

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

Geographic Area: Worcester, MA--CT PMSA

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	511,389	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
SEX AND AGE			Total population	511,389	100.0
Male.....	248,737	48.6	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	36,248	7.1
Female.....	262,652	51.4	Mexican.....	1,355	0.3
Under 5 years.....	33,595	6.6	Puerto Rican.....	23,349	4.6
5 to 9 years.....	37,597	7.4	Cuban.....	625	0.1
10 to 14 years.....	37,247	7.3	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	10,919	2.1
15 to 19 years.....	35,413	6.9	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	475,141	92.9
20 to 24 years.....	30,525	6.0	White alone.....	437,330	85.5
25 to 34 years.....	71,123	13.9	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	87,338	17.1	Total population	511,389	100.0
45 to 54 years.....	69,156	13.5	In households.....	493,512	96.5
55 to 59 years.....	23,715	4.6	Householder.....	194,493	38.0
60 to 64 years.....	17,897	3.5	Spouse.....	100,443	19.6
65 to 74 years.....	32,131	6.3	Child.....	153,300	30.0
75 to 84 years.....	26,002	5.1	Own child under 18 years.....	119,542	23.4
85 years and over.....	9,650	1.9	Other relatives.....	20,187	3.9
Median age (years).....	36.2	(X)	Under 18 years.....	6,433	1.3
18 years and over.....	382,232	74.7	Nonrelatives.....	25,089	4.9
Male.....	182,214	35.6	Unmarried partner.....	11,278	2.2
Female.....	200,018	39.1	In group quarters.....	17,877	3.5
21 years and over.....	360,529	70.5	Institutionalized population.....	7,635	1.5
62 years and over.....	78,245	15.3	Noninstitutionalized population.....	10,242	2.0
65 years and over.....	67,783	13.3	HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Male.....	26,870	5.3	Total households	194,493	100.0
Female.....	40,913	8.0	Family households (families).....	130,207	66.9
RACE			With own children under 18 years.....	64,150	33.0
One race.....	501,859	98.1	Married-couple family.....	100,443	51.6
White.....	453,647	88.7	With own children under 18 years.....	47,190	24.3
Black or African American.....	15,161	3.0	Female householder, no husband present.....	22,436	11.5
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	1,429	0.3	With own children under 18 years.....	13,564	7.0
Asian.....	15,152	3.0	Nonfamily households.....	64,286	33.1
Asian Indian.....	3,698	0.7	Householder living alone.....	52,138	26.8
Chinese.....	3,006	0.6	Householder 65 years and over.....	20,551	10.6
Filipino.....	377	0.1	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	68,523	35.2
Japanese.....	371	0.1	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	46,862	24.1
Korean.....	817	0.2	Average household size.....	2.54	(X)
Vietnamese.....	5,231	1.0	Average family size.....	3.10	(X)
Other Asian ¹	1,652	0.3	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	189	-	Total housing units	204,203	100.0
Native Hawaiian.....	47	-	Occupied housing units.....	194,493	95.2
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	27	-	Vacant housing units.....	9,710	4.8
Samoan.....	23	-	For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use.....	2,341	1.1
Other Pacific Islander ²	92	-	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	0.7	(X)
Some other race.....	16,281	3.2	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	4.2	(X)
Two or more races.....	9,530	1.9	HOUSING TENURE		
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: ³			Occupied housing units	194,493	100.0
White.....	461,485	90.2	Owner-occupied housing units.....	121,911	62.7
Black or African American.....	17,910	3.5	Renter-occupied housing units.....	72,582	37.3
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	3,381	0.7	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.75	(X)
Asian.....	16,777	3.3	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	2.19	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	642	0.1			
Some other race.....	21,223	4.2			

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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: Worcester, MA--CT 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
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT			NATIVITY AND PLACE OF BIRTH		
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	141,142	100.0	Total population	511,389	100.0
Nursery school, preschool	9,981	7.1	Native	469,193	91.7
Kindergarten	7,564	5.4	Born in United States	453,881	88.8
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	61,300	43.4	State of residence	361,713	70.7
High school (grades 9-12)	27,691	19.6	Different state	92,168	18.0
College or graduate school	34,606	24.5	Born outside United States	15,312	3.0
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT			Foreign born	42,196	8.3
Population 25 years and over	336,777	100.0	Entered 1990 to March 2000	19,779	3.9
Less than 9th grade	19,373	5.8	Naturalized citizen	17,463	3.4
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	36,181	10.7	Not a citizen	24,733	4.8
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	99,955	29.7	REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN		
Some college, no degree	62,291	18.5	Total (excluding born at sea)	42,196	100.0
Associate degree	25,830	7.7	Europe	13,257	31.4
Bachelor's degree	56,809	16.9	Asia	12,568	29.8
Graduate or professional degree	36,338	10.8	Africa	3,976	9.4
Percent high school graduate or higher	83.5	(X)	Oceania	89	0.2
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	27.7	(X)	Latin America	9,442	22.4
MARITAL STATUS			Northern America	2,864	6.8
Population 15 years and over	402,966	100.0	LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME		
Never married	113,722	28.2	Population 5 years and over	477,894	100.0
Now married, except separated	216,528	53.7	English only	402,975	84.3
Separated	7,736	1.9	Language other than English	74,919	15.7
Widowed	28,357	7.0	Speak English less than "very well"	29,992	6.3
Female	23,027	5.7	Spanish	30,299	6.3
Divorced	36,623	9.1	Speak English less than "very well"	13,324	2.8
Female	21,411	5.3	Other Indo-European languages	29,701	6.2
GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS			Speak English less than "very well"	9,688	2.0
Grandparent living in household with one or more own grandchildren under 18 years	7,351	100.0	Asian and Pacific Island languages	10,264	2.1
Grandparent responsible for grandchildren	2,678	36.4	Speak English less than "very well"	5,798	1.2
VETERAN STATUS			ANCESTRY (single or multiple)		
Civilian population 18 years and over ..	382,025	100.0	Total population	511,389	100.0
Civilian veterans	47,603	12.5	Total ancestries reported	604,843	118.3
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION			Arab	4,731	0.9
Population 5 to 20 years	116,629	100.0	Czech ¹	1,087	0.2
With a disability	10,092	8.7	Danish	1,096	0.2
Population 21 to 64 years	290,684	100.0	Dutch	4,768	0.9
With a disability	55,513	19.1	English	56,007	11.0
Percent employed	60.4	(X)	French (except Basque) ¹	74,492	14.6
No disability	235,171	80.9	French Canadian ¹	35,714	7.0
Percent employed	81.5	(X)	German	27,633	5.4
Population 65 years and over	62,759	100.0	Greek	5,773	1.1
With a disability	24,278	38.7	Hungarian	1,147	0.2
RESIDENCE IN 1995			Irish ¹	107,451	21.0
Population 5 years and over	477,894	100.0	Italian	63,519	12.4
Same house in 1995	278,081	58.2	Lithuanian	9,808	1.9
Different house in the U.S. in 1995	184,647	38.6	Norwegian	2,378	0.5
Same county	125,814	26.3	Polish	40,660	8.0
Different county	58,833	12.3	Portuguese	4,048	0.8
Same state	25,377	5.3	Russian	5,072	1.0
Different state	33,456	7.0	Scotch-Irish	6,571	1.3
Elsewhere in 1995	15,166	3.2	Scottish	11,326	2.2
			Slovak	1,327	0.3
			Subsaharan African	4,705	0.9
			Swedish	20,503	4.0
			Swiss	384	0.1
			Ukrainian	941	0.2
			United States or American	21,566	4.2
			Welsh	1,584	0.3
			West Indian (excluding Hispanic groups)	1,719	0.3
			Other ancestries	88,833	17.4

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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: Worcester, MA--CT 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
EMPLOYMENT STATUS			INCOME IN 1999		
Population 16 years and over	395,743	100.0	Households	194,673	100.0
In labor force	261,975	66.2	Less than \$10,000	17,692	9.1
Civilian labor force	261,633	66.1	\$10,000 to \$14,999	11,882	6.1
Employed	250,589	63.3	\$15,000 to \$24,999	21,293	10.9
Unemployed	11,044	2.8	\$25,000 to \$34,999	21,163	10.9
Percent of civilian labor force	4.2	(X)	\$35,000 to \$49,999	29,216	15.0
Armed Forces	342	0.1	\$50,000 to \$74,999	40,693	20.9
Not in labor force	133,768	33.8	\$75,000 to \$99,999	24,118	12.4
Females 16 years and over	206,584	100.0	\$100,000 to \$149,999	19,730	10.1
In labor force	123,570	59.8	\$150,000 to \$199,999	5,013	2.6
Civilian labor force	123,523	59.8	\$200,000 or more	3,873	2.0
Employed	118,481	57.4	Median household income (dollars)	47,899	(X)
Own children under 6 years	39,694	100.0	With earnings	155,375	79.8
All parents in family in labor force	24,767	62.4	Mean earnings (dollars) ¹	62,406	(X)
COMMUTING TO WORK			With Social Security income	51,966	26.7
Workers 16 years and over	246,072	100.0	Mean Social Security income (dollars) ¹	11,069	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	202,464	82.3	With Supplemental Security Income	9,837	5.1
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	23,005	9.3	Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars) ¹	6,524	(X)
Public transportation (including taxicab)	4,497	1.8	With public assistance income	6,729	3.5
Walked	8,140	3.3	Mean public assistance income (dollars) ¹	3,767	(X)
Other means	1,601	0.7	With retirement income	31,555	16.2
Worked at home	6,365	2.6	Mean retirement income (dollars) ¹	13,842	(X)
Mean travel time to work (minutes) ¹	25.4	(X)	Families	131,125	100.0
Employed civilian population 16 years and over	250,589	100.0	Less than \$10,000	6,261	4.8
OCCUPATION			\$10,000 to \$14,999	4,189	3.2
Management, professional, and related occupations	94,886	37.9	\$15,000 to \$24,999	11,256	8.6
Service occupations	35,316	14.1	\$25,000 to \$34,999	12,425	9.5
Sales and office occupations	64,447	25.7	\$35,000 to \$49,999	19,597	14.9
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	335	0.1	\$50,000 to \$74,999	31,434	24.0
Construction, extraction, and maintenance occupations	19,871	7.9	\$75,000 to \$99,999	20,420	15.6
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	35,734	14.3	\$100,000 to \$149,999	17,681	13.5
INDUSTRY			\$150,000 to \$199,999	4,530	3.5
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	1,001	0.4	\$200,000 or more	3,332	2.5
Construction	13,621	5.4	Median family income (dollars)	58,737	(X)
Manufacturing	43,680	17.4	Per capita income (dollars) ¹	22,962	(X)
Wholesale trade	9,186	3.7	Median earnings (dollars):		
Retail trade	29,082	11.6	Male full-time, year-round workers	42,408	(X)
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	11,005	4.4	Female full-time, year-round workers	30,686	(X)
Information	7,321	2.9			
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	18,318	7.3			
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste management services	20,778	8.3			
Educational, health and social services	60,921	24.3			
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation and food services	15,131	6.0			
Other services (except public administration)	11,026	4.4			
Public administration	9,519	3.8			
CLASS OF WORKER			POVERTY STATUS IN 1999		
Private wage and salary workers	202,098	80.6	Families	9,250	7.1
Government workers	34,294	13.7	With related children under 18 years	7,252	10.5
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	13,688	5.5	With related children under 5 years	3,647	13.1
Unpaid family workers	509	0.2	Families with female householder, no husband present	5,331	24.4
			With related children under 18 years	4,862	33.1
			With related children under 5 years	2,476	48.9
			Individuals	48,271	9.8
			18 years and over	32,139	8.8
			65 years and over	5,827	9.3
			Related children under 18 years	15,209	12.1
			Related children 5 to 17 years	10,797	11.6
			Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	17,987	20.4

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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: Worcester, MA--CT PMSA

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total housing units	204,203	100.0	OCCUPANTS PER ROOM		
UNITS IN STRUCTURE			Occupied housing units	194,493	100.0
1-unit, detached	111,825	54.8	1.00 or less	189,838	97.6
1-unit, attached	7,591	3.7	1.01 to 1.50	3,022	1.6
2 units	19,148	9.4	1.51 or more	1,633	0.8
3 or 4 units	29,604	14.5			
5 to 9 units	12,376	6.1	Specified owner-occupied units	100,448	100.0
10 to 19 units	8,029	3.9	VALUE		
20 or more units	13,668	6.7	Less than \$50,000	603	0.6
Mobile home	1,949	1.0	\$50,000 to \$99,999	13,732	13.7
Boat, RV, van, etc	13	-	\$100,000 to \$149,999	39,240	39.1
			\$150,000 to \$199,999	23,194	23.1
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT			\$200,000 to \$299,999	16,359	16.3
1999 to March 2000	2,762	1.4	\$300,000 to \$499,999	6,563	6.5
1995 to 1998	8,476	4.2	\$500,000 to \$999,999	717	0.7
1990 to 1994	11,165	5.5	\$1,000,000 or more	40	-
1980 to 1989	26,435	12.9	Median (dollars)	145,900	(X)
1970 to 1979	26,072	12.8			
1960 to 1969	21,021	10.3	MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED		
1940 to 1959	44,004	21.5	MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
1939 or earlier	64,268	31.5	With a mortgage	73,673	73.3
			Less than \$300	150	0.1
ROOMS			\$300 to \$499	1,678	1.7
1 room	2,725	1.3	\$500 to \$699	4,446	4.4
2 rooms	7,406	3.6	\$700 to \$999	14,962	14.9
3 rooms	17,188	8.4	\$1,000 to \$1,499	30,827	30.7
4 rooms	29,497	14.4	\$1,500 to \$1,999	13,940	13.9
5 rooms	42,687	20.9	\$2,000 or more	7,670	7.6
6 rooms	42,793	21.0	Median (dollars)	1,222	(X)
7 rooms	26,273	12.9	Not mortgaged	26,775	26.7
8 rooms	18,920	9.3	Median (dollars)	353	(X)
9 or more rooms	16,714	8.2			
Median (rooms)	5.6	(X)	SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
			AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD		
Occupied housing units	194,493	100.0	INCOME IN 1999		
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT			Less than 15.0 percent	33,909	33.8
1999 to March 2000	31,386	16.1	15.0 to 19.9 percent	19,519	19.4
1995 to 1998	54,648	28.1	20.0 to 24.9 percent	15,591	15.5
1990 to 1994	30,565	15.7	25.0 to 29.9 percent	10,122	10.1
1980 to 1989	30,614	15.7	30.0 to 34.9 percent	6,378	6.3
1970 to 1979	19,716	10.1	35.0 percent or more	14,411	14.3
1969 or earlier	27,564	14.2	Not computed	518	0.5
VEHICLES AVAILABLE			Specified renter-occupied units	72,194	100.0
None	20,142	10.4	GROSS RENT		
1	70,566	36.3	Less than \$200	4,803	6.7
2	78,532	40.4	\$200 to \$299	4,356	6.0
3 or more	25,253	13.0	\$300 to \$499	13,885	19.2
			\$500 to \$749	31,177	43.2
HOUSE HEATING FUEL			\$750 to \$999	11,291	15.6
Utility gas	65,378	33.6	\$1,000 to \$1,499	3,431	4.8
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	5,278	2.7	\$1,500 or more	703	1.0
Electricity	29,765	15.3	No cash rent	2,548	3.5
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	88,941	45.7	Median (dollars)	587	(X)
Coal or coke	454	0.2			
Wood	3,141	1.6	GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF		
Solar energy	60	-	HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999		
Other fuel	928	0.5	Less than 15.0 percent	16,230	22.5
No fuel used	548	0.3	15.0 to 19.9 percent	10,773	14.9
			20.0 to 24.9 percent	8,634	12.0
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS			25.0 to 29.9 percent	7,653	10.6
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	1,202	0.6	30.0 to 34.9 percent	5,492	7.6
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	1,144	0.6	35.0 percent or more	19,057	26.4
No telephone service	2,075	1.1	Not computed	4,355	6.0

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