

This is extraordinary, and worth a few moments of your time. Scroll down and take a good look at each family size, the diet of each country, and the availability and cost of what is eaten in one week. Comparisons given American dollars.

1 - Germany: The Melander family of Bargteheide  
Food expenditure for one week: 375.39 Euros or \$500.07



2 - United States: The Revis family of North Carolina  
Food expenditure for one week \$341.98



3 - Italy: The Manzo family of Sicily  
Food expenditure for one week: 214.36 Euros or \$260.11



4 - Mexico: The Casales family of Cuernavaca  
Food expenditure for one week: 1,862.78 Mexican Pesos or \$189.09



5 - Poland: The Sobczynscy family of Konstancin-Jeziorna  
Food expenditure for one week: 582.48 Zlotys or \$151.27



6 - Egypt: The Ahmed family of Cairo  
Food expenditure for one week: 387.85 Egyptian Pounds or \$68.53



7 - Ecuador: The Ayme family of Tingo  
Food expenditure for one week: \$31.55



8 - Bhutan: The Namgay family of Shingkey Village  
Food expenditure for one week: 224.93 ngultrum or \$5.03



9 - Chad: The Aboubakar family of Bredjing Camp  
Food expenditure for one week: 685 CFA Francs or \$1.23



Did you notice that one small family in Germany spends enough per week to feed 500 families of 6 people or 3000 people a week in Chad?