

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

Geographic Area: Arkansas

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	2,673,400	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
SEX AND AGE			Total population	2,673,400	100.0
Male.....	1,304,693	48.8	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	86,866	3.2
Female.....	1,368,707	51.2	Mexican.....	61,204	2.3
Under 5 years.....	181,585	6.8	Puerto Rican.....	2,473	0.1
5 to 9 years.....	187,224	7.0	Cuban.....	950	-
10 to 14 years.....	192,935	7.2	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	22,239	0.8
15 to 19 years.....	198,765	7.4	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	2,586,534	96.8
20 to 24 years.....	181,598	6.8	White alone.....	2,100,135	78.6
25 to 34 years.....	352,845	13.2	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	398,127	14.9	Total population	2,673,400	100.0
45 to 54 years.....	349,519	13.1	In households.....	2,599,492	97.2
55 to 59 years.....	139,393	5.2	Householder.....	1,042,696	39.0
60 to 64 years.....	117,390	4.4	Spouse.....	566,401	21.2
65 to 74 years.....	198,334	7.4	Child.....	759,757	28.4
75 to 84 years.....	129,193	4.8	Own child under 18 years.....	601,711	22.5
85 years and over.....	46,492	1.7	Other relatives.....	131,635	4.9
Median age (years).....	36.0	(X)	Under 18 years.....	62,167	2.3
18 years and over.....	1,993,031	74.6	Nonrelatives.....	99,003	3.7
Male.....	955,418	35.7	Unmarried partner.....	40,543	1.5
Female.....	1,037,613	38.8	In group quarters.....	73,908	2.8
21 years and over.....	1,873,359	70.1	Institutionalized population.....	45,152	1.7
62 years and over.....	442,588	16.6	Noninstitutionalized population.....	28,756	1.1
65 years and over.....	374,019	14.0	HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Male.....	154,428	5.8	Total households	1,042,696	100.0
Female.....	219,591	8.2	Family households (families).....	732,261	70.2
RACE			With own children under 18 years.....	334,604	32.1
One race.....	2,637,656	98.7	Married-couple family.....	566,401	54.3
White.....	2,138,598	80.0	With own children under 18 years.....	237,174	22.7
Black or African American.....	418,950	15.7	Female householder, no husband present.....	126,561	12.1
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	17,808	0.7	With own children under 18 years.....	76,774	7.4
Asian.....	20,220	0.8	Nonfamily households.....	310,435	29.8
Asian Indian.....	3,104	0.1	Householder living alone.....	266,585	25.6
Chinese.....	3,126	0.1	Householder 65 years and over.....	108,644	10.4
Filipino.....	2,489	0.1	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	371,331	35.6
Japanese.....	1,036	-	Households with individuals 65 years and over ..	263,521	25.3
Korean.....	1,550	0.1	Average household size.....	2.49	(X)
Vietnamese.....	3,974	0.1	Average family size.....	2.99	(X)
Other Asian ¹	4,941	0.2	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	1,668	0.1	Total housing units	1,173,043	100.0
Native Hawaiian.....	295	-	Occupied housing units.....	1,042,696	88.9
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	231	-	Vacant housing units.....	130,347	11.1
Samoan.....	176	-	For seasonal, recreational, or		
Other Pacific Islander ²	966	-	occasional use.....	29,012	2.5
Some other race.....	40,412	1.5	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	2.5	(X)
Two or more races.....	35,744	1.3	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	9.6	(X)
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: ³			HOUSING TENURE		
White.....	2,170,534	81.2	Occupied housing units	1,042,696	100.0
Black or African American.....	427,152	16.0	Owner-occupied housing units.....	723,535	69.4
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	37,002	1.4	Renter-occupied housing units.....	319,161	30.6
Asian.....	25,401	1.0	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.54	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	3,129	0.1	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	2.40	(X)
Some other race.....	48,267	1.8			

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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: 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	43,353	6.4	Native	2,599,710	97.2
Kindergarten	37,746	5.6	Born in United States	2,585,866	96.7
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	311,515	46.1	State of residence	1,707,529	63.9
High school (grades 9-12)	154,432	22.9	Different state	878,337	32.9
College or graduate school	128,063	19.0	Born outside United States	13,844	0.5
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT			Foreign born		
Population 25 years and over			Entered 1990 to March 2000		
Less than 9th grade	162,464	9.4	Naturalized citizen	40,741	1.5
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	264,985	15.3	Not a citizen	22,055	0.8
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	590,416	34.1		51,635	1.9
Some college, no degree	355,329	20.5	REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN		
Associate degree	69,578	4.0	Total (excluding born at sea)		
Bachelor's degree	190,427	11.0	Europe	10,028	13.6
Graduate or professional degree	98,001	5.7	Asia	15,846	21.5
Percent high school graduate or higher	75.3	(X)	Africa	1,503	2.0
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	16.7	(X)	Oceania	1,165	1.6
MARITAL STATUS			Latin America		
Population 15 years and over			Northern America		
Never married	447,067	21.2		1,839	2.5
Now married, except separated	1,229,643	58.2	LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME		
Separated	40,818	1.9	Population 5 years and over		
Widowed	161,058	7.6	English only	2,492,205	100.0
Female	133,447	6.3	Language other than English	2,368,450	95.0
Divorced	233,077	11.0	Speak English less than "very well"	123,755	5.0
Female	127,314	6.0	Spanish	57,709	2.3
GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS			Speak English less than "very well"		
Grandparent living in household with one or more own grandchildren under 18 years			Other Indo-European languages		
Grandparent responsible for grandchildren	33,618	58.1	Speak English less than "very well"	43,535	1.7
VETERAN STATUS			Other Asian and Pacific Island languages		
Civilian population 18 years and over			Speak English less than "very well"		
Civilian veterans	281,714	14.2		7,865	0.3
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION			ANCESTRY (single or multiple)		
Population 5 to 20 years			Total population		
With a disability	57,733	9.4	Total ancestries reported	2,673,400	100.0
Population 21 to 64 years			Arab		
With a disability	345,338	23.4	Czech ¹	2,177,085	81.4
Percent employed	51.6	(X)	Danish	2,405	0.1
No disability	1,128,378	76.6	Dutch	6,541	0.2
Percent employed	76.7	(X)	English	4,636	0.2
Population 65 years and over			French (except Basque) ¹		
With a disability	173,400	48.9	French Canadian ¹	51,177	1.9
RESIDENCE IN 1995			German		
Population 5 years and over			Greek		
Same house in 1995	1,327,374	53.3	Hungarian	249,657	9.3
Different house in the U.S. in 1995	1,131,174	45.4	Irish ¹	2,595	0.1
Same county	618,239	24.8	Italian	2,309	0.1
Different county	512,935	20.6	Lithuanian	255,279	9.5
Same state	260,835	10.5	Norwegian	34,674	1.3
Different state	252,100	10.1	Polish	1,062	-
Elsewhere in 1995	33,657	1.4	Portuguese	13,046	0.5
			Russian		
			Scotch-Irish		
			Scottish		
			Slovak		
			Subsaharan African		
			Swedish		
			Swiss		
			Ukrainian		
			United States or American		
			Welsh		
			West Indian (excluding Hispanic groups)		
			Other ancestries		

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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: 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	2,072,068	100.0	Less than \$10,000	1,042,807	100.0
Civilian labor force	1,255,828	60.6	\$10,000 to \$14,999	139,262	13.4
Employed	1,249,546	60.3	\$15,000 to \$24,999	89,901	8.6
Unemployed	1,173,399	56.6	\$25,000 to \$34,999	174,093	16.7
Percent of civilian labor force	76,147	3.7	\$35,000 to \$49,999	156,910	15.0
Armed Forces	6.1	(X)	\$50,000 to \$74,999	182,881	17.5
Not in labor force	6,282	0.3	\$75,000 to \$99,999	170,245	16.3
Females 16 years and over			\$100,000 to \$149,999	67,095	6.4
In labor force	1,077,083	100.0	\$150,000 to \$199,999	39,574	3.8
Civilian labor force	585,708	54.4	\$200,000 or more	10,118	1.0
Employed	584,838	54.3	Median household income (dollars)	12,728	1.2
Own children under 6 years	547,269	50.8	With earnings	32,182	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	206,090	100.0	Mean earnings (dollars) ¹	800,789	76.8
COMMUTING TO WORK			With Social Security income	42,936	(X)
Workers 16 years and over			Mean Social Security income (dollars) ¹	316,698	30.4
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	1,160,101	100.0	With Supplemental Security Income	60,449	5.8
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	927,213	79.9	Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars) ¹	5,636	(X)
Public transportation (including taxicab)	163,626	14.1	With public assistance income	30,023	2.9
Walked	5,127	0.4	Mean public assistance income (dollars) ¹	2,188	(X)
Other means	21,915	1.9	With retirement income	169,540	16.3
Worked at home	12,109	1.0	Mean retirement income (dollars) ¹	15,469	(X)
Mean travel time to work (minutes) ¹	30,111	2.6	Families		
Employed civilian population 16 years and over			Less than \$10,000	736,063	100.0
	1,173,399	100.0	\$10,000 to \$14,999	56,058	7.6
OCCUPATION			\$15,000 to \$24,999	47,584	6.5
Management, professional, and related occupations	325,169	27.7	\$25,000 to \$34,999	111,127	15.1
Service occupations	165,701	14.1	\$35,000 to \$49,999	113,289	15.4
Sales and office occupations	294,360	25.1	\$50,000 to \$74,999	145,855	19.8
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	17,923	1.5	\$75,000 to \$99,999	146,860	20.0
Construction, extraction, and maintenance occupations	124,033	10.6	\$100,000 to \$149,999	60,140	8.2
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	246,213	21.0	\$150,000 to \$199,999	35,457	4.8
INDUSTRY			\$200,000 or more	8,718	1.2
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	43,665	3.7	Median family income (dollars)	10,975	1.5
Construction	82,611	7.0	Per capita income (dollars) ¹	38,663	(X)
Manufacturing	227,187	19.4	Median earnings (dollars):		
Wholesale trade	38,340	3.3	Male full-time, year-round workers	29,784	(X)
Retail trade	152,554	13.0	Female full-time, year-round workers	21,270	(X)
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	69,611	5.9	Subject		
Information	25,891	2.2	Number below poverty level		
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	56,460	4.8	Percent below poverty level		
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste management services	63,075	5.4	POVERTY STATUS IN 1999		
Educational, health and social services	230,491	19.6	Families		
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation and food services	74,127	6.3	With related children under 18 years		
Other services (except public administration)	58,629	5.0	With related children under 5 years		
Public administration	50,758	4.3	Families with female householder, no husband present		
CLASS OF WORKER			With related children under 18 years		
Private wage and salary workers	901,640	76.8	With related children under 5 years		
Government workers	175,360	14.9	Individuals		
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	91,942	7.8	18 years and over		
Unpaid family workers	4,457	0.4	65 years and over		
			Related children under 18 years		
			Related children 5 to 17 years		
			Unrelated individuals 15 years and over		

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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: 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	1,173,043	100.0	OCCUPANTS PER ROOM		
UNITS IN STRUCTURE			Occupied housing units	1,042,696	100.0
1-unit, detached	809,373	69.0	1.00 or less	1,004,569	96.3
1-unit, attached	20,908	1.8	1.01 to 1.50	26,197	2.5
2 units	37,702	3.2	1.51 or more	11,930	1.1
3 or 4 units	35,068	3.0			
5 to 9 units	31,193	2.7	Specified owner-occupied units	513,483	100.0
10 to 19 units	26,935	2.3	VALUE		
20 or more units	32,535	2.8	Less than \$50,000	140,655	27.4
Mobile home	174,831	14.9	\$50,000 to \$99,999	230,751	44.9
Boat, RV, van, etc	4,498	0.4	\$100,000 to \$149,999	81,850	15.9
			\$150,000 to \$199,999	31,081	6.1
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT			\$200,000 to \$299,999	19,075	3.7
1999 to March 2000	35,750	3.0	\$300,000 to \$499,999	7,608	1.5
1995 to 1998	118,105	10.1	\$500,000 to \$999,999	1,880	0.4
1990 to 1994	105,115	9.0	\$1,000,000 or more	583	0.1
1980 to 1989	211,664	18.0	Median (dollars)	72,800	(X)
1970 to 1979	265,647	22.6			
1960 to 1969	169,228	14.4	MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED		
1940 to 1959	185,070	15.8	MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
1939 or earlier	82,464	7.0	With a mortgage	312,244	60.8
			Less than \$300	5,845	1.1
ROOMS			\$300 to \$499	48,139	9.4
1 room	12,236	1.0	\$500 to \$699	87,598	17.1
2 rooms	36,072	3.1	\$700 to \$999	94,841	18.5
3 rooms	90,692	7.7	\$1,000 to \$1,499	53,250	10.4
4 rooms	230,032	19.6	\$1,500 to \$1,999	14,208	2.8
5 rooms	337,303	28.8	\$2,000 or more	8,363	1.6
6 rooms	243,277	20.7	Median (dollars)	737	(X)
7 rooms	119,876	10.2	Not mortgaged	201,239	39.2
8 rooms	57,995	4.9	Median (dollars)	240	(X)
9 or more rooms	45,560	3.9			
Median (rooms)	5.1	(X)	SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
			AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD		
Occupied housing units	1,042,696	100.0	INCOME IN 1999		
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT			Less than 15.0 percent	232,789	45.3
1999 to March 2000	224,881	21.6	15.0 to 19.9 percent	88,819	17.3
1995 to 1998	297,863	28.6	20.0 to 24.9 percent	59,900	11.7
1990 to 1994	168,988	16.2	25.0 to 29.9 percent	37,590	7.3
1980 to 1989	155,061	14.9	30.0 to 34.9 percent	22,942	4.5
1970 to 1979	106,005	10.2	35.0 percent or more	65,454	12.7
1969 or earlier	89,898	8.6	Not computed	5,989	1.2
VEHICLES AVAILABLE			Specified renter-occupied units	310,291	100.0
None	84,225	8.1	GROSS RENT		
1	363,481	34.9	Less than \$200	23,965	7.7
2	423,901	40.7	\$200 to \$299	27,449	8.8
3 or more	171,089	16.4	\$300 to \$499	115,273	37.1
			\$500 to \$749	85,190	27.5
HOUSE HEATING FUEL			\$750 to \$999	17,842	5.8
Utility gas	506,400	48.6	\$1,000 to \$1,499	5,257	1.7
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	140,936	13.5	\$1,500 or more	1,078	0.3
Electricity	340,734	32.7	No cash rent	34,237	11.0
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	1,206	0.1	Median (dollars)	453	(X)
Coal or coke	46	-			
Wood	49,379	4.7	GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF		
Solar energy	278	-	HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999		
Other fuel	1,809	0.2	Less than 15.0 percent	60,335	19.4
No fuel used	1,908	0.2	15.0 to 19.9 percent	42,416	13.7
			20.0 to 24.9 percent	35,458	11.4
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS			25.0 to 29.9 percent	28,074	9.0
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	8,327	0.8	30.0 to 34.9 percent	19,553	6.3
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	7,746	0.7	35.0 percent or more	82,778	26.7
No telephone service	56,747	5.4	Not computed	41,677	13.4

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