

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

Geographic Area: Fitchburg--Leominster, MA PMSA

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
<b>Total population</b> .....	<b>142,284</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE</b>		
<b>SEX AND AGE</b>			<b>Total population</b> .....	<b>142,284</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Male.....	69,692	49.0	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	11,838	8.3
Female.....	72,592	51.0	Mexican.....	838	0.6
Under 5 years.....	9,424	6.6	Puerto Rican.....	7,820	5.5
5 to 9 years.....	10,738	7.5	Cuban.....	93	0.1
10 to 14 years.....	10,753	7.6	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	3,087	2.2
15 to 19 years.....	9,640	6.8	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	130,446	91.7
20 to 24 years.....	8,011	5.6	White alone.....	121,562	85.4
25 to 34 years.....	19,166	13.5	<b>RELATIONSHIP</b>		
35 to 44 years.....	24,644	17.3	<b>Total population</b> .....	<b>142,284</b>	<b>100.0</b>
45 to 54 years.....	19,247	13.5	In households.....	138,429	97.3
55 to 59 years.....	6,506	4.6	Householder.....	54,545	38.3
60 to 64 years.....	4,941	3.5	Spouse.....	27,552	19.4
65 to 74 years.....	9,491	6.7	Child.....	43,296	30.4
75 to 84 years.....	7,185	5.0	Own child under 18 years.....	34,051	23.9
85 years and over.....	2,538	1.8	Other relatives.....	5,583	3.9
Median age (years).....	36.4	(X)	Under 18 years.....	1,923	1.4
18 years and over.....	105,345	74.0	Nonrelatives.....	7,453	5.2
Male.....	50,641	35.6	Unmarried partner.....	3,679	2.6
Female.....	54,704	38.4	In group quarters.....	3,855	2.7
21 years and over.....	100,082	70.3	Institutionalized population.....	2,423	1.7
62 years and over.....	22,107	15.5	Noninstitutionalized population.....	1,432	1.0
65 years and over.....	19,214	13.5	<b>HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE</b>		
Male.....	7,665	5.4	<b>Total households</b> .....	<b>54,545</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Female.....	11,549	8.1	Family households (families).....	36,583	67.1
<b>RACE</b>			With own children under 18 years.....	18,140	33.3
One race.....	139,447	98.0	Married-couple family.....	27,552	50.5
White.....	127,287	89.5	With own children under 18 years.....	12,575	23.1
Black or African American.....	3,649	2.6	Female householder, no husband present.....	6,681	12.2
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	352	0.2	With own children under 18 years.....	4,274	7.8
Asian.....	3,233	2.3	Nonfamily households.....	17,962	32.9
Asian Indian.....	270	0.2	Householder living alone.....	14,666	26.9
Chinese.....	279	0.2	Householder 65 years and over.....	5,871	10.8
Filipino.....	96	0.1	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	19,485	35.7
Japanese.....	92	0.1	Households with individuals 65 years and over ..	13,393	24.6
Korean.....	312	0.2	Average household size.....	2.54	(X)
Vietnamese.....	386	0.3	Average family size.....	3.09	(X)
Other Asian <sup>1</sup> .....	1,798	1.3	<b>HOUSING OCCUPANCY</b>		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	62	-	<b>Total housing units</b> .....	<b>57,650</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Native Hawaiian.....	24	-	Occupied housing units.....	54,545	94.6
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	14	-	Vacant housing units.....	3,105	5.4
Samoan.....	1	-	For seasonal, recreational, or		
Other Pacific Islander <sup>2</sup> .....	23	-	occasional use.....	680	1.2
Some other race.....	4,864	3.4	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	0.9	(X)
Two or more races.....	2,837	2.0	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	4.7	(X)
<b>Race alone or in combination with one or more other races:</b> <sup>3</sup>			<b>HOUSING TENURE</b>		
White.....	129,569	91.1	<b>Occupied housing units</b> .....	<b>54,545</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Black or African American.....	4,534	3.2	Owner-occupied housing units.....	34,128	62.6
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	918	0.6	Renter-occupied housing units.....	20,417	37.4
Asian.....	3,830	2.7	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.74	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	140	0.1	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	2.21	(X)
Some other race.....	6,268	4.4			

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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: Fitchburg--Leominster, MA PMSA

[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>		
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school .....	<b>38,814</b>	<b>100.0</b>	Total population .....	<b>142,285</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Nursery school, preschool .....	2,554	6.6	Native .....	131,959	92.7
Kindergarten .....	2,057	5.3	Born in United States .....	126,380	88.8
Elementary school (grades 1-8) .....	18,010	46.4	State of residence .....	105,171	73.9
High school (grades 9-12) .....	8,661	22.3	Different state .....	21,209	14.9
College or graduate school .....	7,532	19.4	Born outside United States .....	5,579	3.9
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>			Foreign born .....	10,326	7.3
Population 25 years and over .....	<b>94,135</b>	<b>100.0</b>	Entered 1990 to March 2000 .....	3,175	2.2
Less than 9th grade .....	6,837	7.3	Naturalized citizen .....	4,980	3.5
9th to 12th grade, no diploma .....	11,377	12.1	Not a citizen .....	5,346	3.8
High school graduate (includes equivalency) .....	31,705	33.7	<b>REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN</b>		
Some college, no degree .....	17,825	18.9	Total (excluding born at sea) .....	<b>10,326</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Associate degree .....	8,042	8.5	Europe .....	2,087	20.2
Bachelor's degree .....	11,740	12.5	Asia .....	2,239	21.7
Graduate or professional degree .....	6,609	7.0	Africa .....	521	5.0
Percent high school graduate or higher .....	80.7	(X)	Oceania .....	15	0.1
Percent bachelor's degree or higher .....	19.5	(X)	Latin America .....	2,821	27.3
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>			Northern America .....	2,643	25.6
Population 15 years and over .....	<b>111,431</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME</b>		
Never married .....	29,687	26.6	Population 5 years and over .....	<b>133,083</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Now married, except separated .....	59,945	53.8	English only .....	112,067	84.2
Separated .....	2,526	2.3	Language other than English .....	21,016	15.8
Widowed .....	8,022	7.2	Speak English less than "very well" .....	8,413	6.3
Female .....	6,344	5.7	Spanish .....	10,036	7.5
Divorced .....	11,251	10.1	Speak English less than "very well" .....	4,627	3.5
Female .....	6,319	5.7	Other Indo-European languages .....	7,187	5.4
<b>GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS</b>			Speak English less than "very well" .....	2,119	1.6
Grandparent living in household with one or more own grandchildren under 18 years .....	<b>2,301</b>	<b>100.0</b>	Asian and Pacific Island languages .....	2,549	1.9
Grandparent responsible for grandchildren .....	679	29.5	Speak English less than "very well" .....	1,349	1.0
<b>VETERAN STATUS</b>			<b>ANCESTRY (single or multiple)</b>		
Civilian population 18 years and over ..	<b>105,326</b>	<b>100.0</b>	Total population .....	<b>142,285</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Civilian veterans .....	14,414	13.7	Total ancestries reported .....	166,478	117.0
<b>DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION</b>			Arab .....	636	0.4
Population 5 to 20 years .....	<b>32,966</b>	<b>100.0</b>	Czech <sup>1</sup> .....	182	0.1
With a disability .....	3,088	9.4	Danish .....	265	0.2
Population 21 to 64 years .....	<b>79,687</b>	<b>100.0</b>	Dutch .....	685	0.5
With a disability .....	15,668	19.7	English .....	14,363	10.1
Percent employed .....	56.6	(X)	French (except Basque) <sup>1</sup> .....	26,378	18.5
No disability .....	64,019	80.3	French Canadian <sup>1</sup> .....	17,910	12.6
Percent employed .....	82.0	(X)	German .....	7,505	5.3
Population 65 years and over .....	<b>17,951</b>	<b>100.0</b>	Greek .....	1,342	0.9
With a disability .....	7,234	40.3	Hungarian .....	186	0.1
<b>RESIDENCE IN 1995</b>			Irish <sup>1</sup> .....	24,241	17.0
Population 5 years and over .....	<b>133,083</b>	<b>100.0</b>	Italian .....	18,835	13.2
Same house in 1995 .....	79,501	59.7	Lithuanian .....	1,202	0.8
Different house in the U.S. in 1995 .....	50,724	38.1	Norwegian .....	514	0.4
Same county .....	36,878	27.7	Polish .....	5,855	4.1
Different county .....	13,846	10.4	Portuguese .....	1,387	1.0
Same state .....	7,392	5.6	Russian .....	566	0.4
Different state .....	6,454	4.8	Scotch-Irish .....	1,865	1.3
Elsewhere in 1995 .....	2,858	2.1	Scottish .....	3,309	2.3
			Slovak .....	102	0.1
			Subsaharan African .....	806	0.6
			Swedish .....	3,001	2.1
			Swiss .....	124	0.1
			Ukrainian .....	161	0.1
			United States or American .....	5,866	4.1
			Welsh .....	429	0.3
			West Indian (excluding Hispanic groups) .....	440	0.3
			Other ancestries .....	28,323	19.9

-Represents zero or rounds to zero. (X) Not applicable.

<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-3. Profile of Selected Economic Characteristics: 2000**

Geographic area: Fitchburg--Leominster, MA PMSA

[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>EMPLOYMENT STATUS</b>			<b>INCOME IN 1999</b>		
<b>Population 16 years and over</b> . . . . .			<b>Households</b> . . . . .		
In labor force . . . . .	109,365	100.0	Less than \$10,000 . . . . .	54,676	100.0
Civilian labor force . . . . .	72,077	65.9	\$10,000 to \$14,999 . . . . .	5,168	9.5
Employed . . . . .	71,962	65.8	\$15,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	3,550	6.5
Unemployed . . . . .	68,119	62.3	\$25,000 to \$34,999 . . . . .	6,729	12.3
Percent of civilian labor force . . . . .	3,843	3.5	\$35,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	6,666	12.2
Armed Forces . . . . .	5.3	(X)	\$50,000 to \$74,999 . . . . .	9,076	16.6
Not in labor force . . . . .	115	0.1	\$75,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	11,656	21.3
<b>Females 16 years and over</b> . . . . .			\$100,000 to \$149,999 . . . . .	6,553	12.0
In labor force . . . . .	56,758	100.0	\$150,000 to \$199,999 . . . . .	4,019	7.4
Civilian labor force . . . . .	33,864	59.7	\$200,000 or more . . . . .	705	1.3
Employed . . . . .	33,844	59.6	Median household income (dollars) . . . . .	554	1.0
Own children under 6 years . . . . .	32,267	56.9	With earnings . . . . .	43,155	(X)
All parents in family in labor force . . . . .	10,777	100.0	Mean earnings (dollars) <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	43,007	78.7
<b>COMMUTING TO WORK</b>			With Social Security income . . . . .	55,170	(X)
<b>Workers 16 years and over</b> . . . . .			Mean Social Security income (dollars) <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	14,850	27.2
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone . . . . .	66,885	100.0	With Supplemental Security Income . . . . .	10,762	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled . . . . .	55,065	82.3	Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars) <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	3,102	5.7
Public transportation (including taxicab) . . . . .	6,903	10.3	<b>Families</b> . . . . .		
Walked . . . . .	1,005	1.5	Less than \$10,000 . . . . .	3,864	100.0
Other means . . . . .	1,545	2.3	\$10,000 to \$14,999 . . . . .	1,877	5.1
Worked at home . . . . .	653	1.0	\$15,000 to \$24,999 . . . . .	1,416	3.8
Mean travel time to work (minutes) <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	1,714	2.6	\$25,000 to \$34,999 . . . . .	3,782	10.3
<b>Employed civilian population 16 years and over</b> . . . . .			\$35,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	4,048	11.0
<b>OCCUPATION</b>			\$50,000 to \$74,999 . . . . .	6,347	17.2
Management, professional, and related occupations . . . . .	68,119	100.0	\$75,000 to \$99,999 . . . . .	9,135	24.8
Service occupations . . . . .	21,507	31.6	\$100,000 to \$149,999 . . . . .	5,599	15.2
Sales and office occupations . . . . .	10,136	14.9	\$150,000 to \$199,999 . . . . .	3,571	9.7
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations . . . . .	17,576	25.8	\$200,000 or more . . . . .	608	1.6
Construction, extraction, and maintenance occupations . . . . .	135	0.2	Median family income (dollars) . . . . .	481	1.3
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations . . . . .	6,070	8.9	Per capita income (dollars) <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	51,963	(X)
<b>INDUSTRY</b>			<b>Median earnings (dollars):</b>		
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining . . . . .	12,695	18.6	Male full-time, year-round workers . . . . .	20,370	(X)
Construction . . . . .	316	0.5	Female full-time, year-round workers . . . . .	39,259	(X)
Manufacturing . . . . .	3,782	5.6	Subject		
Wholesale trade . . . . .	16,408	24.1			
Retail trade . . . . .	2,284	3.4	<b>POVERTY STATUS IN 1999</b>		
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities . . . . .	8,065	11.8	<b>Families</b> . . . . .		
Information . . . . .	2,272	3.3	With related children under 18 years . . . . .	2,846	7.7
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing . . . . .	1,998	2.9	With related children under 5 years . . . . .	2,179	11.1
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste management services . . . . .	3,167	4.6	<b>Families with female householder, no husband present</b> . . . . .		
Educational, health and social services . . . . .	4,675	6.9	With related children under 18 years . . . . .	1,707	25.5
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation and food services . . . . .	14,588	21.4	With related children under 5 years . . . . .	1,539	32.4
Other services (except public administration) . . . . .	4,148	6.1	<b>Individuals</b> . . . . .		
Public administration . . . . .	2,875	4.2	18 years and over . . . . .	694	44.7
<b>CLASS OF WORKER</b>			65 years and over . . . . .	14,007	10.1
Private wage and salary workers . . . . .	3,541	5.2	Related children under 18 years . . . . .	9,181	9.0
Government workers . . . . .	53,963	79.2	Related children 5 to 17 years . . . . .	1,822	10.1
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business . . . . .	9,907	14.5	Unrelated individuals 15 years and over . . . . .	4,654	12.9
Unpaid family workers . . . . .	4,110	6.0		3,311	12.3
	139	0.2		4,847	19.7

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<sup>1</sup>If 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: Fitchburg--Leominster, MA PMSA

[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>57,649</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>OCCUPANTS PER ROOM</b>		
<b>UNITS IN STRUCTURE</b>			<b>Occupied housing units</b> .....	<b>54,545</b>	<b>100.0</b>
1-unit, detached .....	31,317	54.3	1.00 or less .....	53,168	97.5
1-unit, attached .....	1,592	2.8	1.01 to 1.50 .....	954	1.7
2 units .....	6,683	11.6	1.51 or more .....	423	0.8
3 or 4 units .....	7,333	12.7			
5 to 9 units .....	3,676	6.4	<b>Specified owner-occupied units</b> .....	<b>27,153</b>	<b>100.0</b>
10 to 19 units .....	2,036	3.5	<b>VALUE</b>		
20 or more units .....	4,266	7.4	Less than \$50,000 .....	274	1.0
Mobile home .....	746	1.3	\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	7,050	26.0
Boat, RV, van, etc .....	-	-	\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	11,548	42.5
			\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	5,205	19.2
<b>YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT</b>			\$200,000 to \$299,999 .....	2,468	9.1
1999 to March 2000 .....	487	0.8	\$300,000 to \$499,999 .....	521	1.9
1995 to 1998 .....	2,037	3.5	\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	78	0.3
1990 to 1994 .....	2,432	4.2	\$1,000,000 or more .....	9	-
1980 to 1989 .....	7,477	13.0	Median (dollars) .....	125,400	(X)
1970 to 1979 .....	6,297	10.9			
1960 to 1969 .....	5,801	10.1	<b>MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED</b>		
1940 to 1959 .....	11,253	19.5	<b>MONTHLY OWNER COSTS</b>		
1939 or earlier .....	21,865	37.9	With a mortgage .....	19,388	71.4
			Less than \$300 .....	15	0.1
<b>ROOMS</b>			\$300 to \$499 .....	405	1.5
1 room .....	581	1.0	\$500 to \$699 .....	1,524	5.6
2 rooms .....	2,082	3.6	\$700 to \$999 .....	5,801	21.4
3 rooms .....	5,469	9.5	\$1,000 to \$1,499 .....	8,356	30.8
4 rooms .....	10,565	18.3	\$1,500 to \$1,999 .....	2,546	9.4
5 rooms .....	12,377	21.5	\$2,000 or more .....	741	2.7
6 rooms .....	10,995	19.1	Median (dollars) .....	1,097	(X)
7 rooms .....	6,812	11.8	Not mortgaged .....	7,765	28.6
8 rooms .....	4,156	7.2	Median (dollars) .....	333	(X)
9 or more rooms .....	4,612	8.0			
Median (rooms) .....	5.3	(X)	<b>SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS</b>		
			<b>AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD</b>		
<b>Occupied housing units</b> .....	<b>54,545</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>INCOME IN 1999</b>		
<b>YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT</b>			Less than 15.0 percent .....	9,246	34.1
1999 to March 2000 .....	8,789	16.1	15.0 to 19.9 percent .....	4,938	18.2
1995 to 1998 .....	14,985	27.5	20.0 to 24.9 percent .....	4,285	15.8
1990 to 1994 .....	8,150	14.9	25.0 to 29.9 percent .....	2,875	10.6
1980 to 1989 .....	9,578	17.6	30.0 to 34.9 percent .....	1,649	6.1
1970 to 1979 .....	5,376	9.9	35.0 percent or more .....	4,026	14.8
1969 or earlier .....	7,667	14.1	Not computed .....	134	0.5
<b>VEHICLES AVAILABLE</b>			<b>Specified renter-occupied units</b> .....	<b>20,362</b>	<b>100.0</b>
None .....	5,271	9.7	<b>GROSS RENT</b>		
1 .....	20,233	37.1	Less than \$200 .....	1,502	7.4
2 .....	21,207	38.9	\$200 to \$299 .....	1,325	6.5
3 or more .....	7,834	14.4	\$300 to \$499 .....	4,744	23.3
			\$500 to \$749 .....	9,238	45.4
<b>HOUSE HEATING FUEL</b>			\$750 to \$999 .....	2,395	11.8
Utility gas .....	13,936	25.5	\$1,000 to \$1,499 .....	418	2.1
Bottled, tank, or LP gas .....	1,518	2.8	\$1,500 or more .....	22	0.1
Electricity .....	6,834	12.5	No cash rent .....	718	3.5
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc .....	31,210	57.2	Median (dollars) .....	551	(X)
Coal or coke .....	45	0.1			
Wood .....	737	1.4	<b>GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF</b>		
Solar energy .....	5	-	<b>HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999</b>		
Other fuel .....	106	0.2	Less than 15.0 percent .....	4,399	21.6
No fuel used .....	154	0.3	15.0 to 19.9 percent .....	3,080	15.1
			20.0 to 24.9 percent .....	2,827	13.9
<b>SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS</b>			25.0 to 29.9 percent .....	2,356	11.6
Lacking complete plumbing facilities .....	302	0.6	30.0 to 34.9 percent .....	1,511	7.4
Lacking complete kitchen facilities .....	380	0.7	35.0 percent or more .....	5,090	25.0
No telephone service .....	701	1.3	Not computed .....	1,099	5.4

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