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Total population.....	14,979
SEX	
Male.....	7,052
Female.....	7,927
AGE	
Under 5 years.....	1,315
5 to 17 years.....	3,157
18 to 20 years.....	664
21 to 24 years.....	825
25 to 44 years.....	4,655
45 to 54 years.....	1,437
55 to 59 years.....	525
60 to 64 years.....	510
65 to 74 years.....	922
75 to 84 years.....	692
85 years and over.....	277
Median age.....	30.9
Under 18 years.....	4,472
Percent of total population.....	29.9
65 years and over.....	1,891
Percent of total population.....	12.6
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE	
Total households.....	5,366
Family households (families).....	4,139
Married-couple families.....	3,225
Percent of total households.....	60.1
Other family, male householder.....	150
Other family, female householder.....	764
Nonfamily households.....	1,227
Percent of total households.....	22.9
Householder living alone.....	1,112
Householder 65 years and over.....	516
Persons living in households.....	14,506
Persons per household.....	2.70
GROUP QUARTERS	
Persons living in group quarters.....	473
Institutionalized persons.....	438
Other persons in group quarters.....	35
RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN	
White.....	14,120
Black.....	241
Percent of total population.....	1.6
American Indian, Eskimo, or Aleut.....	237
Percent of total population.....	1.6
Asian or Pacific Islander.....	327
Percent of total population.....	2.2
Other race.....	54
Hispanic origin (of any race).....	250
Percent of total population.....	1.7

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Total housing units.....	5,763
OCCUPANCY AND TENURE	
Occupied housing units.....	5,366
Owner occupied.....	3,606
Percent owner occupied.....	67.2
Renter occupied.....	1,760
Vacant housing units.....	397
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use.....	11
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	3.1
Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	7.2
Persons per owner-occupied unit.....	2.76
Persons per renter-occupied unit.....	2.60
Units with over 1 person per room.....	215
UNITS IN STRUCTURE	
1-unit, detached.....	4,438
1-unit, attached.....	96
2 to 4 units.....	640
5 to 9 units.....	255
10 or more units.....	202
Mobile home, trailer, other.....	132
VALUE	
Specified owner-occupied units.....	3,330
Less than \$50,000.....	2,000
\$50,000 to \$99,000.....	1,185
\$100,000 to \$149,000.....	106
\$150,000 to \$199,999.....	21
\$200,000 to \$299,999.....	9
\$300,000 or more.....	9
Median (dollars).....	44,500
CONTRACT RENT	
Specified renter-occupied units paying cash rent.....	1,650
Less than \$250.....	1,003
\$250 to \$499.....	631
\$500 to \$749.....	16
\$750 to \$999.....	0
\$1,000 or more.....	0
Median (dollars).....	224
RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER	
Occupied housing units.....	5,366
White.....	5,116
Black.....	91
Percent of occupied units.....	1.7
American Indian, Eskimo, or Aleut.....	72
Percent of occupied units.....	1.3
Asian or Pacific Islander.....	72
Percent of occupied units.....	1.3
Other race.....	15
Hispanic origin (of any race).....	64
Percent of occupied units.....	1.2

URBAN AND RURAL RESIDENCE

Total population.....	14,930
Urban population.....	14,930
Percent of total population.....	100.0
Rural population.....	0
Percent of total population.....	0.0
Farm population.....	0

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

Persons 3 years and over enrolled in school.....	3,732
Preprimary school.....	283
Elementary or high school.....	2,835
Percent in private school.....	6.2
College.....	614

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

Persons 25 years and over.....	8,978
Less than 9th grade.....	1,493
9th to 12th grade, no diploma.....	1,689
High school graduate.....	2,659
Some college, no degree.....	1,782
Associates degree.....	461
Bachelor's degree.....	633
Graduate or professional degree.....	261
Percent high school graduate or higher.....	64.6
Percent bachelor's degree or higher.....	10.0

RESIDENCE IN 1985

Persons 5 years and over.....	13,619
Lived in same house.....	6,113
Lived in different house in U.S.....	7,391
Same State.....	5,557
Same county.....	3,486
Different county.....	2,071
Different State.....	1,834
Lived abroad.....	115

DISABILITY OF CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED PERSONS

Persons 16 to 64 years.....	8,960
With a mobility or self-care limitation.....	424
With a mobility limitation.....	278
With a self-care limitation.....	274
With a work disability.....	1,015
In labor force.....	362
Prevented from working.....	572
Persons 65 years and over.....	1,509
With a mobility or self-care limitation.....	452
With a mobility limitation.....	388
With a self-care limitation.....	291

CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 WOMEN

Women 15 to 24 years.....	591
Women 25 to 34 years.....	1,795
Women 35 to 44 years.....	2,021

VETERAN STATUS

Civilian veterans 16 years and over.....	1,457
65 years and over.....	321

NATIVITY AND PLACE OF BIRTH

Native population.....	14,617
Percent born in state of residence.....	69.6
Foreign-born population.....	313
Entered the U.S. 1980 to 1990.....	217

LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME

Persons 5 years and over.....	13,619
Speak a language other than English.....	485
Do not speak English 'very well'.....	215
Speak Spanish.....	237
Do not speak English 'very well'.....	75
Speak Asian or Pacific Island language.....	185
Do not speak English 'very well'.....	120

ANCESTRY

Total ancestries reported.....	16,071
Arab.....	0
Austrian.....	0
Belgian.....	0
Canadian.....	15
Czech.....	0
Danish.....	25
Dutch.....	596
English.....	1,907
Finnish.....	29
French (except Basque).....	679
French Canadian.....	40
German.....	3,055
Greek.....	7
Hungarian.....	0
Irish.....	3,493
Italian.....	140
Lithuanian.....	0
Norwegian.....	69
Polish.....	110
Portuguese.....	32
Romanian.....	5
Russian.....	19
Scotch-Irish.....	463

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Scottish.....	308
Slovak.....	7
Subsaharan African.....	0
Swedish.....	93
Swiss.....	37
Ukrainian.....	24
United States or American.....	1,450
Welsh.....	89
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups).....	55
Yugoslavian.....	19
Other ancestries.....	3,305

LABOR FORCE STATUS

Persons 16 years and over.....	10,904
In labor force.....	6,841
Percent in labor force.....	62.7
Civilian labor force.....	6,832
Employed.....	6,327
Unemployed.....	505
Percent unemployed.....	7.4
Armed Forces.....	9
Not in labor force.....	4,063
Males 16 years and over.....	4,956
In labor force.....	3,640
Percent in labor force.....	73.4
Civilian labor force.....	3,631
Employed.....	3,400
Unemployed.....	231
Percent unemployed.....	6.4
Armed Forces.....	9
Not in labor force.....	1,316
Females 16 years and over.....	5,948
In labor force.....	3,201
Percent in labor force.....	53.8
Civilian labor force.....	3,201
Employed.....	2,927
Unemployed.....	274
Percent unemployed.....	8.6
Armed Forces.....	0
Not in labor force.....	2,747
Females 16 years and over.....	5,948
With own children under 6 years.....	1,206
Percent in labor force.....	67.5
With own children 6 to 17 years only.....	1,134
Percent in labor force.....	78.0
Own children under 6 years in families and subfamilies...	1,554
All parents present in household in labor force.....	919
Own children 6 to 17 years in families and subfamilies.....	2,791
All parents present in household in labor force.....	1,942
Persons 16 to 19 years.....	906
Not enrolled in school and not high school graduate.....	176
Employed or in Armed Forces.....	37
Unemployed.....	47
Not in labor force.....	92

COMMUTING TO WORK

Workers 16 years and over.....	6,293
Percent drove alone.....	77.4
Percent in carpools.....	18.0
Percent using public transportation.....	0.0
Percent using other means.....	0.3
Percent walked or worked at home.....	4.1
Mean travel time to work (minutes).....	16.9

OCCUPATION

Employed persons 16 years and over.....	6,327
Executive, administrative, and managerial occupations.....	482
Professional specialty occupations.....	633
Technicians and related support occupations.....	197
Sales occupations.....	928
Administrative support occupations, including clerical.....	933
Private household occupations.....	24
Protective service occupations.....	87
Service occupations, except protective and household.....	701
Farming, forestry, and fishing occupations.....	87
Precision production, craft, and repair occupations.....	871
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors.....	738
Transportation and material moving occupations.....	332
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers.....	314

INDUSTRY

Employed person 16 years and over.....	6,327
Agriculture, forestry, and fisheries.....	128
Mining.....	33
Construction.....	312
Manufacturing, nondurable goods.....	837
Manufacturing, durable goods.....	892
Transportation.....	359
Communications and other public utilities.....	161
Wholesale trade.....	273
Retail trade.....	1,100
Finance, insurance, and real estate.....	319
Business and repair services.....	225
Personal services.....	201
Entertainment, and recreation services.....	34
Health services.....	540
Educational services.....	435
Other professional and related services.....	256
Public administration.....	222

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CLASS OF WORKER

Employed persons 16 years and over.....	6,327
Private wage and salary workers.....	5,172
Government workers.....	710
Local government workers.....	340
State government workers.....	259
Federal government workers.....	111
Self-employed workers.....	388
Unpaid family workers.....	57

INCOME IN 1989

Households.....	5,354
Less than \$5,000.....	440
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	690
\$10,000 to \$14,999.....	723
\$15,000 to \$24,999.....	1,302
\$25,000 to \$34,999.....	923
\$35,000 to \$49,999.....	681
\$50,000 to \$74,999.....	459
\$75,000 to \$99,999.....	68
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	60
\$150,000 or more.....	8
Median household income (dollars).....	21,105
Families.....	4,162
Less than \$5,000.....	180
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	345
\$10,000 to \$14,999.....	561
\$15,000 to \$24,999.....	1,063
\$25,000 to \$34,999.....	812
\$35,000 to \$49,999.....	636
\$50,000 to \$74,999.....	443
\$75,000 to \$99,999.....	54
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	60
\$150,000 or more.....	8
Median family income (dollars).....	24,270
Nonfamily households.....	1,192
Less than \$5,000.....	260
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	365
\$10,000 to \$14,999.....	169
\$15,000 to \$24,999.....	232
\$25,000 to \$34,999.....	99
\$35,000 to \$49,999.....	45
\$50,000 to \$74,999.....	8
\$75,000 to \$99,999.....	14
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	0
\$150,000 or more.....	0
Median nonfamily household income (dollars).....	9,328
Per capita income (dollars).....	9,531

INCOME TYPE IN 1989

Households.....	5,354
With wage and salary income.....	4,014
Mean wage and salary income (dollars).....	25,902
With nonfarm self-employment income.....	549
Mean nonfarm self-employment income (dollars).....	14,323
With farm self-employment income.....	35
Mean farm self-employment income (dollars).....	7,604
With Social Security income.....	1,401
Mean Social Security income (dollars).....	7,039
With public assistance income.....	388
Mean public assistance income (dollars).....	3,531
With retirement income.....	665
Mean retirement income (dollars).....	9,136

POVERTY STATUS IN 1989

All persons for whom poverty status is determined.....	14,504
Below poverty level.....	2,695
Persons 18 years and over.....	10,087
Below poverty level.....	1,542
Persons 65 years and over.....	1,509
Below poverty level.....	306
Related children under 18 years.....	4,401
Below poverty level.....	1,137
Related children under 5 years.....	1,311
Below poverty level.....	428
Related children 5 to 17 years.....	3,090
Below poverty level.....	709
Unrelated individuals.....	1,450
Below poverty level.....	475
All families.....	4,162
Below poverty level.....	611
With related children under 18 years.....	2,409
Below poverty level.....	490
With related children under 5 years.....	1,057
Below poverty level.....	300
Female householder families.....	750
Below poverty level.....	269
With related children under 18 years.....	545
Below poverty level.....	261
With related children under 5 years.....	168
Below poverty level.....	127

Percent below poverty level:

All persons.....	18.6
Persons 18 years and over.....	15.3
Persons 65 years and over.....	20.3
Related children under 18 years.....	25.8
Related children under 5 years.....	32.6
Related children 5 to 17 years.....	22.9
Unrelated individuals.....	32.8
All families.....	14.7
With related children under 18 years.....	20.3
With related children under 5 years.....	28.4
Female householder families.....	35.9
With related children under 18 years.....	47.9
With related children under 5 years.....	75.6

Total housing units.....	5,798
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT	
1989 to March 1990.....	181
1985 to 1988.....	924
1980 to 1984.....	860
1970 to 1979.....	1,733
1960 to 1969.....	698
1950 to 1959.....	431
1940 to 1949.....	359
1939 or earlier.....	612
BEDROOMS	
No bedroom.....	20
1 bedroom.....	521
2 bedrooms.....	1,702
3 bedrooms.....	3,098
4 bedrooms.....	384
5 or more bedrooms.....	73
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	
Lacking complete plumbing facilities.....	21
Lacking complete kitchen facilities.....	56
Condominium housing units.....	0
SOURCE OF WATER	
Public system or private company.....	5,784
Individual drilled well.....	0
Individual dug well.....	9
Some other source.....	5
SEWAGE DISPOSAL	
Public sewer.....	5,168
Septic tank or cesspool.....	612
Other means.....	18
Occupied housing units.....	5,409
HOUSE HEATING FUEL	
Utility gas.....	3,266
Bottled, tank, or LP gas.....	126
Electricity.....	1,894
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.....	0
Coal or coke.....	0
Wood.....	115
Solar energy.....	0
Other fuel.....	0
No fuel used.....	8

YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT

1989 to March 1990.....	1,470
1985 to 1988.....	1,675
1980 to 1984.....	720
1970 to 1979.....	837
1960 to 1969.....	374
1959 or earlier.....	333

TELEPHONE

No telephone in unit.....	583
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VEHICLES AVAILABLE

Occupied housing units.....	5,409
None.....	481
1.....	1,985
2.....	2,250
3 or more.....	693

MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS

Specified owner-occupied housing units.....	3,447
With a mortgage.....	2,399
Less than \$300.....	354
\$300 to \$499.....	889
\$500 to \$699.....	694
\$700 to \$999.....	371
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	68
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	15
\$2,000 or more.....	8
Median (dollars).....	491
Not mortgaged.....	1,048
Less than \$100.....	197
\$100 to \$199.....	682
\$200 to \$299.....	149
\$300 to \$399.....	14
\$400 or more.....	6
Median (dollars).....	141

SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1989

Specified owner-occupied housing units.....	3,447
Less than 20 percent.....	1,861
20 to 24 percent.....	518
25 to 29 percent.....	351
30 to 34 percent.....	266
35 percent or more.....	425
Not computed.....	26

GROSS RENT

Specified renter-occupied housing units.....	1,708
Less than \$200.....	397
\$200 to \$299.....	510
\$300 to \$499.....	582
\$500 to \$749.....	108
\$750 to \$999.....	11
\$1,000 or more.....	0
No cash rent.....	100
Median (dollars).....	283

GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1989

Specified renter-occupied housing units.....	1,708
Less than 20 percent.....	535
20 to 24 percent.....	279
25 to 29 percent.....	208
30 to 34 percent.....	137
35 percent or more.....	418
Not computed.....	131

