

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

Geographic Area: New Bedford, MA PMSA

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
<b>Total population</b> .....	<b>175,198</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE</b>		
<b>SEX AND AGE</b>			<b>Total population</b> .....	<b>175,198</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Male.....	83,951	47.9	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	10,395	5.9
Female.....	91,247	52.1	Mexican.....	404	0.2
Under 5 years.....	10,275	5.9	Puerto Rican.....	7,021	4.0
5 to 9 years.....	11,701	6.7	Cuban.....	96	0.1
10 to 14 years.....	12,404	7.1	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	2,874	1.6
15 to 19 years.....	12,356	7.1	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	164,803	94.1
20 to 24 years.....	11,232	6.4	White alone.....	146,723	83.7
25 to 34 years.....	22,460	12.8	<b>RELATIONSHIP</b>		
35 to 44 years.....	26,755	15.3	<b>Total population</b> .....	<b>175,198</b>	<b>100.0</b>
45 to 54 years.....	24,041	13.7	In households.....	169,347	96.7
55 to 59 years.....	8,885	5.1	Householder.....	68,183	38.9
60 to 64 years.....	6,918	3.9	Spouse.....	33,118	18.9
65 to 74 years.....	13,326	7.6	Child.....	52,532	30.0
75 to 84 years.....	10,964	6.3	Own child under 18 years.....	37,846	21.6
85 years and over.....	3,881	2.2	Other relatives.....	7,663	4.4
Median age (years).....	37.7	(X)	Under 18 years.....	2,744	1.6
18 years and over.....	133,635	76.3	Nonrelatives.....	7,851	4.5
Male.....	62,602	35.7	Unmarried partner.....	4,024	2.3
Female.....	71,033	40.5	In group quarters.....	5,851	3.3
21 years and over.....	125,902	71.9	Institutionalized population.....	3,005	1.7
62 years and over.....	32,283	18.4	Noninstitutionalized population.....	2,846	1.6
65 years and over.....	28,171	16.1	<b>HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE</b>		
Male.....	10,937	6.2	<b>Total households</b> .....	<b>68,183</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Female.....	17,234	9.8	Family households (families).....	45,886	67.3
<b>RACE</b>			With own children under 18 years.....	21,423	31.4
One race.....	168,502	96.2	Married-couple family.....	33,118	48.6
White.....	150,571	85.9	With own children under 18 years.....	13,936	20.4
Black or African American.....	4,787	2.7	Female householder, no husband present.....	10,024	14.7
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	736	0.4	With own children under 18 years.....	6,108	9.0
Asian.....	1,195	0.7	Nonfamily households.....	22,297	32.7
Asian Indian.....	194	0.1	Householder living alone.....	18,981	27.8
Chinese.....	412	0.2	Householder 65 years and over.....	8,686	12.7
Filipino.....	127	0.1	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	23,361	34.3
Japanese.....	59	-	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	19,837	29.1
Korean.....	130	0.1	Average household size.....	2.48	(X)
Vietnamese.....	172	0.1	Average family size.....	3.03	(X)
Other Asian <sup>1</sup> .....	101	0.1	<b>HOUSING OCCUPANCY</b>		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	66	-	<b>Total housing units</b> .....	<b>74,223</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Native Hawaiian.....	12	-	Occupied housing units.....	68,183	91.9
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	28	-	Vacant housing units.....	6,040	8.1
Samoan.....	15	-	For seasonal, recreational, or		
Other Pacific Islander <sup>2</sup> .....	11	-	occasional use.....	1,910	2.6
Some other race.....	11,147	6.4	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	1.1	(X)
Two or more races.....	6,696	3.8	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	6.1	(X)
<b>Race alone or in combination with one</b>			<b>HOUSING TENURE</b>		
<b>or more other races:</b> <sup>3</sup>			<b>Occupied housing units</b> .....	<b>68,183</b>	<b>100.0</b>
White.....	155,241	88.6	Owner-occupied housing units.....	40,831	59.9
Black or African American.....	7,405	4.2	Renter-occupied housing units.....	27,352	40.1
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	1,670	1.0	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.68	(X)
Asian.....	1,565	0.9	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	2.19	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	375	0.2			
Some other race.....	16,032	9.2			

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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: New Bedford, 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>		
<b>Population 3 years and over enrolled in school</b> .....			<b>Total population</b> .....	<b>175,198</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Nursery school, preschool.....	45,147	100.0	Native.....	149,822	85.5
Kindergarten.....	2,847	6.3	Born in United States.....	144,885	82.7
Elementary school (grades 1-8).....	2,309	5.1	State of residence.....	126,525	72.2
High school (grades 9-12).....	19,674	43.6	Different state.....	18,360	10.5
College or graduate school.....	10,603	23.5	Born outside United States.....	4,937	2.8
	9,714	21.5	Foreign born.....	25,376	14.5
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>			Entered 1990 to March 2000.....	4,070	2.3
<b>Population 25 years and over</b> .....			Naturalized citizen.....	14,600	8.3
Less than 9th grade.....	117,446	100.0	Not a citizen.....	10,776	6.2
9th to 12th grade, no diploma.....	20,358	17.3	<b>REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN</b>		
High school graduate (includes equivalency).....	17,511	14.9	<b>Total (excluding born at sea)</b> .....		
Some college, no degree.....	34,089	29.0	Europe.....	19,066	75.1
Associate degree.....	17,793	15.1	Asia.....	1,330	5.2
Bachelor's degree.....	7,438	6.3	Africa.....	2,141	8.4
Graduate or professional degree.....	13,193	11.2	Oceania.....	-	-
Percent high school graduate or higher.....	7,064	6.0	Latin America.....	2,346	9.2
Percent bachelor's degree or higher.....	67.8	(X)	Northern America.....	493	1.9
	17.2	(X)	<b>LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME</b>		
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>			<b>Population 5 years and over</b> .....		
<b>Population 15 years and over</b> .....			English only.....	165,047	100.0
Never married.....	141,171	100.0	Language other than English.....	120,372	72.9
Now married, except separated.....	38,611	27.4	Speak English less than "very well".....	44,675	27.1
Separated.....	73,690	52.2	Spanish.....	19,087	11.6
Widowed.....	3,703	2.6	Speak English less than "very well".....	7,586	4.6
Female.....	11,988	8.5	Other Indo-European languages.....	3,941	2.4
Divorced.....	9,920	7.0	Speak English less than "very well".....	35,763	21.7
Female.....	13,179	9.3	Asian and Pacific Island languages.....	14,464	8.8
	7,564	5.4	Speak English less than "very well".....	965	0.6
				574	0.3
<b>GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS</b>			<b>ANCESTRY (single or multiple)</b>		
<b>Grandparent living in household with one or more own grandchildren under 18 years</b> .....			<b>Total population</b> .....		
Grandparent responsible for grandchildren.....	3,401	100.0	<i>Total ancestries reported</i> .....	175,198	100.0
	1,136	33.4	Arab.....	194,907	111.2
<b>VETERAN STATUS</b>			Czech <sup>1</sup> .....	1,048	0.6
<b>Civilian population 18 years and over</b> .....			Danish.....	228	0.1
Civilian veterans.....	133,569	100.0	Dutch.....	233	0.1
	15,690	11.7	English.....	571	0.3
<b>DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION</b>			French (except Basque) <sup>1</sup> .....	19,327	11.0
<b>Population 5 to 20 years</b> .....			French Canadian <sup>1</sup> .....	18,638	10.6
With a disability.....	38,963	100.0	German.....	11,972	6.8
Percent employed.....	3,473	8.9	Greek.....	4,500	2.6
<b>Population 21 to 64 years</b> .....	96,406	100.0	Hungarian.....	741	0.4
With a disability.....	20,669	21.4	Irish <sup>1</sup> .....	149	0.1
Percent employed.....	51.9	(X)	Italian.....	19,262	11.0
No disability.....	75,737	78.6	Lithuanian.....	7,191	4.1
Percent employed.....	78.4	(X)	Norwegian.....	413	0.2
<b>Population 65 years and over</b> .....	26,540	100.0	Polish.....	1,420	0.8
With a disability.....	11,166	42.1	Portuguese.....	7,748	4.4
<b>RESIDENCE IN 1995</b>			Russian.....	62,680	35.8
<b>Population 5 years and over</b> .....			Scotch-Irish.....	735	0.4
Same house in 1995.....	165,047	100.0	Scottish.....	1,238	0.7
Different house in the U.S. in 1995.....	103,801	62.9	Slovak.....	1,824	1.0
Same county.....	57,641	34.9	Svenskan.....	57	-
Different county.....	44,569	27.0	Subsaharan African.....	9,406	5.4
Same state.....	13,072	7.9	Swedish.....	1,222	0.7
Different state.....	7,786	4.7	Swiss.....	138	0.1
Elsewhere in 1995.....	5,286	3.2	Ukrainian.....	126	0.1
	3,605	2.2	United States or American.....	5,461	3.1
			Welsh.....	324	0.2
			West Indian (excluding Hispanic groups).....	320	0.2
			Other ancestries.....	17,935	10.2

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<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-4. Profile of Selected Housing Characteristics: 2000**

Geographic area: New Bedford, 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>74,223</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>OCCUPANTS PER ROOM</b>		
<b>UNITS IN STRUCTURE</b>			<b>Occupied housing units</b> .....	<b>68,183</b>	<b>100.0</b>
1-unit, detached .....	39,394	53.1	1.00 or less .....	66,755	97.9
1-unit, attached .....	1,812	2.4	1.01 to 1.50 .....	1,034	1.5
2 units .....	9,914	13.4	1.51 or more .....	394	0.6
3 or 4 units .....	13,024	17.5			
5 to 9 units .....	4,595	6.2	<b>Specified owner-occupied units</b> .....	<b>32,608</b>	<b>100.0</b>
10 to 19 units .....	1,555	2.1	<b>VALUE</b>		
20 or more units .....	3,384	4.6	Less than \$50,000 .....	284	0.9
Mobile home .....	523	0.7	\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	5,628	17.3
Boat, RV, van, etc .....	22	-	\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	13,683	42.0
			\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	7,012	21.5
<b>YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT</b>			\$200,000 to \$299,999 .....	4,017	12.3
1999 to March 2000 .....	584	0.8	\$300,000 to \$499,999 .....	1,396	4.3
1995 to 1998 .....	2,435	3.3	\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	500	1.5
1990 to 1994 .....	2,430	3.3	\$1,000,000 or more .....	88	0.3
1980 to 1989 .....	6,204	8.4	Median (dollars) .....	138,200	(X)
1970 to 1979 .....	9,020	12.2			
1960 to 1969 .....	8,123	10.9	<b>MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED</b>		
1940 to 1959 .....	16,316	22.0	<b>MONTHLY OWNER COSTS</b>		
1939 or earlier .....	29,111	39.2	With a mortgage .....	21,530	66.0
			Less than \$300 .....	35	0.1
<b>ROOMS</b>			\$300 to \$499 .....	689	2.1
1 room .....	748	1.0	\$500 to \$699 .....	1,777	5.4
2 rooms .....	2,599	3.5	\$700 to \$999 .....	5,341	16.4
3 rooms .....	5,513	7.4	\$1,000 to \$1,499 .....	9,204	28.2
4 rooms .....	12,511	16.9	\$1,500 to \$1,999 .....	3,087	9.5
5 rooms .....	19,171	25.8	\$2,000 or more .....	1,397	4.3
6 rooms .....	15,467	20.8	Median (dollars) .....	1,135	(X)
7 rooms .....	8,833	11.9	Not mortgaged .....	11,078	34.0
8 rooms .....	5,049	6.8	Median (dollars) .....	351	(X)
9 or more rooms .....	4,332	5.8			
Median (rooms) .....	5.3	(X)	<b>SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS</b>		
			<b>AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD</b>		
<b>Occupied housing units</b> .....	<b>68,183</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>INCOME IN 1999</b>		
<b>YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT</b>			Less than 15.0 percent .....	11,245	34.5
1999 to March 2000 .....	9,796	14.4	15.0 to 19.9 percent .....	5,865	18.0
1995 to 1998 .....	16,942	24.8	20.0 to 24.9 percent .....	4,701	14.4
1990 to 1994 .....	10,423	15.3	25.0 to 29.9 percent .....	3,277	10.0
1980 to 1989 .....	11,636	17.1	30.0 to 34.9 percent .....	1,893	5.8
1970 to 1979 .....	8,659	12.7	35.0 percent or more .....	5,387	16.5
1969 or earlier .....	10,727	15.7	Not computed .....	240	0.7
<b>VEHICLES AVAILABLE</b>			<b>Specified renter-occupied units</b> .....	<b>27,234</b>	<b>100.0</b>
None .....	9,887	14.5	<b>GROSS RENT</b>		
1 .....	26,295	38.6	Less than \$200 .....	2,685	9.9
2 .....	23,680	34.7	\$200 to \$299 .....	2,664	9.8
3 or more .....	8,321	12.2	\$300 to \$499 .....	9,262	34.0
			\$500 to \$749 .....	8,862	32.5
<b>HOUSE HEATING FUEL</b>			\$750 to \$999 .....	1,947	7.1
Utility gas .....	40,942	60.0	\$1,000 to \$1,499 .....	645	2.4
Bottled, tank, or LP gas .....	2,118	3.1	\$1,500 or more .....	63	0.2
Electricity .....	3,009	4.4	No cash rent .....	1,106	4.1
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc .....	21,192	31.1	Median (dollars) .....	474	(X)
Coal or coke .....	75	0.1			
Wood .....	386	0.6	<b>GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF</b>		
Solar energy .....	21	-	<b>HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999</b>		
Other fuel .....	223	0.3	Less than 15.0 percent .....	5,888	21.6
No fuel used .....	217	0.3	15.0 to 19.9 percent .....	3,444	12.6
			20.0 to 24.9 percent .....	2,927	10.7
<b>SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS</b>			25.0 to 29.9 percent .....	3,136	11.5
Lacking complete plumbing facilities .....	474	0.7	30.0 to 34.9 percent .....	1,905	7.0
Lacking complete kitchen facilities .....	386	0.6	35.0 percent or more .....	8,101	29.7
No telephone service .....	1,119	1.6	Not computed .....	1,833	6.7

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