

TABLE 10.—Revenue of State and local governments from current charges and utility and liquor store sales in relation to expenditure amounts, by function: 1963-64

[Amounts in millions]

Function	Revenue from current charges or sales	Expenditure		Percent relation of charges or sales revenue to—	
		Total	Current only	Total expenditure	Current expenditure
Total.....	13,466	75,486	56,399	17.8	23.9
General government functions.....	7,491	69,302	51,847	10.8	14.4
Education.....	2,811	26,533	21,959	10.6	12.8
Highways.....	1,499	11,684	3,705	4.3	13.5
Hospitals.....	1,206	4,171	3,768	28.0	32.0
Sewerage.....	468	1,515	420	30.9	111.4
Sanitation other than sewerage.....	174	1,752	699	23.1	24.9
Local parks and recreation.....	143	1,022	690	14.0	20.7
Natural resources.....	212	1,835	1,143	11.6	19.5
Housing and urban renewal.....	414	1,142	413	36.3	100.2
Airports.....	234	359	141	65.2	166.0
Water transport and terminals.....	171	291	118	58.8	144.9
Parking facilities.....	152	114	49	133.3	310.2
All other or unallocable ²	1,007	19,904	18,742	5.1	5.4
Local utilities ³	4,616	5,067	3,436	91.1	134.3
Water supply.....	1,917	2,255	1,307	85.0	146.7
Electric power.....	1,718	1,614	1,123	106.4	153.0
Transit.....	715	948	793	75.4	90.2
Gas supply.....	266	251	213	106.0	124.9
Liquor stores.....	1,369	1,117	1,116	121.7	121.8

¹ State governments only; mainly from toll highway charges.² Includes public welfare, police, fire protection, correction, and various other functions for which "charges revenue" data are not separately available.³ Expenditure amounts shown include interest on debt for utility purposes.

SOURCES AND LIMITATIONS OF DATA

The statistics shown in this study with respect to capital outlay and other expenditure, revenue, and indebtedness of State and local governments are nearly entirely from publications of the Bureau of the Census: primarily the annual reports *Government Finances in [year]*, and *Compendium of State Government Finances in [year]*, and a report of the 1962 Census of Governments (vol. VI, No. 4) entitled "*Historical Statistics on Governmental Finances and Employment*."

All the fiscal-year amounts which are shown or included for local governments are estimates subject to sampling variation, except amounts for 1957 and 1962, which are based upon the comprehensive Censuses of Governments conducted for those years.

The data shown in table 5 concerning State-local construction put in place are from the Construction Review, and are based upon Census Bureau data derived from figures on public construction awards.

The fiscal-year amounts shown for 1963 and earlier periods pertain to governmental fiscal years which ended during the respective calendar years specified. A shift was initiated in Census Bureau financial reports after 1963, whereby local governments are grouped in terms of fiscal years ended in June or the 11 previous months. As thus grouped, the local amounts included here for 1963-64 and 1964-65 are for a period averaging about 3 months earlier than on the previous reporting basis.