

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

Geographic area: Palmerton borough, Pennsylvania

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
<b>Total population</b> .....	<b>5,248</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE</b>		
<b>SEX AND AGE</b>			<b>Total population</b> .....	<b>5,248</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Male.....	2,499	47.6	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	124	2.4
Female.....	2,749	52.4	Mexican.....	64	1.2
Under 5 years.....	318	6.1	Puerto Rican.....	32	0.6
5 to 9 years.....	336	6.4	Cuban.....	3	0.1
10 to 14 years.....	350	6.7	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	25	0.5
15 to 19 years.....	307	5.8	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	5,124	97.6
20 to 24 years.....	328	6.3	White alone.....	5,072	96.6
25 to 34 years.....	726	13.8	<b>RELATIONSHIP</b>		
35 to 44 years.....	800	15.2	<b>Total population</b> .....	<b>5,248</b>	<b>100.0</b>
45 to 54 years.....	703	13.4	In households.....	5,248	100.0
55 to 59 years.....	216	4.1	Householder.....	2,220	42.3
60 to 64 years.....	201	3.8	Spouse.....	1,081	20.6
65 to 74 years.....	395	7.5	Child.....	1,479	28.2
75 to 84 years.....	446	8.5	Own child under 18 years.....	1,126	21.5
85 years and over.....	122	2.3	Other relatives.....	187	3.6
Median age (years).....	38.1	(X)	Under 18 years.....	55	1.0
18 years and over.....	4,037	76.9	Nonrelatives.....	281	5.4
Male.....	1,857	35.4	Unmarried partner.....	181	3.4
Female.....	2,180	41.5	In group quarters.....	-	-
21 years and over.....	3,874	73.8	Institutionalized population.....	-	-
62 years and over.....	1,070	20.4	Noninstitutionalized population.....	-	-
65 years and over.....	963	18.3	<b>HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE</b>		
Male.....	369	7.0	<b>Total households</b> .....	<b>2,220</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Female.....	594	11.3	Family households (families).....	1,429	64.4
<b>RACE</b>			With own children under 18 years.....	657	29.6
One race.....	5,210	99.3	Married-couple family.....	1,081	48.7
White.....	5,158	98.3	With own children under 18 years.....	446	20.1
Black or African American.....	8	0.2	Female householder, no husband present.....	252	11.4
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	9	0.2	With own children under 18 years.....	156	7.0
Asian.....	9	0.2	Nonfamily households.....	791	35.6
Asian Indian.....	-	-	Householder living alone.....	656	29.5
Chinese.....	5	0.1	Householder 65 years and over.....	378	17.0
Filipino.....	2	-	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	701	31.6
Japanese.....	-	-	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	740	33.3
Korean.....	2	-	Average household size.....	2.36	(X)
Vietnamese.....	-	-	Average family size.....	2.92	(X)
Other Asian <sup>1</sup> .....	-	-	<b>HOUSING OCCUPANCY</b>		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	2	-	<b>Total housing units</b> .....	<b>2,365</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Native Hawaiian.....	2	-	Occupied housing units.....	2,220	93.9
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	-	-	Vacant housing units.....	145	6.1
Samoan.....	-	-	For seasonal, recreational, or		
Other Pacific Islander <sup>2</sup> .....	-	-	occasional use.....	9	0.4
Some other race.....	24	0.5	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	1.8	(X)
Two or more races.....	38	0.7	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	7.4	(X)
<b>Race alone or in combination with one or more other races:</b> <sup>3</sup>			<b>HOUSING TENURE</b>		
White.....	5,194	99.0	<b>Occupied housing units</b> .....	<b>2,220</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Black or African American.....	13	0.2	Owner-occupied housing units.....	1,517	68.3
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	23	0.4	Renter-occupied housing units.....	703	31.7
Asian.....	21	0.4	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.46	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	3	0.1	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	2.16	(X)
Some other race.....	34	0.6			

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<sup>1</sup> Other Asian alone, or two or more Asian categories.

<sup>2</sup> Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

<sup>3</sup> 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: Palmerton 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
<b>SCHOOL ENROLLMENT</b>			<b>NATIVITY AND PLACE OF BIRTH</b>		
<b>Population 3 years and over enrolled in school</b> .....			<b>Total population</b> .....		
Nursery school, preschool.....	81	7.2	Native.....	5,148	98.1
Kindergarten.....	79	7.0	Born in United States.....	5,132	97.8
Elementary school (grades 1-8).....	547	48.4	State of residence.....	4,690	89.4
High school (grades 9-12).....	267	23.6	Different state.....	442	8.4
College or graduate school.....	155	13.7	Born outside United States.....	16	0.3
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>			Foreign born.....		
<b>Population 25 years and over</b> .....			Entered 1990 to March 2000.....		
Less than 9th grade.....	200	5.5	Naturalized citizen.....	71	1.4
9th to 12th grade, no diploma.....	628	17.4	Not a citizen.....	29	0.6
High school graduate (includes equivalency).....	1,697	47.1	<b>REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN</b>		
Some college, no degree.....	445	12.3	<b>Total (excluding born at sea)</b> .....		
Associate degree.....	210	5.8	Europe.....	72	72.0
Bachelor's degree.....	291	8.1	Asia.....	12	12.0
Graduate or professional degree.....	133	3.7	Africa.....	-	-
Percent high school graduate or higher.....	77.0	(X)	Oceania.....	-	-
Percent bachelor's degree or higher.....	11.8	(X)	Latin America.....	7	7.0
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>			Northern America.....		
<b>Population 15 years and over</b> .....			<b>LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME</b>		
Never married.....	981	23.0	<b>Population 5 years and over</b> .....		
Now married, except separated.....	2,354	55.1	English only.....		
Separated.....	86	2.0	Language other than English.....		
Widowed.....	484	11.3	Speak English less than "very well".....		
Female.....	415	9.7	Spanish.....		
Divorced.....	366	8.6	Speak English less than "very well".....		
Female.....	186	4.4	Other Indo-European languages.....		
<b>GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS</b>			Speak English less than "very well".....		
<b>Grandparent living in household with one or more own grandchildren under 18 years</b> .....			Asian and Pacific Island languages.....		
Grandparent responsible for grandchildren.....	9	8.9	Speak English less than "very well".....		
<b>VETERAN STATUS</b>			<b>ANCESTRY (single or multiple)</b>		
<b>Civilian population 18 years and over</b> .....			<b>Total population</b> .....		
Civilian veterans.....	575	14.1	<b>Total ancestries reported</b> .....		
<b>DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION</b>			Arab.....		
<b>Population 5 to 20 years</b> .....			Czech <sup>1</sup> .....		
With a disability.....	121	11.5	Danish.....		
<b>Population 21 to 64 years</b> .....			Dutch.....		
With a disability.....	610	20.7	English.....		
Percent employed.....	70.8	(X)	French (except Basque) <sup>1</sup> .....		
No disability.....	2,332	79.3	French Canadian <sup>1</sup> .....		
Percent employed.....	79.4	(X)	German.....		
<b>Population 65 years and over</b> .....			Greek.....		
With a disability.....	367	39.0	Hungarian.....		
<b>RESIDENCE IN 1995</b>			Irish <sup>1</sup> .....		
<b>Population 5 years and over</b> .....			Italian.....		
Same house in 1995.....	3,267	66.2	Lithuanian.....		
Different house in the U.S. in 1995.....	1,670	33.8	Norwegian.....		
Same county.....	957	19.4	Polish.....		
Different county.....	713	14.4	Portuguese.....		
Same state.....	576	11.7	Russian.....		
Different state.....	137	2.8	Scotch-Irish.....		
Elsewhere in 1995.....	-	-	Scottish.....		
			Slovak.....		
			Subsaharan African.....		
			Swedish.....		
			Swiss.....		
			Ukrainian.....		
			United States or American.....		
			Welsh.....		
			West Indian (excluding Hispanic groups).....		
			Other ancestries.....		

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<sup>1</sup>The 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: Palmerton 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
<b>Total housing units</b> .....	<b>2,365</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>OCCUPANTS PER ROOM</b>		
<b>UNITS IN STRUCTURE</b>			<b>Occupied housing units</b> .....	<b>2,220</b>	<b>100.0</b>
1-unit, detached .....	1,075	45.5	1.00 or less .....	2,196	98.9
1-unit, attached .....	741	31.3	1.01 to 1.50 .....	24	1.1
2 units .....	105	4.4	1.51 or more .....	-	-
3 or 4 units .....	149	6.3			
5 to 9 units .....	84	3.6	<b>Specified owner-occupied units</b> .....	<b>1,388</b>	<b>100.0</b>
10 to 19 units .....	71	3.0	<b>VALUE</b>		
20 or more units .....	121	5.1	Less than \$50,000 .....	179	12.9
Mobile home .....	19	0.8	\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	969	69.8
Boat, RV, van, etc .....	-	-	\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	189	13.6
			\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	36	2.6
<b>YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT</b>			\$200,000 to \$299,999 .....	15	1.1
1999 to March 2000 .....	-	-	\$300,000 to \$499,999 .....	-	-
1995 to 1998 .....	31	1.3	\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	-	-
1990 to 1994 .....	18	0.8	\$1,000,000 or more .....	-	-
1980 to 1989 .....	97	4.1	Median (dollars) .....	72,400	(X)
1970 to 1979 .....	127	5.4			
1960 to 1969 .....	144	6.1	<b>MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED</b>		
1940 to 1959 .....	520	22.0	<b>MONTHLY OWNER COSTS</b>		
1939 or earlier .....	1,428	60.4	With a mortgage .....	823	59.3
<b>ROOMS</b>			Less than \$300 .....	-	-
1 room .....	-	-	\$300 to \$499 .....	38	2.7
2 rooms .....	30	1.3	\$500 to \$699 .....	213	15.3
3 rooms .....	153	6.5	\$700 to \$999 .....	285	20.5
4 rooms .....	419	17.7	\$1,000 to \$1,499 .....	245	17.7
5 rooms .....	622	26.3	\$1,500 to \$1,999 .....	35	2.5
6 rooms .....	538	22.7	\$2,000 or more .....	7	0.5
7 rooms .....	308	13.0	Median (dollars) .....	895	(X)
8 rooms .....	169	7.1	Not mortgaged .....	565	40.7
9 or more rooms .....	126	5.3	Median (dollars) .....	284	(X)
Median (rooms) .....	5.4	(X)			
<b>Occupied housing units</b> .....	<b>2,220</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS</b>		
<b>YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT</b>			<b>AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD</b>		
1999 to March 2000 .....	349	15.7	<b>INCOME IN 1999</b>		
1995 to 1998 .....	414	18.6	Less than 15.0 percent .....	438	31.6
1990 to 1994 .....	359	16.2	15.0 to 19.9 percent .....	292	21.0
1980 to 1989 .....	368	16.6	20.0 to 24.9 percent .....	250	18.0
1970 to 1979 .....	245	11.0	25.0 to 29.9 percent .....	132	9.5
1969 or earlier .....	485	21.8	30.0 to 34.9 percent .....	75	5.4
			35.0 percent or more .....	193	13.9
			Not computed .....	8	0.6
<b>VEHICLES AVAILABLE</b>					
None .....	213	9.6	<b>Specified renter-occupied units</b> .....	<b>709</b>	<b>100.0</b>
1 .....	843	38.0	<b>GROSS RENT</b>		
2 .....	877	39.5	Less than \$200 .....	27	3.8
3 or more .....	287	12.9	\$200 to \$299 .....	45	6.3
			\$300 to \$499 .....	290	40.9
<b>HOUSE HEATING FUEL</b>			\$500 to \$749 .....	240	33.9
Utility gas .....	335	15.1	\$750 to \$999 .....	41	5.8
Bottled, tank, or LP gas .....	26	1.2	\$1,000 to \$1,499 .....	-	-
Electricity .....	470	21.2	\$1,500 or more .....	-	-
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc .....	1,276	57.5	No cash rent .....	66	9.3
Coal or coke .....	80	3.6	Median (dollars) .....	470	(X)
Wood .....	7	0.3			
Solar energy .....	-	-	<b>GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF</b>		
Other fuel .....	26	1.2	<b>HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999</b>		
No fuel used .....	-	-	Less than 15.0 percent .....	96	13.5
			15.0 to 19.9 percent .....	95	13.4
<b>SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS</b>			20.0 to 24.9 percent .....	94	13.3
Lacking complete plumbing facilities .....	27	1.2	25.0 to 29.9 percent .....	110	15.5
Lacking complete kitchen facilities .....	19	0.9	30.0 to 34.9 percent .....	66	9.3
No telephone service .....	45	2.0	35.0 percent or more .....	174	24.5
			Not computed .....	74	10.4

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