

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

Geographic area: Ouachita County, Arkansas

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	28,790	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
SEX AND AGE			Total population	28,790	100.0
Male.....	13,622	47.3	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	210	0.7
Female.....	15,168	52.7	Mexican.....	96	0.3
Under 5 years.....	1,768	6.1	Puerto Rican.....	8	-
5 to 9 years.....	2,042	7.1	Cuban.....	7	-
10 to 14 years.....	2,251	7.8	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	99	0.3
15 to 19 years.....	2,156	7.5	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	28,580	99.3
20 to 24 years.....	1,529	5.3	White alone.....	17,114	59.4
25 to 34 years.....	3,162	11.0	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	4,207	14.6	Total population	28,790	100.0
45 to 54 years.....	4,007	13.9	In households.....	28,397	98.6
55 to 59 years.....	1,531	5.3	Householder.....	11,613	40.3
60 to 64 years.....	1,264	4.4	Spouse.....	5,809	20.2
65 to 74 years.....	2,504	8.7	Child.....	8,379	29.1
75 to 84 years.....	1,690	5.9	Own child under 18 years.....	6,399	22.2
85 years and over.....	679	2.4	Other relatives.....	1,845	6.4
Median age (years).....	38.7	(X)	Under 18 years.....	950	3.3
18 years and over.....	21,337	74.1	Nonrelatives.....	751	2.6
Male.....	9,806	34.1	Unmarried partner.....	376	1.3
Female.....	11,531	40.1	In group quarters.....	393	1.4
21 years and over.....	20,233	70.3	Institutionalized population.....	226	0.8
62 years and over.....	5,615	19.5	Noninstitutionalized population.....	167	0.6
65 years and over.....	4,873	16.9	HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Male.....	1,907	6.6	Total households	11,613	100.0
Female.....	2,966	10.3	Family households (families).....	8,070	69.5
RACE			With own children under 18 years.....	3,578	30.8
One race.....	28,552	99.2	Married-couple family.....	5,809	50.0
White.....	17,200	59.7	With own children under 18 years.....	2,336	20.1
Black or African American.....	11,125	38.6	Female householder, no husband present.....	1,806	15.6
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	73	0.3	With own children under 18 years.....	1,021	8.8
Asian.....	70	0.2	Nonfamily households.....	3,543	30.5
Asian Indian.....	15	0.1	Householder living alone.....	3,251	28.0
Chinese.....	13	-	Householder 65 years and over.....	1,564	13.5
Filipino.....	17	0.1	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	4,105	35.3
Japanese.....	7	-	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	3,507	30.2
Korean.....	4	-	Average household size.....	2.45	(X)
Vietnamese.....	12	-	Average family size.....	2.99	(X)
Other Asian ¹	2	-	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	8	-	Total housing units	13,450	100.0
Native Hawaiian.....	1	-	Occupied housing units.....	11,613	86.3
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	3	-	Vacant housing units.....	1,837	13.7
Samoan.....	1	-	For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use.....	256	1.9
Other Pacific Islander ²	3	-	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	2.6	(X)
Some other race.....	76	0.3	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	11.4	(X)
Two or more races.....	238	0.8	HOUSING TENURE		
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: ³			Occupied housing units	11,613	100.0
White.....	17,396	60.4	Owner-occupied housing units.....	8,293	71.4
Black or African American.....	11,227	39.0	Renter-occupied housing units.....	3,320	28.6
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	199	0.7	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.46	(X)
Asian.....	102	0.4	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	2.41	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	14	-			
Some other race.....	102	0.4			

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

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: Ouachita County, Arkansas

[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			Total population		
Nursery school, preschool	518	7.0	Native	28,596	99.3
Kindergarten	454	6.1	Born in United States	28,498	99.0
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	3,453	46.7	State of residence	23,120	80.3
High school (grades 9-12)	2,008	27.1	Different state	5,378	18.7
College or graduate school	965	13.0	Born outside United States	98	0.3
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT			Foreign born	194	0.7
Population 25 years and over			Entered 1990 to March 2000	100	0.3
Less than 9th grade	1,597	8.4	Naturalized citizen	76	0.3
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	3,435	18.1	Not a citizen	118	0.4
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	6,622	34.9	REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN		
Some college, no degree	3,975	20.9	Total (excluding born at sea)		
Associate degree	931	4.9	Europe	36	18.6
Bachelor's degree	1,673	8.8	Asia	39	20.1
Graduate or professional degree	742	3.9	Africa	23	11.9
Percent high school graduate or higher	73.5	(X)	Oceania	-	-
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	12.7	(X)	Latin America	87	44.8
MARITAL STATUS			Northern America	9	4.6
Population 15 years and over			LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME		
Never married	4,787	21.1	Population 5 years and over		
Now married, except separated	12,677	55.8	English only	27,026	100.0
Separated	601	2.6	Language other than English	26,413	97.7
Widowed	2,348	10.3	Speak English less than "very well"	613	2.3
Female	1,892	8.3	Spanish	162	0.6
Divorced	2,308	10.2	Speak English less than "very well"	444	1.6
Female	1,251	5.5	Other Indo-European languages	146	0.5
GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS			Other Indo-European languages	119	0.4
Grandparent living in household with one or more own grandchildren under 18 years			Speak English less than "very well"	5	-
Grandparent responsible for grandchildren	690	100.0	Asian and Pacific Island languages	32	0.1
VETERAN STATUS			Speak English less than "very well"	11	-
Civilian population 18 years and over			ANCESTRY (single or multiple)		
Civilian veterans	3,057	14.3	Total population		
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION			Total ancestries reported	28,790	100.0
Population 5 to 20 years			Arab	22,050	76.6
With a disability	644	9.5	Czech ¹	-	-
Population 21 to 64 years			Danish	14	-
With a disability	4,121	27.1	Dutch	15	0.1
Percent employed	48.6	(X)	English	228	0.8
No disability	11,092	72.9	French (except Basque) ¹	1,455	5.1
Percent employed	73.9	(X)	French Canadian ¹	514	1.8
Population 65 years and over			German	84	0.3
With a disability	2,467	51.2	Greek	1,184	4.1
RESIDENCE IN 1995			Hungarian	13	-
Population 5 years and over			Irish ¹	-	-
Same house in 1995	16,832	62.3	Italian	1,957	6.8
Different house in the U.S. in 1995	10,031	37.1	Lithuanian	195	0.7
Same county	6,790	25.1	Norwegian	1	-
Different county	3,241	12.0	Polish	73	0.3
Same state	1,866	6.9	Portuguese	9	-
Different state	1,375	5.1	Russian	9	-
Elsewhere in 1995	163	0.6	Scotch-Irish	461	1.6
			Scottish	199	0.7
			Slovak	7	-
			Subsaharan African	140	0.5
			Swedish	110	0.4
			Swiss	29	0.1
			Ukrainian	2	-
			United States or American	3,559	12.4
			Welsh	41	0.1
			West Indian (excluding Hispanic groups)	3	-
			Other ancestries	11,748	40.8

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

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: Ouachita County, Arkansas

[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			Households		
In labor force	22,199	100.0	Less than \$10,000	11,597	100.0
Civilian labor force	12,442	56.0	\$10,000 to \$14,999	1,998	17.2
Employed	12,439	56.0	\$15,000 to \$24,999	1,197	10.3
Unemployed	11,384	51.3	\$25,000 to \$34,999	1,891	16.3
Percent of civilian labor force	1,055	4.8	\$35,000 to \$49,999	1,660	14.3
Armed Forces	8.5	(X)	\$50,000 to \$74,999	2,007	17.3
Not in labor force	3	-	\$75,000 to \$99,999	1,872	16.1
Females 16 years and over			\$100,000 to \$149,999	524	4.5
In labor force	11,989	100.0	\$150,000 to \$199,999	334	2.9
Civilian labor force	6,283	52.4	\$200,000 or more	40	0.3
Employed	6,283	52.4	Median household income (dollars)	74	0.6
Own children under 6 years	5,580	46.5	With earnings	29,341	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	2,021	100.0	Mean earnings (dollars) ¹	8,207	70.8
COMMUTING TO WORK			With Social Security income	37,837	(X)
Workers 16 years and over			Mean Social Security income (dollars) ¹	4,378	37.8
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	11,210	100.0	With Supplemental Security Income	10,426	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	9,085	81.0	Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars) ¹	849	7.3
Public transportation (including taxicab)	1,536	13.7	Families		
Walked	63	0.6	Less than \$10,000	8,068	100.0
Other means	188	1.7	\$10,000 to \$14,999	848	10.5
Worked at home	132	1.2	\$15,000 to \$24,999	663	8.2
Mean travel time to work (minutes) ¹	206	1.8	\$25,000 to \$34,999	1,206	14.9
	21.9	(X)	\$35,000 to \$49,999	1,216	15.1
Employed civilian population 16 years and over			\$50,000 to \$74,999	1,567	19.4
OCCUPATION			\$75,000 to \$99,999	1,685	20.9
Management, professional, and related occupations	2,764	24.3	\$100,000 to \$149,999	493	6.1
Service occupations	1,606	14.1	\$150,000 to \$199,999	296	3.7
Sales and office occupations	2,687	23.6	\$200,000 or more	43	0.5
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	208	1.8	Median family income (dollars)	51	0.6
Construction, extraction, and maintenance occupations	1,081	9.5	Per capita income (dollars) ¹	35,736	(X)
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	3,038	26.7	Median earnings (dollars):		
INDUSTRY			Male full-time, year-round workers	15,118	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	295	2.6	Female full-time, year-round workers	18,800	(X)
Construction	618	5.4	Subject		
Manufacturing	3,487	30.6	POVERTY STATUS IN 1999		
Wholesale trade	237	2.1	Families		
Retail trade	1,444	12.7	With related children under 18 years	1,302	16.1
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	594	5.2	With related children under 5 years	953	23.2
Information	126	1.1	With related children under 5 years	421	29.5
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	451	4.0	Families with female householder, no husband present		
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste management services	266	2.3	With related children under 18 years	707	42.6
Educational, health and social services	2,464	21.6	With related children under 5 years	625	51.0
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation and food services	473	4.2	With related children under 5 years	276	56.4
Other services (except public administration)	492	4.3	Individuals		
Public administration	437	3.8	18 years and over	5,561	19.5
CLASS OF WORKER			65 years and over	3,628	17.2
Private wage and salary workers	8,815	77.4	Related children under 18 years	897	18.6
Government workers	1,929	16.9	Related children 5 to 17 years	1,927	26.2
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	607	5.3	Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	1,339	23.8
Unpaid family workers	33	0.3		1,372	31.0

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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: Ouachita County, Arkansas

[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	13,450	100.0	OCCUPANTS PER ROOM		
UNITS IN STRUCTURE			Occupied housing units	11,613	100.0
1-unit, detached	9,822	73.0	1.00 or less	11,230	96.7
1-unit, attached	198	1.5	1.01 to 1.50	275	2.4
2 units	448	3.3	1.51 or more	108	0.9
3 or 4 units	513	3.8			
5 to 9 units	317	2.4	Specified owner-occupied units	6,081	100.0
10 to 19 units	76	0.6	VALUE		
20 or more units	211	1.6	Less than \$50,000	3,031	49.8
Mobile home	1,833	13.6	\$50,000 to \$99,999	2,464	40.5
Boat, RV, van, etc	32	0.2	\$100,000 to \$149,999	317	5.2
			\$150,000 to \$199,999	149	2.5
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT			\$200,000 to \$299,999	114	1.9
1999 to March 2000	145	1.1	\$300,000 to \$499,999	6	0.1
1995 to 1998	409	3.0	\$500,000 to \$999,999	-	-
1990 to 1994	623	4.6	\$1,000,000 or more	-	-
1980 to 1989	2,603	19.4	Median (dollars)	50,200	(X)
1970 to 1979	2,208	16.4			
1960 to 1969	2,307	17.2	MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED		
1940 to 1959	4,158	30.9	MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
1939 or earlier	997	7.4	With a mortgage	2,913	47.9
			Less than \$300	116	1.9
ROOMS			\$300 to \$499	808	13.3
1 room	60	0.4	\$500 to \$699	868	14.3
2 rooms	430	3.2	\$700 to \$999	774	12.7
3 rooms	801	6.0	\$1,000 to \$1,499	245	4.0
4 rooms	2,374	17.7	\$1,500 to \$1,999	60	1.0
5 rooms	3,685	27.4	\$2,000 or more	42	0.7
6 rooms	3,287	24.4	Median (dollars)	617	(X)
7 rooms	1,522	11.3	Not mortgaged	3,168	52.1
8 rooms	655	4.9	Median (dollars)	240	(X)
9 or more rooms	636	4.7			
Median (rooms)	5.3	(X)	SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
			AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD		
Occupied housing units	11,613	100.0	INCOME IN 1999		
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT			Less than 15.0 percent	3,063	50.4
1999 to March 2000	1,926	16.6	15.0 to 19.9 percent	925	15.2
1995 to 1998	2,875	24.8	20.0 to 24.9 percent	631	10.4
1990 to 1994	1,599	13.8	25.0 to 29.9 percent	328	5.4
1980 to 1989	2,168	18.7	30.0 to 34.9 percent	242	4.0
1970 to 1979	1,330	11.5	35.0 percent or more	793	13.0
1969 or earlier	1,715	14.8	Not computed	99	1.6
VEHICLES AVAILABLE			Specified renter-occupied units	3,254	100.0
None	1,272	11.0	GROSS RENT		
1	4,238	36.5	Less than \$200	481	14.8
2	4,199	36.2	\$200 to \$299	495	15.2
3 or more	1,904	16.4	\$300 to \$499	1,290	39.6
			\$500 to \$749	430	13.2
HOUSE HEATING FUEL			\$750 to \$999	74	2.3
Utility gas	7,021	60.5	\$1,000 to \$1,499	6	0.2
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	1,418	12.2	\$1,500 or more	8	0.2
Electricity	2,663	22.9	No cash rent	470	14.4
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	10	0.1	Median (dollars)	355	(X)
Coal or coke	-	-			
Wood	420	3.6	GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF		
Solar energy	-	-	HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999		
Other fuel	77	0.7	Less than 15.0 percent	802	24.6
No fuel used	4	-	15.0 to 19.9 percent	384	11.8
			20.0 to 24.9 percent	302	9.3
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS			25.0 to 29.9 percent	230	7.1
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	123	1.1	30.0 to 34.9 percent	139	4.3
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	105	0.9	35.0 percent or more	818	25.1
No telephone service	802	6.9	Not computed	579	17.8

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