

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

Geographic Area: Biloxi--Gulfport--Pascagoula, MS MSA

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population.....	363,988	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
SEX AND AGE			Total population.....	363,988	100.0
Male.....	180,804	49.7	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	8,492	2.3
Female.....	183,184	50.3	Mexican.....	3,718	1.0
Under 5 years.....	25,507	7.0	Puerto Rican.....	1,304	0.4
5 to 9 years.....	27,224	7.5	Cuban.....	358	0.1
10 to 14 years.....	27,448	7.5	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	3,112	0.9
15 to 19 years.....	27,621	7.6	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	355,496	97.7
20 to 24 years.....	25,201	6.9	White alone.....	271,782	74.7
25 to 34 years.....	50,409	13.8	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	58,711	16.1	Total population.....	363,988	100.0
45 to 54 years.....	48,056	13.2	In households.....	354,289	97.3
55 to 59 years.....	17,850	4.9	Householder.....	136,111	37.4
60 to 64 years.....	15,403	4.2	Spouse.....	70,082	19.3
65 to 74 years.....	23,882	6.6	Child.....	109,946	30.2
75 to 84 years.....	13,065	3.6	Own child under 18 years.....	84,126	23.1
85 years and over.....	3,611	1.0	Other relatives.....	20,486	5.6
Median age (years).....	34.7	(X)	Under 18 years.....	10,026	2.8
18 years and over.....	267,448	73.5	Nonrelatives.....	17,664	4.9
Male.....	131,475	36.1	Unmarried partner.....	7,580	2.1
Female.....	135,973	37.4	In group quarters.....	9,699	2.7
21 years and over.....	250,769	68.9	Institutionalized population.....	3,668	1.0
62 years and over.....	49,470	13.6	Noninstitutionalized population.....	6,031	1.7
65 years and over.....	40,558	11.1	HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Male.....	17,663	4.9	Total households.....	136,111	100.0
Female.....	22,895	6.3	Family households (families).....	96,151	70.6
RACE			With own children under 18 years.....	46,957	34.5
One race.....	358,760	98.6	Married-couple family.....	70,082	51.5
White.....	276,470	76.0	With own children under 18 years.....	31,409	23.1
Black or African American.....	70,350	19.3	Female householder, no husband present.....	19,652	14.4
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	1,558	0.4	With own children under 18 years.....	12,056	8.9
Asian.....	7,370	2.0	Nonfamily households.....	39,960	29.4
Asian Indian.....	442	0.1	Householder living alone.....	32,557	23.9
Chinese.....	384	0.1	Householder 65 years and over.....	10,909	8.0
Filipino.....	1,254	0.3	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	52,832	38.8
Japanese.....	271	0.1	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	29,551	21.7
Korean.....	330	0.1	Average household size.....	2.60	(X)
Vietnamese.....	4,264	1.2	Average family size.....	3.09	(X)
Other Asian ¹	425	0.1	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	231	0.1	Total housing units.....	152,386	100.0
Native Hawaiian.....	62	-	Occupied housing units.....	136,111	89.3
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	101	-	Vacant housing units.....	16,275	10.7
Samoan.....	35	-	For seasonal, recreational, or		
Other Pacific Islander ²	33	-	occasional use.....	4,659	3.1
Some other race.....	2,781	0.8	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	1.8	(X)
Two or more races.....	5,228	1.4	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	10.9	(X)
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races:³			HOUSING TENURE		
White.....	280,815	77.1	Occupied housing units.....	136,111	100.0
Black or African American.....	71,944	19.8	Owner-occupied housing units.....	93,823	68.9
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	3,397	0.9	Renter-occupied housing units.....	42,288	31.1
Asian.....	8,876	2.4	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.67	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	520	0.1	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	2.46	(X)
Some other race.....	4,043	1.1			

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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: Biloxi--Gulfport--Pascagoula, MS MSA

[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	93,168	100.0	Total population	363,988	100.0
Nursery school, preschool	6,431	6.9	Native	353,130	97.0
Kindergarten	5,789	6.2	Born in United States	348,438	95.7
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	44,889	48.2	State of residence	199,358	54.8
High school (grades 9-12)	20,332	21.8	Different state	149,080	41.0
College or graduate school	15,727	16.9	Born outside United States	4,692	1.3
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT			Foreign born	10,858	3.0
Population 25 years and over	230,827	100.0	Entered 1990 to March 2000	4,160	1.1
Less than 9th grade	13,752	6.0	Naturalized citizen	5,580	1.5
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	31,908	13.8	Not a citizen	5,278	1.5
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	68,837	29.8	REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN		
Some college, no degree	58,368	25.3	Total (excluding born at sea)	10,858	100.0
Associate degree	17,444	7.6	Europe	2,486	22.9
Bachelor's degree	26,055	11.3	Asia	5,146	47.4
Graduate or professional degree	14,463	6.3	Africa	265	2.4
Percent high school graduate or higher	80.2	(X)	Oceania	63	0.6
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	17.6	(X)	Latin America	2,342	21.6
MARITAL STATUS			Northern America	556	5.1
Population 15 years and over	283,720	100.0	LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME		
Never married	68,972	24.3	Population 5 years and over	338,292	100.0
Now married, except separated	153,031	53.9	English only	318,558	94.2
Separated	6,607	2.3	Language other than English	19,734	5.8
Widowed	19,234	6.8	Speak English less than "very well"	7,084	2.1
Female	15,483	5.5	Spanish	8,347	2.5
Divorced	35,876	12.6	Speak English less than "very well"	2,880	0.9
Female	19,386	6.8	Other Indo-European languages	4,913	1.5
GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS			Speak English less than "very well"	1,161	0.3
Grandparent living in household with one or more own grandchildren under 18 years	9,491	100.0	Asian and Pacific Island languages	5,977	1.8
Grandparent responsible for grandchildren	5,345	56.3	Speak English less than "very well"	2,904	0.9
VETERAN STATUS			ANCESTRY (single or multiple)		
Civilian population 18 years and over ..	257,370	100.0	Total population	363,988	100.0
Civilian veterans	47,885	18.6	Total ancestries reported	342,369	94.1
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION			Arab	874	0.2
Population 5 to 20 years	84,354	100.0	Czech ¹	851	0.2
With a disability	7,652	9.1	Danish	994	0.3
Population 21 to 64 years	200,634	100.0	Dutch	3,398	0.9
With a disability	49,258	24.6	English	30,490	8.4
Percent employed	54.6	(X)	French (except Basque) ¹	29,787	8.2
No disability	151,376	75.4	French Canadian ¹	4,008	1.1
Percent employed	75.0	(X)	German	34,294	9.4
Population 65 years and over	39,442	100.0	Greek	597	0.2
With a disability	19,740	50.0	Hungarian	663	0.2
RESIDENCE IN 1995			Irish ¹	35,917	9.9
Population 5 years and over	338,292	100.0	Italian	14,014	3.9
Same house in 1995	178,041	52.6	Lithuanian	265	0.1
Different house in the U.S. in 1995	154,956	45.8	Norwegian	2,089	0.6
Same county	81,149	24.0	Polish	3,377	0.9
Different county	73,807	21.8	Portuguese	418	0.1
Same state	21,485	6.4	Russian	750	0.2
Different state	52,322	15.5	Scotch-Irish	7,731	2.1
Elsewhere in 1995	5,295	1.6	Scottish	5,948	1.6
			Slovak	165	-
			Subsaharan African	2,025	0.6
			Swedish	2,152	0.6
			Swiss	393	0.1
			Ukrainian	243	0.1
			United States or American	47,396	13.0
			Welsh	1,804	0.5
			West Indian (excluding Hispanic groups)	451	0.1
			Other ancestries	111,275	30.6

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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: Biloxi--Gulfport--Pascagoula, MS MSA

[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	278,039	100.0	Less than \$10,000	136,263	100.0
Civilian labor force	176,928	63.6	\$10,000 to \$14,999	15,260	11.2
Employed	166,626	59.9	\$15,000 to \$24,999	9,441	6.9
Unemployed	155,970	56.1	\$25,000 to \$34,999	19,381	14.2
Percent of civilian labor force	10,656	3.8	\$35,000 to \$49,999	20,597	15.1
Armed Forces	6.4	(X)	\$50,000 to \$74,999	25,262	18.5
Not in labor force	10,302	3.7	\$75,000 to \$99,999	25,885	19.0
Females 16 years and over			\$100,000 to \$149,999	11,281	8.3
In labor force	141,514	100.0	\$150,000 to \$199,999	6,121	4.5
Civilian labor force	80,473	56.9	\$200,000 or more	1,425	1.0
Employed	78,527	55.5	Median household income (dollars)	1,610	1.2
Own children under 6 years	73,284	51.8	With earnings	36,662	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	29,437	100.0	Mean earnings (dollars) ¹	109,341	80.2
COMMUTING TO WORK			With Social Security income	45,190	(X)
Workers 16 years and over			Mean Social Security income (dollars) ¹	36,185	26.6
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	163,050	100.0	With Supplemental Security Income	10,372	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	130,494	80.0	Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars) ¹	6,691	4.9
Public transportation (including taxicab)	21,759	13.3	Families		
Walked	730	0.4	Less than \$10,000	96,772	100.0
Other means	4,767	2.9	\$10,000 to \$14,999	6,959	7.2
Worked at home	1,984	1.2	\$15,000 to \$24,999	5,063	5.2
Mean travel time to work (minutes) ¹	3,316	2.0	\$25,000 to \$34,999	12,024	12.4
Employed civilian population 16 years and over			\$35,000 to \$49,999	13,847	14.3
OCCUPATION			\$50,000 to \$74,999	19,361	20.0
Management, professional, and related occupations	155,970	100.0	\$75,000 to \$99,999	21,627	22.3
Service occupations	43,190	27.7	\$100,000 to \$149,999	9,818	10.1
Sales and office occupations	31,339	20.1	\$150,000 to \$199,999	5,418	5.6
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	39,394	25.3	\$200,000 or more	1,282	1.3
Construction, extraction, and maintenance occupations	912	0.6	Median family income (dollars)	1,373	1.4
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	20,632	13.2	Per capita income (dollars) ¹	42,328	(X)
INDUSTRY			Median earnings (dollars):		
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	2,268	1.5	Male full-time, year-round workers	17,899	(X)
Construction	13,676	8.8	Female full-time, year-round workers	31,204	(X)
Manufacturing	19,880	12.7	Subject		
Wholesale trade	3,601	2.3			
Retail trade	19,000	12.2	POVERTY STATUS IN 1999		
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	6,641	4.3	Families		
Information	2,508	1.6	With related children under 18 years	10,752	11.1
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	7,471	4.8	With related children under 5 years	8,561	16.3
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste management services	9,719	6.2	Families with female householder, no husband present		
Educational, health and social services	27,425	17.6	With related children under 18 years	6,185	32.7
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation and food services	27,327	17.5	With related children under 5 years	5,507	40.3
Other services (except public administration)	6,693	4.3	Individuals		
Public administration	9,761	6.3	18 years and over	49,238	13.9
CLASS OF WORKER			65 years and over	30,501	11.8
Private wage and salary workers	118,884	76.2	Related children under 18 years	4,501	11.4
Government workers	26,761	17.2	Related children 5 to 17 years	18,193	19.3
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	9,731	6.2	Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	12,616	18.3
Unpaid family workers	594	0.4		13,466	24.1

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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: Biloxi--Gulfport--Pascagoula, MS MSA

[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	152,386	100.0	OCCUPANTS PER ROOM		
UNITS IN STRUCTURE			Occupied housing units	136,111	100.0
1-unit, detached	102,149	67.0	1.00 or less	129,928	95.5
1-unit, attached	3,069	2.0	1.01 to 1.50	4,383	3.2
2 units	3,638	2.4	1.51 or more	1,800	1.3
3 or 4 units	5,508	3.6			
5 to 9 units	6,075	4.0	Specified owner-occupied units	74,567	100.0
10 to 19 units	3,214	2.1	VALUE		
20 or more units	7,889	5.2	Less than \$50,000	10,185	13.7
Mobile home	20,368	13.4	\$50,000 to \$99,999	37,325	50.1
Boat, RV, van, etc	476	0.3	\$100,000 to \$149,999	15,569	20.9
			\$150,000 to \$199,999	6,210	8.3
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT			\$200,000 to \$299,999	3,431	4.6
1999 to March 2000	5,318	3.5	\$300,000 to \$499,999	1,389	1.9
1995 to 1998	15,803	10.4	\$500,000 to \$999,999	311	0.4
1990 to 1994	11,674	7.7	\$1,000,000 or more	147	0.2
1980 to 1989	25,504	16.7	Median (dollars)	85,200	(X)
1970 to 1979	37,408	24.5			
1960 to 1969	27,510	18.1	MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED		
1940 to 1959	21,788	14.3	MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
1939 or earlier	7,381	4.8	With a mortgage	48,285	64.8
			Less than \$300	475	0.6
ROOMS			\$300 to \$499	4,582	6.1
1 room	1,635	1.1	\$500 to \$699	11,302	15.2
2 rooms	5,842	3.8	\$700 to \$999	17,141	23.0
3 rooms	13,758	9.0	\$1,000 to \$1,499	10,606	14.2
4 rooms	26,124	17.1	\$1,500 to \$1,999	2,821	3.8
5 rooms	38,064	25.0	\$2,000 or more	1,358	1.8
6 rooms	31,980	21.0	Median (dollars)	820	(X)
7 rooms	18,427	12.1	Not mortgaged	26,282	35.2
8 rooms	9,386	6.2	Median (dollars)	266	(X)
9 or more rooms	7,170	4.7			
Median (rooms)	5.3	(X)	SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
			AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD		
Occupied housing units	136,111	100.0	INCOME IN 1999		
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT			Less than 15.0 percent	31,782	42.6
1999 to March 2000	30,879	22.7	15.0 to 19.9 percent	12,444	16.7
1995 to 1998	37,783	27.8	20.0 to 24.9 percent	9,140	12.3
1990 to 1994	21,382	15.7	25.0 to 29.9 percent	5,650	7.6
1980 to 1989	19,432	14.3	30.0 to 34.9 percent	3,974	5.3
1970 to 1979	14,235	10.5	35.0 percent or more	10,801	14.5
1969 or earlier	12,400	9.1	Not computed	776	1.0
VEHICLES AVAILABLE			Specified renter-occupied units	42,012	100.0
None	8,388	6.2	GROSS RENT		
1	47,657	35.0	Less than \$200	2,637	6.3
2	54,969	40.4	\$200 to \$299	2,463	5.9
3 or more	25,097	18.4	\$300 to \$499	10,865	25.9
			\$500 to \$749	16,244	38.7
HOUSE HEATING FUEL			\$750 to \$999	4,478	10.7
Utility gas	42,659	31.3	\$1,000 to \$1,499	909	2.2
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	9,012	6.6	\$1,500 or more	177	0.4
Electricity	83,307	61.2	No cash rent	4,239	10.1
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	72	0.1	Median (dollars)	535	(X)
Coal or coke	-	-			
Wood	411	0.3	GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF		
Solar energy	16	-	HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999		
Other fuel	97	0.1	Less than 15.0 percent	7,467	17.8
No fuel used	537	0.4	15.0 to 19.9 percent	6,079	14.5
			20.0 to 24.9 percent	5,048	12.0
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS			25.0 to 29.9 percent	4,158	9.9
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	581	0.4	30.0 to 34.9 percent	2,964	7.1
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	698	0.5	35.0 percent or more	11,292	26.9
No telephone service	5,643	4.1	Not computed	5,004	11.9

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