

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic area: Covington township, Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	1,994	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
SEX AND AGE			Total population	1,994	100.0
Male.....	963	48.3	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	23	1.2
Female.....	1,031	51.7	Mexican.....	3	0.2
Under 5 years.....	96	4.8	Puerto Rican.....	9	0.5
5 to 9 years.....	153	7.7	Cuban.....	2	0.1
10 to 14 years.....	145	7.3	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	9	0.5
15 to 19 years.....	159	8.0	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	1,971	98.8
20 to 24 years.....	108	5.4	White alone.....	1,941	97.3
25 to 34 years.....	220	11.0	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	318	15.9	Total population	1,994	100.0
45 to 54 years.....	344	17.3	In households.....	1,994	100.0
55 to 59 years.....	111	5.6	Householder.....	738	37.0
60 to 64 years.....	68	3.4	Spouse.....	456	22.9
65 to 74 years.....	142	7.1	Child.....	645	32.3
75 to 84 years.....	95	4.8	Own child under 18 years.....	458	23.0
85 years and over.....	35	1.8	Other relatives.....	92	4.6
Median age (years).....	39.2	(X)	Under 18 years.....	32	1.6
18 years and over.....	1,493	74.9	Nonrelatives.....	63	3.2
Male.....	715	35.9	Unmarried partner.....	21	1.1
Female.....	778	39.0	In group quarters.....	-	-
21 years and over.....	1,422	71.3	Institutionalized population.....	-	-
62 years and over.....	301	15.1	Noninstitutionalized population.....	-	-
65 years and over.....	272	13.6	HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Male.....	118	5.9	Total households	738	100.0
Female.....	154	7.7	Family households (families).....	561	76.0
RACE			With own children under 18 years.....	247	33.5
One race.....	1,983	99.4	Married-couple family.....	456	61.8
White.....	1,960	98.3	With own children under 18 years.....	187	25.3
Black or African American.....	13	0.7	Female householder, no husband present.....	82	11.1
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	1	0.1	With own children under 18 years.....	44	6.0
Asian.....	5	0.3	Nonfamily households.....	177	24.0
Asian Indian.....	-	-	Householder living alone.....	151	20.5
Chinese.....	1	0.1	Householder 65 years and over.....	68	9.2
Filipino.....	2	0.1	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	269	36.4
Japanese.....	-	-	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	195	26.4
Korean.....	2	0.1	Average household size.....	2.70	(X)
Vietnamese.....	-	-	Average family size.....	3.13	(X)
Other Asian ¹	-	-	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	-	-	Total housing units	838	100.0
Native Hawaiian.....	-	-	Occupied housing units.....	738	88.1
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	-	-	Vacant housing units.....	100	11.9
Samoan.....	-	-	For seasonal, recreational, or		
Other Pacific Islander ²	-	-	occasional use.....	56	6.7
Some other race.....	4	0.2	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	1.5	(X)
Two or more races.....	11	0.6	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	5.8	(X)
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: ³			HOUSING TENURE		
White.....	1,971	98.8	Occupied housing units	738	100.0
Black or African American.....	14	0.7	Owner-occupied housing units.....	609	82.5
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	8	0.4	Renter-occupied housing units.....	129	17.5
Asian.....	7	0.4	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.76	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	1	0.1	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	2.43	(X)
Some other race.....	4	0.2			

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¹ Other Asian alone, or two or more Asian categories.

² Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

³ In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-2. Profile of Selected Social Characteristics: 2000

Geographic area: Covington township, Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania

[Data based on a sample. For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT			NATIVITY AND PLACE OF BIRTH		
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school			Total population	1,994	100.0
Nursery school, preschool	43	8.1	Native	1,961	98.3
Kindergarten	29	5.5	Born in United States	1,948	97.7
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	242	45.7	State of residence	1,674	84.0
High school (grades 9-12)	154	29.1	Different state	274	13.7
College or graduate school	62	11.7	Born outside United States	13	0.7
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT			Foreign born	33	1.7
Population 25 years and over			Entered 1990 to March 2000	13	0.7
Less than 9th grade	57	4.3	Naturalized citizen	28	1.4
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	140	10.6	Not a citizen	5	0.3
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	560	42.4	REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN		
Some college, no degree	256	19.4	Total (excluding born at sea)	33	100.0
Associate degree	85	6.4	Europe	21	63.6
Bachelor's degree	127	9.6	Asia	5	15.2
Graduate or professional degree	96	7.3	Africa	-	-
Percent high school graduate or higher	85.1	(X)	Oceania	-	-
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	16.9	(X)	Latin America	7	21.2
MARITAL STATUS			Northern America	-	-
Population 15 years and over			LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME		
Never married	391	24.5	Population 5 years and over	1,887	100.0
Now married, except separated	920	57.6	English only	1,829	96.9
Separated	27	1.7	Language other than English	58	3.1
Widowed	144	9.0	Speak English less than "very well"	14	0.7
Female	114	7.1	Spanish	22	1.2
Divorced	115	7.2	Speak English less than "very well"	5	0.3
Female	67	4.2	Other Indo-European languages	34	1.8
GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS			Speak English less than "very well"	7	0.4
Grandparent living in household with one or more own grandchildren under 18 years			Asian and Pacific Island languages	2	0.1
Grandparent responsible for grandchildren	2	7.4	Speak English less than "very well"	2	0.1
VETERAN STATUS			ANCESTRY (single or multiple)		
Civilian population 18 years and over			Total population	1,994	100.0
Civilian veterans	250	16.9	<i>Total ancestries reported</i>	<i>2,549</i>	<i>127.8</i>
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION			Arab	-	-
Population 5 to 20 years			Czech ¹	16	0.8
With a disability	31	6.8	Danish	2	0.1
Population 21 to 64 years			Dutch	81	4.1
With a disability	216	18.8	English	240	12.0
Percent employed	62.0	(X)	French (except Basque) ¹	14	0.7
No disability	936	81.3	French Canadian ¹	10	0.5
Percent employed	80.8	(X)	German	474	23.8
Population 65 years and over			Greek	3	0.2
With a disability	109	39.8	Hungarian	22	1.1
RESIDENCE IN 1995			Irish ¹	381	19.1
Population 5 years and over			Italian	361	18.1
Same house in 1995	1,380	73.1	Lithuanian	58	2.9
Different house in the U.S. in 1995	492	26.1	Norwegian	13	0.7
Same county	320	17.0	Polish	329	16.5
Different county	172	9.1	Portuguese	-	-
Same state	104	5.5	Russian	83	4.2
Different state	68	3.6	Scotch-Irish	25	1.3
Elsewhere in 1995	15	0.8	Scottish	25	1.3
			Slovak	36	1.8
			Subsaharan African	-	-
			Swedish	4	0.2
			Swiss	6	0.3
			Ukrainian	38	1.9
			United States or American	86	4.3
			Welsh	154	7.7
			West Indian (excluding Hispanic groups)	-	-
			Other ancestries	88	4.4

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¹The data represent a combination of two ancestries shown separately in Summary File 3. Czech includes Czechoslovakian. French includes Alsatian. French Canadian includes Acadian/Cajun. Irish includes Celtic.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census 2000.

Table DP-3. Profile of Selected Economic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic area: Covington township, Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania

[Data based on a sample. For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
EMPLOYMENT STATUS			INCOME IN 1999		
Population 16 years and over			Households		
In labor force	1,566	100.0	Less than \$10,000	740	100.0
Civilian labor force	1,052	67.2	\$10,000 to \$14,999	59	8.0
Employed	1,049	67.0	\$15,000 to \$24,999	32	4.3
Unemployed	988	63.1	\$25,000 to \$34,999	115	15.5
Percent of civilian labor force	61	3.9	\$35,000 to \$49,999	97	13.1
Armed Forces	5.8	(X)	\$50,000 to \$74,999	142	19.2
Not in labor force	3	0.2	\$75,000 to \$99,999	152	20.5
Females 16 years and over			\$100,000 to \$149,999	94	12.7
In labor force	807	100.0	\$150,000 to \$199,999	30	4.1
Civilian labor force	494	61.2	\$200,000 or more	9	1.2
Employed	494	61.2	Median household income (dollars)	10	1.4
Own children under 6 years	472	58.5	With earnings	41,875	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	143	100.0	Mean earnings (dollars) ¹	581	78.5
COMMUTING TO WORK			With Social Security income	50,047	(X)
Workers 16 years and over			Mean Social Security income (dollars) ¹	223	30.1
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	966	100.0	With Supplemental Security Income	11,628	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	797	82.5	Mean Supplemental Security Income	21	2.8
Public transportation (including taxicab)	109	11.3	(dollars) ¹	5,414	(X)
Walked	6	0.6	With public assistance income	11	1.5
Other means	25	2.6	Mean public assistance income (dollars) ¹	2,709	(X)
Worked at home	2	0.2	With retirement income	132	17.8
Mean travel time to work (minutes) ¹	27	2.8	Mean retirement income (dollars) ¹	30,100	(X)
Employed civilian population			Families		
16 years and over			Less than \$10,000	562	100.0
OCCUPATION			\$10,000 to \$14,999	23	4.1
Management, professional, and related	988	100.0	\$15,000 to \$24,999	18	3.2
occupations	292	29.6	\$25,000 to \$34,999	70	12.5
Service occupations	121	12.2	\$35,000 to \$49,999	76	13.5
Sales and office occupations	259	26.2	\$50,000 to \$74,999	112	19.9
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	1	0.1	\$75,000 to \$99,999	130	23.1
Construction, extraction, and maintenance	1	0.1	\$100,000 to \$149,999	88	15.7
occupations	125	12.7	\$150,000 to \$199,999	26	4.6
Production, transportation, and material moving	9	1.6	\$200,000 or more	10	1.8
occupations	190	19.2	Median family income (dollars)	47,857	(X)
INDUSTRY			Per capita income (dollars) ¹	19,132	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting,			Median earnings (dollars):		
and mining	10	1.0	Male full-time, year-round workers	36,208	(X)
Construction	72	7.3	Female full-time, year-round workers	21,906	(X)
Manufacturing	157	15.9	Subject		
Wholesale trade	19	1.9	Number below poverty level		
Retail trade	143	14.5	Percent below poverty level		
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	71	7.2	POVERTY STATUS IN 1999		
Information	14	1.4	Families		
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and			With related children under 18 years	41	7.3
leasing	48	4.9	With related children under 5 years	29	10.7
Professional, scientific, management, adminis-			Families with female householder, no		
trative, and waste management services	67	6.8	husband present		
Educational, health and social services	202	20.4	With related children under 18 years	21	23.6
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation			With related children under 5 years	18	31.0
and food services	54	5.5	Individuals		
Other services (except public administration)	89	9.0	18 years and over	213	10.7
Public administration	42	4.3	65 years and over	123	8.3
CLASS OF WORKER			Related children under 18 years	38	13.9
Private wage and salary workers	781	79.0	Related children 5 to 17 years	86	17.2
Government workers	117	11.8	Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	59	15.0
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated				54	21.6
business	88	8.9			
Unpaid family workers	2	0.2			

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¹If the denominator of a mean value or per capita value is less than 30, then that value is calculated using a rounded aggregate in the numerator.

See text.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census 2000.

Table DP-4. Profile of Selected Housing Characteristics: 2000

Geographic area: Covington township, Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania

[Data based on a sample. For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total housing units	838	100.0	OCCUPANTS PER ROOM		
UNITS IN STRUCTURE			Occupied housing units	738	100.0
1-unit, detached	683	81.5	1.00 or less	726	98.4
1-unit, attached	19	2.3	1.01 to 1.50	10	1.4
2 units	34	4.1	1.51 or more	2	0.3
3 or 4 units	28	3.3			
5 to 9 units	-	-	Specified owner-occupied units	458	100.0
10 to 19 units	-	-	VALUE		
20 or more units	-	-	Less than \$50,000	8	1.7
Mobile home	74	8.8	\$50,000 to \$99,999	125	27.3
Boat, RV, van, etc	-	-	\$100,000 to \$149,999	202	44.1
			\$150,000 to \$199,999	71	15.5
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT			\$200,000 to \$299,999	46	10.0
1999 to March 2000	16	1.9	\$300,000 to \$499,999	6	1.3
1995 to 1998	33	3.9	\$500,000 to \$999,999	-	-
1990 to 1994	21	2.5	\$1,000,000 or more	-	-
1980 to 1989	147	17.5	Median (dollars)	122,200	(X)
1970 to 1979	185	22.1			
1960 to 1969	111	13.2	MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED		
1940 to 1959	144	17.2	MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
1939 or earlier	181	21.6	With a mortgage	295	64.4
			Less than \$300	-	-
ROOMS			\$300 to \$499	11	2.4
1 room	5	0.6	\$500 to \$699	32	7.0
2 rooms	3	0.4	\$700 to \$999	105	22.9
3 rooms	24	2.9	\$1,000 to \$1,499	92	20.1
4 rooms	90	10.7	\$1,500 to \$1,999	43	9.4
5 rooms	170	20.3	\$2,000 or more	12	2.6
6 rooms	206	24.6	Median (dollars)	998	(X)
7 rooms	151	18.0	Not mortgaged	163	35.6
8 rooms	102	12.2	Median (dollars)	343	(X)
9 or more rooms	87	10.4			
Median (rooms)	6.1	(X)	SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
			AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD		
Occupied housing units	738	100.0	INCOME IN 1999		
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT			Less than 15.0 percent	163	35.6
1999 to March 2000	58	7.9	15.0 to 19.9 percent	84	18.3
1995 to 1998	156	21.1	20.0 to 24.9 percent	51	11.1
1990 to 1994	79	10.7	25.0 to 29.9 percent	46	10.0
1980 to 1989	206	27.9	30.0 to 34.9 percent	29	6.3
1970 to 1979	105	14.2	35.0 percent or more	79	17.2
1969 or earlier	134	18.2	Not computed	6	1.3
VEHICLES AVAILABLE			Specified renter-occupied units	120	100.0
None	17	2.3	GROSS RENT		
1	217	29.4	Less than \$200	-	-
2	284	38.5	\$200 to \$299	3	2.5
3 or more	220	29.8	\$300 to \$499	41	34.2
			\$500 to \$749	54	45.0
HOUSE HEATING FUEL			\$750 to \$999	2	1.7
Utility gas	10	1.4	\$1,000 to \$1,499	3	2.5
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	58	7.9	\$1,500 or more	-	-
Electricity	144	19.5	No cash rent	17	14.2
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	467	63.3	Median (dollars)	538	(X)
Coal or coke	35	4.7			
Wood	24	3.3	GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF		
Solar energy	-	-	HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999		
Other fuel	-	-	Less than 15.0 percent	15	12.5
No fuel used	-	-	15.0 to 19.9 percent	9	7.5
			20.0 to 24.9 percent	20	16.7
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS			25.0 to 29.9 percent	16	13.3
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	-	-	30.0 to 34.9 percent	12	10.0
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	9	1.2	35.0 percent or more	28	23.3
No telephone service	6	0.8	Not computed	20	16.7

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Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census 2000.