

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

Geographic area: Mercer County, Pennsylvania

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	120,293	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
SEX AND AGE			Total population	120,293	100.0
Male.....	58,523	48.7	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	803	0.7
Female.....	61,770	51.3	Mexican.....	199	0.2
Under 5 years.....	6,915	5.7	Puerto Rican.....	315	0.3
5 to 9 years.....	7,615	6.3	Cuban.....	42	-
10 to 14 years.....	8,339	6.9	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	247	0.2
15 to 19 years.....	8,976	7.5	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	119,490	99.3
20 to 24 years.....	7,097	5.9	White alone.....	111,507	92.7
25 to 34 years.....	13,505	11.2	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	17,857	14.8	Total population	120,293	100.0
45 to 54 years.....	16,537	13.7	In households.....	113,931	94.7
55 to 59 years.....	6,285	5.2	Householder.....	46,712	38.8
60 to 64 years.....	5,427	4.5	Spouse.....	25,609	21.3
65 to 74 years.....	10,904	9.1	Child.....	33,638	28.0
75 to 84 years.....	8,198	6.8	Own child under 18 years.....	25,372	21.1
85 years and over.....	2,638	2.2	Other relatives.....	4,083	3.4
Median age (years).....	39.6	(X)	Under 18 years.....	1,680	1.4
18 years and over.....	92,109	76.6	Nonrelatives.....	3,889	3.2
Male.....	43,836	36.4	Unmarried partner.....	2,011	1.7
Female.....	48,273	40.1	In group quarters.....	6,362	5.3
21 years and over.....	86,671	72.0	Institutionalized population.....	3,065	2.5
62 years and over.....	24,909	20.7	Noninstitutionalized population.....	3,297	2.7
65 years and over.....	21,740	18.1	HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Male.....	8,852	7.4	Total households	46,712	100.0
Female.....	12,888	10.7	Family households (families).....	32,387	69.3
RACE			With own children under 18 years.....	13,689	29.3
One race.....	119,193	99.1	Married-couple family.....	25,609	54.8
White.....	112,031	93.1	With own children under 18 years.....	9,993	21.4
Black or African American.....	6,318	5.3	Female householder, no husband present.....	5,094	10.9
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	127	0.1	With own children under 18 years.....	2,848	6.1
Asian.....	486	0.4	Nonfamily households.....	14,325	30.7
Asian Indian.....	120	0.1	Householder living alone.....	12,597	27.0
Chinese.....	104	0.1	Householder 65 years and over.....	6,169	13.2
Filipino.....	41	-	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	14,883	31.9
Japanese.....	57	-	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	14,672	31.4
Korean.....	91	0.1	Average household size.....	2.44	(X)
Vietnamese.....	30	-	Average family size.....	2.96	(X)
Other Asian ¹	43	-	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	27	-	Total housing units	49,859	100.0
Native Hawaiian.....	5	-	Occupied housing units.....	46,712	93.7
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	7	-	Vacant housing units.....	3,147	6.3
Samoan.....	8	-	For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use.....	482	1.0
Other Pacific Islander ²	7	-	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	1.5	(X)
Some other race.....	204	0.2	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	6.7	(X)
Two or more races.....	1,100	0.9	HOUSING TENURE		
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: ³			Occupied housing units	46,712	100.0
White.....	113,036	94.0	Owner-occupied housing units.....	35,646	76.3
Black or African American.....	6,869	5.7	Renter-occupied housing units.....	11,066	23.7
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	511	0.4	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.54	(X)
Asian.....	656	0.5	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	2.12	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	59	-			
Some other race.....	358	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-4. Profile of Selected Housing Characteristics: 2000

Geographic area: Mercer 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	49,859	100.0	OCCUPANTS PER ROOM		
UNITS IN STRUCTURE			Occupied housing units	46,712	100.0
1-unit, detached	36,684	73.6	1.00 or less	46,214	98.9
1-unit, attached	829	1.7	1.01 to 1.50	397	0.8
2 units	2,084	4.2	1.51 or more	101	0.2
3 or 4 units	1,655	3.3			
5 to 9 units	1,668	3.3	Specified owner-occupied units	27,133	100.0
10 to 19 units	922	1.8	VALUE		
20 or more units	1,284	2.6	Less than \$50,000	6,575	24.2
Mobile home	4,721	9.5	\$50,000 to \$99,999	12,780	47.1
Boat, RV, van, etc	12	-	\$100,000 to \$149,999	5,055	18.6
			\$150,000 to \$199,999	1,589	5.9
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT			\$200,000 to \$299,999	813	3.0
1999 to March 2000	419	0.8	\$300,000 to \$499,999	219	0.8
1995 to 1998	2,116	4.2	\$500,000 to \$999,999	89	0.3
1990 to 1994	2,051	4.1	\$1,000,000 or more	13	-
1980 to 1989	3,678	7.4	Median (dollars)	76,000	(X)
1970 to 1979	7,028	14.1			
1960 to 1969	5,647	11.3	MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED		
1940 to 1959	12,940	26.0	MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
1939 or earlier	15,980	32.1	With a mortgage	14,579	53.7
			Less than \$300	102	0.4
ROOMS			\$300 to \$499	1,613	5.9
1 room	212	0.4	\$500 to \$699	4,206	15.5
2 rooms	536	1.1	\$700 to \$999	4,748	17.5
3 rooms	2,940	5.9	\$1,000 to \$1,499	2,791	10.3
4 rooms	6,546	13.1	\$1,500 to \$1,999	758	2.8
5 rooms	11,461	23.0	\$2,000 or more	361	1.3
6 rooms	12,992	26.1	Median (dollars)	771	(X)
7 rooms	7,397	14.8	Not mortgaged	12,554	46.3
8 rooms	4,179	8.4	Median (dollars)	286	(X)
9 or more rooms	3,596	7.2			
Median (rooms)	5.7	(X)	SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
			AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD		
Occupied housing units	46,712	100.0	INCOME IN 1999		
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT			Less than 15.0 percent	12,270	45.2
1999 to March 2000	6,163	13.2	15.0 to 19.9 percent	4,777	17.6
1995 to 1998	10,273	22.0	20.0 to 24.9 percent	3,427	12.6
1990 to 1994	7,190	15.4	25.0 to 29.9 percent	1,990	7.3
1980 to 1989	7,776	16.6	30.0 to 34.9 percent	1,319	4.9
1970 to 1979	5,955	12.7	35.0 percent or more	3,144	11.6
1969 or earlier	9,355	20.0	Not computed	206	0.8
VEHICLES AVAILABLE			Specified renter-occupied units	10,707	100.0
None	3,688	7.9	GROSS RENT		
1	17,395	37.2	Less than \$200	942	8.8
2	18,548	39.7	\$200 to \$299	1,215	11.3
3 or more	7,081	15.2	\$300 to \$499	3,999	37.3
			\$500 to \$749	3,236	30.2
HOUSE HEATING FUEL			\$750 to \$999	374	3.5
Utility gas	31,744	68.0	\$1,000 to \$1,499	38	0.4
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	1,283	2.7	\$1,500 or more	37	0.3
Electricity	4,819	10.3	No cash rent	866	8.1
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	7,161	15.3	Median (dollars)	443	(X)
Coal or coke	74	0.2			
Wood	1,287	2.8	GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF		
Solar energy	2	-	HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999		
Other fuel	270	0.6	Less than 15.0 percent	2,107	19.7
No fuel used	72	0.2	15.0 to 19.9 percent	1,545	14.4
			20.0 to 24.9 percent	1,282	12.0
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS			25.0 to 29.9 percent	1,097	10.2
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	466	1.0	30.0 to 34.9 percent	806	7.5
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	438	0.9	35.0 percent or more	2,801	26.2
No telephone service	912	2.0	Not computed	1,069	10.0

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