



\$16.0 Billion

The estimated value in 2015 of chocolate and confectionery product shipments for manufacturing establishments that produced these products. Up from \$14.9 billion in



Consumers will spend \$681 million to treat their favorite pets.



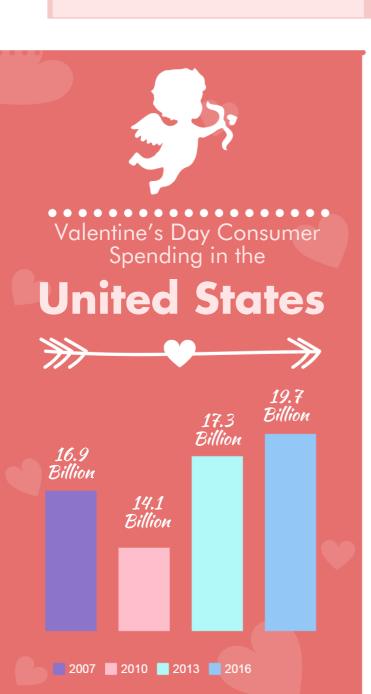
\$1.1 billion

Nearly half (47.9%) of those celebrating Valentine's Day will buy a V-day card.



399 Dating **Services**

About 31 million Americans used one or more of these 399 dating sites or apps in 2014.







Average Person Spent

\$146.84

on flowers, jewelry, candy, apparel and more in 2016, a 3% increase from the \$142.31 spent in 2015, and a 10% increase from the average \$133.91 spent in 2014.

Valentine's Day Spending

YEAR







2016

\$4.4 Billion Amount spent on

necklaces, earrings and other jewelry items

\$1.9 Billion

Amount spent on flowers

\$4.5 Billion Amount spent on

a night out at a restaurant, tickets to show or another

Valentine's in Miami

Compared to 100 largest cities in the United States.



Miami ranks first as the city with "most expensive three-course meal-for two", while Hialeah ranks fourth.



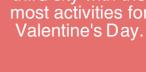
florists per capita and

ranks as the third city with the most jewelry

stores per capita.



Miami ranks as the third city with the most activities for





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