

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

Geographic area: Salem township, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	4,269	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
SEX AND AGE			Total population	4,269	100.0
Male.....	2,107	49.4	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	28	0.7
Female.....	2,162	50.6	Mexican.....	8	0.2
Under 5 years.....	189	4.4	Puerto Rican.....	1	-
5 to 9 years.....	263	6.2	Cuban.....	-	-
10 to 14 years.....	313	7.3	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	19	0.4
15 to 19 years.....	262	6.1	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	4,241	99.3
20 to 24 years.....	194	4.5	White alone.....	4,193	98.2
25 to 34 years.....	477	11.2	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	660	15.5	Total population	4,269	100.0
45 to 54 years.....	619	14.5	In households.....	4,264	99.9
55 to 59 years.....	265	6.2	Householder.....	1,743	40.8
60 to 64 years.....	192	4.5	Spouse.....	1,038	24.3
65 to 74 years.....	442	10.4	Child.....	1,176	27.5
75 to 84 years.....	315	7.4	Own child under 18 years.....	880	20.6
85 years and over.....	78	1.8	Other relatives.....	154	3.6
Median age (years).....	41.7	(X)	Under 18 years.....	41	1.0
18 years and over.....	3,326	77.9	Nonrelatives.....	153	3.6
Male.....	1,623	38.0	Unmarried partner.....	89	2.1
Female.....	1,703	39.9	In group quarters.....	5	0.1
21 years and over.....	3,208	75.1	Institutionalized population.....	-	-
62 years and over.....	949	22.2	Noninstitutionalized population.....	5	0.1
65 years and over.....	835	19.6	HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Male.....	363	8.5	Total households	1,743	100.0
Female.....	472	11.1	Family households (families).....	1,263	72.5
RACE			With own children under 18 years.....	499	28.6
One race.....	4,255	99.7	Married-couple family.....	1,038	59.6
White.....	4,210	98.6	With own children under 18 years.....	388	22.3
Black or African American.....	20	0.5	Female householder, no husband present.....	154	8.8
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	1	-	With own children under 18 years.....	78	4.5
Asian.....	13	0.3	Nonfamily households.....	480	27.5
Asian Indian.....	1	-	Householder living alone.....	417	23.9
Chinese.....	1	-	Householder 65 years and over.....	216	12.4
Filipino.....	5	0.1	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	533	30.6
Japanese.....	1	-	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	586	33.6
Korean.....	1	-	Average household size.....	2.45	(X)
Vietnamese.....	2	-	Average family size.....	2.87	(X)
Other Asian ¹	2	-	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	-	-	Total housing units	1,924	100.0
Native Hawaiian.....	-	-	Occupied housing units.....	1,743	90.6
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	-	-	Vacant housing units.....	181	9.4
Samoan.....	-	-	For seasonal, recreational, or		
Other Pacific Islander ²	-	-	occasional use.....	39	2.0
Some other race.....	11	0.3	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	2.0	(X)
Two or more races.....	14	0.3	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	3.2	(X)
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: ³			HOUSING TENURE		
White.....	4,224	98.9	Occupied housing units	1,743	100.0
Black or African American.....	24	0.6	Owner-occupied housing units.....	1,472	84.5
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	10	0.2	Renter-occupied housing units.....	271	15.5
Asian.....	14	0.3	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.48	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	-	-	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	2.26	(X)
Some other race.....	11	0.3			

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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: Salem township, Luzerne 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	960	100.0	Total population	4,269	100.0
Nursery school, preschool	39	4.1	Native	4,220	98.9
Kindergarten	56	5.8	Born in United States	4,206	98.5
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	486	50.6	State of residence	3,793	88.8
High school (grades 9-12)	252	26.3	Different state	413	9.7
College or graduate school	127	13.2	Born outside United States	14	0.3
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT			Foreign born	49	1.1
Population 25 years and over	3,046	100.0	Entered 1990 to March 2000	7	0.2
Less than 9th grade	133	4.4	Naturalized citizen	38	0.9
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	421	13.8	Not a citizen	11	0.3
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	1,445	47.4	REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN		
Some college, no degree	437	14.3	Total (excluding born at sea)	49	100.0
Associate degree	172	5.6	Europe	35	71.4
Bachelor's degree	261	8.6	Asia	7	14.3
Graduate or professional degree	177	5.8	Africa	-	-
Percent high school graduate or higher	81.8	(X)	Oceania	-	-
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	14.4	(X)	Latin America	7	14.3
MARITAL STATUS			Northern America	-	-
Population 15 years and over	3,505	100.0	LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME		
Never married	646	18.4	Population 5 years and over	4,075	100.0
Now married, except separated	2,173	62.0	English only	3,970	97.4
Separated	79	2.3	Language other than English	105	2.6
Widowed	291	8.3	Speak English less than "very well"	27	0.7
Female	220	6.3	Spanish	18	0.4
Divorced	316	9.0	Speak English less than "very well"	5	0.1
Female	168	4.8	Other Indo-European languages	87	2.1
GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS			Speak English less than "very well"	22	0.5
Grandparent living in household with one or more own grandchildren under 18 years	38	100.0	Asian and Pacific Island languages	-	-
Grandparent responsible for grandchildren	12	31.6	Speak English less than "very well"	-	-
VETERAN STATUS			ANCESTRY (single or multiple)		
Civilian population 18 years and over ..	3,320	100.0	Total population	4,269	100.0
Civilian veterans	531	16.0	Total ancestries reported	5,051	118.3
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION			Arab	22	0.5
Population 5 to 20 years	846	100.0	Czech ¹	14	0.3
With a disability	86	10.2	Danish	-	-
Population 21 to 64 years	2,398	100.0	Dutch	339	7.9
With a disability	510	21.3	English	405	9.5
Percent employed	74.5	(X)	French (except Basque) ¹	46	1.1
No disability	1,888	78.7	French Canadian ¹	6	0.1
Percent employed	82.4	(X)	German	1,381	32.3
Population 65 years and over	831	100.0	Greek	8	0.2
With a disability	361	43.4	Hungarian	25	0.6
RESIDENCE IN 1995			Irish ¹	455	10.7
Population 5 years and over	4,075	100.0	Italian	451	10.6
Same house in 1995	2,916	71.6	Lithuanian	75	1.8
Different house in the U.S. in 1995	1,159	28.4	Norwegian	7	0.2
Same county	485	11.9	Polish	494	11.6
Different county	674	16.5	Portuguese	12	0.3
Same state	582	14.3	Russian	77	1.8
Different state	92	2.3	Scotch-Irish	27	0.6
Elsewhere in 1995	-	-	Scottish	57	1.3
			Slovak	177	4.1
			Subsaharan African	-	-
			Swedish	8	0.2
			Swiss	18	0.4
			Ukrainian	145	3.4
			United States or American	331	7.8
			Welsh	112	2.6
			West Indian (excluding Hispanic groups)	-	-
			Other ancestries	359	8.4

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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-4. Profile of Selected Housing Characteristics: 2000

Geographic area: Salem township, Luzerne 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	1,924	100.0	OCCUPANTS PER ROOM		
UNITS IN STRUCTURE			Occupied housing units	1,743	100.0
1-unit, detached	1,510	78.5	1.00 or less	1,726	99.0
1-unit, attached	74	3.8	1.01 to 1.50	17	1.0
2 units	48	2.5	1.51 or more	-	-
3 or 4 units	63	3.3			
5 to 9 units	-	-	Specified owner-occupied units	1,108	100.0
10 to 19 units	-	-	VALUE		
20 or more units	-	-	Less than \$50,000	69	6.2
Mobile home	229	11.9	\$50,000 to \$99,999	662	59.7
Boat, RV, van, etc	-	-	\$100,000 to \$149,999	288	26.0
			\$150,000 to \$199,999	58	5.2
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT			\$200,000 to \$299,999	26	2.3
1999 to March 2000	6	0.3	\$300,000 to \$499,999	5	0.5
1995 to 1998	43	2.2	\$500,000 to \$999,999	-	-
1990 to 1994	104	5.4	\$1,000,000 or more	-	-
1980 to 1989	164	8.5	Median (dollars)	90,000	(X)
1970 to 1979	383	19.9			
1960 to 1969	331	17.2	MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED		
1940 to 1959	429	22.3	MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
1939 or earlier	464	24.1	With a mortgage	566	51.1
			Less than \$300	4	0.4
ROOMS			\$300 to \$499	46	4.2
1 room	-	-	\$500 to \$699	100	9.0
2 rooms	7	0.4	\$700 to \$999	234	21.1
3 rooms	48	2.5	\$1,000 to \$1,499	176	15.9
4 rooms	195	10.1	\$1,500 to \$1,999	6	0.5
5 rooms	489	25.4	\$2,000 or more	-	-
6 rooms	546	28.4	Median (dollars)	873	(X)
7 rooms	241	12.5	Not mortgaged	542	48.9
8 rooms	225	11.7	Median (dollars)	294	(X)
9 or more rooms	173	9.0			
Median (rooms)	5.9	(X)	SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
			AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD		
Occupied housing units	1,743	100.0	INCOME IN 1999		
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT			Less than 15.0 percent	497	44.9
1999 to March 2000	152	8.7	15.0 to 19.9 percent	177	16.0
1995 to 1998	306	17.6	20.0 to 24.9 percent	180	16.2
1990 to 1994	286	16.4	25.0 to 29.9 percent	71	6.4
1980 to 1989	319	18.3	30.0 to 34.9 percent	23	2.1
1970 to 1979	286	16.4	35.0 percent or more	152	13.7
1969 or earlier	394	22.6	Not computed	8	0.7
VEHICLES AVAILABLE			Specified renter-occupied units	271	100.0
None	63	3.6	GROSS RENT		
1	514	29.5	Less than \$200	-	-
2	830	47.6	\$200 to \$299	5	1.8
3 or more	336	19.3	\$300 to \$499	142	52.4
			\$500 to \$749	86	31.7
HOUSE HEATING FUEL			\$750 to \$999	7	2.6
Utility gas	589	33.8	\$1,000 to \$1,499	-	-
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	103	5.9	\$1,500 or more	-	-
Electricity	204	11.7	No cash rent	31	11.4
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	741	42.5	Median (dollars)	473	(X)
Coal or coke	70	4.0			
Wood	36	2.1	GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF		
Solar energy	-	-	HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999		
Other fuel	-	-	Less than 15.0 percent	53	19.6
No fuel used	-	-	15.0 to 19.9 percent	56	20.7
			20.0 to 24.9 percent	36	13.3
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS			25.0 to 29.9 percent	4	1.5
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	5	0.3	30.0 to 34.9 percent	9	3.3
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	5	0.3	35.0 percent or more	74	27.3
No telephone service	-	-	Not computed	39	14.4

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