

Table DP-1 - Profile of General Population and Housing Characteristics: 2010

Geographic area:

Mechanicsburg borough, Cumberland County

Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	8,981	100.0%	HISPANIC OR LATINO		
SEX AND AGE			Total population	8,981	100.0%
Male	4,409	49.1%	Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	315	3.5%
Female	4,572	50.9%	Mexican	47	0.5%
			Puerto Rican	143	1.6%
Under 5 years	512	5.7%	Cuban	11	0.1%
5 to 9 years	495	5.5%	Other Hispanic or Latino [5]	114	1.3%
10 to 14 years	534	5.9%	Not Hispanic or Latino	8,666	96.5%
15 to 19 years	473	5.3%			
20 to 24 years	551	6.1%	RELATIONSHIP		
25 to 29 years	753	8.4%	Total population	8,981	100.0%
30 to 34 years	643	7.2%	In households	8,950	99.7%
35 to 39 years	542	6.0%	Householder	4,028	44.9%
40 to 44 years	595	6.6%	Spouse [6]	1,744	19.4%
45 to 49 years	736	8.2%	Child	2,248	25.0%
50 to 54 years	620	6.9%	Own child under 18 years	1,683	18.7%
55 to 59 years	602	6.7%	Other relatives	343	3.8%
60 to 64 years	521	5.8%	Under 18 years	120	1.3%
65 to 69 years	394	4.4%	65 years and over	64	0.7%
70 to 74 years	335	3.7%	Nonrelatives	587	6.5%
75 to 79 years	304	3.4%	Unmarried partner	321	3.6%
80 to 84 years	204	2.3%	In group quarters	31	0.3%
85 years and over	167	1.9%	Institutionalized population	22	0.2%
			Noninstitutionalized population	9	0.1%
Median age (years)	39.9	(X)			
			HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE		
16 years and over	7,352	81.9%	Total households	4,028	100.0%
18 years and over	7,136	79.5%	Family households (families) [7]	2,327	57.8%
21 years and over	6,871	76.5%	With own children under 18 years	973	24.2%
62 years and over	1,720	19.2%	Husband-wife family	1,744	43.3%
65 years and over	1,404	15.6%	With own children under 18 years	642	15.9%
RACE			Female householder, no husband present	415	10.3%
One Race	8,775	97.7%	With own children under 18 years	234	5.8%
White	8,292	92.3%	Nonfamily households [7]	1,701	42.2%
Black or African American	197	2.2%	Householder living alone	1,368	34.0%
			Householder 65 years and over	416	10.3%
American Indian and Alaska Native	30	0.3%	Households with individuals under 18 years	1,062	26.4%
Asian	159	1.8%	Households with individuals 65 years and over	1,007	25.0%
Asian Indian	33	0.4%	Average household size	2.22	(X)
Chinese	20	0.2%	Average family size [7]	2.86	(X)
Filipino	9	0.1%			
Japanese	6	0.1%	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Korean	27	0.3%	Total housing units	4,263	100.0%
Vietnamese	38	0.4%	Occupied housing units	4,028	94.5%
Other Asian [1]	26	0.3%	Vacant housing units	235	5.5%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	3	-	For rent	87	2.0%
Native Hawaiian	-	-	Rented, not occupied	6	0.1%
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-	For sale only	47	1.1%
Samoan	2	-	Sold, not occupied	18	0.4%
Other Pacific Islander [2]	1	-	For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	15	0.4%
Some Other Race	94	1.0%	All other vacants	62	1.5%
Two or More Races	206	2.3%	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent) [8]	1.8	(X)
White; American Indian and Alaska Native [3]	40	0.4%	Rental vacancy rate (percent) [9]	5.4	(X)
White; Asian [3]	27	0.3%			
White; Black or African American [3]	84	0.9%	HOUSING TENURE		
White; Some Other Race [3]	19	0.2%	Occupied housing units	4,028	100.0%
Race alone or in combination: [4]			Owner-occupied housing units	2,507	62.2%
White	8,482	94.4%	Population in owner-occupied housing units	5,984	(X)
Black or African American	293	3.3%	Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.39	(X)
American Indian and Alaska Native	81	0.9%	Renter-occupied housing units	1,521	37.8%
Asian	203	2.3%	Population in renter-occupied housing units	2,966	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	14	0.2%	Average household size of renter-occupied units	1.95	(X)
Some Other Race	127	1.4%			

X Not applicable.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2010 Census.

[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] One of the four most commonly reported multiple-race combinations nationwide in Census 2000.

[4] 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.

[5] This category is composed of people whose origins are from the Dominican Republic, Spain, and Spanish-speaking Central or South American countries. It also includes general origin responses such as "Latino" or "Hispanic."

[6] "Spouse" represents spouse of the householder. It does not reflect all spouses in a household. Responses of "same-sex spouse" were edited during processing to "unmarried partner."

[7] "Family households" consist of a householder and one or more other people related to the householder by birth, marriage, or adoption. They do not include same-sex married couples even if the marriage was performed in a state issuing marriage certificates for same-sex couples. Same-sex couple households are included in the family households category if there is at least one additional person related to the householder by birth or adoption. Same-sex couple households with no relatives of the householder present are tabulated in nonfamily households. "Nonfamily households" consist of people living alone and households which do not have any members related to the householder.

[8] The homeowner vacancy rate is the proportion of the homeowner inventory that is vacant "for sale." It is computed by dividing the total number of vacant units "for sale only" by the sum of owner-occupied units, vacant units that are "for sale only," and vacant units that have been sold but not yet occupied; and then multiplying by 100.

[9] The rental vacancy rate is the proportion of the rental inventory that is vacant "for rent." It is computed by dividing the total number of vacant units "for rent" by the sum of the renter-occupied units, vacant units that are "for rent," and vacant units that have been rented but not yet occupied; and then multiplying by 100.