 50 | 18041 | 704 | 22057 | 641 | 24036 | 618 |

Three Children :

| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ |  | $(4,8,13)$ |  | $(10,13,16)$ |  |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 5 | 2338 | 73 | 2536 | 72 | 2949 | 56 |
| 10 | 4719 | 134 | 5101 | 134 | 5901 | 108 |
| 15 | 7113 | 193 | 7675 | 196 | 8854 | 159 |
| 20 | 9515 | 253 | 10255 | 256 | 11808 | 209 |
| 25 | 11924 | 312 | 12839 | 317 | 14762 | 259 |
| 30 | 14337 | 372 | 15426 | 377 | 17716 | 309 |
| 35 | 16754 | 432 | 18016 | 437 | 20671 | 358 |
| 40 | 19175 | 493 | 20608 | 497 | 23626 | 407 |
| 45 | 21598 | 554 | 23202 | 557 | 26581 | 456 |
| 50 | 24023 | 615 | 25798 | 617 | 29536 | 505 |

Table E6
Cost of Children in Two-Adult Families
Total Food -- Three or More Observations

|  | Cost | SD | Cost | SD | Cost | SD |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Expenditures | One Child : |  |  |  | (16) |  |
| 5 | 872 | 127 | 1518 | 82 | 1889 | 95 |
| 10 | 1672 | 254 | 3025 | 169 | 3795 | 199 |
| 15 | 2439 | 384 | 4526 | 258 | 5710 | 307 |
| 20 | 3182 | 517 | 6023 | 349 | 7630 | 419 |
| 25 | 3907 | 655 | 7518 | 441 | 9555 | 532 |
| 30 | 4616 | 796 | 9010 | 535 | 11484 | 648 |
| 35 | 5312 | 941 | 10501 | 629 | 13415 | 766 |
| 40 | 5996 | 1089 | 11989 | 724 | 15350 | 886 |
| 45 | 6670 | 1241 | 13476 | 820 | 17286 | 1007 |
| 50 | 7333 | 1397 | 14961 | 917 | 19225 | 1129 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ |  | $(8,10)$ |  | $(10,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 1929 | 95 | 2291 | 82 | 2508 | 73 |
| 10 | 3808 | 188 | 4566 | 168 | 5018 | 153 |
| 15 | 5663 | 282 | 6833 | 256 | 7528 | 234 |
| 20 | 7503 | 378 | 9095 | 346 | 10038 | 318 |
| 25 | 9330 | 477 | 11352 | 438 | 12549 | 403 |
| 30 | 11146 | 577 | 13606 | 530 | 15060 | 490 |
| 35 | 12953 | 680 | 15857 | 624 | 17571 | 577 |
| 40 | 14752 | 784 | 18106 | 719 | 20082 | 665 |
| 45 | 16543 | 891 | 20352 | 814 | 22594 | 755 |
| 50 | 18328 | 999 | 22596 | 910 | 25106 | 845 |

Three Children :

| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ |  | $(4,8,13)$ |  | $(10,13,16)$ |  |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 5 | 2533 | 81 | 2790 | 71 | 3126 | 56 |
| 10 | 5026 | 163 | 5564 | 146 | 6261 | 115 |
| 15 | 7500 | 245 | 8330 | 223 | 9400 | 177 |
| 20 | 9961 | 330 | 11090 | 302 | 12543 | 240 |
| 25 | 12411 | 416 | 13846 | 382 | 15688 | 304 |
| 30 | 14854 | 504 | 16598 | 464 | 18834 | 369 |
| 35 | 17288 | 593 | 19348 | 546 | 21983 | 435 |
| 40 | 19717 | 684 | 22095 | 630 | 25132 | 501 |
| 45 | 22139 | 777 | 24839 | 714 | 28283 | 569 |
| 50 | 24557 | 872 | 27581 | 800 | 31436 | 637 |

Table E7

## Cost of Children in One-Adult Families <br> Total Food -- All Observations

|  | Cost | SD | Cost | SD | Cost | SD |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Expenditures | One Child : |  |  |  | (16) |  |
| 5 | 3075 | 188 | 3191 | 161 | 3276 | 168 |
| 10 | 5971 | 316 | 6169 | 271 | 6316 | 283 |
| 15 | 8837 | 435 | 9112 | 374 | 9316 | 391 |
| 20 | 11685 | 549 | 12033 | 473 | 12291 | 495 |
| 25 | 14521 | 659 | 14939 | 569 | 15251 | 595 |
| 30 | 17347 | 766 | 17834 | 663 | 18197 | 693 |
| 35 | 20166 | 871 | 20721 | 754 | 21134 | 790 |
| 40 | 22979 | 974 | 23600 | 845 | 24062 | 885 |
| 45 | 25787 | 1076 | 26473 | 933 | 26984 | 978 |
| 50 | 28591 | 1176 | 29340 | 1021 | 29900 | 1070 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ |  | $(8,10)$ |  | $(10,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 4037 | 127 | 4086 | 120 | 4123 | 120 |
| 10 | 7839 | 198 | 7923 | 185 | 7986 | 183 |
| 15 | 11606 | 267 | 11722 | 249 | 11810 | 247 |
| 20 | 15351 | 335 | 15499 | 312 | 15611 | 310 |
| 25 | 19082 | 400 | 19260 | 373 | 19395 | 370 |
| 30 | 22802 | 464 | 23010 | 433 | 23167 | 430 |
| 35 | 26513 | 527 | 26750 | 493 | 26929 | 489 |
| 40 | 30217 | 589 | 30482 | 551 | 30682 | 547 |
| 45 | 33915 | 650 | 34207 | 608 | 34429 | 604 |
| 50 | 37607 | 710 | 37927 | 665 | 38170 | 660 |

Three Children :
Total Expenditures
$(4,8,10)$

| 5 | 4455 | 113 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 10 | 8666 | 168 |
| 15 | 12840 | 221 |
| 20 | 16994 | 273 |
| 25 | 21134 | 325 |
| 30 | 25263 | 375 |
| 35 | 29383 | 425 |
| 40 | 33496 | 474 |
| 45 | 37603 | 523 |
| 50 | 41704 | 571 |

Table E8
Cost of Children in One-Adult Families
Total Food -- Three or More Observations

|  | Cost | SD | Cost | SD | Cost | SD |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Expenditures | (4) One Child : (8) |  |  |  | (16) |  |
| 5 | 2026 | 252 | 2471 | 189 | 2703 | 180 |
| 10 | 3997 | 534 | 4937 | 397 | 5425 | 375 |
| 15 | 5940 | 833 | 7401 | 613 | 8155 | 577 |
| 20 | 7864 | 1144 | 9864 | 836 | 10891 | 784 |
| 25 | 9773 | 1465 | 12325 | 1065 | 13632 | 995 |
| 30 | 11668 | 1796 | 14784 | 1298 | 16376 | 1209 |
| 35 | 13551 | 2135 | 17243 | 1535 | 19124 | 1426 |
| 40 | 15424 | 2482 | 19701 | 1775 | 21875 | 1646 |
| 45 | 17288 | 2836 | 22158 | 2019 | 24628 | 1869 |
| 50 | 19143 | 3196 | 24614 | 2265 | 27384 | 2093 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ |  | $(8,10)$ |  | $(10,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 3097 | 142 | 3286 | 125 | 3391 | 117 |
| 10 | 6168 | 299 | 6566 | 262 | 6785 | 243 |
| 15 | 9225 | 465 | 9843 | 405 | 10182 | 374 |
| 20 | 12274 | 638 | 13118 | 553 | 13580 | 509 |
| 25 | 15315 | 816 | 16391 | 704 | 16979 | 646 |
| 30 | 18351 | 998 | 19662 | 858 | 20379 | 785 |
| 35 | 21381 | 1184 | 22933 | 1015 | 23779 | 927 |
| 40 | 24406 | 1374 | 26202 | 1174 | 27181 | 1070 |
| 45 | 27426 | 1567 | 29470 | 1336 | 30582 | 1215 |
| 50 | 30443 | 1764 | 32737 | 1499 | 33985 | 1361 |

## Three Children :

Total Expenditures
$(4,8,10)$
$(4,8,13)$
$(10,13,16)$

| 5 | 3600 | 110 | 3654 | 106 | 3809 | 93 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 10 | 7183 | 233 | 7296 | 224 | 7623 | 194 |
| 15 | 10758 | 361 | 10933 | 346 | 11439 | 297 |
| 20 | 14328 | 494 | 14567 | 473 | 15555 | 404 |
| 25 | 17893 | 631 | 18197 | 603 | 19073 | 512 |
| 30 | 21454 | 772 | 21825 | 735 | 22892 | 622 |
| 35 | 25012 | 915 | 25451 | 870 | 26711 | 733 |
| 40 | 28567 | 1061 | 29075 | 1007 | 30531 | 846 |
| 45 | 32119 | 1209 | 32697 | 1146 | 34352 | 960 |
| 50 | 35669 | 1359 | 36318 | 1287 | 38173 | 1075 |

Table E9
Cost of Children in Two-Adult Families Expenditures on Food at Home, Shelter, Clothing and Health Care All Observations

|  | Cost | SD | Cost | SD | Cost | SD |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Expenditures | One Child : |  |  |  | (16) |  |
| 5 | 744 | 124 | 859 | 106 | 980 | 126 |
| 10 | 1514 | 233 | 1739 | 197 | 1978 | 240 |
| 15 | 2292 | 339 | 2628 | 285 | 2983 | 352 |
| 20 | 3076 | 446 | 3520 | 373 | 3992 | 463 |
| 25 | 3862 | 552 | 4416 | 461 | 5003 | 575 |
| 30 | 4652 | 659 | 5314 | 549 | 6016 | 686 |
| 35 | 5444 | 767 | 6214 | 637 | 7031 | 797 |
| 40 | 6237 | 875 | 7116 | 726 | 8047 | 908 |
| 45 | 7033 | 984 | 8019 | 815 | 9064 | 1019 |
| 50 | 7830 | 1093 | 8924 | 904 | 10083 | 1130 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ |  | $(8,10)$ |  | $(10,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 1429 | 116 | 1500 | 120 | 1578 | 113 |
| 10 | 2889 | 206 | 3030 | 217 | 3184 | 206 |
| 15 | 4359 | 294 | 4570 | 311 | 4798 | 296 |
| 20 | 5836 | 381 | 6115 | 405 | 6417 | 386 |
| 25 | 7317 | 469 | 7664 | 498 | 8040 | 475 |
| 30 | 8802 | 558 | 9217 | 593 | 9666 | 565 |
| 35 | 10289 | 648 | 10772 | 688 | 11294 | 656 |
| 40 | 11779 | 740 | 12329 | 783 | 12924 | 747 |
| 45 | 13271 | 832 | 13889 | 880 | 14556 | 839 |
| 50 | 14764 | 926 | 15450 | 977 | 16190 | 932 |
| Three Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ |  | $(4,8,13)$ |  | $(10,13,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 1923 | 115 | 2014 | 113 | 2115 | 103 |
| 10 | 3881 | 203 | 4059 | 202 | 4258 | 183 |
| 15 | 5848 | 287 | 6113 | 288 | 6409 | 260 |
| 20 | 7822 | 371 | 8174 | 373 | 8565 | 336 |
| 25 | 9801 | 456 | 10238 | 458 | 10725 | 413 |
| 30 | 11784 | 542 | 12306 | 545 | 12888 | 489 |
| 35 | 13769 | 629 | 14376 | 632 | 15053 | 567 |
| 40 | 15756 | 718 | 16449 | 720 | 17221 | 645 |
| 45 | 17746 | 808 | 18523 | 809 | 19389 | 723 |
| 50 | 19738 | 900 | 20599 | 899 | 21560 | 803 |

Table E10
Cost of Children in Two-Adult Families Expenditures on Food at Home, Shelter, Clothing and Health Care Three or More Observations

|  | Cost | SD | Cost | SD | Cost | SD |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Expenditures | One Child : |  |  |  | (16) |  |
| 5 | 926 | 127 | 1061 | 94 | 1339 | 114 |
| 10 | 1656 | 282 | 1965 | 206 | 2597 | 253 |
| 15 | 2269 | 458 | 2776 | 332 | 3810 | 406 |
| 20 | 2788 | 654 | 3515 | 470 | 4987 | 572 |
| 25 | 3225 | 870 | 4190 | 621 | 6133 | 748 |
| 30 | 3596 | 1094 | 4807 | 784 | 7251 | 933 |
| 35 | 3906 | 1325 | 5371 | 962 | 8344 | 1128 |
| 40 | 4174 | 1551 | 5883 | 1155 | 9413 | 1332 |
| 45 | 4369 | 1810 | 6346 | 1363 | 10459 | 1544 |
| 50 | 4555 | 2045 | 6762 | 1587 | 11484 | 1765 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ |  | $(8,10)$ |  | $(10,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 1696 | 100 | 1775 | 97 | 1943 | 90 |
| 10 | 3177 | 216 | 3360 | 211 | 3746 | 195 |
| 15 | 4532 | 344 | 4833 | 338 | 5468 | 310 |
| 20 | 5784 | 487 | 6217 | 477 | 7126 | 433 |
| 25 | 6947 | 644 | 7522 | 630 | 8728 | 566 |
| 30 | 8028 | 819 | 8757 | 797 | 10280 | 707 |
| 35 | 9033 | 1013 | 9926 | 980 | 11786 | 857 |
| 40 | 9965 | 1227 | 11032 | 1180 | 13249 | 1017 |
| 45 | 10826 | 1463 | 12077 | 1398 | 14670 | 1188 |
| 50 | 11620 | 1723 | 13064 | 1634 | 16050 | 1369 |
| Three Children |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ |  | $(4 ; 8,13)$ |  | ( $10,13,16$ ) |  |
| 5 | 2222 | 90 | 2340 | 89 | 2496 | 75 |
| 10 | 4237 | 191 | 4510 | 192 | 4868 | 161 |
| 15 | 6131 | 302 | 6581 | 305 | 7169 | 254 |
| 20 | 7926 | 425 | 8573 | 429 | 9414 | 354 |
| 25 | 9635 | 560 | 10496 | 564 | 11611 | 461 |
| 30 | 11267 | 709 | 12357 | 711 | 13764 | 574 |
| 35 | 12825 | 874 | 14160 | 871 | 15877 | 694 |
| 40 | 14314 | 1057 | 15908 | 1044 | 17953 | 822 |
| 45 | 15736 | 1259 | 17604 | 1231 | 19993 | 958 |
| 50 | 17093 | 1482 | 19249 | 1434 | 21999 | 1101 |

Table E11
Cost of Children in One-Adult Families
Expenditures on Food at Home, Shelter, Clothing and Health Care All Observations


## Table E12

## Cost of Children in One-Adult Families Expenditures on Food at Home, Shelter, Clothing and Health Care Three or More Observations

|  | Cost | SD | Cost | SD | Cost | SB |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Expenditures | One Child : |  |  |  | (16) |  |
| 5 | 2585 | 336 | 2842 | 273 | 2970 | 299 |
| 10 | 5156 | 619 | 5633 | 502 | 5872 | 551 |
| 15 | 7724 | 890 | 8412 | 722 | 8757 | 793 |
| 20 | 10289 | 1152 | 11183 | 936 | 11631 | 1029 |
| 25 | 12854 | 1410 | 13948 | 1147 | 14498 | 1261 |
| 30 | 15417 | 1664 | 16710 | 1355 | 17359 | 1490 |
| 35 | 17980 | 1915 | 19468 | 1560 | 20216 | 1716 |
| 40 | 20542 | 2163 | 22223 | 1764 | 23070 | 1941 |
| 45 | 23104 | 2409 | 24977 | 1966 | 25920 | 2164 |
| 50 | 25665 | 2653 | 27728 | 2166 | 28767 | 2386 |
| Two Children: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ |  | $(8,10)$ |  | $(10,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 3377 | 217 | 3499 | 200 | 3563 | 204 |
| 10 | 6745 | 398 | 6970 | 365 | 7088 | 372 |
| 15 | 10111 | 570 | 10433 | 522 | 10603 | 533 |
| 20 | 13475 | 738 | 13893 | 676 | 14114 | 689 |
| 25 | 16839 | 902 | 17350 | 826 | 17620 | 841 |
| 30 | 20202 | 1064 | 20805 | 974 | 21123 | 992 |
| 35 | 23564 | 1223 | 24258 | 1121 | 24625 | 1141 |
| 40 | 26926 | 1381 | 27710 | 1265 | 28124 | 1288 |
| 45 | 30288 | 1538 | 31161 | 1409 | 31621 | 1434 |
| 50 | 33649 | 1693 | 34611 | 1551 | 35118 | 1579 |
| Three Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ |  | $(4,8,13)$ |  | $(10,13,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 3785 | 184 | 3891 | 180 | 3993 | 171 |
| 10 | 7561 | 336 | 7755 | 326 | 7943 | 307 |
| 15 | 11335 | 481 | 11613 | 466 | 11883 | 437 |
| 20 | 15108 | 622 | 15468 | 601 | 15818 | 563 |
| 25 | 18880 | 760 | 19321 | 733 | 19749 | . 686 |
| 30 | 22652 | 896 | 23171 | 864 | 23677 | 808 |
| 35 | 26423 | 1030 | 27020 | 992 | 27602 | 927 |
| 40 | 30194 | 1162 | 30868 | 1119 | 31526 | 1046 |
| 45 | 33965 | 1293 | 34715 | 1245 | 35447 | 1164 |
| 50 | 37735 | 1423 | 38561 | 1370 | 39367 | 1280 |

## Table E13

# Cost of Children in Two-Adult Families <br> Expenditures on Food at Home, Shelter, and Clothing All Observations 

|  | Cost | SD | Cost | SD | Cost | SD |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Expenditures | One Child : |  |  |  | (16) |  |
| 5 | 711 | 126 | 784 | 104 | 882 | 130 |
| 10 | 1383 | 246 | 1532 | 202 | 1734 | 258 |
| 15 | 2039 | 368 | 2265 | 300 | 2573 | 388 |
| 20 | 2684 | 492 | 2988 | 401 | 3402 | 519 |
| 25 | 3320 | 619 | 3703 | 503 | 4225 | 652 |
| 30 | 3949 | 748 | 4411 | 608 | 5041 | 787 |
| 35 | 4571 | 880 | 5114 | 714 | 5853 | 923 |
| 40 | 5188 | 1014 | 5812 | 823 | 6661 | 1061 |
| 45 | 5801 | 1149 | 6505 | 934 | 7465 | 1201 |
| 50 | 6409 | 1287 | 7194 | 1046 | 8265 | 1342 |

Two Children :

Total Expenditures
5
10
15
20
25
30
35
40
45
50
$(4,8)$

| 1408 | 112 | 1453 | 114 | 1515 | 112 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 2770 | 210 | 2862 | 215 | 2991 | 213 |
| 4112 | 309 | 4253 | 318 | 4448 | 315 |
| 5441 | 410 | 5630 | 422 | 5894 | 418 |
| 6759 | 514 | 6998 | 529 | 7331 | 524 |
| 8069 | 621 | 8357 | 639 | 8759 | 632 |
| 9371 | 731 | 9709 | 752 | 10182 | 742 |
| 10666 | 894 | 11055 | 867 | 11598 | 855 |
| 11956 | 960 | 12396 | 985 | 13010 | 971 |
| 13241 | 1079 | 13732 | 1106 | 14417 | 1088 |

Three Children :

| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ |  | $(4,8,13)$ |  | $(10,13,16)$ |  |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 5 | 1934 | 105 | 2023 | 108 | 2095 | 99 |
| 10 | 3822 | 195 | 4006 | 203 | 4153 | 186 |
| 15 | 5691 | 284 | 5971 | 297 | 6195 | 272 |
| 20 | 7546 | 375 | 7924 | 393 | 8225 | 359 |
| 25 | 9391 | 469 | 9867 | 491 | 10247 | 448 |
| 30 | 11227 | 566 | 11803 | 592 | 12262 | 539 |
| 35 | 13056 | 666 | 13731 | 695 | 14271 | 632 |
| 40 | 14878 | 769 | 15655 | 801 | 16274 | 727 |
| 45 | 16694 | 875 | 17572 | 909 | 18273 | 825 |
| 50 | 18505 | 985 | 19486 | 1019 | 20268 | 925 |

Table E14
Cost of Children in Two-Adult Families
Expenditures on Food at Home, Shelter, and Clothing
Three or More Observations

|  | Cost | SD | Cost | SD | Cost | SD |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Expenditures | One Child : |  |  |  | (16) |  |
| 5 | 928 | 120 | 1039 | 92 | 1286 | 114 |
| 10 | 1594 | 279 | 1861 | 211 | 2447 | 262 |
| 15 | 2086 | 470 | 2541 | 349 | 3529 | 434 |
| 20 | 2426 | 694 | 3098 | 509 | 4543 | 627 |
| 25 | 2641 | 928 | 3541 | 691 | 5496 | 839 |
| 30 | 2738 | 1182 | 3874 | 898 | 6390 | 1071 |
| 35 | 2804 | 1387 | 4098 | 1135 | 7229 | 1323 |
| 40 | 2888 | 1532 | 4241 | 1363 | 8011 | 1596 |
| 45 | 2908 | 1695 | 4283 | 1621 | 8738 | 1890 |
| 50 | 2970 | 1822 | 4276 | 1858 | 9410 | 2209 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ |  | $(8,10)$ |  | $(10,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 1724 | 93 | 1788 | 93 | 1935 | 87 |
| 10 | 3177 | 211 | 3332 | 212 | 3682 | 197 |
| 15 | 4450 | 348 | 4714 | 349 | 5309 | 323 |
| 20 | 5567 | 508 | 5958 | 507 | 6834 | 464 |
| 25 | 6539 | 693 | 7073 | 688 | 8264 | 620 |
| 30 | 7370 | 910 | 8064 | 895 | 9605 | 794 |
| 35 | 8061 | 1164 | 8933 | 1131 | 10859 | 987 |
| 40 | 8610 | 1461 | 9679 | 1402 | 12027 | 1200 |
| 45 | 9016 | 1810 | 10300 | 1712 | 13109 | 1438 |
| 50 | 9272 | 2219 | 10794 | 2069 | 14103 | 1702 |
| Three Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ |  | $(4,8,13)$ |  | $(10,13,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 2277 | 82 | 2394 | 80 | 2524 | 70 |
| 10 | 4306 | 184 | 4588 | 181 | 4897 | 156 |
| 15 | 6173 | 301 | 6652 | 297 | 7175 | 253 |
| 20 | 7901 | 436 | 8607 | 429 | 9372 | 361 |
| 25 | 9498 | 590 | 10460 | 578 | 11497 | 479 |
| 30 | 10971 | 769 | 12217 | 746 | 13553 | 609 |
| 35 | 12320 | 975 | 13881 | 934 | 15544 | 751 |
| 40 | 13547 | 1214 | 15451 | 1147 | 17471 | 907 |
| 45 | 14649 | 1490 | 16929 | 1387 | 19333 | 1077 |
| 50 | 15623 | 1811 | 18312 | 1659 | 21133 | 1264 |

Table E15
Cost of Children in One-Adult Families Expenditures on Food at Home, Shelter, and Clothing All Observations
Cost SD Cost SD Cost SD

One Child :
Total Expenditures
(4)
(8)
(16)

| 3528 | 387 | 3430 | 377 | 3464 | 392 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 6970 | 699 | 6658 | 649 | 6881 | 718 |
| 9849 | 803 | 9468 | 744 | 9732 | 818 |
| 12748 | 934 | 12303 | 867 | 12611 | 953 |
| 15644 | 1067 | 15134 | 991 | 15487 | 1090 |
| 18532 | 1200 | 17958 | 1113 | 18355 | 1226 |
| 21411 | 1330 | 20774 | 1233 | 21215 | 1359 |
| 24282 | 1458 | 23584 | 1351 | 24068 | 1489 |
| 27146 | 1583 | 26387 | 1467 | 26913 | 1618 |
| 30004 | 1707 | 29186 | 1581 | 29753 | 1744 |

Two Children :
Total Expenditures
$(4,8)$

| 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 10 | 8569 | 344 | 8496 | 362 | 8549 | 357 |
| 15 | 12725 | 581 | 12549 | 571 | 12671 | 586 |
| 20 | 16493 | 675 | 16265 | 662 | 16424 | 678 |
| 25 | 20185 | 720 | 19936 | 713 | 20109 | 726 |
| 30 | 23894 | 786 | 23619 | 781 | 23810 | 794 |
| 35 | 27603 | 858 | 27302 | 853 | 27511 | 867 |
| 40 | 31308 | 930 | 30981 | 926 | 31209 | 941 |
| 45 | 35009 | 1003 | 34655 | 998 | 34901 | 1015 |
| 50 | 38705 | 1075 | 38324 | 1070 | 38589 | 1088 |

$(8,10)$
$(10,16)$

Three Children :
Total Expenditures
$(4,8,10)$
$(4,8,13)$

| 5 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 10 | 9061 | - | - | - | 8893 | - |
| 15 | 13646 | 314 | 13767 | 357 | 13791 | 348 |
| 20 | 18107 | 455 | 18344 | 423 | 18305 | 418 |
| 25 | 22505 | 641 | 22763 | 563 | 22758 | 573 |
| 30 | 26660 | 719 | 27061 | 693 | 27013 | 688 |
| 35 | 30759 | 762 | 31223 | 763 | 31170 | 757 |
| 40 | 34855 | 804 | 35348 | 793 | 35293 | 789 |
| 45 | 38956 | 854 | 39483 | 838 | 39424 | 834 |
| 50 | 43057 | 906 | 43619 | 888 | 43555 | 884 |

Table E16
Cost of Children in One-Adult Families
Expenditures on Food at Home, Shelter, and Clothing
Three or More Observations

|  | Cost | SD | Cost | SD | Cost | SD |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Expenditures | One Child : |  |  |  | (16) |  |
| 5 | 2564 | 313 | 2753 | 251 | 2833 | 273 |
| 10 | 5121 | 603 | 5487 | 484 | 5643 | 524 |
| 15 | 7676 | 888 | 8217 | 712 | 8447 | 770 |
| 20 | 10231 | 1170 | 10943 | 937 | 11246 | 1013 |
| 25 | 12784 | 1450 | 13668 | 1161 | 14044 | 1255 |
| 30 | 15337 | 1728 | 16390 | 1383 | 16839 | 1494 |
| 35 | 17889 | 2005 | 19112 | 1604 | 19632 | 1733 |
| 40 | 20441 | 2281 | 21832 | 1825 | 22424 | 1970 |
| 45 | 22992 | 2556 | 24551 | 2045 | 25215 | 2207 |
| 50 | 25543 | 2830 | 27269 | 2264 | 28004 | 2444 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4 ; 8)$ |  | $(8,10)$ |  | $(10,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 3310 | 203 | 3399 | 184 | 3439 | 185 |
| 10 | 6619 | 391 | 6791 | 354 | 6868 | 355 |
| 15 | 9927 | 575 | 10181 | 520 | 10295 | 520 |
| 20 | 13236 | 757 | 13570 | 684 | 13720 | 684 |
| 25 | 16544 | 937 | 16958 | 847 | 17145 | 846 |
| 30 | 19853 | 1116 | 20346 | 1009 | 20568 | 1006 |
| 35 | 23161 | 1295 | 23733 | 1169 | 23990 | 1166 |
| 40 | 26469 | 1473 | 27119 | 1330 | 27412 | 1325 |
| 45 | 29777 | 1650 | 30506 | 1489 | 30834 | 1483 |
| 50 | 33085 | 1827 | 33891 | 1648 | 34255 | 1641 |

Three Children :
Total Expenditures
$(4,8,10)$
$(4,8,13)$
$(10,13,16)$

| 5 | 3709 | 171 | 3768 | 167 | 3841 | 154 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 10 | 7419 | 328 | 7533 | 319 | 7673 | 294 |
| 15 | 11130 | 482 | 11296 | 469 | 11503 | 430 |
| 20 | 14840 | 634 | 15059 | 616 | 15332 | 565 |
| 25 | 18550 | 784 | 18822 | 762 | 19159 | 698 |
| 30 | 22261 | 934 | 22584 | 906 | 22986 | 830 |
| 35 | 25971 | 1083 | 26346 | 1051 | 26813 | 961 |
| 40 | 29681 | 1232 | .30108 | 1194 | 30638 | 1091 |
| 45 | 33392 | 1380 | 33870 | 1337 | 34464 | 1221 |
| 50 | 37102 | 1528 | 37631 | 1479 | 38288 | 1351 |

Table E17
Cost of Children in Two-Adult Families Expenditures on Food at Home and Shelter All Observations

|  | Cost | SD | Cost | SD | Cost | SD |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Expenditures | (4) One Child : ${ }^{(8)}$ |  |  |  | (16) |  |
| 5 | 763 | 128 | 646 | 114 | 611 | 143 |
| 10 | 1513 | 247 | 1278 | 215 | 1208 | 276 |
| 15 | 2258 | 366 | 1903 | 316 | 1797 | 409 |
| 20 | 2999 | 484 | 2524 | 418 | 2382 | 544 |
| 25 | 3736 | 604 | 3141 | 522 | 2962 | 680 |
| 30 | 4471 | 725 | 3755 | 627 | 3540 | 818 |
| 35 | 5204 | 846 | 4366 | 734 | 4115 | 958 |
| 40 | 5935 | 969 | 4975 | 843 | 4687 | 1099 |
| 45 | 6664 | 1092 | 5582 | 953 | 5258 | 1242 |
| 50 | 7392 | 1216 | 6188 | 1065 | 5827 | 1386 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ |  | (8,10) |  | $(10,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 1308 | 121 | 1232 | 128 | 1210 | 129 |
| 10 | 2600 | 222 | 2446 | 235 | 2401 | 236 |
| 15 | 3882 | 321 | 3650 | 342 | 3583 | 343 |
| 20 | 5160 | 421 | 4849 | 449 | 4759 | 451 |
| 25 | 6433 | 522 | 6042 | 559 | 5929 | 561 |
| 30 | 7702 | 626 | 7232 | 672 | 7096 | 674 |
| 35 | 8968 | 732 | 8418 | 787 | 8259 | 790 |
| 40 | 10231 | 839 | 9601 | 905 | 9419 | 908 |
| 45 | 11492 | 949 | 10782 | 1025 | 10577 | 1029 |
| 50 | 12751 | 1061 | 11961 | 1147 | 11732 | 1153 |
| Three Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ |  | $(4,8,13)$ |  | (10,13,16) |  |
| 5 | 1750 | 116 | 1734 | 118 | 1665 | 118 |
| 10 | 3482 | 206 | 3449 | 209 | 3310 | 206 |
| 15 | 5205 | 294 | 5155 | 298 | 4945 | 292 |
| 20 | 6922 | 383 | 6855 | 387 | 6573 | 378 |
| 25 | 8633 | 474 | 8550 | 478 | 8196 | 467 |
| 30 | 10341 | 567 | 10241 | 571 | 9814 | 560 |
| 35 | 12046 | 664 | 11928 | 668 | 11429 | 656 |
| 40 | 13747 | 763 | 13613 | 768 | 13041 | 756 |
| 45 | 15446 | 865 | 15294 | 870 | 14650 | 859 |
| 50 | 17142 | 970 | 16974 | 975 | 16256 | 965 |

Table E18
Cost of Children in Two-Adult Families
Expenditures on Food at Home and Shelter Three or More Observations

|  | Cost | SD | Cost | SD | Cost | SD |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Expenditures | One Child : |  |  |  | (16) |  |
| 5 | 913 | 122 | 844 | 102 | 994 | 128 |
| 10 | 1623 | 271 | 1463 | 220 | 1809 | 283 |
| 15 | 2212 | 442 | 1947 | 353 | 2518 | 457 |
| 20 | 2702 | 634 | 2323 | 503 | 3143 | 649 |
| 25 | 3107 | 848 | 2604 | 670 | 3694 | 857 |
| 30 | 3440 | 1073 | 2796 | 858 | 4177 | 1082 |
| 35 | 3709 | 1307 | 2932 | 1034 | 4596 | 1325 |
| 40 | 3904 | 1573 | 3021 | 1202 | 4977 | 1553 |
| 45 | 4114 | 1781 | 3027 | 1406 | 5304 | 1799 |
| 50 | 4292 | 1988 | 3089 | 1536 | 5594 | 2037 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ |  | $(8,10)$ |  | $(10,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 1562 | 104 | 1519 | 111 | 1612 | 105 |
| 10 | 2864 | 223 | 2763 | 236 | 2980 | 224 |
| 15 | 4008 | 355 | 3840 | 376 | 4201 | 353 |
| 20 | 5025 | 505 | 4782 | 534 | 5304 | 496 |
| 25 | 5928 | 676 | 5604 | 711 | 6303 | 655 |
| 30 | 6728 | 870 | 6315 | 913 | 7206 | 832 |
| 35 | 7429 | 1092 | 6921 | 1141 | 8019 | 1029 |
| 40 | 8035 | 1343 | 7426 | 1400 | 8745 | 1249 |
| 45 | 8550 | 1627 | 7834 | 1692 | 9387 | 1495 |
| 50 | 8975 | 1948 | 8144 | 2021 | 9948 | 1769 |
| Three Children |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ |  | $(4,8,13)$ |  | $(10,13,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 2053 | 99 | 2112 | 99 | 2144 | 92 |
| 10 | 3840 | 208 | 3977 | 210 | 4054 | 192 |
| 15 | 5467 | 328 | 5695 | 333 | 5823 | 298 |
| 20 | 6963 | 462 | 7293 | 470 | 7480 | 414 |
| 25 | 8343 | 615 | 8786 | 624 | 9036 | 542 |
| 30 | 9617 | 789 | 10181 | 797 | 10500 | 684 |
| 35 | 10789 | 988 | 11485 | 992 | 11879 | 845 |
| 40 | 11865 | 1216 | 12701 | 1213 | 13175 | 1025 |
| 45 | 12847 | 1474 | 13832 | 1461 | 14392 | 1228 |
| 50 | 13736 | 1766 | 14879 | 1739 | 15531 | 1456 |

Table E19
Cost of Children in One-Adult Families Expenditures on Food at Home and Shelter All Observations
Cost SD Cost SD Cost SD

One Child:

Total Expenditures

| 5 | 3556 |
| ---: | ---: |
| 10 | 7419 |
| 15 | 10720 |
| 20 | 13589 |
| 25 | 16502 |
| 30 | 19424 |
| 35 | 22344 |
| 40 | 25260 |
| 45 | 28169 |
| 50 | 31073 |

(4)

| 286 | 3132 | 241 | 3089 | 410 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 603 | 7116 | 663 | 7055 | 711 |
| 878 | 10064 | 811 | 10069 | 891 |
| 942 | 12863 | 877 | 12867 | 969 |
| 1038 | 15697 | 973 | 15701 | 1077 |
| 1144 | 18535 | 1074 | 18539 | 1190 |
| 1252 | 21370 | 1176 | 21375 | 1304 |
| 1360 | 24201 | 1277 | 24207 | 1417 |
| 1468 | 27026 | 1377 | 27033 | 1528 |
| 1574 | 29847 | 1475 | 29854 | 1638 |

Two Children :
Total Expenditures

| 5 | $-\overline{9}$ | - | $\overline{-}$ | - | - | - |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 10 | 8549 | - | 8219 | - | 8044 | - |
| 15 | 12887 | 426 | 12870 | 490 | 12824 | 501 |
| 20 | 17442 | 595 | 17211 | 615 | 17243 | 664 |
| 25 | 21498 | 763 | 21117 | 771 | 21136 | 803 |
| 30 | 25257 | 853 | 24808 | 837 | 24812 | 842 |
| 35 | 28964 | 880 | 28490 | 867 | 28495 | 877 |
| 40 | 32696 | 926 | 32192 | 917 | 32197 | 929 |
| 45 | 36436 | 981 | 35899 | 974 | 35905 | 987 |
| 50 | 40178 | 1039 | 39607 | 1033 | 39613 | 1048 |

(16)

## Table E20

Cost of Children in One-Adult Families Expenditures on Food at Home and Shelter Three or More Observations

|  | Cost | SD | Cost | SD | Cost | SD |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Expenditures | (4) One Child : |  |  |  | (16) |  |
| 5 | 3201 | 487 | 3382 | 416 | 3316 | 460 |
| 10 | 6131 | 768 | 6399 | 647 | 6304 | 719 |
| 15 | 8977 | 997 | 9320 | 824 | 9198 | 928 |
| 20 | 11804 | 1217 | 12226 | 1004 | 12077 | 1135 |
| 25 | 14620 | 1430 | 15117 | 1179 | 14943 | 1335 |
| 30 | 17427 | 1638 | 17997 | 1350 | 17797 | 1531 |
| 35 | 20225 | 1842 | 20867 | 1518 | 20643 | 1722 |
| 40 | 23018 | 2041 | 23728 | 1683 | 23481 | 1910 |
| 45 | 25804 | 2237 | 26584 | 1845 | 26313 | 2095 |
| 50 | 28586 | 2429 | 29433 | 2004 | 29139 | 2276 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ |  | $(8,10)$ |  | $(10,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 3871 | 333 | 3951 | 307 | 3924 | 321 |
| 10 | 7627 | 572 | 7746 | 527 | 7706 | 547 |
| 15 | 11219 | 703 | 11395 | 672 | 11340 | 691 |
| 20 | 14808 | 851 | 15013 | 798 | 14942 | 816 |
| 25 | 18381 | 983 | 18620 | 920 | 18538 | 943 |
| 30 | 21948 | 1114 | 22221 | 1042 | 22127 | 1069 |
| 35 | 25509 | 1243 | 25815 | 1161 | 25710 | 1194 |
| 40 | 29065 | 1369 | 29403 | 1279 | 29288 | 1315 |
| 45 | 32617 | 1494 | 32987 | 1395 | 32861 | 1435 |
| 50 | 36165 | 1616 | 36566 | 1509 | 36430 | 1554 |
| Three Children |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ |  | $(4,8,13)$ |  | $(10,13,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 4160 | 276 | 4172 | 283 |  | 267 |
| 10 | 8308 | 469 | 8321 | 477 | 8376 | 461 |
| 15 | 12371 | 656 | 12378 | 655 | 12441 | 630 |
| 20 | 16336 | 767 | 16363 | 785 | 16447 | 767 |
| 25 | 20293 | 879 | 20331 | 914 | 20425 | 881 |
| 30 | 24247 | 997 | 24282 | 1019 | 24390 | 985 |
| 35 | 28192 | 1103 | 28231 | 1127 | 28351 | 1090 |
| 40 | 32133 | 1209 | 32176 | 1235 | 32309 | 1194 |
| 45 | 36071 | 1313 | 36118 | 1341 | 36263 | 1297 |
| 50 | 40006 | 1416 | 40056 | 1446 | 40213 | 1399 |

## Table E21

Cost of Children in Two-Adult Families Expenditures on Adult Clothing, Alcohol and Tobacco All Observations

|  | Cost | SD | Cost | SD | Cost | SD |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Expenditures | (4) One Child : ${ }^{\text {(8) }}$ |  |  |  | (16) |  |
| 5 | 1287 | 94 | 1282 | 73 | 196 | 353 |
| 10 | 2544 | 193 | 2534 | 148 | 313 | 774 |
| 15 | 3788 | 295 | 3772 | 225 | 437 | 1293 |
| 20 | 5022 | 399 | 5001 | 303 | 581 | 1919 |
| 25 | 6248 | 504 | 6222 | 383 | 773 | 2673 |
| 30 | 7469 | 612 | 7437 | 464 | 991 | 3510 |
| 35 | 8684 | 721 | 8646 | 546 | 1215 | 4393 |
| 40 | 9895 | 831 | 9851 | 629 | 1435 | 5305 |
| 45 | 11102 | 943 | 11052 | 713 | 1678 | 6288 |
| 50 | 12305 | 1055 | 12249 | 798 | 1992 | 7399 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ |  | $(8,10)$ |  | $(10,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 1895 | 76 | 1891 | 80 | 1197 | 108 |
| 10 | 3738 | 151 | 3731 | 159 | 2272 | 201 |
| 15 | 5559 | 228 | 5548 | 240 | 3290 | 296 |
| 20 | 7365 | 306 | 7349 | 323 | 4270 | 396 |
| 25 | 9157 | 386 | 9138 | 407 | 5218 | 501 |
| 30 | 10940 | 468 | 10916 | 494 | 6141 | 612 |
| 35 | 12714 | 552 | 12686 | 582 | 7041 | 731 |
| 40 | 14480 | 637 | 14448 | 671 | 7922 | 856 |
| 45 | 16239 | 724 | 16203 | 763 | 8785 | 987 |
| 50 | 17992 | 812 | 17951 | 856 | 9632 | 1125 |

Three Children :

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 5 | 2263 | 75 | 2178 | 87 | 1684 | 109 |
| 10 | 4461 | 147 | 4282 | 168 | 3241 | 200 |
| 15 | 6630 | 219 | 6354 | 250 | 4740 | 289 |
| 20 | 8779 | 293 | 8403 | 333 | 6198 | 380 |
| 25 | 10913 | 369 | 10434 | 419 | 7623 | 476 |
| 30 | 13032 | 447 | 12449 | 506 | 9021 | 578 |
| 35 | 15141 | 528 | 14452 | 596 | 10396 | 686 |
| 40 | 17240 | 611 | 16444 | 689 | 11750 | 800 |
| 45 | 19330 | 697 | 18425 | 784 | 13085 | 921 |
| 50 | 21411 | 784 | 20397 | 882 | 14404 | 1049 |

Total Expenditures

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 5 | 2263 | 75 | 2178 | 87 | 1684 | 109 |
| 10 | 4461 | 147 | 4282 | 168 | 3241 | 200 |
| 15 | 6630 | 219 | 6354 | 250 | 4740 | 289 |
| 20 | 8779 | 293 | 8403 | 333 | 6198 | 380 |
| 25 | 10913 | 369 | 10434 | 419 | 7623 | 476 |
| 30 | 13032 | 447 | 12449 | 506 | 9021 | 578 |
| 35 | 15141 | 528 | 14452 | 596 | 10396 | 686 |
| 40 | 17240 | 611 | 16444 | 689 | 11750 | 800 |
| 45 | 19330 | 697 | 18425 | 784 | 13085 | 921 |
| 50 | 21411 | 784 | 20397 | 882 | 14404 | 1049 |

$(4,8,13)$

## $(10,13,16)$

Table E22
Cost of Children in Two-Adult Families
Expenditures on Adult Clothing, Alcohol and Tobacco Three or More Observations

|  | Cost | SD | Cost | SD | Cost | SD |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Expenditures | (4) One Child : |  |  |  | (16) |  |
| 5 | 1337 | 103 | 1295 | 86 | 291 | 625 |
| 10 | 2644 | 214 | 2556 | 175 | 497 | 1354 |
| 15 | 3937 | 329 | 3801 | 267 | 735 | 2244 |
| 20 | 5220 | 447 | 5036 | 360 | 1064 | 3353 |
| 25 | 6495 | 568 | 6261 | 455 | 1339 | 4306 |
| 30 | 7764 | 691 | 7480 | 553 | 1770 | 5650 |
| 35 | 9028 | 816 | 8692 | 651 | 2235 | 7062 |
| 40 | 10286 | 943 | 9899 | 752 | 2752 | 8570 |
| 45 | 11540 | 1072 | 11101 | 854 | 3370 | 10223 |
| 50 | 12790 | 1202 | 12299 | 957 | 4191 | 12125 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ |  | $(8,10)$ |  | $(10,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 1882 | 90 | 1854 | 99 | 1167 | 135 |
| 10 | 3704 | 178 | 3647 | 195 | 2190 | 243 |
| 15 | 5499 | 268 | 5410 | 292 | 3146 | 347 |
| 20 | 7274 | 362 | 7154 | 392 | 4053 | 455 |
| 25 | 9034 | 458 | 8881 | 495 | 4921 | 570 |
| 30 | 10781 | 558 | 10595 | 601 | 5757 | 693 |
| 35 | 12517 | 660 | 12297 | 709 | 6565 | 827 |
| 40 | 14243 | 766 | 13989 | 821 | 7347 | 971 |
| 45 | 15961 | 875 | 15672 | 935 | 8106 | 1126 |
| 50 | 17670 | 986 | 17346 | 1052 | 8844 | 1291 |

Three Children :

| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ |  | $(4,8,13)$ |  | $(10,13,16)$ |  |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 5 | 2195 | 94 | 2095 | 97 | 1576 | 131 |
| 10 | 4310 | 178 | 4096 | 185 | 2992 | 226 |
| 15 | 6387 | 263 | 6054 | 275 | 4332 | 316 |
| 20 | 8436 | 351 | 7980 | 370 | 5617 | 410 |
| 25 | 10465 | 442 | 9882 | 471 | 6858 | 515 |
| 30 | 12476 | 538 | 11762 | 577 | 8062 | 632 |
| 35 | 14471 | 639 | 13625 | 690 | 9234 | 762 |
| 40 | 16452 | 744 | 15472 | 809 | 10376 | 907 |
| 45 | 18421 | 854 | 17304 | 934 | 11493 | 1066 |
| 50 | 20378 | 968 | 19122 | 1065 | 12585 | 1239 |

Table E23
Cost of Children in One-Adult Families Expenditures on Adult Clothing, Alcohol and Tobacco

## All Observations

|  | Cost | SD | Cost | SD | Cost | SD |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Expenditures | Ore Child: |  |  |  | (16) |  |
| 5 | 1819 | 270 | 1780 | 242 | 899 | 564 |
| 10 | 3633 | 542 | 3557 | 484 | 1767 | 1068 |
| 15 | 5445 | 815 | 5331 | 727 | 2644 | 1602 |
| 20 | 7256 | 1090 | 7104 | 971 | 3514 | 2141 |
| 25 | 9065 | 1366 | 8875 | 1217 | 4330 | 2524 |
| 30 | 10874 | 1643 | 10646 | 1463 | 5124 | 2833 |
| 35 | 12681 | 1922 | 12415 | 1710 | 5966 | 3313 |
| 40 | 14488 | 2201 | 14184 | 1958 | 6805 | 3795 |
| 45 | 16294 | 2481 | 15952 | 2207 | 7643 | 4280 |
| 50 | 18099 | 2761 | 17719 | 2457 | 8514 | 4744 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ |  | $(8,10)$ |  | $(10,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 2670 | 171 | 2650 | 169 | 2209 | 208 |
| 10 | 5336 | 342 | 5297 | 337 | 4412 | 410 |
| 15 | 8000 | 514 | 7941 | 506 | 6611 | 615 |
| 20 | 10662 | 687 | 10584 | 677 | 8807 | 822 |
| 25 | 13323 | 862 | 13226 | 848 | 11002 | 1032 |
| 30 | 15984 | 1038 | 15866 | 1021 | 13194 | 1244 |
| 35 | 18643 | 1214 | 18506 | 1194 | 15385 | 1458 |
| 40 | 21302 | 1392 | 21146 | 1369 | 17575 | 1673 |
| 45 | 23960 | 1570 | 23784 | 1544 | 19763 | 1890 |
| 50 | 26617 | 1750 | 26422 | 1720 | 21950 | 2109 |

Three Children :

| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ |  | $(4,8,13)$ |  | $(\mathbf{1 0 , 1 3 , 1 6 )}$ |  |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 5 | 3093 | 149 | 3162 | 145 | 2896 | 166 |
| 10 | 6183 | 298 | 6322 | 290 | 5788 | 329 |
| 15 | 9271 | 447 | 9479 | 435 | 8678 | 493 |
| 20 | 12357 | 598 | 12635 | 583 | 11565 | 659 |
| 25 | 15442 | 750 | 15790 | 731 | 14451 | 827 |
| 30 | 18527 | 903 | 18944 | 880 | 17335 | 996 |
| 35 | 21610 | 1056 | 22098 | 1030 | 20218 | 1167 |
| 40 | 24692 | 1211 | 25251 | 1181 | 23101 | 1339 |
| 45 | 27774 | 1367 | 28403 | 1333 | 25982 | 1512 |
| 50 | 30856 | 1523 | 31554 | 1485 | 28862 | 1686 |

Table E24
Cost of Children in One-Adult Families Expenditures on Adult Clothing, Alcohol and Tobacco Three or More Observations

|  | Cost | SD | Cost | SD | Cost | SD |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Expenditures | (4) One Child : ${ }_{\text {(8) }}$ |  |  |  | (16) |  |
| 5 | 1743 | 300 | 1971 | 246 | 1255 | 341 |
| 10 | 3398 | 636 | 3883 | 521 | 2360 | 721 |
| 15 | 5012 | 992 | 5767 | 812 | 3387 | 1133 |
| 20 | 6595 | 1364 | 7631 | 1114 | 4358 | 1569 |
| 25 | 8154 | 1748 | 9479 | 1425 | 5296 | 2012 |
| 30 | 9693 | 2144 | 11313 | 1745 | 6213 | 2455 |
| 35 | 11213 | 2551 | 13135 | 2073 | 7077 | 2935 |
| 40 | 12718 | 2967 | 14946 | 2408 | 7977 | 3367 |
| 45 | 14208 | 3392 | 16748 | 2749 | 8813 | 3850 |
| 50 | 15684 | 3825 | 18541 | 3096 | 9691 | 4284 |

Two Children :
Total Expenditures
$(4,8)$

| 5 | 2655 | 187 | 2763 | 174 | 2432 | 203 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 10 | 5231 | 397 | 5460 | 368 | 4754 | 432 |
| 15 | 7770 | 619 | 8128 | 575 | 7023 | 677 |
| 20 | 10282 | 853 | 10773 | 791 | 9254 | 938 |
| 25 | 12772 | 1096 | 13400 | 1016 | 11453 | 1211 |
| 30 | 15244 | 1347 | 16012 | 1247 | 13626 | 1496 |
| 35 | 17699 | 1606 | 18612 | 1486 | 15776 | 1792 |
| 40 | 20141 | 1872 | 21199 | 1730 | 17905 | 2098 |
| 45 | 22569 | 2145 | 23776 | 1981 | 20015 | 2414 |
| 50 | 24986 | 2425 | 26344 | 2236 | 22108 | 2740 |

$(10,16)$

Three Children :
Total Expenditures
$(4,8,10)$

| 5 | 3118 | 157 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 10 | 6163 | 332 |
| 15 | 9172 | 518 |
| 20 | 12156 | 714 |
| 25 | 15119 | 919 |
| 30 | 18065 | 1130 |
| 35 | 20996 | 1349 |
| 40 | 23913 | 1574 |
| 45 | 26818 | 1806 |
| 50 | 29711 | 2043 |

$(4,8,13)$

| 3128 | 157 | 2998 | 164 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 6183 | 333 | 5906 | 347 |
| 9203 | 520 | 8769 | 544 |
| 12199 | 717 | 11600 | 752 |
| 15174 | 922 | 14406 | 971 |
| 18132 | 1134 | 17190 | 1198 |
| 21076 | 1354 | 19956 | 1435 |
| 24006 | 1579 | 22504 | 1699 |
| 26924 | 1811 | 25436 | 1932 |
| 29831 | 2049 | 28155 | 2192 |

Table E25
Cost of Children in Two-Adult Families
Expenditures on Adult Clothing All Observations

Cost
SD
Cost
SD
Cost

Total Expenditures
5
10
15
20
25
30
35
40
45
50

| 1304 | 78 | 1300 | 66 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 2519 | 174 | 2510 | 145 |
| 3684 | 279 | 3669 | 232 |
| 4809 | 393 | 4789 | 325 |
| 5902 | 514 | 5875 | 424 |
| 6964 | 642 | 6930 | 529 |
| 7999 | 777 | 7958 | 639 |
| 9008 | 917 | 8960 | 753 |
| 9994 | 1063 | 9938 | 873 |
| 10956 | 1216 | 10893 | 998 |

Two Children :
Total Expenditures
$(4,8)$
$(8,10)$

| 5 | 1926 | 67 | 1924 | 70 | 1128 | 98 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 10 | 3709 | 145 | 3703 | 154 | 1850 | 201 |
| 15 | 5409 | 231 | 5399 | 246 | 2325 | 310 |
| 20 | 7045 | 322 | 7030 | 344 | 2597 | 430 |
| 25 | 8625 | 420 | 8606 | 450 | 2687 | 567 |
| 30 | 10155 | 524 | 10131 | 562 | 2611 | 725 |
| 35 | 11640 | 635 | 11610 | 681 | 2392 | 891 |
| 40 | 13081 | 751 | 13045 | 807 | 2108 | 1001 |
| 45 | 14482 | 874 | 14440 | 940 | 1805 | 1069 |
| 50 | 15843 | 1004 | 15795 | 1080 | 1608 | 1079 |

Three Children :

Total Expenditures
5
10
15
20
25
30
35
40
45
50
$(4,8,10)$
$(4,8,13)$
$(10,13,16)$

| 2310 | 66 |
| ---: | ---: |
| 4442 | 141 |
| 6471 | 222 |
| 8419 | 310 |
| 10297 | 404 |
| 12112 | 505 |
| 13868 | 612 |
| 15569 | 728 |
| 17218 | 851 |
| 18817 | 983 |


| 2270 | 70 |
| ---: | ---: |
| 4350 | 150 |
| 6320 | 238 |
| 8202 | 332 |
| 10009 | 435 |
| 11747 | 545 |
| 13422 | 664 |
| 15037 | 792 |
| 16596 | 930 |
| 18099 | 1078 |


| 1728 | 91 |
| ---: | ---: |
| 3082 | 187 |
| 4206 | 288 |
| 5143 | 400 |
| 5912 | 526 |
| 6528 | 670 |
| 6998 | 839 |
| 7327 | 1034 |
| 7519 | 1261 |
| 7578 | 1522 |

## Table E26

Cost of Children in Two-Adult Families
Expenditures on Adult Clothing
Three or More Observations

Total Expenditures

| 5 | 1314 |
| ---: | ---: |
| 10 | 2542 |
| 15 | 3719 |
| 20 | 4858 |
| 25 | 5963 |
| 30 | 7038 |
| 35 | 8086 |
| 40 | 9108 |
| 45 | 10106 |
| 50 | 11080 |

(4)

Cost
SD
One Child :

| 1314 | 82 | 1309 | 68 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 2542 | 183 | 2529 | 149 |
| 3719 | 296 | 3699 | 238 |
| 4858 | 419 | 4830 | 333 |
| 5963 | 550 | 5927 | 434 |
| 7038 | 689 | 6994 | 541 |
| 8086 | 836 | 8033 | 653 |
| 9108 | 991 | 9047 | 771 |
| 10106 | 1153 | 10036 | 894 |
| 11080 | 1322 | 11001 | 1023 |

Two Children :

Total Expenditures

## 5 10 15 20 25 30 35 40 45 50

5
10
15
20
25
30
35
40
45
50
$(4,8)$

| 1895 | 70 |
| ---: | ---: |
| 3634 | 152 |
| 5285 | 242 |
| 6865 | 340 |
| 8384 | 447 |
| 9847 | 562 |
| 11260 | 686 |
| 12625 | 819 |
| 13944 | 963 |
| 15219 | 1116 |

$(8,10)$
$(10,16)$

| 1143 | 110 |
| ---: | ---: |
| 1882 | 226 |
| 2372 | 351 |
| 2657 | 491 |
| 2758 | 653 |
| 2696 | 835 |
| 2498 | 1015 |
| 2265 | 1143 |
| 2088 | 1182 |
| 1889 | 1211 |

Three Children :

Total Expenditures

| 5 | 2239 | 70 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 10 | 4276 | 149 |
| 15 | 6195 | 236 |
| 20 | 8019 | 331 |
| 25 | 9761 | 435 |
| 30 | 11428 | 550 |
| 35 | 13026 | 676 |
| 40 | 14558 | 815 |
| 45 | 16027 | 968 |
| 50 | 17436 | 1136 |

$(4,8,10)$
$(4,8,13)$
2207
4201
6071
7840
9523
11126
12656
14115
15508
16835

SD
(8)
(16)

| 127 | 90 |
| ---: | ---: |
| 146 | 114 |
| 93 | 29 |
| 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 0 |

Cost SD

Three Children
1891
3626
5271
6845
8358
9815
11221
12579
13891
15159

## Table E27

## Cost of Children in One-Adult Families <br> Expenditures on Adult Clothing All Observations

|  | Cost | SD | Cost | SD | Cost | SD |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Expenditures | One Child: |  |  |  | (16) |  |
| 5 | 2091 | 289 | 2284 | 259 | 1116 | . 1392 |
| 10 | 4249 | 530 | 4601 | 475 | 1775 | 1608 |
| 15 | 6424 | 760 | 6928 | 681 | 2685 | 1797 |
| 20 | 8609 | 982 | 9261 | 880 | 3731 | 2119 |
| 25 | 10802 | 1199 | 11597 | 1075 | 4824 | 2452 |
| 30 | 13000 | 1412 | 13936 | 1266 | 5867 | 2497 |
| 35 | 15202 | 1623 | 16278 | 1455 | 6964 | 2605 |
| 40 | 17409 | 1830 | 18622 | 1641 | 8139 | 2941 |
| 45 | 19618 | 2036 | 20967 | 1826 | 9331 | 3273 |
| 50 | 21830 | 2240 | 23313 | 2008 | 10438 | 3174 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ |  | $(8,10)$ |  | $(10,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 2991 | 191 | 3084 | 187 | 2294 | 249 |
| 10 | 6041 | 348 | 6210 | 341 | 4784 | 442 |
| 15 | 9106 | 498 | 9346 | 488 | 7323 | 624 |
| 20 | 12179 | 643 | 12489 | 630 | 9890 | 802 |
| 25 | 15259 | 784 | 15637 | 768 | 12478 | 975 |
| 30 | 18344 | 923 | 18788 | 904 | 15081 | 1146 |
| 35 | 21433 | 1060 | 21942 | 1038 | 17697 | 1314 |
| 40 | 24524 | 1195 | 25098 | 1170 | 20322 | 1480 |
| 45 | 27619 | 1329 | 28257 | 1301 | 22957 | 1645 |
| 50 | 30716 | 1461 | 31416 | 1431 | 25598 | 1808 |

## Three Children :

| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ |  | $(4,8,13)$ |  | $(10,13,16)$ |  |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 5 | 3419 | 169 | 3407 | 172 | 2993 | 207 |
| 10 | 6897 | 307 | 6876 | 311 | 6135 | 365 |
| 15 | 10391 | 437 | 10361 | 443 | 9312 | 515 |
| 20 | 13893 | 563 | 13855 | 570 | 1251.1 | 659 |
| 25 | 17402 | 686 | 17356 | 693 | 15724 | 800 |
| 30 | 20915 | 806 | 20861 | 815 | 18949 | 939 |
| 35 | 24432 | 925 | 24370 | 935 | 22182 | 1076 |
| 40 | 27952 | 1043 | 27883 | 1053 | 25423 | 1211 |
| 45 | 31475 | 1159 | 31398 | 1170 | 28671 | 1344 |
| 50 | 35000 | 1274 | 34916 | 1286 | 31924 | 1476 |

## Table E28

## Cost of Children in One-Adult Families <br> Expenditures on Adult Clothing Three or More Observations

|  | Cost | SD | Cost | SD | Cost | SD |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Expenditures | One Child : |  |  |  | (16) |  |
| 5 | 1839 | 271 | 1786 | 243 | 827 | 335 |
| 10 | 3755 | 536 | 3650 | 479 | 1741 | 669 |
| 15 | 5692 | 800 | 5535 | 714 | 2675 | 1015 |
| 20 | 7640 | 1062 | 7433 | 948 | 3639 | 1348 |
| 25 | 9597 | 1324 | 9339 | 1181 | 4616 | 1682 |
| 30 | 11559 | 1585 | 11251 | 1413 | 5604 | 2017 |
| 35 | 13527 | 1846 | 13169 | 1646 | 6599 | 2353 |
| 40 | 15499 | 2106 | 15090 | 1877 | 7587 | 2707 |
| 45 | 17474 | 2366 | 17016 | 2109 | 8593 | 3046 |
| 50 | 19452 | 2626 | 18944 | 2340 | 9605 | 3385 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ |  | $(8,10)$ |  | $(10,16)$ |  |
| 5 | 2680 | 174 | 2653 | 172 | 2189 | 212 |
| 10 | 5450 | 341 | 5396 | 337 | 4485 | 410 |
| 15 | 8243 | 508 | 8163 | 500 | 6811 | 60.7 |
| 20 | 11048 | 674 | 10943 | 663 | 9154 | 804 |
| 25 | 13863 | 839 | 13732 | 826 | 11509 | 1001 |
| 30 | 16684 | 1004 | 16528 | 988 | 13874 | 1199 |
| 35 | 19510 | 1169 | 19329 | 1149 | 16246 | 1397 |
| 40 | 22341 | 1333 | 22136 | 1311 | 18625 | 1595 |
| 45 | 25176 | 1497 | 24945 | 1472 | 21008 | 1794 |
| 50 | 28014 | 1662 | 27759 | 1634 | 23397 | 1.993 |

## Three Children :

| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ |  | $(4,8,13)$ |  | $(10,13,16)$ |  |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 5 | 3100 | 154 | 3170 | 150 | 2882 | 173 |
| 10 | 6292 | 299 | 6429 | 292 | 5866 | 332 |
| 15 | 9506 | 443 | 9709 | 433 | 8878 | 491 |
| 20 | 12734 | 587 | 13002 | 573 | 11904 | 649 |
| 25 | 15971 | 730 | 16303 | 713 | 14942 | 807 |
| 30 | 19215 | 873 | 19611 | 853 | 17987 | 965 |
| 35 | 22464 | 1015 | 22924 | 992 | 21039 | 1123 |
| 40 | 25717 | 1158 | 26240 | 1131 | 24096 | 1281 |
| 45 | 28974 | 1300 | 29561 | 1270 | 27157 | 1440 |
| 50 | 32235 | 1442 | 32884 | 1409 | 30223 | 1598 |

Table E29

## Cost of Children in Two-Adult Families Barten-Gorman Model



## Three Children :

| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ |
| :---: | ---: | :---: | ---: |
| 5 | 583 | 823 | 1149 |
| 10 | 1519 | 1957 | 2466 |
| 15 | 2455 | 3091 | 3782 |
| 20 | 3392 | 4224 | 5098 |
| 25 | 4328 | 5358 | 6414 |
| 30 | 5264 | 6492 | 7730 |
| 35 | 6201 | 7625 | 9047 |
| 40 | 7137 | 8759 | 10363 |
| 45 | 8073 | 9893 | 11679 |
| 50 | 9010 | 11027 | 12995 |

Table E30

## Cost of Children in One-Adult Families Barten-Gorman Model

| Total Expenditures | (4) | (8) | (16) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5 | 1317 | 1352 | 1977 |
| 10 | 3748 | 3527 | 4848 |
| 15 | 6180 | 5703 | 7719 |
| 20 | 8612 | 7878 | 10591 |
| 25 | 11044 | 10053 | 13462 |
| 30 | 13475 | 12229 | 16333 |
| 35 | 15907 | 14404 | 19204 |
| 40 | 18339 | 16579 | 22076 |
| 45 | 20771 | 18755 | 24947 |
| 50 | 23202 | 20930 | 27818 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ |
| 5 | 1808 | 1859 | 2146 |
| 10 | 4613 | 4538 | 5196 |
| 15 | 7414 | 7217 | 8246 |
| 20 | 10221 | 9897 | 11296 |
| 25 | 13025 | 12576 | 14346 |
| 30 | 15829 | 15255 | 17396 |
| 35 | 18633 | 17934 | 20446 |
| 40 | 21438 | 20613 | 23496 |
| 45 | 24242 | 23292 | 26546 |
| 50 | 27046 | 25971 | 29596 |
| Three Children : |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ |
| 5 | 2046 | 2076 | 2268 |
| 10 | 4965 | 4868 | 5290 |
| 15 | 7884 | 7668 | 8313 |
| 20 | 10802 | 10469 | 11335 |
| 25 | 13721 | 13269 | 14357 |
| 30 | 16640 | 16070 | 17380 |
| 35 | 19558 | 18870 | 20402 |
| 40 | 22477 | 21671 | 23425 |
| 45 | 25396 | 24471 | 26447 |
| 50 | 28314 | 27272 | 29469 |

Appendix F
Estimates of the Mean and Standard Deviation of the Cost of Children by Level of Total Expenditure and
Family Type
(Expressed as a Percentage of Total Expenditures)

## Table F1

Cost of Children as a Percentage of Total Expenditures in Two-Adult Families : Expenditures on Food at Home

All Observations :
Three or More Observations :

|  | One Child : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Expenditures | $(4)$ | $(8)$ | $(16)$ | $(4)$ | $(8)$ | $(16)$ |  |
| 5 | 26 | 33 | 39 | 26 | 33 | 40 |  |
| 10 | 27 | 33 | 39 | 26 | 33 | 39 |  |
| 15 | 27 | 33 | 38 | 26 | 33 | 39 |  |
| 20 | 27 | 33 | 38 | 27 | 33 | 39 |  |
| 25 | 28 | 33 | 38 | 27 | 33 | 39 |  |
| 30 | 28 | 33 | 38 | 27 | 33 | 39 |  |
| 35 | 28 | 33 | 38 | 27 | 33 | 39 |  |
| 40 | 28 | 33 | 38 | 27 | 33 | 39 |  |
| 45 | 28 | 33 | 38 | 27 | 33 | 39 |  |
| 50 | 28 | 33 | 37 | 27 | 33 | 39 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ |  |  |  |  |
| 5 | 44 | 48 | 52 | 45 | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ |  |
| 10 | 45 | 49 | 52 | 45 | 49 | 53 |  |
| 15 | 45 | 49 | 52 | 45 | 49 | 53 |  |
| 20 | 45 | 49 | 52 | 45 | 49 | 53 |  |
| 25 | 45 | 49 | 52 | 46 | 49 | 53 |  |
| 30 | 46 | 49 | 52 | 46 | 49 | 53 |  |
| 35 | 46 | 49 | 52 | 46 | 49 | 53 |  |
| 40 | 46 | 49 | 52 | 46 | 49 | 53 |  |
| 45 | 46 | 49 | 52 | 46 | 49 | 53 |  |
| 50 | 46 | 49 | 51 | 46 | 49 | 53 |  |

Three Children :

| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5 | 54 | 58 | 63 | 56 | 59 | 64 |
| 10 | 55 | 58 | 62 | 56 | 59 | 64 |
| 15 | 55 | 58 | 62 | 56 | 59 | 64 |
| 20 | 56 | 58 | 62 | 56 | 59 | 64 |
| 25 | 56 | 58 | 62 | 56 | 59 | 64 |
| 30 | 56 | 58 | 62 | 56 | 59 | 64 |
| 35 | 56 | 58 | 62 | 56 | 59 | 64 |
| 40 | 56 | 58 | 62 | 57 | 59 | 64 |
| 45 | 56 | 58 | 62 | 57 | 59 | 64 |
| 50 | 56 | 58 | 62 | 57 | 59 | 64 |

## Table F2

Cost of Children as a Percentage of Total Expenditures in One-Adult Families: Expenditures on Food at Home

All Observations :

## One Child :

| Total Expenditures | (4) | (8) | (16) | (4) | (8) | (16) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5 | 62 | 64 | 66 | 62 | 67 | 69 |
| 10 | 60 | 62 | 63 | 60 | 64 | 66 |
| 15 | 59 | 61 | 62 | 59 | 63 | 65 |
| 20 | 58 | 60 | 61 | 59 | 62 | 64 |
| 25 | 58 | 60 | 61 | 58 | 62 | 63 |
| 30 | 58 | 59 | 61 | 58 | 61 | 63 |
| 35 | 58 | 59 | 60 | 58 | 61 | 63 |
| 40 | 57 | 59 | 60 | 58 | 61 | 62 |
| 45 | 57 | 59 | 60 | 58 | 61 | 62 |
| 50 | 57 | 59 | 60 | 57 | 61 | 62 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ |
| 5 | 81 | 82 | 82 | 81 | 83 | 83 |
| 10 | 78 | 79 | 80 | 78 | 80 | 81 |
| 15 | 77 | 78 | 79 | 77 | 79 | 80 |
| 20 | 77 | 77 | 78 | 77 | 78 | 79 |
| 25 | 76 | 77 | 78 | 76 | 78 | 79 |
| 30 | 76 | 77 | 77 | 76 | 78 | 78 |
| 35 | 76 | 76 | 77 | 76 | 77 | 78 |
| 40 | 76 | 76 | 77 | 76 | 77 | 78 |
| 45 | 75 | 76 | 77 | 75 | 77 | 77 |
| 50 | 75 | 76 | 76 | 75 | 77 | 77 |
| Three Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ |
| 5 | 89 | 90 | 91 | 88 | 89 | 91 |
| 10 | 87 | 88 | 88 | 87 | 87 | 89 |
| 15 | 86 | 86 | 87 | 85 | 86 | 88 |
| 20 | 85 | 86 | 86 | 85 | 86 | 87 |
| 25 | 85 | 85 | 86 | 84 | 85 | 86 |
| 30 | 84 | 85 | 86 | 84 | 85 | 86 |
| 35 | 84 | 85 | 85 | 84 | 85 | 86 |
| 40 | 84 | 84 | 85 | 84 | 84 | 85 |
| 45 | 84 | 84 | 85 | 83 | 84 | 85 |
| 50 | 83 | 84 | 85 | 83 | 84 | 85 |

## Table F3

## Cost of Children as a Percentage of Total Expenditures in Two-Adult Families : Expenditures on Total Food

## All Observations : <br> Three or More Observations :

## One Child :

| Total Expenditures | (4) | (8) | (16) | (4) | (8) | (16) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5 | 14 | 29 | 36 | 17 | 30 | 38 |
| 10 | 14 | 29 | 36 | 17 | 30 | 38 |
| 15 | 14 | 29 | 36 | 16 | 30 | 38 |
| 20 | 15 | 29 | 36 | 16 | 30 | 38 |
| 25 | 15 | 29 | 36 | 16 | 30 | 38 |
| 30 | 15 | 29 | 36 | 15 | 30 | 38 |
| 35 | 15 | 29 | 36 | 15 | 30 | 38 |
| 40 | 15 | 29 | 36 | 15 | 30 | 38 |
| 45 | 15 | 29 | 36 | 15 | 30 | 38 |
| 50 | 15 | 29 | 36 | 15 | 30 | 38 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ |
| 5 | 35 | 44 | 48 | 39 | 46 | 50 |
| 10 | 35 | 44 | 48 | 38 | 46 | 50 |
| 15 | 35 | 44 | 48 | 38 | 46 | 50 |
| 20 | 36 | 44 | 48 | 38 | 45 | 50 |
| 25 | 36 | 44 | 48 | 37 | 45 | 50 |
| 30 | 36 | 44 | 48 | 37 | 45 | 50 |
| 35 | 36 | 44 | 48 | 37 | 45 | 50 |
| 40 | 36 | 44 | 48 | 37 | 45 | 50 |
| 45 | 36 | 44 | 48 | 37 | 45 | 50 |
| 50 | 36 | 44 | 48 | 37 | 45 | 50 |
| Three Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ |
| 5 | 47 | 51 | 59 | 51 | 56 | 63 |
| 10 | 47 | 51 | 59 | 50 | 56 | 63 |
| 15 | 47 | 51 | 59 | 50 | 56 | 63 |
| 20 | 48 | 51 | 59 | 50 | 55 | 63 |
| 25 | 48 | 51 | 59 | 50 | 55 | 63 |
| 30 | 48 | 51 | 59 | 50 | 55 | 63 |
| 35 | 48 | 51 | 59 | 49 | 55 | 63 |
| 40 | 48 | 52 | 59 | 49 | 55 | 63 |
| 45 | 48 | 52 | 59 | 49 | 55 | 63 |
| 50 | 48 | 52 | 59 | 49 | 55 | 63 |

Table F4
Cost of Children as a Percentage of Total Expenditures in One-Adult Families : Expenditures on Total Food

All Observations :
Three or More Observations :

## One Child :

| Total Expenditures | $(4)$ | $(8)$ | $(16)$ | $(4)$ | $(8)$ | (16) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10 | 44 | 52 | 57 | 41 | 49 | 54 |
| 15 | 44 | 52 | 56 | 40 | 49 | 54 |
| 20 | 45 | 52 | 56 | 40 | 49 | 54 |
| 25 | 45 | 52 | 56 | 39 | 49 | 54 |
| 30 | 45 | 51 | 55 | 39 | 49 | 55 |
| 35 | 45 | 51 | 55 | 39 | 49 | 55 |
| 40 | 45 | 51 | 55 | 39 | 49 | 55 |
| 45 | 45 | 51 | 55 | 39 | 49 | 55 |
| 50 | 45 | 51 | 55 | 38 | 49 | 55 |
|  | 45 | 51 | 55 | 38 | 49 | 55 |
|  |  |  | Two Children : |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ |
| 5 | 65 | 69 | 71 |  | 62 | 66 |
| 10 | 65 | 69 | 71 | 62 | 66 | 68 |
| 15 | 66 | 69 | 70 | 62 | 66 | 68 |
| 20 | 66 | 69 | 70 | 61 | 66 | 68 |
| 25 | 66 | 68 | 70 | 61 | 66 | 68 |
| 30 | 66 | 68 | 70 | 61 | 66 | 68 |
| 35 | 66 | 68 | 70 | 61 | 66 | 68 |
| 40 | 66 | 68 | 70 | 61 | 66 | 68 |
| 45 | 66 | 68 | 70 | 61 | 65 | 68 |
| 50 | 66 | 68 | 70 | 61 | 65 | 68 |

Three Children :

| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5 | 76 | 77 | 80 | 72 | 73 | 76 |
| 10 | 75 | 77 | 79 | 72 | 73 | 76 |
| 15 | 75 | 77 | 79 | 72 | 73 | 76 |
| 20 | 75 | 76 | 79 | 72 | 73 | 76 |
| 25 | 75 | 76 | 79 | 72 | 73 | 76 |
| 30 | 75 | 76 | 79 | 72 | 73 | 76 |
| 35 | 75 | 76 | 79 | 71 | 73 | 76 |
| 40 | 75 | 76 | 79 | 71 | 73 | 76 |
| 45 | 75 | 76 | 79 | 71 | 73 | 76 |
| 50 | 75 | 76 | 79 | 71 | 73 | 76 |

## Table F5

## Cost of Children as a Percentage of Total Expenditures in Two-Adult Families : Expenditures on Food at Home, Shelter, Clothing and Health Care

All Observations :
One Child:

| Total Expenditures | (4) | (8) | (16) | (4) | (8) | (16) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5 | 15 | 17 | 20 | 19 | 21 | 27 |
| 10 | 15 | 17 | 20 | 17 | 20 | 26 |
| 15 | 15 | 18 | 20 | 15 | 19 | 25 |
| 20 | 15 | 18 | 20 | 14 | 18 | 25 |
| 25 | 15 | 18 | 20 | 13 | 17 | 25 |
| 30 | 16 | 18 | 20 | 12 | 16 | 24 |
| 35 | 16 | 18 | 20 | 11 | 15 | 24 |
| 40 | 16 | 18 | 20 | 10 | 15 | 24 |
| 45 | 16 | 18 | 20 | 10 | 14 | 23 |
| 50 | 16 | 18 | 20 | 9 | 14 | 23 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ |
| 5 | 29 | 30 | 32 | 34 | 36 | 39 |
| 10 | 29 | 30 | 32 | 32 | 34 | 37 |
| 15 | 29 | 30 | 32 | 30 | 32 | 36 |
| 20 | 29 | 31 | 32 | 29 | 31 | 36 |
| 25 | 29 | 31 | 32 | 28 | 30 | 35 |
| 30 | 29 | 31 | 32 | 27 | 29 | 34 |
| 35 | 29 | 31 | 32 | 26 | 28 | 34 |
| 40 | 29 | 31 | 32 | 25 | 28 | 33 |
| 45 | 29 | 31 | 32 | 24 | 27 | 33 |
| 50 | 30 | 31 | 32 | 23 | 26 | 32 |
| Three Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ |
| 5 | 38 | 40 | 42 | 44 | 47 | 50 |
| 10 | 39 | 41 | 43 | 42 | 45 | 49 |
| 15 | 39 | 41 | 43 | 41 | 44 | 48 |
| 20 | 39 | 41 | 43 | 40 | 43 | 47 |
| 25 | 39 | 41 | 43 | 39 | 42 | 46 |
| 30 | 39 | 41 | 43 | 38 | 41 | 46 |
| 35 | 39 | 41 | 43 | 37 | 40 | 45 |
| 40 | 39 | 41 | 43 | 36 | 40 | 45 |
| 45 | 39 | 41 | 43 | 35 | 39 | 44 |
| 50 | 39 | 41 | 43 | 34 | 38 | 44 |

## Table F6

Cost of Children as a Percentage of Total Expenditures in One-Adult Families : Expenditures on Food at Home, Shelter, Clothing and Health Care

All Observations :
Three or More Observations:

## One Child :

| Total Expenditures | (4) | (8) | (16) | (4) | (8) | (16) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5 | 69 | 69 | 69 | 52 | 57 | 59 |
| 10 | 70 | 69 | 70 | 52 | 56 | 59 |
| 15 | 66 | 65 | 66 | 51 | 56 | 58 |
| 20 | 64 | 63 | 64 | 51 | 56 | 58 |
| 25 | 62 | 62 | 63 | 51 | 56 | 58 |
| 30 | 62 | 61 | 62 | 51 | 56 | 58 |
| 35 | 61 | 61 | 61 | 51 | 56 | 58 |
| 40 | 60 | 60 | 61 | 51 | 56 | 58 |
| 45 | 60 | 60 | 61 | 51 | 56 | 58 |
| 50 | 60 | 59 | 60 | 51 | 55 | 58 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ |
| 5 | - | - | - | 68 | 70 | 71 |
| 10 | 86 | 85 | 86 | 67 | 70 | 71 |
| 15 | 85 | 85 | 86 | 67 | 70 | 71 |
| 20 | 83 | 83 | 84 | 67 | 69 | 71 |
| 25 | 81 | 81 | 82 | 67 | 69 | 70 |
| 30 | 80 | 80 | 81 | 67 | 69 | 70 |
| 35 | 79 | 79 | 80 | 67 | 69 | 70 |
| 40 | 79 | 79 | 79 | 67 | 69 | 70 |
| 45 | 78 | 78 | 78 | 67 | 69 | 70 |
| 50 | 78 | 78 | 78 | 67 | 69 | 70 |

Three Children :
Total Expenditures $(4,8,10) \quad(4,8,13) \quad(10,13,16) \quad(4,8,10) \quad(4,8,13) \quad(10,13,16)$

| 5 | - | - | - | 76 | 78 | 80 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 10 | - | - | - | 76 | 78 | 79 |
| 15 | 91 | 92 | 92 | 76 | 77 | 79 |
| 20 | 91 | 92 | 92 | 76 | 77 | 79 |
| 25 | 91 | 92 | 92 | 76 | 77 | 79 |
| 30 | 90 | 91 | 91 | 76 | 77 | 79 |
| 35 | 89 | 90 | 90 | 75 | 77 | 79 |
| 40 | 88 | 89 | 89 | 75 | 77 | 79 |
| 45 | 87 | 89 | 89 | 75 | 77 | 79 |
| 50 | 87 | 88 | 88 | 75 | 77 | 79 |

## Table F7

Cost of Children as a Percentage of Total Expenditures in Two-Adult Families : Expenditures on Food at Home, Shelter, and Clothing

All Observations: Three or More Observations:

| Total Expenditures | (4) | (8) | (16) | (4) | (8) | (16) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5 | 14 | 16 | 18 | 19 | 21 | 26 |
| 10 | 14 | 15 | 17 | 16 | 19 | 24 |
| 15 | 14 | 15 | 17 | 14 | 17 | 24 |
| 20 | 13 | 15 | 17 | 12 | 15 | 23 |
| 25 | 13 | 15 | 17 | 11 | 14 | 22 |
| 30 | 13 | 15 | 17 | 9 | 13 | 21 |
| 35 | 13 | 15 | 17 | 8 | 12 | 21 |
| 40 | 13 | 15 | 17 | 7 | 11 | 20 |
| 45 | 13 | 14 | 17 | 6 | 10 | 19 |
| 50 | 13 | 14 | 17 | 6 | 9 | 19 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ |
| 5 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 34 | 36 | 39 |
| 10 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 32 | 33 | 37 |
| 15 | 27 | 28 | 30 | 30 | 31 | 35 |
| 20 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 28 | 30 | 34 |
| 25 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 26 | 28 | 33 |
| 30 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 25 | 27 | 32 |
| 35 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 23 | 26 | 31 |
| 40 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 22 | 24 | 30 |
| 45 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 20 | 23 | 29 |
| 50 | 26 | 27 | 29 | 19 | 22 | 28 |
| Three Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ |
| 5 | 39 | 40 | 42 | 46 | 48 | 50 |
| 10 | 38 | 40 | 42 | 43 | 46 | 49 |
| 15 | 38 | 40 | 41 | 41 | 44 | 48 |
| 20 | 38 | 40 | 41 | 40 | 43 | 47 |
| 25 | 38 | 39 | 41 | 38 | 42 | 46 |
| 30 | 37 | 39 | 41 | 37 | 41 | 45 |
| 35 | 37 | 39 | 41 | 35 | 40 | 44 |
| 40 | 37 | 39 | 41 | 34 | 39 | 44 |
| 45 | 37 | 39 | 41 | 33 | 38 | 43 |
| 50 | 37 | 39 | 41 | 31 | 37 | 42 |

## Table F8

Cost of Children as a Percentage of Total Expenditures in One-Adult Families : Expenditures on Food at Home, Shelter, and Clothing

## All Observations: Three or More Observations :

| Total Expenditures | (4) | (8) | (16) | (4) | (8) | (16) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5 | 71 | 69 | 69 | . 51 | 55 | 57 |
| 10 | 70 | 67 | 69 | 51 | 55 | 56 |
| 15 | 66 | 63 | 65 | 51 | 55 | 56 |
| 20 | 64 | 62 | 63 | 51 | 55 | 56 |
| 25 | 63 | 61 | 62 | 51 | 55 | 56 |
| 30 | 62 | 60 | 61 | 51 | 55 | 56 |
| 35 | 61 | 59 | 61 | 51 | 55 | 56 |
| 40 | 61 | 59 | 60 | 51 | 55 | 56 |
| 45 | 60 | 59 | 60 | 51 | 55 | 56 |
| 50 | 60 | 58 | 60 | 51 | 55 | 56 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ |
| 5 | - | - | - | 66 | 68 | 69 |
| 10 | 86 | 85 | 85 | 66 | 68 | 69 |
| 15 | 85 | 84 | 84 | 66 | 68 | 69 |
| 20 | 82 | 81 | 82 | 66 | 68 | 69 |
| 25 | 81 | 80 | 80 | 66 | 68 | 69 |
| 30 | 80 | 79 | 79 | 66 | 68 | 69 |
| 35 | 79 | 78 | 79 | 66 | 68 | 69 |
| 40 | 78 | 77 | 78 | 66 | 68 | 69 |
| 45 | 78 | 77 | 78 | 66 | 68 | 69 |
| 50 | 77 | 77 | 77 | 66 | 68 | 69 |
| Three Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ |
| 5 | - | - | - | 74 | 75 | 77 |
| 10 | 91 | - | 89 | 74 | 75 | 77 |
| 15 | 91 | 92 | 92 | 74 | 75 | 77 |
| 20 | 91 | 92 | 92 | 74 | 75 | 77 |
| 25 | 90 | 91 | 91 | 74 | 75 | 77 |
| 30 | 89 | 90 | 90 | 74 | 75 | 77 |
| 35 | 88 | 89 | 89 | 74 | 75 | 77 |
| 40 | 87 | 88 | 88 | 74 | 75 | 77 |
| 45 | 87 | 88 | 88 | 74 | 75 | 77 |
| 50 | 86 | 87 | 87 | 74 | 75 | 77 |

## Table F9

Cost of Children as a Percentage of Total Expenditures in Two-Adult Families : Expenditures on Food at Home and Shelter
All Observations :
Three or More Observations :

One Child :

| Total Expenditures | (4) | (8) | (16) | (4) | (8) | (16) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5 | 15 | 13 | 12 | 18 | 17 | 20 |
| 10 | 15 | 13 | 12 | 16 | 15 | 18 |
| 15 | 15 | 13 | 12 | 15 | 13 | 17 |
| 20 | 15 | 13 | 12 | 14 | 12 | 16 |
| 25 | 15 | 13 | 12 | 12 | 10 | 15 |
| 30 | 15 | 13 | 12 | 11 | 9 | 14 |
| 35 | 15 | 12 | 12 | 11 | 8 | 13 |
| 40 | 15 | 12 | 12 | 10 | 8 | 12 |
| 45 | 15 | 12 | 12 | 9 | 7 | 12 |
| 50 | 15 | 12 | 12 | 9 | 6 | 11 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ |
| 5 | 26 | 25 | 24 | 31 | 30 | 32 |
| 10 | 26 | 24 | 24 | 29 | 28 | 30 |
| 15 | 26 | 24 | 24 | 27 | 26 | 28 |
| 20 | 26 | 24 | 24 | 25 | 24 | 27 |
| 25 | 26 | 24 | 24 | 24 | 22 | 25 |
| 30 | 26 | 24 | 24 | 22 | 21 | 24 |
| 35 | 26 | 24 | 24 | 21 | 20 | 23 |
| 40 | 26 | 24 | 24 | 20 | 19 | 22 |
| 45 | 26 | 24 | 24 | 19 | 17 | 21 |
| 50 | 26 | 24 | 23 | 18 | 16 | 20 |
| Three Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ |
| 5 | 35 | 35 | 33 | 41 | 42 | 43 |
| 10 | 35 | 34 | 33 | 38 | 40 | 41 |
| 15 | 35 | 34 | 33 | 36 | 38 | 39 |
| 20 | 35 | 34 | 33 | 35 | 36 | 37 |
| 25 | 35 | 34 | 33 | 33 | 35 | 36 |
| 30 | 34 | 34 | 33 | 32 | 34 | 35 |
| 35 | 34 | 34 | 33 | 31 | 33 | 34 |
| 40 | 34 | 34 | 33 | 30 | 32 | 33 |
| 45 | 34 | 34 | 33 | 29 | 31 | 32 |
| 50 | 34 | 34 | 33 | 27 | 30 | 31 |

## Table F10

Cost of Children as a Percentage of Total Expenditures in One-Adult Families: Expenditures on Food at Home and Shelter

All Observations: Three or More Observations :

| Total Expenditures | (4) | (8) | (16) | (4) | (8) | (16) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5 | 71 | 63 | 62 | 64 | 68 | 66 |
| 10 | 74 | 71 | 71 | 61 | 64 | 63 |
| 15 | 71 | 67 | 67 | -60 | 62 | 61 |
| 20 | 68 | 64 | 64 | 59 | 61 | 60 |
| 25 | 66 | 63 | 63 | 58 | 60 | 60 |
| 30 | 65 | 62 | 62 | 58 | 60 | 59 |
| 35 | 64 | 61 | 61 | 58 | 60 | 59 |
| 40 | 63 | 61 | 61 | 58 | 59 | 59 |
| 45 | 63 | 60 | 60 | 57 | 59 | 58 |
| 50 | 62 | 60 | 60 | 57 | 59 | 58 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ |
| 5 | - | - | - | 77 | 79 | 78 |
| 10 | 85 | 82 | 80 | 76 | 77 | 77 |
| 15 | 86 | 86 | 85 | 75 | 76 | 76 |
| 20 | 87 | 86 | 86 | 74 | 75 | 75 |
| 25 | 86 | 84 | 85 | 74 | 74 | 74 |
| 30 | 84 | 83 | 83 | 73 | 74 | 74 |
| 35 | 83 | 81 | 81 | 73 | 74 | 73 |
| 40 | 82 | 80 | 80 | 73 | 74 | 73 |
| 45 | 81 | 80 | 80 | 72 | 73 | 73 |
| 50 | 80 | 79 | 79 | 72 | 73 | 73 |
| Three Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ |
| 5 | - | - | - | 83 | 83 | 84 |
| 10 | -- | - | - | 83 | 83 | 84 |
| 15 | 93 | 0 | 92 | 82 | 83 | 83 |
| 20 | 91 | 90 | 90 | 82 | 82 | 82 |
| 25 | 91 | 92 | 91 | 81 | 81 | 82 |
| 30 | 92 | 93 | 92 | 81 | 81 | 81 |
| 35 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 81 | 81 | 81 |
| 40 | 91 | 92 | 91 | 80 | 80 | 81 |
| 45 | 90 | 91 | 90 | 80 | 80 | 81 |
| 50 | 89 | 90 | 90 | 80 | 80 | 80 |

## Table F11

Cost of Children as a Percentage of Total Expenditures in Two-Adult Families : Expenditures on Adult Clothing, Alcohol and Tobacco

All Observations: Three or More Observations :

| Total Expenditures | One Child : |  |  |  |  | (16) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (4) | (8) | (16) | (4) | (8) |  |
| 5 | 26 | 26 | 4 | 27 | 26 | 6 |
| 10 | 25 | 25 | 3 | 26 | 26 | 5 |
| 15 | 25 | 25 | 3 | 26 | 25 | 5 |
| 20 | 25 | 25 | 3 | 26 | 25 | 5 |
| 25 | 25 | 25 | 3 | 26 | 25 | 5 |
| 30 | 25 | 25 | 3 | . 26 | 25 | 6 |
| 35 | 25 | 25 | 3 | 26 | 25 | 6 |
| 40 | 25 | 25 | 4 | 26 | 25 | 7 |
| 45 | 25 | 25 | 4 | 26 | 25 | 7 |
| 50 | 25 | 24 | 4 | 26 | 25 | 8 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ |
| 5 | 38 | 38 | 24 | 38 | 37 | 23 |
| 10 | 37 | 37 | 23 | 37 | 36 | 22 |
| 15 | 37 | 37 | 22 | 37 | 36 | 21 |
| 20 | 37 | 37 | 21 | 36 | 36 | 20 |
| 25 | 37 | 37 | 21 | 36 | 36 | 20 |
| 30 | 36 | 36 | 20 | 36 | 35 | 19 |
| 35 | 36 | 36 | 20 | 36 | 35 | 19 |
| 40 | 36 | 36 | 20 | 36 | 35 | 18 |
| 45 | 36 | 36 | 20 | 35 | 35 | 18 |
| 50 | 36 | 36 | 19 | 35 | 35 | 18 |
| Three Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ |
| 5 | 45 | 44 | 34 | 44 | 42 | 32 |
| 10 | 45 | 43 | 32 | 43 | 41 | 30 |
| 15 | 44 | 42 | 32 | 43 | 40 | 29 |
| 20 | 44 | 42 | 31 | 42 | 40 | 28 |
| 25 | 44 | 42 | 30 | 42 | 40 | 27 |
| 30 | 43 | 41 | 30 | 42 | 39 | 27 |
| 35 | 43 | 41 | 30 | 41 | 39 | 26 |
| 40 | 43 | 41 | 29 | 41 | 39 | 26 |
| 45 | 43 | 41 | 29 | 41 | 38 | 26 |
| 50 | 43 | 41 | 29 | 41 | 38 | 25 |

## Table F12

Cost of Children as a Percentage of Total Expenditures in One-Adult Families :
Expenditures on Adult Clothing, Alcohol and Tobacco
All Observations :

## One Child :

| Total Expenditures | (4) | (8) | (16) | (4) | (8) | (16) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5 | 36 | 36 | 18 | 35 | 39 | 25 |
| 10 | 36 | 36 | 18 | 34 | 39 | 24 |
| 15 | 36 | 36 | 18 | 33 | 38 | 23 |
| 20 | 36 | 36 | 18 | 33 | 38 | 22 |
| 25 | 36 | 36 | 17 | 33 | 38 | 21 |
| 30 | 36 | 35 | 17 | 32 | 38 | 21 |
| 35 | 36 | 35 | 17 | 32 | 38 | 20 |
| 40 | 36 | 35 | 17 | 32 | 37 | 20 |
| 45 | 36 | 35 | 17 | 32 | 37 | 20 |
| 50 | 36 | 35 | 17 | 31 | 37 | 19 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ |
| 5 | 53 | 53 | 44 | 53 | 55 | 49 |
| 10 | 53 | 53 | 44 | 52 | 55 | 48 |
| 15 | 53 | 53 | 44 | 52 | 54 | 47 |
| 20 | 53 | 53 | 44 | 51 | 54 | 46 |
| 25 | 53 | 53 | 44 | 51 | 54 | 46 |
| 30 | 53 | 53 | 44 | 51 | 53 | 45 |
| 35 | 53 | 53 | 44 | 51 | 53 | 45 |
| 40 | 53 | 53 | 44 | 50 | 53 | 45 |
| 45 | 53 | 53 | 44 | 50 | 53 | 44 |
| 50 | 53 | 53 | 44 | 50 | 53 | 44 |
| Three Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ |
| 5 | 62 | 63 | 58 | 62 | 63 | 60 |
| 10 | 62 | 63 | 58 | 62 | 62 | 59 |
| 15 | 62 | 63 | 58 | 61 | 61 | . 58 |
| 20 | 62 | 63 | 58 | 61 | 61 | 58 |
| 25 | 62 | 63 | 58 | 60 | 61 | 58 |
| 30 | 62 | 63 | 58 | 60 | 60 | 57 |
| 35 | 62 | 63 | 58 | 60 | 60 | 57 |
| 40 | 62 | 63 | 58 | 60 | 60 | 57 |
| 45 | 62 | 63 | 58 | 60 | 60 | 57 |
| 50 | 62 | 63 | 58 | 59 | 60 | 56 |

## Table F13

Cost of Children as a Percentage of Total Expenditures in Two-Adult Families : Expenditures on Adult Clothing

All Observations :
Three or More Observations :

| Total Expenditures | (4) | (8) | (16) | (4) | (8) | (16) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5 | 26 | 26 | 2 | 26 | 26 | 3 |
| 10 | 25 | 25 | 1 | 25 | 25 | 1 |
| 15 | 25 | 24 | 0 | 25 | 25 | 1 |
| 20 | 24 | 24 | 0 | 24 | 24 | 0 |
| 25 | 24 | 24 | 0 | 24 | 24 | 0 |
| 30 | 23 | 23 | 0 | 23 | 23 | 0 |
| 35 | 23 | 23 | 0 | 23 | 23 | 0 |
| 40 | 23 | 22 | 0 | 23 | 23 | 0 |
| 45 | 22 | 22 | 0 | 22 | 22 | 0 |
| 50 | 22 | 22 | 0 | 22 | 22 | 0 |
| Two Children |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ |
| 5 | 39 | 38 | 23 | 38 | 38 | 23 |
| 10 | 37 | 37 | 19 | 36 | 36 | 19 |
| 15 | 36 | 36 | 16 | 35 | 35 | 16 |
| 20 | 35 | 35 | 13 | 34 | 34 | 13 |
| 25 | 35 | 34 | 11 | 34 | 33 | 11 |
| 30 | 34 | 34 | 9 | 33 | 33 | 9 |
| 35 | 33 | 33 | 7 | 32 | 32 | 7 |
| 40 | 33 | 33 | 5 | 32 | 31 | 6 |
| 45 | 32 | 32 | 4 | 31 | 31 | 5 |
| 50 | 32 | 32 | 3 | 30 | 30 | 4 |

## Three Children :

| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5 | 46 | 45 | 35 | 45 | 44 | 34 |
| 10 | 44 | 44 | 31 | 43 | 42 | 30 |
| 15 | 43 | 42 | 28 | 41 | 40 | 27 |
| 20 | 42 | 41 | 26 | 40 | 39 | 24 |
| 25 | 41 | 40 | 24 | 39 | 38 | 22 |
| 30 | 40 | 39 | 22 | 38 | 37 | 20 |
| 35 | 40 | 38 | 20 | 37 | 36 | 18 |
| 40 | 39 | 38 | 18 | 36 | 35 | 16 |
| 45 | 38 | 37 | 17 | 36 | 34 | 15 |
| 50 | 38 | 36 | 15 | 35 | 34 | 13 |

## Table F14

Cost of Children as a Percentage of Total Expenditures in One-Adult Families : Expenditures on Adult Clothing

All Observations: Three or More Observations :

| Total Expenditures | (4) | (8) | (16) | (4) | (8) | (16) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5 | 42 | 46 | 22 | 37 | 36 | 17 |
| 10 | 42 | 46 | 18 | 38 | 37 | 17 |
| 15 | 43 | 46 | 18 | 38 | 37 | 18 |
| 20 | 43 | 46 | 19 | 38 | 37 | 18 |
| 25 | 43 | 46 | 19 | 38 | 37 | 18 |
| 30 | 43 | 46 | 20 | 39 | 38 | 19 |
| 35 | 43 | 47 | 20 | 39 | 38 | 19 |
| 40 | 44 | 47 | 20 | 39 | 38 | 19 |
| 45 | 44 | 47 | 21 | 39 | 38 | 19 |
| 50 | 44 | 47 | 21 | 39 | 38 | 19 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ |
| 5 | 60 | 62 | 46 | 54 | 53 | 44 |
| 10 | 60 | 62 | 48 | 55 | 54 | 45 |
| 15 | 61 | 62 | 49 | 55 | 54 | 45 |
| 20 | 61 | 62 | 49 | 55 | 55 | 46 |
| 25 | 61 | 63 | 50 | 55 | 55 | 46 |
| 30 | 61 | 63 | 50 | 56 | 55 | 46 |
| 35 | 61 | 63 | 51 | 56 | 55 | 46 |
| 40 | 61 | 63 | 51 | 56 | 55 | 47 |
| 45 | 61 | 63 | 51 | 56 | 55 | 47 |
| 50 | 61 | 63 | 51 | 56 | 56 | 47 |
| Three Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ |
| 5 | 68 | 68 | 60 | 62 | 63 | 58 |
| 10 | 69 | 69 | 61 | 63 | 64 | 59 |
| 15 | 69 | 69 | 62 | 63 | 65 | 59 |
| 20 | 69 | 69 | 63 | 64 | 65 | 60 |
| 25 | 70 | 69 | 63 | 64 | 65 | 60 |
| 30 | 70 | 70 | 63 | 64 | 65 | 60 |
| 35 | 70 | 70 | 63 | 64 | 65 | 60 |
| 40 | 70 | 70 | 64 | 64 | 66 | 60 |
| 45 | 70 | 70 | 64 | 64 | 66 | 60 |
| 50 | 70 | 70 | 64 | 64 | 66 | 60 |

## Table F15

## Cost of Children as a Percentage of Total Expenditures in One and Two-Adult Families: <br> Barten-Gorman Model

Two-Adult Families :
One-Adult Families :

## One Child :

| Total Expenditures | (4) | (8) | (16) | (4) | (8) | (16) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5 | 1 | 4 | 14 | 26 | 27 | 39 |
| 10 | 3 | 8 | 14 | 37 | 35 | 48 |
| 15 | 4 | 10 | 14 | 41 | 38 | 51 |
| 20 | 5 | 10 | 14 | 43 | 39 | 52 |
| 25 | 5 | 11 | 14 | 44 | 40 | 53 |
| 30 | 5 | 11 | 14 | 44 | 40 | 54 |
| 35 | 6 | 11 | 14 | 45 | 41 | 54 |
| 40 | 6 | 11 | 15 | 45 | 41 | 55 |
| 45 | 6 | 11 | 15 | 46 | 41 | 55 |
| 50 | 6 | 11 | 15 | 46 | 41 | 55 |
| Two Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ | $(4,8)$ | $(8,10)$ | $(10,16)$ |
| 5 | 6 | 10 | 15 | 36 | 37 | 42 |
| 10 | 10 | 14 | 17 | 46 | 45 | 51 |
| 15 | 11 | 15 | 18 | 49 | 48 | 54 |
| 20 | 12 | 15 | 18 | 51 | 49 | 56 |
| 25 | 12 | 16 | 19 | 52 | 50 | 57 |
| 30 | 13 | 16 | 19 | 52 | 50 | 57 |
| 35 | 13 | 16 | 19 | 53 | 51 | 58 |
| 40 | 13 | 16 | 19 | 53 | 51 | 58 |
| 45 | 13 | 17 | 19 | 53 | 51 | 58 |
| 50 | 13 | 17 | 19 | 54 | 51 | 58 |
| Three Children : |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Expenditures | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ | $(4,8,10)$ | $(4,8,13)$ | $(10,13,16)$ |
| 5 | 11 | 16 | 22 | 40 | 41 | 45 |
| 10 | 15 | 19 | 24 | 49 | 48 | 52 |
| 15 | 16 | 20 | 25 | 52 | 51 | 55 |
| 20 | 16 | 21 | 25 | 54 | 52 | 56 |
| 25 | 17 | 21 | 25 | 54 | 53 | 57 |
| 30 | 17 | 21 | 25 | 55 | 53 | 57 |
| 35 | 17 | 21 | 25 | 55 | 54 | 58 |
| 40 | 17 | 21 | 25 | 56 | 54 | 58 |
| 45 | 17 | 21 | 25 | 56 | 54 | 58 |
| 50 | 18 | 22 | 25 | 56 | 54 | 58 |

## Appendix G

## A Comparison of the Present Study with Lazear and Michael

The purpose of this appendix is to compare the estimates of the cost of children presented in this study with the work of Lazear and Michael (L/M) reported in their book, Allocation of Income within the Household (1988). The method of imputation chosen by $\mathrm{L} / \mathrm{M}$ is a modified Rothbarth method.

The first question concerns the dimension on which the estimates are to be compared. I chose to use the figures in Appendix F, expenditures on children as a percentage of total household expenditures as the basis for comparison. To compute an equivalent number for $\mathrm{L} / \mathrm{M}$, it should be noted that the focus of the $\mathrm{L} / \mathrm{M}$ analysis is to use expenditures on alcohol, tobacco, and adult clothing to compute an adult equivalence scale for children. In their notation, this scale is $\phi(\underline{x})$, where $\underline{x}$ is a vector of demographic characteristics. This vector includes, the number of children, the number of adults, the education, age, sex of the head, and the before-tax income of the unit. Once $\phi(x)$ is given, the percentage of total expenditures made on the children in the household would be computed as :

$$
P=K \phi(\underline{x}) /(A+K \phi(\underline{x}))
$$

where K is the number of children and A is the number of adults. (This expression is a reworking of their equation 5.7.) Using their results on page 86, in the first column of Table 5.4, I computed P for several types of households at various levels of pre-tax incomes. Since different levels of income had only a slight negative effect on $P$, I will report values of $P$ for just pre-tax incomes of $\$ 15,000$ (recall the L/M study utilized 197273 data). In computing P, I also held the following characteristics constant: age of head (35); education (12 years); nonblack; and non-Southern resident living in an urban area. I
further assumed that only the head of the household worked. Using these assumptions, estimates of the proportion of total expenditures spent on children from the $\mathrm{L} / \mathrm{M}$ study and the corresponding numbers from my study are:

|  | L/M <br> Point | Point | Betson |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Two-Adult Household |  |  |  |
| One Child | 31 | 25 | $21-29$ |
| Two Children | 39 | 40 | $32-39$ |
| Three Children |  |  | $36-43$ |
| One-Adult | 41 |  |  |
| One Child | 57 | 54 | $27-49$ |
| Two Children | 66 | 61 | $46-62$ |
| Three Children |  |  | $53-68$ |

The range of the estimates from my study reflect two standard deviations around the point estimates Tables F11 and F12.

I find my estimates remarkably similar to L/M given the differences in methodologies. My estimates for two-adult families are higher but I would argue they are not significantly different. From my study, the standard deviation of $P$ for one child is roughly 2 percentage points. While $\mathrm{L} / \mathrm{M}$ do not compute standard errors for P , we could assume that the error is about the same as in my study. If you make this assumption, then the test statistic of the difference between the two estimates is 2.12 . However if you make the alternative assumption that the standard error of $\mathrm{L} / \mathrm{M}$ is 3 points, owing to the more complicated procedure of estimation, the possible compounding of errors in the stepwise regression, and the smaller sample size, then the test statistic is 1.66 . Hence, I am not convinced that they are significantly different.

For the one-adult households, L/M obtain even higher point estimates, but, I think we would agree that the estimates are not significantly different.

We should nevertheless note possible reasons for the differences that exist. I used the sample of households which had only adult expenditures: L/M used all households whether or not they reported adult expenditures. This difference in sample selection could lead to different estimates but the direction of bias is unknown. The following story could explain L/M's estimates differ from the current estimates.

Let us assume that we estimate Engel curves for adult goods for each of the demographic groups separately. For the time being, assume that we have only families with children and families without children. Further assume that the true Engel curve is linear in total expenditures for all groups, i.e.;

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
\text { For families with children } & A_{k}=\alpha_{k}+\beta_{k} X_{k} \\
\text { For families without children } & A_{0}=\alpha_{0}+\beta_{0} X_{0}
\end{array}
$$

Now assume that in our sample of households, $\lambda$ percent of the households report non zero expenditures on adult goods. If there no correlation between X and reporting expenditures on adult goods, then the estimated relationship between A and X would be :

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
\text { For families with children } & A_{k}=\lambda_{k}\left(\alpha_{k}+\beta_{k} X_{k}\right) \\
\text { For families without children } & A_{0}=\lambda_{0}\left(\alpha_{0}+\beta_{0} X_{0}\right)
\end{array}
$$

Given these relationships, the Rothbarth methodology would compute the expenditures on children as a percentage of the total household expenditures, X , as

$$
C=\frac{\left(\alpha_{0}-\alpha_{k}\right)+\left(\beta_{0}-\beta_{k}\right) X}{\beta_{\theta} X}
$$

In the case of the sample which contain households reporting zero expenditures, the corresponding percentage, $\mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{Z}}$, is

$$
C_{z}=\frac{\left(\lambda_{0} \alpha_{0}-\lambda_{k} \alpha_{k}\right)+\left(\lambda_{0} \beta_{0}-\lambda_{k} \beta_{k}\right) X}{\lambda_{0} \beta_{0} X}
$$

Hence
C is greater or less than $\mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{Z}}$ if and only if $\lambda_{\mathbf{k}}$ is greater or less than $\lambda_{0}$.

That is, if families with children report expenditures on adult goods at higher rate than compared to households without children, then using the sample with observation reporting zero expenditures will underestimate the true amount of expenditures made on children.

In the table below, I have computed the various reporting rates for different family types ( $\lambda$ 's) in both the total sample and the sample with 3 or more observations.

Total With Adult Expenditures $\lambda$

|  | All Obs | 3+Obs | All Obs | $3+$ Obs | All Obs | $3+$ Obs |
| :--- | :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Single individuals | 11218 | 3699 | 6713 | 2038 | .60 | .55 |
| Single-parent families | 2428 | 1125 | 1936 | 882 | .78 | .78 |
| Childless couples | 4656 | 2252 | 1888 | 812 | .41 | .36 |
| Two-parent families | 8696 | 4575 | 4563 | 2244 | .52 | .49 |

As the numbers indicate, families with children have a higher rate of reporting some expenditures on adult goods as compared to households that have no children. Hence, if nonreporting these expenditures is uncorrelated to total expenditures, then we could conclude that the use of all observations would tend to underestimate child expenditures in the Rothbarth method.

This story could be used to explain why L/M's estimates for two-adults are lower than mine but then it does not explain why their estimates for one-adult households are higher? This story is based upon the assumption that nonreporting of expenditures is uncorrelated with total expenditures. If this does not hold, then estimates from both samples will be biased and the story becomes much more complicated.

Another major difference between the Rothbarth methodology and the L/M methodology lies in a difference in perspectives. To use a misunderstood term, the Rothbarth approach is a compensation approach, while the $\mathrm{L} / \mathrm{M}$ is a pure allocation approach, to the estimation of expenditures on the child. Let us assume that L/M do indeed correctly identify the expenditures made on a child. These expenditures would undercompensate the adults for the presence of the child because they ignore the income effect. If Rothbarth is attempting to measure the cost of children in such a way as to include the income effect, this would explain why the two estimates differ for the two-adult households. To reconcile the difference in one-adult households, I would have to argue that the income effect is small (or zero).


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[^1]:    ${ }^{1}$ Further complicating this allocation exercise is the fact that these jointly consumed goods represent a significant portion of the average household's budget. From the 1980-81 Consumer Expenditure Survey, 64 percent of the average household's income was spent on shelter, food at home, and transportation.

[^2]:    ${ }^{2}$ From the 1980-81 Consumer Expenditure Survey, 90 percent of total expenditures would fall in Category M, while 7 percent would be in Category A and 3 percent in Category C.

[^3]:    ${ }^{3}$ This discussion also underscores how this approach to estimating the expenditures made on the "marginal" child in the household will also be underestimated owing the fact that when the additional child appears in the household, expenditures on adults and children already born will fall.

    4 This statement assumes an inelastic demand for the good.
    5 Recall that the change in expenditure on the good will reflect both the change in prices and change in the quantity of goods purchased.

[^4]:    6 Erwin Rothbarth, "Note on a Method of Determining Equivalent Income for Families of Different Composition." In War Time Pattern of Saving and Spending, edited by Charles Madge, Cambridge, Cambridge University Press, 1943.

[^5]:    7 Emst Engel, "Die Productions und Consumtionsverhaltnisse des Konigsreich Sachesen." Seitscrift des Statisticshen Bureaus des Koniglich Sachischen Ministeriums des Innern, 3, 1857.

[^6]:    ${ }^{8}$ Harold Watts, "The iso-prop index: An approach to the determination of deferential poverty income thresholds" in Improving Measures of Economic Well-Being edited by Marilyn Moon and Eugene Smolensky, New York, Academic Press, 1977.

[^7]:    9 This implicit assumption was first discussed by William Gorman , "Tricks with Utility Functions," in Essays in Economic Analysis, edited by Artis and Nobay, Cambridge University Press, 1976.

[^8]:    11 Note that this does not imply that market prices of goods are higher for families with children, but that the effective price of goods in terms of achieving a given standard of living rises with children.

[^9]:    12 Note that $\underline{m}^{\mathrm{NK}}$ need not be equal to a vector of ones.

[^10]:    13 My work is reported in "Are Engel Curves Linear?", mimeo., 1986. In this paper, I conducted various goodness of fit tests to compare implicit Engel curves from the Almost Ideal Demand System, Linear and Quadratic Expenditures Systems.

[^11]:    14 The various specifications were also estimated for the subpopulations of single individuals, one parent families, childless couples, and two-parent families. The results of these estimations and their implied child costs will not be discussed in the main body of the report but appear in Appendix C.

[^12]:    ${ }^{15}$ I also estimated the logit of the budget share spent on adult goods and found no significant difference in the estimates of the cost of children when using the log of the level of adult goods. Since the Rothbarth method is proposed in terms of the level of adult goods, I chose to utilize this formulation in the report. I also chose to estimate the log-linear model of adult goods to reflect the fact that expenditures will be nonnegative.

[^13]:    16 John Muellbauer "Household Composition, Engel Curves and Welfare Comparisons between Households," European Economic Review, 5, 1974, pp. 103-122.

    17 N. Kakwani, "On the Estimation of Consumer Unit Scales," Review of Economics and Statistics, 1977, pp. 507-510.

[^14]:    18 Other groupings were utilized but didn't drastically affect the estimates of the cost of children. This commodity grouping was chosen so as to be able to directly compare the Barten-Gorman with the other three alternative methodologies.

[^15]:    19 The first Consumer Expenditure Survey was conducted in 1950. The survey was again field in 1961-62 and 1972-73. The latter two surveys have been the primary data sets used by scholars exploring the expenditure patterns of American households.

[^16]:    20 The only exception is the purchase of a home.
    21 Details of the construction of this extract tape are included in "Differences in Overall Spending Patterns and Spending on Child Care by Family Type: An Exploratory Study using the Consumer Expenditure Survey," a Final Report submitted to ASPE by DRI, January 19,1989, and "Additions to and 1986 Update to the DRI/DHHS Consumer Expenditure Survey Extract Tape," mimeo from DRI to ASPE, June 15,1989.

[^17]:    ${ }^{22}$ In this study, the term head will be used to denote the BLS's definition of the reference person of the household.

[^18]:    23 The real expenditures which were computed by DRI and annualized were utilized to categorize the households.

    24 Recall that data is topcoded at $\$ 75,000$ and these observations were excluded in the sample selection process.

[^19]:    25 Recall that any purchase during the interview period is counted as an expenditure. Hence, purchases on major durables such as a car would be counted as an expenditure even though the purchasc of the car was financed through installment payments.

[^20]:    26 Because I was not able to construct a bootstrap technique for the system of equations estimated in the Barten-Gorman model, the standard deviations of the estimates from this approach are not shown.

[^21]:    27 These levels were chosen because they represent the average levels of real total expenditures for the two groups. The cost estimates reported in the figures also are from the sample of households which had three or more quarters of data.

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[^23]:    28 Thomas Espenshade, Investing in Children, Washington, D.C., Urban Institute Press, 1984.
    29 Angus Deaton and John Muellbauer, "On measuring child costs." Journal of Political Economy, Vol. 94, No. 4, 1986, pp. 720-744.

[^24]:    ${ }^{30}$ David Betson "Are Engel Curves Really Linear?" mimeo, 1986.

[^25]:    31 The Rothbarth estimates imply 25 and 38 percent of total expenditures are devoted to the child in twoand one-adult families respectively. The ratio of these estimates to the per capita estimate is $25 / 33=.75$ and $38 / 50=.76$.
    ${ }^{32}$ In Appendix G, I compare my Rothbarth estimates with another set of Rothbarth estimates from the recent study by Lazear and Michael.

    33 Given the way that the BLS defines expenditures as the purchases of the household, the difference between income and expenditures as reported in the CEX is not truly the savings of the household. For example, the purchase of new car would appear as an expenditure of the household, wiile an economic definition of expenditure would include only the stream of services derived from the ownership of the car during the year. For this reason, the BLS definition tends to overstate the amount of expenditures in the year the purchase is made, and to understate the amount of expenditures of the household in other years.

[^26]:    ${ }^{1}$ B. Efron and Tibshimai, "Bootstrap Methods for Standard Errors, Confidence Intervals and other Measures of Statistical Accuracy," Statistical Science, Vol.1., No. 1, 1986, pp. 54-77.

