

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

Geographic area: Benton City city, Washington

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	2,624	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
SEX AND AGE			Total population	2,624	100.0
Male.....	1,342	51.1	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	512	19.5
Female.....	1,282	48.9	Mexican.....	420	16.0
Under 5 years.....	211	8.0	Puerto Rican.....	3	0.1
5 to 9 years.....	258	9.8	Cuban.....	7	0.3
10 to 14 years.....	282	10.7	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	82	3.1
15 to 19 years.....	241	9.2	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	2,112	80.5
20 to 24 years.....	143	5.4	White alone.....	2,019	76.9
25 to 34 years.....	360	13.7	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	396	15.1	Total population	2,624	100.0
45 to 54 years.....	313	11.9	In households.....	2,624	100.0
55 to 59 years.....	114	4.3	Householder.....	894	34.1
60 to 64 years.....	90	3.4	Spouse.....	486	18.5
65 to 74 years.....	124	4.7	Child.....	1,011	38.5
75 to 84 years.....	81	3.1	Own child under 18 years.....	862	32.9
85 years and over.....	11	0.4	Other relatives.....	119	4.5
Median age (years).....	30.2	(X)	Under 18 years.....	37	1.4
18 years and over.....	1,713	65.3	Nonrelatives.....	114	4.3
Male.....	867	33.0	Unmarried partner.....	70	2.7
Female.....	846	32.2	In group quarters.....	-	-
21 years and over.....	1,592	60.7	Institutionalized population.....	-	-
62 years and over.....	261	9.9	Noninstitutionalized population.....	-	-
65 years and over.....	216	8.2	HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Male.....	100	3.8	Total households	894	100.0
Female.....	116	4.4	Family households (families).....	661	73.9
RACE			With own children under 18 years.....	399	44.6
One race.....	2,543	96.9	Married-couple family.....	486	54.4
White.....	2,213	84.3	With own children under 18 years.....	265	29.6
Black or African American.....	4	0.2	Female householder, no husband present.....	101	11.3
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	30	1.1	With own children under 18 years.....	78	8.7
Asian.....	16	0.6	Nonfamily households.....	233	26.1
Asian Indian.....	2	0.1	Householder living alone.....	192	21.5
Chinese.....	3	0.1	Householder 65 years and over.....	64	7.2
Filipino.....	-	-	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	423	47.3
Japanese.....	-	-	Households with individuals 65 years and over ..	168	18.8
Korean.....	-	-	Average household size.....	2.94	(X)
Vietnamese.....	1	-	Average family size.....	3.44	(X)
Other Asian ¹	10	0.4	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	1	-	Total housing units	1,043	100.0
Native Hawaiian.....	1	-	Occupied housing units.....	894	85.7
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	-	-	Vacant housing units.....	149	14.3
Samoan.....	-	-	For seasonal, recreational, or		
Other Pacific Islander ²	-	-	occasional use.....	14	1.3
Some other race.....	279	10.6	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	3.8	(X)
Two or more races.....	81	3.1	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	28.2	(X)
Race alone or in combination with one			HOUSING TENURE		
or more other races: ³			Occupied housing units	894	100.0
White.....	2,293	87.4	Owner-occupied housing units.....	693	77.5
Black or African American.....	11	0.4	Renter-occupied housing units.....	201	22.5
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	71	2.7	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.87	(X)
Asian.....	18	0.7	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	3.17	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	1	-			
Some other race.....	315	12.0			

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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: Benton City city, Washington

[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	2,533	100.0
Nursery school, preschool.....	43	5.1	Native.....	2,332	92.1
Kindergarten.....	45	5.3	Born in United States.....	2,317	91.5
Elementary school (grades 1-8).....	491	57.9	State of residence.....	1,225	48.4
High school (grades 9-12).....	170	20.0	Different state.....	1,092	43.1
College or graduate school.....	99	11.7	Born outside United States.....	15	0.6
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT			Foreign born.....	201	7.9
Population 25 years and over			Entered 1990 to March 2000.....	84	3.3
Less than 9th grade.....	126	8.5	Naturalized citizen.....	40	1.6
9th to 12th grade, no diploma.....	191	12.9	Not a citizen.....	161	6.4
High school graduate (includes equivalency).....	471	31.9	REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN		
Some college, no degree.....	383	25.9	Total (excluding born at sea)	201	100.0
Associate degree.....	146	9.9	Europe.....	12	6.0
Bachelor's degree.....	117	7.9	Asia.....	6	3.0
Graduate or professional degree.....	43	2.9	Africa.....	-	-
Percent high school graduate or higher.....	78.5	(X)	Oceania.....	-	-
Percent bachelor's degree or higher.....	10.8	(X)	Latin America.....	177	88.1
MARITAL STATUS			Northern America.....	6	3.0
Population 15 years and over			LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME		
Never married.....	424	23.8	Population 5 years and over	2,343	100.0
Now married, except separated.....	937	52.7	English only.....	2,002	85.4
Separated.....	48	2.7	Language other than English.....	341	14.6
Widowed.....	87	4.9	Speak English less than "very well".....	134	5.7
Female.....	65	3.7	Spanish.....	316	13.5
Divorced.....	282	15.9	Speak English less than "very well".....	124	5.3
Female.....	153	8.6	Other Indo-European languages.....	16	0.7
GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS			Speak English less than "very well".....	4	0.2
Grandparent living in household with one or more own grandchildren under 18 years			Asian and Pacific Island languages.....	6	0.3
Grandparent responsible for grandchildren.....	34	48.6	Speak English less than "very well".....	6	0.3
VETERAN STATUS			ANCESTRY (single or multiple)		
Civilian population 18 years and over			Total population	2,533	100.0
Civilian veterans.....	274	16.5	<i>Total ancestries reported</i>	<i>2,668</i>	<i>105.3</i>
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION			Arab.....	-	-
Population 5 to 20 years			Czech ¹	-	-
With a disability.....	102	13.0	Danish.....	31	1.2
Population 21 to 64 years	1,357	100.0	Dutch.....	22	0.9
With a disability.....	240	17.7	English.....	313	12.4
Percent employed.....	54.2	(X)	French (except Basque) ¹	70	2.8
No disability.....	1,117	82.3	French Canadian ¹	19	0.8
Percent employed.....	72.2	(X)	German.....	428	16.9
Population 65 years and over	201	100.0	Greek.....	16	0.6
With a disability.....	107	53.2	Hungarian.....	5	0.2
RESIDENCE IN 1995			Irish ¹	367	14.5
Population 5 years and over			Italian.....	64	2.5
Same house in 1995.....	1,245	53.1	Lithuanian.....	-	-
Different house in the U.S. in 1995.....	1,061	45.3	Norwegian.....	97	3.8
Same county.....	602	25.7	Polish.....	34	1.3
Different county.....	459	19.6	Portuguese.....	14	0.6
Same state.....	215	9.2	Russian.....	-	-
Different state.....	244	10.4	Scotch-Irish.....	60	2.4
Elsewhere in 1995.....	37	1.6	Scottish.....	44	1.7
			Slovak.....	-	-
			Subsaharan African.....	6	0.2
			Swedish.....	116	4.6
			Swiss.....	9	0.4
			Ukrainian.....	5	0.2
			United States or American.....	249	9.8
			Welsh.....	7	0.3
			West Indian (excluding Hispanic groups).....	-	-
			Other ancestries.....	692	27.3

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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-4. Profile of Selected Housing Characteristics: 2000

Geographic area: Benton City city, Washington

[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	1,022	100.0	OCCUPANTS PER ROOM		
UNITS IN STRUCTURE			Occupied housing units	871	100.0
1-unit, detached	643	62.9	1.00 or less	780	89.6
1-unit, attached	4	0.4	1.01 to 1.50	39	4.5
2 units	4	0.4	1.51 or more	52	6.0
3 or 4 units	47	4.6			
5 to 9 units	4	0.4	Specified owner-occupied units	416	100.0
10 to 19 units	-	-	VALUE		
20 or more units	-	-	Less than \$50,000	26	6.3
Mobile home	266	26.0	\$50,000 to \$99,999	321	77.2
Boat, RV, van, etc	54	5.3	\$100,000 to \$149,999	54	13.0
			\$150,000 to \$199,999	11	2.6
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT			\$200,000 to \$299,999	4	1.0
1999 to March 2000	24	2.3	\$300,000 to \$499,999	-	-
1995 to 1998	96	9.4	\$500,000 to \$999,999	-	-
1990 to 1994	97	9.5	\$1,000,000 or more	-	-
1980 to 1989	88	8.6	Median (dollars)	85,300	(X)
1970 to 1979	306	29.9			
1960 to 1969	147	14.4	MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED		
1940 to 1959	204	20.0	MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
1939 or earlier	60	5.9	With a mortgage	297	71.4
			Less than \$300	4	1.0
ROOMS			\$300 to \$499	13	3.1
1 room	38	3.7	\$500 to \$699	63	15.1
2 rooms	67	6.6	\$700 to \$999	131	31.5
3 rooms	106	10.4	\$1,000 to \$1,499	79	19.0
4 rooms	116	11.4	\$1,500 to \$1,999	4	1.0
5 rooms	285	27.9	\$2,000 or more	3	0.7
6 rooms	236	23.1	Median (dollars)	820	(X)
7 rooms	119	11.6	Not mortgaged	119	28.6
8 rooms	41	4.0	Median (dollars)	234	(X)
9 or more rooms	14	1.4			
Median (rooms)	5.1	(X)	SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
			AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD		
Occupied housing units	871	100.0	INCOME IN 1999		
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT			Less than 15.0 percent	151	36.3
1999 to March 2000	174	20.0	15.0 to 19.9 percent	94	22.6
1995 to 1998	203	23.3	20.0 to 24.9 percent	53	12.7
1990 to 1994	256	29.4	25.0 to 29.9 percent	33	7.9
1980 to 1989	101	11.6	30.0 to 34.9 percent	15	3.6
1970 to 1979	72	8.3	35.0 percent or more	70	16.8
1969 or earlier	65	7.5	Not computed	-	-
VEHICLES AVAILABLE			Specified renter-occupied units	176	100.0
None	55	6.3	GROSS RENT		
1	220	25.3	Less than \$200	-	-
2	399	45.8	\$200 to \$299	4	2.3
3 or more	197	22.6	\$300 to \$499	48	27.3
			\$500 to \$749	86	48.9
HOUSE HEATING FUEL			\$750 to \$999	21	11.9
Utility gas	4	0.5	\$1,000 to \$1,499	4	2.3
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	53	6.1	\$1,500 or more	-	-
Electricity	786	90.2	No cash rent	13	7.4
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	7	0.8	Median (dollars)	536	(X)
Coal or coke	-	-			
Wood	13	1.5	GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF		
Solar energy	-	-	HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999		
Other fuel	-	-	Less than 15.0 percent	20	11.4
No fuel used	8	0.9	15.0 to 19.9 percent	44	25.0
			20.0 to 24.9 percent	13	7.4
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS			25.0 to 29.9 percent	36	20.5
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	10	1.1	30.0 to 34.9 percent	21	11.9
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	-	-	35.0 percent or more	29	16.5
No telephone service	18	2.1	Not computed	13	7.4

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