

## Household consumption expenditure 2014

This Report disseminates estimates based on the renewed Household Budget Survey, that is the result of a long testing period.

In order to capture the household purchasing behavior more precisely and to obtain more robust estimates at micro level, expenditure reference periods have been enlarged and the consumption expenditure classification has been completely harmonized to the last Coicop (Classification of Individual Consumption by Purpose), passing from 264 to 473 items. As a consequence, the new expenditure aggregates differ from the previous ones disseminated until 2013. The new sample design and weighting system allow to analyze household purchasing behaviors by municipality demographic size and by members' citizenship.

As deep changes have been introduced in every stage of the process, it has been necessary to reconstruct the time series of the main expenditure aggregates since 1997 (see attached tables). Time comparisons can be made only using reconstructed data included in this Report and in the attached tables. No comparison can be made using previously disseminated data.

## Main results

In 2014, the average monthly household consumption expenditure, at current values, was 2,488.50 euros. Taking into account the sampling error (0.5%) and the inflation rate dynamics (+0.2%), the expenditure was stable in real terms.

In comparison with 2013, the average expenditure on food and beverages is basically stable (436.06 euros per month) even if a decrease is observed for meat expenditure (from 99.64 in 2013 to 97.20 euros in 2014), oils and fats (from 15.16 to 13.79 euros) and non-alcoholic beverages (from 20.61 to 19.66 euros), whereas the expenditure on food products n.e.c. increased (from 9.52 to 10.50 euros).

The percentage of households reducing foodstuff quantity or quality decreased (from 62% in 2013 to 59% in 2014), especially in the Centre and in the North areas; the percentage of households buying food and beverages in hard discounts (13%) was stable but increased in the South and in the Islands. Non-food expenditure was stable (2,052.44 euros): a decrease is observed for expenditures on communication and restaurants and hotels, whereas expenditures on clothing and footwear, furnishings, household equipment and routine maintenance of the house, health, education and personal care and effects increased.

In 2014, young couples (i.e., couples with reference person under 35), taking into account also the household size, showed the lowest household consumption expenditure level, for the first time lower (about 100 euros) than that of couples with reference person 65 and over. Average monthly expenditure for households with all non-national members was 1,644.72 euros, about 900 euros lower than expenditure observed for households with all national members.

In metropolitan areas, where average monthly expenditure was 2,723.92 euros (2,409.96 euros in small municipalities), the shares of total consumption expenditure on housing (as a consequence of rents and imputed rentals high levels), recreation and culture and restaurants and hotels were the highest.

FIGURE 1 - AVERAGE MONTHLY HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE BY GEOGRAPHICAL AREA. Years 2008-2014 (Euros)

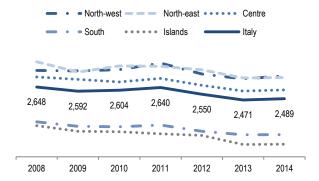


TABLE 1 - MEDIAN AND AVERAGE MONTHLY HOUSEHOLD CONSUMPTION EXPENDITURE BY GEOGRAPHICAL AREA. Years 2013-2014, Euros (bold) and percentage composition by expenditure category on the total average expenditure

F	Nortl	n-west	Nort	North-east		ntre	So	uth	Islands		Ita	ly
Expenditure category	2013	2014	2013	2014	2013	2014	2013	2014	2013	2014	2013	2014
MEDIAN MONTHLY	2,441.44	2,321.56	2,440.78	2,415.10	2,296.52	2,217.97	1,746.90	1,805.38	1,634.04	1,588.46	2,168.19	2,110.47
EXPENDITURE AVERAGE MONTHLY									<u> </u>			
EXPENDITURE (=100%)	2,757.15	2,798.68	2,770.64	2,776.51	2,593.71	2,608.45	1,999.73	2,002.78	1,867.34	1,871.25	2,471.09	2,488.50
Food and non-alcoholic												
beverages	16.0	15.7	15.5	15.5	17.1	17.2	22.6	21.9	22.5	21.9	17.8	17.5
Bread and cereals	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.8	3.7	3.5	4.0	3.7	3.0	2.9
Meat	3.7	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.9	4.0	5.3	5.1	5.2	4.8	4.0	3.9
Fish and seafood	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.5	1.4	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1	1.4	1.4
Milk, cheese and eggs	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.4	2.4
Oils and fats	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6
Fruit	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.6
Vegetables	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.4	2.4	3.0	3.0	2.8	2.9	2.3	2.4
Sugar, jam, honey, chocolate and confectionery	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.7
Ready-made meals and other food products (food products												
n.e.c.*)	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Coffee, tea and cocoa	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5
Mineral waters, soft drinks, fruit and vegetable juices	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	1.0	0.9	1.3	1.3	0.8	0.8
Non food	84.0	84.3	84.5	84.5	82.9	82.8	77.4	78.1	77.5	78.1	82.2	82.5
Alcoholic beverages and												
tobacco	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.6	2.0	2.1	2.0	2.0	1.7	1.7
Clothing and footwear	4.6	5.1	4.1	4.1	3.7	3.6	5.4	5.4	4.8	5.2	4.4	4.6
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels, of which:	37.8	36.7	37.4	37.1	40.1	40.0	34.6	34.0	32.7	32.2	37.2	36.7
Major maintenance and	1.0	1 2	10	2.2	0.0	1.1	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	1 1	1.1
repair Imputed rentals	1.0 24.1	23.3	1.8 24.0	2.3	0.9 27.2	1.4 27.2	0.7 21.8	22.0	22.0	21.0	1.1 24.2	23.8
Furnishings, household	24.1	23.3	24.0	23.0	21.2	21.2	21.0	22.0	22.0	21.0	24.2	23.0
equipment and routine												
household maintenance	3.4	4.0	3.9	4.0	3.6	3.9	4.0	4.5	5.0	4.5	3.8	4.1
Health	3.8	4.5	4.0	4.8	3.7	4.0	4.1	4.3	4.1	4.2	3.9	4.4
Transport	10.8	10.8	11.6	11.3	9.9	9.5	9.3	9.1	10.5	10.6	10.5	10.3
Communication	2.7	2.4	2.6	2.5	2.7	2.6	3.1	3.0	3.3	3.4	2.8	2.6
Recreation and culture	5.5	5.1	5.3	5.5	4.6	4.8	4.1	4.2	3.7	4.2	4.9	4.9
Education	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.6
Restaurants and hotels	5.8	4.9	5.4	5.2	4.8	4.6	3.0	3.0	3.4	3.0	4.8	4.4
Miscellaneous goods and services**	7.7	8.5	8.0	8.0	7.7	7.7	7.2	8.0	7.6	8.3	7.7	8.1
Average monthly expenditure on food and non-alcoholic beverages	439.98			429.49	444.43	449.03	451.97	438.75	419.51	410.16	439.39	436.06
Average monthly expenditure on non food goods and services * Food products n.e.c. include salt		2,359.74			2,149.28	2,159.42	1,547.75	1,564.03	1,447.83	1,461.09	2,031.70	2,052.44

Food products n.e.c. include salt, spices, condiments and baby food.
 Including personal care, personal effects, social protection, insurance and financial services.

TABLE 2 - AVERAGE AND MEDIAN MONTHLY HOUSEHOLD CONSUMPTION EXPENDITURE BY HOUSEHOLD SIZE. Year 2014, Euros (bold) and percentage composition by expenditure category on the total average expenditure

Evnanditura catagory	Household size									
Expenditure category	1	2	3	4	5 or more	Total				
MEDIAN MONTHLY EXPENDITURE	1,513.80	2,146.51	2,524.59	2,785.21	2,820.50	2,110.47				
AVERAGE MONTHLY EXPENDITURE (=100%)	1,773.06	2,501.67	2,918.16	3,189.75	3,203.81	2,488.50				
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	15.5	17.5	17.7	18.6	20.9	17.5				
Bread and cereals	2.6	2.8	3.0	3.2	3.8	2.9				
Meat	3.3	3.9	4.0	4.3	4.8	3.9				
Fish and seafood	1.1	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.4				
Milk, cheese and eggs	2.1	2.3	2.4	2.6	2.9	2.4				
Oils and fats	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6				
Fruit	1.5	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.7	1.6				
Vegetables	2.2	2.4	2.3	2.4	2.7	2.4				
Sugar, jam, honey, chocolate and confectionery	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.7				
Ready-made meals and other food products (food products n.e.c.*)	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4				
Coffee, tea and cocoa	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5				
Mineral waters, soft drinks, fruit and vegetable juices	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.8				
Non food	84.5	82.5	82.3	81.4	79.1	82.5				
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.8	1.7				
Clothing and footwear	3.7	3.8	4.9	5.8	6.1	4.6				
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels, of which:	44.3	39.1	33.1	31.0	29.0	36.7				
Major maintenance and repair	1.1	1.7	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4				
Imputed rentals	28.2	26.2	21.4	20.1	17.3	23.8				
Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance	4.5	4.1	4.1	3.7	3.9	4.1				
Health	4.5	5.1	4.3	3.6	3.8	4.4				
Transport	7.5	9.3	11.9	12.4	12.8	10.3				
Communication	2.6	2.5	2.7	2.7	2.9	2.6				
Recreation and culture	4.3	4.6	5.0	5.5	5.6	4.9				
Education	0.1	0.2	0.7	1.3	1.2	0.6				
Restaurants and hotels	4.1	3.9	5.0	4.9	4.2	4.4				
Miscellaneous goods and services**	7.1	8.1	8.7	8.8	7.7	8.1				
Average monthly expenditure on food and non- alcoholic beverages	274.48	437.41	517.89	592.85	669.42	436.06				
Average monthly expenditure on non food goods and services	1,498.58	2,064.26	2,400.27	2,596.90	2,534.39	2,052.44				

<sup>Food products n.e.c. include salt, spices, condiments and baby food.
\*\* Including personal care, personal effects, social protection, insurance and financial services.</sup> 

TABLE 3 - AVERAGE AND MEDIAN MONTHLY HOUSEHOLD CONSUMPTION EXPENDITURE BY HOUSEHOLD TYPOLOGY. Year 2014, Euros (bold) and percentage composition by expenditure category on the total average expenditure

				<u>.</u>	Hous	sehold typ	ology					
Expenditure category	Single membe r under 35	Single membe r 35- 64	Single membe r 65 and over	Couple without childre n with r.p. under 35	Couple without childre n with r.p. 35- 64	childre n with r.p. 65	Couple with one child	with 2	Couple with 3 or more childre n	Single parent	Other typolog y	Total
MEDIAN MONTHLY EXPENDITURE	1,562.83	1,721.61	1,344.04	2,076.00	2,360.84	2,091.80	2,612.87	2,814.30	2,878.35	2,078.69	2,262.39	2,110.47
AVERAGE MONTHLY EXPENDITURE (=100%)	1,753.20	1,951.09	1,630.29	2,391.18	2,734.40	2,489.57	2,992.92	3,237.06	3,228.92	2,354.47	2,649.03	2,488.50
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	14.0	13.9	17.4	13.9	16.2	18.8	17.6	18.4	20.4	17.9	20.0	17.5
Non food	86.0	86.1	82.6	86.1	83.8	81.2	82.4	81.6	79.6	82.1	80.0	82.5
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	2.4	2.2	1.1	2.1	2.1	1.5	1.8	1.6	1.7	1.7	2.1	1.7
Clothing and footwear	5.4	4.3	2.8	5.8	4.2	3.2	5.0	5.9	6.5	4.2	4.3	4.6
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels, of which:	38.5	40.5	49.4	31.5	36.3	42.1	32.5	30.8	28.9	37.0	35.4	36.7
Major maintenance and repair	-	0.8	1.4	_	2.0	2.0	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.0	1.4
Imputed rentals	18.8	24.4	34.0	17.6	23.7	29.7	21.2	20.1	17.7	23.4	21.7	23.8
Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance	3.8	3.7	5.4	4.1	4.0	4.3	4.2	3.7	3.7	3.6	4.5	4.1
Health	2.1	3.3	6.2	3.9	4.5	6.0	4.4	3.5	3.8	4.4	4.2	4.4
Transport	10.6	10.2	4.2	14.6	11.1	7.4	12.2	12.6	12.5	10.3	10.1	10.3
Communication	3.0	2.8	2.3	2.8	2.5	2.3	2.7	2.7	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.6
Recreation and culture	5.0	5.2	3.2	5.9	5.0	4.2	5.1	5.6	6.0	5.2	4.3	4.9
Education	0.3	0.2	0.1	-	0.2	0.0	0.7	1.3	1.4	0.6	0.5	0.6
Restaurants and hotels	6.7	5.6	2.1	6.7	5.0	2.7	5.1	5.1	4.5	4.2	3.8	4.4
Miscellaneous goods and services**	8.2	8.3	5.8	8.4	8.9	7.4	8.8	8.9	7.7	8.0	8.0	8.1
Average monthly expenditure on food and non-alcoholic beverages	244.65	270.42	284.03	331.77	442.71	467.06	526.56	596.51	659.34	420.67	528.92	436.06
Average monthly expenditure on non food goods and services	1,508.55	1,680.67	1,346.26	2,059.41	2,291.70	2,022.51	2,466.36	2,640.55	2,569.58	1,933.80	2,120.11	2,052.44

r.p.= household reference person.

\*\* Including personal care, personal effects, social protection, insurance and financial services.

Not statistically significant data.

TABLE 4 - AVERAGE AND MEDIAN MONTHLY HOUSEHOLD CONSUMPTION EXPENDITURE BY REFERENCE PERSON'S HIGHEST LEVEL OF EDUCATION ATTAINED. Year 2014, Euros (bold) and percentage composition by expenditure category on the total average expenditure

	Highest level of education attained									
Expenditure category	No educational degree or primary school certificate	Lower secondary school certificate	Post secondary school certificate	Tertiary (university, doctoral and specialization courses)	Total					
MEDIAN MONTHLY EXPENDITURE	1,476.09	2,032.73	2,393.29	2,966.72	2,110.47					
AVERAGE MONTHLY EXPENDITURE (=100%)	1,757.82	2,330.36	2,750.59	3,435.23	2,488.50					
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	21.2	19.2	16.5	13.9	17.5					
Non food	78.8	80.8	83.5	86.1	82.5					
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	1.7	2.1	1.7	1.3	1.7					
Clothing and footwear	3.3	4.6	5.0	4.9	4.6					
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels, of which:	41.6	35.3	35.3	37.6	36.7					
Major maintenance and repair	1.3	1.0	1.4	1.9	1.4					
Imputed rentals	27.5	21.9	22.8	25.9	23.8					
Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance	5.0	4.0	3.9	4.1	4.1					
Health	6.1	4.5	3.9	3.9	4.4					
Transport	6.6	11.0	11.2	10.5	10.3					
Communication	2.6	2.8	2.7	2.3	2.6					
Recreation and culture	3.1	4.4	5.5	5.8	4.9					
Education	0.1	0.4	0.7	0.9	0.6					
Restaurants and hotels	2.1	3.7	5.1	6.2	4.4					
Miscellaneous goods and services**	6.7	8.1	8.5	8.7	8.1					
Average monthly expenditure on food and non- alcoholic beverages	373.12	446.34	452.68	476.55	436.06					
Average monthly expenditure on non food goods and services	1,384.70	1,884.02	2,297.92	2,958.68	2,052.44					

<sup>\*\*</sup> Including personal care, personal effects, social protection, insurance and financial services.

TABLE 5 - AVERAGE AND MEDIAN MONTHLY HOUSEHOLD CONSUMPTION EXPENDITURE BY REFERENCE PERSON'S PROFESSIONAL CONDITION. Year 2014, Euros (bold) and percentage composition by expenditure category on the total average expenditure

		Professional condition <sup>(a)</sup>											
		Empl	oyed			Unemployed							
	Employ	/ees	Not employ	yees									
Expenditure category	Executives, middle management, white collar	Blue collar	Employer and professional	Self- employed	Retired	Job seekers	Other not employed	Total					
MEDIAN MONTHLY EXPENDITURE	2,811.70	1,971.26	3,066.53	2,459.34	1,904.74	1,595.47	1,535.96	2,110.47					
AVERAGE MONTHLY EXPENDITURE (=100%)	3,181.91	2,232.47	3,470.63	2,872.49	2,271.28	1,793.88	1,876.71	2,488.50					
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	14.6	19.3	14.5	16.9	18.8	21.3	19.7	17.5					
Non food	85.4	80.7	85.5	83.1	81.2	78.7	80.3	82.5					
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	1.5	2.3	1.3	1.8	1.7	2.7	1.6	1.7					
Clothing and footwear	5.7	5.1	5.0	5.8	3.2	4.3	3.7	4.6					
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels, of which:	33.2	32.6	37.3	33.9	41.3	36.8	41.5	36.7					
Major maintenance and repair	1.5	0.6	1.3	1.3	1.9	-	0.8	1.4					
Imputed rentals	21.9	17.0	26.7	22.3	28.3	20.5	27.0	23.8					
Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance	3.9	4.0	3.6	3.9	4.5	2.9	4.5	4.1					
Health	3.8	3.4	3.0	4.2	5.8	3.2	4.4	4.4					
Transport	12.2	12.6	11.8	11.0	7.9	10.4	7.3	10.3					
Communication	2.5	3.1	2.3	2.7	2.4	3.3	2.7	2.6					
Recreation and culture	6.2	4.5	5.1	5.6	4.1	4.3	3.8	4.9					
Education	0.9	0.5	1.1	0.8	0.2	0.6	0.5	0.6					
Restaurants and hotels	6.4	4.4	6.2	5.1	2.8	3.4	3.0	4.4					
Miscellaneous goods and services**	9.1	8.3	8.7	8.4	7.3	6.9	7.4	8.1					
Average monthly expenditure on food and non-alcoholic beverages	464.62	430.42	503.68	484.98	426.08	382.20	370.22	436.06					
Average monthly expenditure on non food goods and services	2,717.29	1,802.04	2,966.95	2,387.51	1,845.20	1,411.68	1,506.49	2,052.44					

<sup>(</sup>a) Employed and job seekers are defined according to the ILO international standard.

\*\* Including personal care, personal effects, social protection, insurance and financial services.

- Not statistically significant data.

TABLE 6 - AVERAGE AND MEDIAN MONTHLY HOUSEHOLD CONSUMPTION EXPENDITURE BY HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS' CITIZENSHIP. Year 2014, Euros (bold) and percentage composition by expenditure category on the total average expenditure

Expenditure category	All national members	National and non-national members	All non- national members	Total
MEDIAN MONTHLY EXPENDITURE	2,172.59	2,079.99	1,436.59	2,110.47
AVERAGE MONTHLY EXPENDITURE (=100%)	2,549.06	2,364.03	1,644.72	2,488.50
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	17.3	19.0	21.1	17.5
Non food	82.7	81.0	78.9	82.5
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	1.7	2.2	2.4	1.7
Clothing and footwear	4.6	5.1	4.6	4.6
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels, of which:	36.6	34.7	38.9	36.7
Major maintenance and repair	1.4	-	-	1.4
Imputed rentals	24.5	18.8	10.2	23.8
Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance	4.1	4.2	3.2	4.1
Health	4.5	3.1	2.2	4.4
Transport	10.3	11.4	10.3	10.3
Communication	2.6	3.0	3.7	2.6
Recreation and culture	5.0	4.3	3.4	4.9
Education	0.6	0.7	0.3	0.6
Restaurants and hotels	4.5	4.7	3.4	4.4
Miscellaneous goods and services**	8.2	7.6	6.5	8.1
Average monthly expenditure on food and non-alcoholic beverages	441.82	450.09	347.13	436.06
Average monthly expenditure on non food goods and services	2,107.24	1,913.94	1,297.59	2,052.44

<sup>\*\*</sup> Including personal care, personal effects, social protection, insurance and financial services.
- Not statistically significant data.

TABLE 7 - AVERAGE AND MEDIAN MONTHLY HOUSEHOLD CONSUMPTION EXPENDITURE BY REGION. Year 2014, Euros

(bold) and percentage composition by expenditure category on the total average expenditure

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Region	MEDIAN MONTHLY EXPENDITURE	AVERAGE MONTHLY EXPENDITURE (=100%)	Food and non-alcoholic beverages	Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	Clothing and footwear	Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels, of which:	Major maintenance and repair	Imputed rentals	Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance	Health	Transport	Communication	Recreation and culture	Education	Restaurants and hotels	Miscellaneous goods and services**
Piemonte	2,222.92	2,656.89	17.2	1.7	4.3	36.9	1.5	22.6	3.7	4.3	10.8	2.4	5.5	0.5	5.1	7.6
Valle d'Aosta/ Vallée d'Aoste	2,284.09	2,682.82	16.7	1.8	6.5	34.5	2.2	20.3	2.8	5.6	12.0	2.6	4.8	0.3	5.4	7.0
Liguria	1,935.56	2,322.57	18.2	1.8	3.0	40.4	1.4	25.4	3.7	4.5	8.0	2.7	5.2	0.4	4.9	7.2
Lombardia	2,466.47	2,950.06	14.7	1.7	5.6	36.1	1.1	23.3	4.1	4.6	11.2	2.4	4.9	0.7	4.8	9.1
Trentino-Alto Adige/ Südtirol	2,566.39	3,073.54	14.7	1.4	4.0	35.6	1.3	22.5	4.9	4.8	10.6	2.3	7.0	0.7	6.0	8.2
- Bolzano/ Bozen	2,760.89	3,384.48	14.8	1.6	4.2	34.1	-	20.3	5.3	4.4	8.8	2.2	8.5	0.7	7.1	8.2
- Trento	2,417.00	2,786.93	14.7	1.2	3.8	37.2	2.2	24.9	4.4	5.2	12.5	2.3	5.2	0.6	4.7	8.2
Veneto	2,343.52	2,677.10	15.9	1.4	4.0	35.9	1.6	23.7	3.8	5.4	12.2	2.6	5.5	0.8	4.7	7.8
Friuli-Venezia Giulia	2,125.34	2,526.33	17.5	1.6	4.1	37.1	2.8	23.1	4.0	4.5	9.9	2.4	5.2	0.6	4.8	8.2
Emilia-Romagna	2,534.68	2,883.27	14.7	1.7	4.1	38.6	3.0	23.8	4.0	4.3	11.0	2.4	5.1	0.5	5.5	8.1
Toscana	2,258.06	2,661.48	16.9	1.8	4.3	37.9	1.4	25.1	4.3	3.9	9.4	2.6	5.5	0.4	4.8	8.3
Umbria	2,017.79	2,367.37	19.0	1.6	3.6	39.2	-	27.9	4.3	3.5	10.7	2.5	4.4	0.5	3.4	7.3
Marche	2,071.22	2,426.79	18.2	1.6	4.1	36.9	2.5	23.6	4.0	4.1	11.0	2.5	4.5	0.6	4.2	8.4
Lazio	2,242.80	2,654.84	17.0	1.5	3.1	42.1	1.2	29.3	3.6	4.2	9.0	2.6	4.4	0.6	4.7	7.2
Abruzzo	1,836.52	2,130.29	18.6	1.7	4.5	38.0	1.2	26.3	3.7	4.3	10.5	2.5	4.0	0.4	3.1	8.7
Molise	1,708.69	2,048.34	20.6	2.0	5.2	34.6	1.2	23.6	4.6	4.0	11.9	3.1	3.5	0.6	2.8	7.0
Campania	1,886.71	2,027.96	22.2	2.1	5.3	35.3	0.4	23.0	4.5	3.6	7.8	3.1	4.9	0.6	3.3	7.4
Puglia	1,853.45	2,061.01	21.7	2.1	5.8	32.1	0.8	19.8	4.7	5.2	9.8	2.9	3.8	0.5	2.9	8.5
Basilicata	1,630.55	1,879.43	23.0	2.4	6.6	30.6	0.6	18.6	4.9	4.0	11.4	3.4	3.1	0.4	2.7	7.5
Calabria	1,474.47	1,757.82	24.3	2.1	5.0	32.3	1.0	20.6	4.5	4.3	9.3	3.5	3.2	0.4	2.7	8.3
Sicilia	1,525.04	1,778.86	22.9	2.1	5.8	30.4	0.5	19.5	4.6	4.6	10.0	3.7	4.0	0.5	2.9	8.4
Sardegna	1,860.21	2,135.17	19.5	1.8	3.6	36.4	1.5	24.5	4.4	3.2	12.1	2.6	4.5	0.4	3.4	8.0
Italy	2,110.47	2,488.50	17.5	1.7	4.6	36.7	1.4	23.8	4.1	4.4	10.3	2.6	4.9	0.6	4.4	8.1

<sup>\*\*</sup> Including personal care, personal effects, social protection, insurance and financial services.

Not statistically significant data.

TABLE 8 - AVERAGE AND MEDIAN MONTHLY HOUSEHOLD CONSUMPTION EXPENDITURE BY MUNICIPALITY DEMOGRAPHIC SIZE. Year 2014, Euros (bold) and percentage composition by expenditure category on the total average expenditure

	Municipality demographic size						
Expenditure category	Metropolitan area	Big municipality	Small municipality	Total			
MEDIAN MONTHLY EXPENDITURE	2,236.89	2,194.88	2,023.84	2,110.47			
AVERAGE MONTHLY EXPENDITURE (=100%)	2,723.92	2,497.19	2,409.96	2,488.50			
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	14.9	18.0	18.2	17.5			
Non food	85.1	82.0	81.8	82.5			
Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.7			
Clothing and footwear	3.4	4.0	5.3	4.6			
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels, of which:	43.6	37.9	33.6	36.7			
Major maintenance and repair	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.4			
Imputed rentals	28.6	24.8	21.5	23.8			
Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance	4.1	4.0	4.2	4.1			
Health	4.3	4.1	4.6	4.4			
Transport	7.5	9.9	11.5	10.3			
Communication	2.5	2.6	2.7	2.6			
Recreation and culture	5.0	4.8	4.8	4.9			
Education	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.6			
Restaurants and hotels	4.8	4.4	4.3	4.4			
Miscellaneous goods and services**	7.6	7.9	8.5	8.1			
Average monthly expenditure on food and non-alcoholic beverages	405.54	448.91	438.64	436.06			
Average monthly expenditure on non food goods and services	2,318.38	2,048.27	1,971.31	2,052.44			

<sup>\*\*</sup> Including personal care, personal effects, social protection, insurance e financial services.

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