

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

Geographic Area: Fort Smith, AR--OK MSA

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	207,290	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
SEX AND AGE			Total population	207,290	100.0
Male.....	101,676	49.1	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	10,246	4.9
Female.....	105,614	50.9	Mexican.....	6,933	3.3
Under 5 years.....	15,174	7.3	Puerto Rican.....	274	0.1
5 to 9 years.....	15,301	7.4	Cuban.....	132	0.1
10 to 14 years.....	15,660	7.6	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	2,907	1.4
15 to 19 years.....	15,001	7.2	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	197,044	95.1
20 to 24 years.....	12,766	6.2	White alone.....	166,605	80.4
25 to 34 years.....	27,932	13.5	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	32,081	15.5	Total population	207,290	100.0
45 to 54 years.....	27,437	13.2	In households.....	204,019	98.4
55 to 59 years.....	11,023	5.3	Householder.....	79,763	38.5
60 to 64 years.....	8,750	4.2	Spouse.....	44,600	21.5
65 to 74 years.....	14,067	6.8	Child.....	62,106	30.0
75 to 84 years.....	8,983	4.3	Own child under 18 years.....	49,784	24.0
85 years and over.....	3,115	1.5	Other relatives.....	9,767	4.7
Median age (years).....	35.6	(X)	Under 18 years.....	4,407	2.1
18 years and over.....	151,628	73.1	Nonrelatives.....	7,783	3.8
Male.....	72,945	35.2	Unmarried partner.....	3,366	1.6
Female.....	78,683	38.0	In group quarters.....	3,271	1.6
21 years and over.....	143,540	69.2	Institutionalized population.....	2,467	1.2
62 years and over.....	31,194	15.0	Noninstitutionalized population.....	804	0.4
65 years and over.....	26,165	12.6	HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Male.....	10,794	5.2	Total households	79,763	100.0
Female.....	15,371	7.4	Family households (families).....	56,872	71.3
RACE			With own children under 18 years.....	27,300	34.2
One race.....	199,366	96.2	Married-couple family.....	44,600	55.9
White.....	170,380	82.2	With own children under 18 years.....	19,834	24.9
Black or African American.....	8,276	4.0	Female householder, no husband present.....	9,023	11.3
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	10,533	5.1	With own children under 18 years.....	5,639	7.1
Asian.....	4,759	2.3	Nonfamily households.....	22,891	28.7
Asian Indian.....	146	0.1	Householder living alone.....	19,702	24.7
Chinese.....	179	0.1	Householder 65 years and over.....	7,663	9.6
Filipino.....	174	0.1	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	30,089	37.7
Japanese.....	75	-	Households with individuals 65 years and over ..	18,404	23.1
Korean.....	111	0.1	Average household size.....	2.56	(X)
Vietnamese.....	1,995	1.0	Average family size.....	3.05	(X)
Other Asian ¹	2,079	1.0	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	77	-	Total housing units	87,566	100.0
Native Hawaiian.....	18	-	Occupied housing units.....	79,763	91.1
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	31	-	Vacant housing units.....	7,803	8.9
Samoan.....	4	-	For seasonal, recreational, or		
Other Pacific Islander ²	24	-	occasional use.....	1,237	1.4
Some other race.....	5,341	2.6	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	2.4	(X)
Two or more races.....	7,924	3.8	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	8.2	(X)
Race alone or in combination with one			HOUSING TENURE		
or more other races: ³			Occupied housing units	79,763	100.0
White.....	177,780	85.8	Owner-occupied housing units.....	54,834	68.7
Black or African American.....	9,190	4.4	Renter-occupied housing units.....	24,929	31.3
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	16,511	8.0	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.62	(X)
Asian.....	5,439	2.6	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	2.43	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	203	0.1			
Some other race.....	6,361	3.1			

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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: Fort Smith, AR--OK 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	50,710	100.0	Total population	207,290	100.0
Nursery school, preschool	3,338	6.6	Native	197,812	95.4
Kindergarten	2,875	5.7	Born in United States	196,540	94.8
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	25,509	50.3	State of residence	120,164	58.0
High school (grades 9-12)	11,974	23.6	Different state	76,376	36.8
College or graduate school	7,014	13.8	Born outside United States	1,272	0.6
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT			Foreign born	9,478	4.6
Population 25 years and over	133,346	100.0	Entered 1990 to March 2000	5,039	2.4
Less than 9th grade	12,934	9.7	Naturalized citizen	2,814	1.4
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	21,611	16.2	Not a citizen	6,664	3.2
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	44,136	33.1	REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN		
Some college, no degree	28,482	21.4	Total (excluding born at sea)	9,478	100.0
Associate degree	7,799	5.8	Europe	593	6.3
Bachelor's degree	11,889	8.9	Asia	3,267	34.5
Graduate or professional degree	6,495	4.9	Africa	60	0.6
Percent high school graduate or higher	74.1	(X)	Oceania	34	0.4
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	13.8	(X)	Latin America	5,306	56.0
MARITAL STATUS			Northern America	218	2.3
Population 15 years and over	161,200	100.0	LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME		
Never married	31,437	19.5	Population 5 years and over	192,024	100.0
Now married, except separated	96,165	59.7	English only	178,142	92.8
Separated	2,890	1.8	Language other than English	13,882	7.2
Widowed	11,247	7.0	Speak English less than "very well"	7,101	3.7
Female	9,352	5.8	Spanish	7,863	4.1
Divorced	19,461	12.1	Speak English less than "very well"	4,429	2.3
Female	10,884	6.8	Other Indo-European languages	1,437	0.7
GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS			Speak English less than "very well"	306	0.2
Grandparent living in household with one or more own grandchildren under 18 years	4,504	100.0	Asian and Pacific Island languages	3,455	1.8
Grandparent responsible for grandchildren	2,483	55.1	Speak English less than "very well"	2,059	1.1
VETERAN STATUS			ANCESTRY (single or multiple)		
Civilian population 18 years and over ..	151,416	100.0	Total population	207,290	100.0
Civilian veterans	22,307	14.7	Total ancestries reported	167,490	80.8
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION			Arab	249	0.1
Population 5 to 20 years	48,330	100.0	Czech ¹	420	0.2
With a disability	4,605	9.5	Danish	339	0.2
Population 21 to 64 years	116,273	100.0	Dutch	3,780	1.8
With a disability	28,134	24.2	English	15,078	7.3
Percent employed	48.8	(X)	French (except Basque) ¹	4,093	2.0
No disability	88,139	75.8	French Canadian ¹	548	0.3
Percent employed	77.5	(X)	German	21,384	10.3
Population 65 years and over	24,580	100.0	Greek	287	0.1
With a disability	12,219	49.7	Hungarian	161	0.1
RESIDENCE IN 1995			Irish ¹	22,803	11.0
Population 5 years and over	192,024	100.0	Italian	3,175	1.5
Same house in 1995	99,201	51.7	Lithuanian	42	-
Different house in the U.S. in 1995	90,284	47.0	Norwegian	811	0.4
Same county	50,136	26.1	Polish	1,372	0.7
Different county	40,148	20.9	Portuguese	217	0.1
Same state	18,676	9.7	Russian	244	0.1
Different state	21,472	11.2	Scotch-Irish	3,086	1.5
Elsewhere in 1995	2,539	1.3	Scottish	2,405	1.2
			Slovak	70	-
			Subsaharan African	238	0.1
			Swedish	806	0.4
			Swiss	285	0.1
			Ukrainian	93	-
			United States or American	28,081	13.5
			Welsh	761	0.4
			West Indian (excluding Hispanic groups)	682	0.3
			Other ancestries	55,980	27.0

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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-4. Profile of Selected Housing Characteristics: 2000

Geographic area: Fort Smith, AR--OK 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	87,566	100.0	OCCUPANTS PER ROOM		
UNITS IN STRUCTURE			Occupied housing units	79,763	100.0
1-unit, detached	61,136	69.8	1.00 or less	76,081	95.4
1-unit, attached	1,527	1.7	1.01 to 1.50	2,285	2.9
2 units	3,353	3.8	1.51 or more	1,397	1.8
3 or 4 units	2,840	3.2			
5 to 9 units	2,126	2.4	Specified owner-occupied units	41,680	100.0
10 to 19 units	2,723	3.1	VALUE		
20 or more units	3,889	4.4	Less than \$50,000	11,512	27.6
Mobile home	9,814	11.2	\$50,000 to \$99,999	20,098	48.2
Boat, RV, van, etc	158	0.2	\$100,000 to \$149,999	5,889	14.1
			\$150,000 to \$199,999	2,248	5.4
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT			\$200,000 to \$299,999	1,244	3.0
1999 to March 2000	2,221	2.5	\$300,000 to \$499,999	501	1.2
1995 to 1998	8,412	9.6	\$500,000 to \$999,999	147	0.4
1990 to 1994	7,706	8.8	\$1,000,000 or more	41	0.1
1980 to 1989	16,068	18.3	Median (dollars)	70,100	(X)
1970 to 1979	19,355	22.1			
1960 to 1969	12,554	14.3	MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED		
1940 to 1959	14,755	16.9	MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
1939 or earlier	6,495	7.4	With a mortgage	26,483	63.5
			Less than \$300	565	1.4
ROOMS			\$300 to \$499	4,613	11.1
1 room	1,196	1.4	\$500 to \$699	8,358	20.1
2 rooms	3,095	3.5	\$700 to \$999	7,761	18.6
3 rooms	8,055	9.2	\$1,000 to \$1,499	3,905	9.4
4 rooms	15,822	18.1	\$1,500 to \$1,999	846	2.0
5 rooms	24,987	28.5	\$2,000 or more	435	1.0
6 rooms	18,487	21.1	Median (dollars)	693	(X)
7 rooms	8,570	9.8	Not mortgaged	15,197	36.5
8 rooms	4,032	4.6	Median (dollars)	230	(X)
9 or more rooms	3,322	3.8			
Median (rooms)	5.1	(X)	SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
			AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD		
Occupied housing units	79,763	100.0	INCOME IN 1999		
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT			Less than 15.0 percent	18,997	45.6
1999 to March 2000	18,015	22.6	15.0 to 19.9 percent	7,488	18.0
1995 to 1998	22,824	28.6	20.0 to 24.9 percent	4,944	11.9
1990 to 1994	12,738	16.0	25.0 to 29.9 percent	2,909	7.0
1980 to 1989	12,206	15.3	30.0 to 34.9 percent	1,973	4.7
1970 to 1979	7,628	9.6	35.0 percent or more	4,868	11.7
1969 or earlier	6,352	8.0	Not computed	501	1.2
VEHICLES AVAILABLE			Specified renter-occupied units	24,493	100.0
None	6,026	7.6	GROSS RENT		
1	27,729	34.8	Less than \$200	1,940	7.9
2	32,488	40.7	\$200 to \$299	2,926	11.9
3 or more	13,520	17.0	\$300 to \$499	10,660	43.5
			\$500 to \$749	5,663	23.1
HOUSE HEATING FUEL			\$750 to \$999	1,013	4.1
Utility gas	41,169	51.6	\$1,000 to \$1,499	269	1.1
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	6,862	8.6	\$1,500 or more	64	0.3
Electricity	28,803	36.1	No cash rent	1,958	8.0
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	41	0.1	Median (dollars)	413	(X)
Coal or coke	-	-			
Wood	2,601	3.3	GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF		
Solar energy	35	-	HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999		
Other fuel	131	0.2	Less than 15.0 percent	5,550	22.7
No fuel used	121	0.2	15.0 to 19.9 percent	3,825	15.6
			20.0 to 24.9 percent	2,945	12.0
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS			25.0 to 29.9 percent	2,213	9.0
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	576	0.7	30.0 to 34.9 percent	1,720	7.0
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	590	0.7	35.0 percent or more	5,863	23.9
No telephone service	4,347	5.4	Not computed	2,377	9.7

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