

Selected Per Capita State Government Expenditures: 1997 (dollars)

State	Per Capita State Government Expenditures											Gov't Admin.	Parks and Recreation	Natural Resources	Correction	Police protection	Highways	Health	Hospitals	Public Welfare	Education	Total	Interest On Gen'l. Debt
	Total	Total	Education	Public Welfare	Hospitals	Health	Highways	Police protection	Correction	Natural Resources	Parks and Recreation												
United States	3,344.70	2,950.79	1,032.62	760.76	109.74	126.84	225.39	28.08	108.73	48.33	14.60	107.28	98.50										
Alabama	2,997.19	2,701.75	1,198.26	587.55	204.36	131.20	193.85	21.57	54.15	40.74	3.78	69.62	51.79										
Alaska	9,396.48	8,472.39	1,968.53	1,219.08	46.34	261.83	968.48	93.14	249.80	474.43	25.30	549.00	372.23										
Arizona	2,726.38	2,473.41	885.49	590.22	12.05	102.67	256.31	29.00	123.85	36.76	9.61	72.72	34.93										
Arkansas	3,045.84	2,815.27	1,117.46	660.69	143.77	103.57	302.40	23.81	81.70	54.52	19.38	97.61	48.18										
California	3,632.37	3,187.46	1,101.59	936.08	90.42	188.54	141.98	32.19	122.97	62.33	7.72	98.04	76.93										
Colorado	2,789.94	2,409.84	1,076.87	570.43	37.47	63.45	207.99	14.20	117.01	39.02	11.97	85.82	60.59										
Connecticut	4,228.14	3,654.99	885.04	891.29	298.93	123.00	231.34	33.50	151.00	23.29	11.74	178.72	289.93										
Delaware	4,649.75	4,232.72	1,462.09	684.18	82.54	227.99	358.57	71.44	168.23	74.93	36.23	334.85	285.33										
Florida	2,556.56	2,365.06	791.56	524.97	37.61	126.27	215.54	21.82	126.19	75.32	10.12	104.79	61.73										
Georgia	2,935.53	2,731.49	1,193.96	712.61	87.11	92.39	144.75	23.00	117.80	49.88	22.59	65.11	51.49										
Hawaii	5,133.42	4,566.93	1,311.73	828.42	200.20	233.35	270.98	5.91	107.44	59.90	121.57	209.00	276.58										
Idaho	3,036.54	2,686.42	1,112.18	495.05	31.21	76.50	327.83	26.65	79.72	95.79	16.92	98.03	84.50										
Illinois	2,967.54	2,628.29	770.01	770.31	71.12	143.15	218.29	25.50	84.77	22.55	16.39	88.65	128.31										
Indiana	2,791.68	2,626.23	1,093.25	549.33	38.78	69.35	281.04	26.08	71.39	27.68	9.95	63.44	49.14										
Iowa	3,277.62	3,023.14	1,260.36	609.23	173.07	65.07	383.77	20.54	70.30	74.40	6.38	109.32	40.13										
Kansas	2,888.66	2,649.21	1,170.42	433.20	116.86	116.29	390.37	15.86	79.45	63.60	2.26	97.81	27.53										
Kentucky	3,313.46	2,977.06	1,125.48	820.64	114.63	77.47	279.08	31.06	66.59	55.10	26.97	119.63	98.34										
Louisiana	3,282.56	2,938.79	1,047.38	680.15	244.33	90.81	195.32	44.06	95.81	71.92	43.62	110.94	125.02										
Maine	3,575.91	3,189.27	903.24	1,076.36	43.41	167.22	291.58	31.43	53.15	93.78	7.19	128.25	139.22										
Maryland	3,180.12	2,748.71	863.95	593.45	62.72	152.97	244.46	49.23	145.54	62.19	30.92	131.10	118.15										
Massachusetts	4,215.54	3,855.66	1,463.98	961.34	144.86	216.69	350.45	43.64	132.60	33.04	23.35	160.56	289.46										
Michigan	3,692.67	3,329.90	1,463.98	687.80	145.30	209.40	210.64	25.92	132.10	33.28	5.62	73.49	80.52										
Minnesota	3,935.82	3,584.27	1,317.91	951.48	91.51	106.99	267.91	19.03	69.43	76.91	21.04	105.16	66.00										
Mississippi	3,297.60	2,934.44	1,007.63	692.53	154.55	90.78	284.02	20.56	77.64	59.51	42.46	97.18	55.49										
Missouri	2,634.16	2,421.70	935.09	567.63	81.65	105.38	234.13	28.86	68.14	48.71	7.00	117.88	82.00										
Montana	3,644.93	3,214.73	1,160.33	569.51	32.67	125.94	391.14	37.17	83.26	165.89	6.43	162.37	149.02										
Nebraska	2,897.85	2,744.42	958.18	621.86	198.10	129.94	359.78	27.49	63.75	78.81	14.11	77.34	54.44										
Nevada	3,058.81	2,580.85	1,000.02	389.92	40.01	53.11	220.62	23.44	107.62	39.44	8.67	119.75	92.88										
New Hampshire	2,833.37	2,465.01	532.08	771.24	35.17	117.88	261.29	24.86	50.98	25.65	9.88	128.62	323.78										
New Jersey	3,654.49	2,862.70	904.23	599.25	121.01	93.66	197.77	29.37	124.44	30.36	46.21	119.87	171.01										
New Mexico	4,080.17	3,749.37	1,454.10	724.29	185.31	156.03	372.20	33.53	107.80	49.07	24.75	148.70	71.56										
New York	4,589.69	3,860.45	895.59	1,521.45	182.59	118.41	152.39	18.98	126.11	16.49	18.07	191.17	207.68										
North Carolina	3,079.39	2,822.16	1,153.00	637.44	105.28	121.21	254.32	29.55	125.96	54.92	12.31	79.68	40.01										
North Dakota	3,784.18	3,466.41	1,206.44	705.63	70.18	88.72	359.00	13.44	33.27	160.38	15.00	127.00	89.67										
Ohio	3,344.08	2,744.93	1,004.17	711.68	78.27	120.87	220.64	18.26	112.93	28.27	8.33	100.19	77.30										
Oklahoma	2,891.98	2,498.18	1,112.81	519.58	87.67	97.95	243.09	15.85	106.11	46.38	15.94	106.65	49.68										
Oregon	3,820.00	3,196.80	1,111.09	736.92	135.13	113.01	315.79	45.14	132.37	79.23	11.66	203.85	111.33										
Pennsylvania	3,269.24	2,804.37	874.62	833.51	141.18	114.73	207.38	53.84	89.67	36.25	8.97	90.32	98.23										
Rhode Island	4,054.48	3,417.06	925.87	880.51	80.93	251.35	194.06	33.28	121.27	24.88	31.66	218.10	304.13										
South Carolina	3,416.81	2,959.35	1,038.01	697.22	162.52	187.02	176.81	42.44	114.16	46.22	13.18	84.05	55.49										
South Dakota	2,805.53	2,638.62	787.93	527.14	53.80	79.76	382.41	21.96	81.13	113.56	24.52	111.25	158.41										
Tennessee	2,661.01	2,478.42	869.88	742.68	101.49	106.71	241.93	17.83	87.41	31.40	18.23	61.74	37.74										
Texas	2,514.91	2,269.89	941.58	592.87	100.91	68.51	169.30	15.10	115.88	29.40	3.47	63.72	43.37										
Utah	3,311.19	3,052.65	1,469.23	480.79	155.38	83.77	283.42	27.96	85.17	80.91	15.11	143.66	62.99										
Vermont	3,604.87	3,345.91	1,094.86	887.81	14.79	84.64	323.84	51.08	74.20	105.86	20.38	196.20	189.70										
Virginia	2,864.05	2,644.32	1,046.57	480.22	172.74	80.28	217.76	36.42	122.36	20.92	7.53	115.19	88.90										
Washington	3,958.45	3,351.62	1,390.94	723.56	100.65	179.92	377.65	48.20	100.24	82.73	13.03	80.47	95.57										
West Virginia	3,934.74	3,358.30	1,314.03	882.81	45.67	73.98	431.11	22.59	52.26	79.90	25.97	146.97	98.59										
Wisconsin	3,520.22	3,139.02	1,215.78	623.44	86.30	96.19	246.95	11.44	110.96	57.68	11.03	92.48	112.97										
Wyoming	4,430.84	3,911.00	1,327.90	540.51	59.20	153.95	602.73	28.66	77.85	257.00	37.75	183.91	118.69										

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, State Government Finances in 1997, <<http://www.census.gov/govs/www/index.html>>