

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

Geographic area: Myerstown borough, Pennsylvania

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	3,171	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
SEX AND AGE			Total population	3,171	100.0
Male.....	1,464	46.2	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	30	0.9
Female.....	1,707	53.8	Mexican.....	3	0.1
Under 5 years.....	179	5.6	Puerto Rican.....	15	0.5
5 to 9 years.....	196	6.2	Cuban.....	1	-
10 to 14 years.....	224	7.1	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	11	0.3
15 to 19 years.....	171	5.4	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	3,141	99.1
20 to 24 years.....	156	4.9	White alone.....	3,074	96.9
25 to 34 years.....	482	15.2	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	456	14.4	Total population	3,171	100.0
45 to 54 years.....	362	11.4	In households.....	2,943	92.8
55 to 59 years.....	129	4.1	Householder.....	1,265	39.9
60 to 64 years.....	119	3.8	Spouse.....	638	20.1
65 to 74 years.....	254	8.0	Child.....	830	26.2
75 to 84 years.....	250	7.9	Own child under 18 years.....	659	20.8
85 years and over.....	193	6.1	Other relatives.....	84	2.6
Median age (years).....	38.5	(X)	Under 18 years.....	26	0.8
18 years and over.....	2,467	77.8	Nonrelatives.....	126	4.0
Male.....	1,108	34.9	Unmarried partner.....	77	2.4
Female.....	1,359	42.9	In group quarters.....	228	7.2
21 years and over.....	2,374	74.9	Institutionalized population.....	190	6.0
62 years and over.....	772	24.3	Noninstitutionalized population.....	38	1.2
65 years and over.....	697	22.0	HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Male.....	229	7.2	Total households	1,265	100.0
Female.....	468	14.8	Family households (families).....	811	64.1
RACE			With own children under 18 years.....	374	29.6
One race.....	3,158	99.6	Married-couple family.....	638	50.4
White.....	3,091	97.5	With own children under 18 years.....	263	20.8
Black or African American.....	46	1.5	Female householder, no husband present.....	120	9.5
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	-	-	With own children under 18 years.....	75	5.9
Asian.....	14	0.4	Nonfamily households.....	454	35.9
Asian Indian.....	4	0.1	Householder living alone.....	399	31.5
Chinese.....	-	-	Householder 65 years and over.....	204	16.1
Filipino.....	1	-	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	402	31.8
Japanese.....	4	0.1	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	387	30.6
Korean.....	2	0.1	Average household size.....	2.33	(X)
Vietnamese.....	2	0.1	Average family size.....	2.91	(X)
Other Asian ¹	1	-	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	-	-	Total housing units	1,339	100.0
Native Hawaiian.....	-	-	Occupied housing units.....	1,265	94.5
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	-	-	Vacant housing units.....	74	5.5
Samoan.....	-	-	For seasonal, recreational, or		
Other Pacific Islander ²	-	-	occasional use.....	-	-
Some other race.....	7	0.2	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	1.9	(X)
Two or more races.....	13	0.4	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	6.3	(X)
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: ³			HOUSING TENURE		
White.....	3,104	97.9	Occupied housing units	1,265	100.0
Black or African American.....	48	1.5	Owner-occupied housing units.....	726	57.4
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	4	0.1	Renter-occupied housing units.....	539	42.6
Asian.....	16	0.5	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.60	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	3	0.1	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	1.95	(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: Myerstown borough, 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	3,171	100.0
Nursery school, preschool.....	23	3.4	Native.....	3,115	98.2
Kindergarten.....	19	2.8	Born in United States.....	3,090	97.4
Elementary school (grades 1-8).....	374	55.3	State of residence.....	2,823	89.0
High school (grades 9-12).....	165	24.4	Different state.....	267	8.4
College or graduate school.....	95	14.1	Born outside United States.....	25	0.8
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT			Foreign born.....	56	1.8
Population 25 years and over			Entered 1990 to March 2000.....	27	0.9
Less than 9th grade.....	200	8.9	Naturalized citizen.....	12	0.4
9th to 12th grade, no diploma.....	379	16.9	Not a citizen.....	44	1.4
High school graduate (includes equivalency).....	1,085	48.4	REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN		
Some college, no degree.....	229	10.2	Total (excluding born at sea)	56	100.0
Associate degree.....	99	4.4	Europe.....	23	41.1
Bachelor's degree.....	151	6.7	Asia.....	-	-
Graduate or professional degree.....	100	4.5	Africa.....	16	28.6
Percent high school graduate or higher.....	74.2	(X)	Oceania.....	-	-
Percent bachelor's degree or higher.....	11.2	(X)	Latin America.....	17	30.4
MARITAL STATUS			Northern America.....	-	-
Population 15 years and over			LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME		
Never married.....	542	21.1	Population 5 years and over	2,992	100.0
Now married, except separated.....	1,410	54.8	English only.....	2,836	94.8
Separated.....	48	1.9	Language other than English.....	156	5.2
Widowed.....	341	13.3	Speak English less than "very well".....	57	1.9
Female.....	285	11.1	Spanish.....	33	1.1
Divorced.....	231	9.0	Speak English less than "very well".....	18	0.6
Female.....	122	4.7	Other Indo-European languages.....	107	3.6
GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS			Speak English less than "very well".....	34	1.1
Grandparent living in household with one or more own grandchildren under 18 years			Asian and Pacific Island languages.....	-	-
Grandparent responsible for grandchildren.....	-	-	Speak English less than "very well".....	-	-
VETERAN STATUS			ANCESTRY (single or multiple)		
Civilian population 18 years and over			Total population	3,171	100.0
Civilian veterans.....	350	14.3	<i>Total ancestries reported</i>	<i>3,043</i>	<i>96.0</i>
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION			Arab.....	-	-
Population 5 to 20 years			Czech ¹	20	0.6
With a disability.....	37	6.0	Danish.....	-	-
Population 21 to 64 years			Dutch.....	31	1.0
With a disability.....	336	20.1	English.....	119	3.8
Percent employed.....	75.0	(X)	French (except Basque) ¹	40	1.3
No disability.....	1,338	79.9	French Canadian ¹	8	0.3
Percent employed.....	83.2	(X)	German.....	1,519	47.9
Population 65 years and over			Greek.....	13	0.4
With a disability.....	210	42.4	Hungarian.....	16	0.5
RESIDENCE IN 1995			Irish ¹	189	6.0
Population 5 years and over			Italian.....	195	6.1
Same house in 1995.....	1,744	58.3	Lithuanian.....	7	0.2
Different house in the U.S. in 1995.....	1,232	41.2	Norwegian.....	-	-
Same county.....	874	29.2	Polish.....	57	1.8
Different county.....	358	12.0	Portuguese.....	-	-
Same state.....	295	9.9	Russian.....	7	0.2
Different state.....	63	2.1	Scotch-Irish.....	29	0.9
Elsewhere in 1995.....	16	0.5	Scottish.....	7	0.2
			Slovak.....	6	0.2
			Subsaharan African.....	16	0.5
			Swedish.....	-	-
			Swiss.....	25	0.8
			Ukrainian.....	6	0.2
			United States or American.....	383	12.1
			Welsh.....	56	1.8
			West Indian (excluding Hispanic groups).....	-	-
			Other ancestries.....	294	9.3

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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: Myerstown borough, 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	2,522	100.0	Less than \$10,000	1,272	100.0
Civilian labor force	1,569	62.2	\$10,000 to \$14,999	112	8.8
Employed	1,510	61.8	\$15,000 to \$24,999	102	8.0
Unemployed	49	1.9	\$25,000 to \$34,999	190	14.9
Percent of civilian labor force	3.1	(X)	\$35,000 to \$49,999	187	14.7
Armed Forces	10	0.4	\$50,000 to \$74,999	244	19.2
Not in labor force	953	37.8	\$75,000 to \$99,999	284	22.3
Females 16 years and over			\$100,000 to \$149,999	111	8.7
In labor force	1,372	100.0	\$150,000 to \$199,999	42	3.3
Civilian labor force	712	51.9	\$200,000 or more	-	-
Employed	712	51.9	Median household income (dollars)	36,563	(X)
Own children under 6 years	207	100.0	With earnings	960	75.5
All parents in family in labor force	165	79.7	Mean earnings (dollars) ¹	43,140	(X)
COMMUTING TO WORK			With Social Security income	423	33.3
Workers 16 years and over			Mean Social Security income (dollars) ¹	11,736	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	1,520	100.0	With Supplemental Security Income	21	1.7
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	1,273	83.8	Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars) ¹	5,924	(X)
Public transportation (including taxicab)	131	8.6	With public assistance income	18	1.4
Walked	-	-	Mean public assistance income (dollars) ¹	2,011	(X)
Other means	50	3.3	With retirement income	293	23.0
Worked at home	21	1.4	Mean retirement income (dollars) ¹	6,409	(X)
Mean travel time to work (minutes) ¹	45	3.0	Families		
	21.1	(X)	Less than \$10,000	824	100.0
Employed civilian population 16 years and over			\$10,000 to \$14,999	23	2.8
	1,510	100.0	\$15,000 to \$24,999	8	1.0
OCCUPATION			\$25,000 to \$34,999	88	10.7
Management, professional, and related occupations	223	14.8	\$35,000 to \$49,999	136	16.5
Service occupations	256	17.0	\$50,000 to \$74,999	201	24.4
Sales and office occupations	440	29.1	\$75,000 to \$99,999	239	29.0
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	10	0.7	\$100,000 to \$149,999	93	11.3
Construction, extraction, and maintenance occupations	181	12.0	\$150,000 to \$199,999	36	4.4
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	400	26.5	\$200,000 or more	-	-
INDUSTRY			Median family income (dollars)	45,698	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	25	1.7	Per capita income (dollars) ¹	17,177	(X)
Construction	85	5.6	Median earnings (dollars):		
Manufacturing	373	24.7	Male full-time, year-round workers	31,985	(X)
Wholesale trade	127	8.4	Female full-time, year-round workers	20,684	(X)
Retail trade	228	15.1	Subject		
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	43	2.8	POVERTY STATUS IN 1999		
Information	37	2.5	Families		
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	31	2.1	With related children under 18 years	38	4.6
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste management services	68	4.5	With related children under 5 years	31	8.2
Educational, health and social services	317	21.0	With related children under 5 years	13	9.8
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation and food services	46	3.0	Families with female householder, no husband present		
Other services (except public administration)	92	6.1	With related children under 18 years	17	13.7
Public administration	38	2.5	With related children under 5 years	17	23.6
CLASS OF WORKER			With related children under 5 years	5	20.8
Private wage and salary workers	1,258	83.3	Individuals		
Government workers	135	8.9	18 years and over	194	6.6
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	117	7.7	65 years and over	136	6.1
Unpaid family workers	-	-	Related children under 18 years	47	9.5
			Related children 5 to 17 years	58	8.4
			Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	45	8.7
				80	15.0

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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: Myerstown borough, 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	1,339	100.0	OCCUPANTS PER ROOM		
UNITS IN STRUCTURE			Occupied housing units	1,265	100.0
1-unit, detached	641	47.9	1.00 or less	1,258	99.4
1-unit, attached	327	24.4	1.01 to 1.50	7	0.6
2 units	122	9.1	1.51 or more	-	-
3 or 4 units	90	6.7			
5 to 9 units	73	5.5	Specified owner-occupied units	652	100.0
10 to 19 units	17	1.3	VALUE		
20 or more units	63	4.7	Less than \$50,000	48	7.4
Mobile home	6	0.4	\$50,000 to \$99,999	431	66.1
Boat, RV, van, etc	-	-	\$100,000 to \$149,999	162	24.8
			\$150,000 to \$199,999	5	0.8
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT			\$200,000 to \$299,999	6	0.9
1999 to March 2000	-	-	\$300,000 to \$499,999	-	-
1995 to 1998	10	0.7	\$500,000 to \$999,999	-	-
1990 to 1994	67	5.0	\$1,000,000 or more	-	-
1980 to 1989	114	8.5	Median (dollars)	83,800	(X)
1970 to 1979	46	3.4			
1960 to 1969	36	2.7	MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED		
1940 to 1959	278	20.8	MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
1939 or earlier	788	58.8	With a mortgage	436	66.9
			Less than \$300	-	-
ROOMS			\$300 to \$499	30	4.6
1 room	24	1.8	\$500 to \$699	98	15.0
2 rooms	40	3.0	\$700 to \$999	199	30.5
3 rooms	66	4.9	\$1,000 to \$1,499	92	14.1
4 rooms	269	20.1	\$1,500 to \$1,999	11	1.7
5 rooms	210	15.7	\$2,000 or more	6	0.9
6 rooms	331	24.7	Median (dollars)	824	(X)
7 rooms	132	9.9	Not mortgaged	216	33.1
8 rooms	128	9.6	Median (dollars)	271	(X)
9 or more rooms	139	10.4			
Median (rooms)	5.7	(X)	SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
			AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD		
Occupied housing units	1,265	100.0	INCOME IN 1999		
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT			Less than 15.0 percent	277	42.5
1999 to March 2000	184	14.5	15.0 to 19.9 percent	129	19.8
1995 to 1998	370	29.2	20.0 to 24.9 percent	87	13.3
1990 to 1994	202	16.0	25.0 to 29.9 percent	43	6.6
1980 to 1989	208	16.4	30.0 to 34.9 percent	34	5.2
1970 to 1979	112	8.9	35.0 percent or more	77	11.8
1969 or earlier	189	14.9	Not computed	5	0.8
VEHICLES AVAILABLE			Specified renter-occupied units	538	100.0
None	102	8.1	GROSS RENT		
1	529	41.8	Less than \$200	6	1.1
2	427	33.8	\$200 to \$299	41	7.6
3 or more	207	16.4	\$300 to \$499	211	39.2
			\$500 to \$749	227	42.2
HOUSE HEATING FUEL			\$750 to \$999	14	2.6
Utility gas	326	25.8	\$1,000 to \$1,499	8	1.5
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	43	3.4	\$1,500 or more	6	1.1
Electricity	134	10.6	No cash rent	25	4.6
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	713	56.4	Median (dollars)	499	(X)
Coal or coke	44	3.5			
Wood	-	-	GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF		
Solar energy	-	-	HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999		
Other fuel	5	0.4	Less than 15.0 percent	91	16.9
No fuel used	-	-	15.0 to 19.9 percent	57	10.6
			20.0 to 24.9 percent	120	22.3
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS			25.0 to 29.9 percent	61	11.3
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	6	0.5	30.0 to 34.9 percent	41	7.6
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	24	1.9	35.0 percent or more	125	23.2
No telephone service	6	0.5	Not computed	43	8.0

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