

**DP-1. General Population and Housing Characteristics: 1990**  
**Data Set: 1990 Summary Tape File 1 (STF 1) - 100-Percent data**  
**Scranton city, Lackawanna County**

Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
<b>Total population</b>	<b>81,805</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>Total housing units</b>	<b>35,357</b>	100.0%
<b>SEX</b>			<b>OCCUPANCY AND TENURE</b>		
Male	37,496	45.8%	Occupied housing units	32,637	92.3%
Female	44,309	54.2%	Owner occupied	17,515	49.5%
			Renter occupied	15,122	42.8%
<b>AGE</b>			Vacant housing units	2,720	7.7%
Under 5 years	4,916	6.0%	For rent	1,114	3.2%
5 to 9 years	4,822	5.9%	For sale only	262	0.7%
10 to 14 years	4,641	5.7%	Rented or sold, not occupied	332	0.9%
15 to 19 years	5,808	7.1%	For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	52	0.1%
20 to 24 years	6,636	8.1%			
25 to 34 years	11,769	14.4%	Persons per owner-occupied unit	2.61	(x)
35 to 44 years	9,976	12.2%	Persons per renter-occupied unit	2.09	(x)
45 to 54 years	7,112	8.7%			
55 to 59 years	3,618	4.4%	<b>UNITS IN STRUCTURE</b>		
60 to 64 years	4,578	5.6%	1-unit detached	14,145	40.0%
65 to 74 years	9,692	11.8%	1-unit attached	2,205	6.2%
75 to 84 years	6,390	7.8%	2 to 4 units	13,120	37.1%
85 years and over	1,847	2.3%	5 to 9 units	2,450	6.9%
			10 or more units	2,811	8.0%
Under 18 years	17,129	20.9%	Mobile home, trailer, or other	39	0.1%
65 years and over	17,929	21.9%	<b>VALUE</b>		
			<b>Owner-occupied housing units</b>	<b>12,542</b>	100.0%
<b>HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE</b>			Less than \$50,000	4,958	39.5%
<b>Total households</b>	<b>32,637</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	\$50,000 to \$99,999	6,187	49.3%
Family households (families)	20,439	62.6%	\$100,000 to \$149,999	981	7.8%
Married-couple families	14,834	45.5%	\$150,000 to \$199,999	255	2.0%
Other family, male householder	1,092	3.3%	\$200,000 to \$299,999	128	1.0%
Other family, female householder	4,513	13.8%	\$300,000 or more	33	0.3%
Nonfamily households	12,198	37.4%	Median (dollars)	57,100	(x)
Householder living alone	11,082	34.0%			
Householder 65 years and over	6,188	19.0%	<b>CONTRACT RENT</b>		
			<b>Renter-occupied housing units</b>	<b>14,328</b>	100.0%
Persons living in households	77,463	94.7%	Less than \$250	7,050	49.2%
Persons per household	2.37	(x)	\$250 to \$499	6,712	46.8%
			\$500 to \$749	512	3.6%
<b>RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN</b>			\$750 to \$999	35	0.2%
White	79,498	97.2%	\$1,000 or more	19	0.1%
Black	1,290	1.6%	Median (dollars)	252	1.8%
American Indian, Eskimo, or Aleut	73	0.1%			
Asian or Pacific Islander	747	0.9%	<b>RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER</b>		
Other race	197	0.2%	<b>Occupied housing units</b>	<b>32,637</b>	100.0%
			White	31,990	98.0%
Hispanic origin (of any race)	545	0.7%	Black	387	1.2%
Mexican	64	0.1%	American Indian, Eskimo, or Aleut	29	0.1%
Puerto Rican	229	0.3%	Asian or Pacific Islander	187	0.6%
Cuban	25	0.0%	Other race	44	0.1%
Other Hispanic	227	0.3%	Hispanic origin (of any race)	165	0.5%

x Not applicable

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population and Housing, Summary Tape File 1 (100% Data) □

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