

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

Geographic area: North Plainfield borough, New Jersey

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
<b>Total population</b> .....	<b>21,103</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE</b>		
<b>SEX AND AGE</b>			<b>Total population</b> .....	<b>21,103</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Male.....	10,409	49.3	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	6,916	32.8
Female.....	10,694	50.7	Mexican.....	332	1.6
Under 5 years.....	1,654	7.8	Puerto Rican.....	787	3.7
5 to 9 years.....	1,541	7.3	Cuban.....	93	0.4
10 to 14 years.....	1,449	6.9	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	5,704	27.0
15 to 19 years.....	1,246	5.9	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	14,187	67.2
20 to 24 years.....	1,379	6.5	White alone.....	10,023	47.5
25 to 34 years.....	3,837	18.2	<b>RELATIONSHIP</b>		
35 to 44 years.....	3,872	18.3	<b>Total population</b> .....	<b>21,103</b>	<b>100.0</b>
45 to 54 years.....	2,695	12.8	In households.....	20,916	99.1
55 to 59 years.....	875	4.1	Householder.....	7,202	34.1
60 to 64 years.....	559	2.6	Spouse.....	3,793	18.0
65 to 74 years.....	958	4.5	Child.....	6,547	31.0
75 to 84 years.....	756	3.6	Own child under 18 years.....	4,843	22.9
85 years and over.....	282	1.3	Other relatives.....	1,873	8.9
Median age (years).....	33.7	(X)	Under 18 years.....	488	2.3
18 years and over.....	15,664	74.2	Nonrelatives.....	1,501	7.1
Male.....	7,703	36.5	Unmarried partner.....	450	2.1
Female.....	7,961	37.7	In group quarters.....	187	0.9
21 years and over.....	14,959	70.9	Institutionalized population.....	41	0.2
62 years and over.....	2,300	10.9	Noninstitutionalized population.....	146	0.7
65 years and over.....	1,996	9.5	<b>HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE</b>		
Male.....	767	3.6	<b>Total households</b> .....	<b>7,202</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Female.....	1,229	5.8	Family households (families).....	5,086	70.6
<b>RACE</b>			With own children under 18 years.....	2,664	37.0
One race.....	20,158	95.5	Married-couple family.....	3,793	52.7
White.....	13,307	63.1	With own children under 18 years.....	2,024	28.1
Black or African American.....	2,824	13.4	Female householder, no husband present.....	852	11.8
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	59	0.3	With own children under 18 years.....	446	6.2
Asian.....	1,064	5.0	Nonfamily households.....	2,116	29.4
Asian Indian.....	320	1.5	Householder living alone.....	1,673	23.2
Chinese.....	245	1.2	Householder 65 years and over.....	505	7.0
Filipino.....	128	0.6	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	2,899	40.3
Japanese.....	11	0.1	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	1,410	19.6
Korean.....	54	0.3	Average household size.....	2.90	(X)
Vietnamese.....	133	0.6	Average family size.....	3.40	(X)
Other Asian <sup>1</sup> .....	173	0.8	<b>HOUSING OCCUPANCY</b>		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	17	0.1	<b>Total housing units</b> .....	<b>7,393</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Native Hawaiian.....	4	-	Occupied housing units.....	7,202	97.4
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	1	-	Vacant housing units.....	191	2.6
Samoan.....	2	-	For seasonal, recreational, or		
Other Pacific Islander <sup>2</sup> .....	10	-	occasional use.....	7	0.1
Some other race.....	2,887	13.7	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	1.4	(X)
Two or more races.....	945	4.5	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	2.0	(X)
<b>Race alone or in combination with one or more other races:</b> <sup>3</sup>			<b>HOUSING TENURE</b>		
White.....	14,033	66.5	<b>Occupied housing units</b> .....	<b>7,202</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Black or African American.....	3,004	14.2	Owner-occupied housing units.....	4,238	58.8
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	139	0.7	Renter-occupied housing units.....	2,964	41.2
Asian.....	1,240	5.9	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.99	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	28	0.1	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	2.78	(X)
Some other race.....	3,641	17.3			

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<sup>1</sup> Other Asian alone, or two or more Asian categories.

<sup>2</sup> Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

<sup>3</sup> 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: North Plainfield borough, New Jersey

[Data based on a sample. For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
<b>SCHOOL ENROLLMENT</b>			<b>NATIVITY AND PLACE OF BIRTH</b>		
<b>Population 3 years and over enrolled in school</b>			<b>Total population</b>		
Nursery school, preschool	398	7.5	Native	14,123	66.9
Kindergarten	322	6.1	Born in United States	13,807	65.4
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	2,461	46.7	State of residence	10,542	50.0
High school (grades 9-12)	1,116	21.2	Different state	3,265	15.5
College or graduate school	975	18.5	Born outside United States	316	1.5
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>			Foreign born		
<b>Population 25 years and over</b>			Entered 1990 to March 2000		
Less than 9th grade	1,149	8.3	Naturalized citizen	2,328	11.0
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	1,533	11.1	Not a citizen	4,652	22.0
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	4,175	30.1	<b>REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN</b>		
Some college, no degree	2,577	18.6	<b>Total (excluding born at sea)</b>		
Associate degree	752	5.4	Europe	672	9.6
Bachelor's degree	2,383	17.2	Asia	1,002	14.4
Graduate or professional degree	1,294	9.3	Africa	335	4.8
Percent high school graduate or higher	80.7	(X)	Oceania	-	-
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	26.5	(X)	Latin America	4,952	70.9
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>			Northern America		
<b>Population 15 years and over</b>			19		
Never married	4,911	29.9	<b>LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME</b>		
Now married, except separated	8,841	53.8	<b>Population 5 years and over</b>		
Separated	352	2.1	English only		
Widowed	963	5.9	Language other than English		
Female	761	4.6	Speak English less than "very well"		
Divorced	1,379	8.4	Spanish		
Female	766	4.7	Speak English less than "very well"		
<b>GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS</b>			Other Indo-European languages		
<b>Grandparent living in household with one or more own grandchildren under 18 years</b>			Speak English less than "very well"		
Grandparent responsible for grandchildren	189	33.8	Asian and Pacific Island languages		
<b>VETERAN STATUS</b>			Speak English less than "very well"		
<b>Civilian population 18 years and over</b>			236		
Civilian veterans	1,245	7.9	<b>ANCESTRY (single or multiple)</b>		
<b>DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION</b>			<b>Total population</b>		
<b>Population 5 to 20 years</b>			21,103		
With a disability	323	7.1	Total ancestries reported		
<b>Population 21 to 64 years</b>			23,594		
With a disability	2,362	18.2	Arab		
Percent employed	67.3	(X)	Czech <sup>1</sup>		
No disability	10,601	81.8	Danish		
Percent employed	79.9	(X)	Dutch		
<b>Population 65 years and over</b>			English		
With a disability	748	38.2	French (except Basque) <sup>1</sup>		
<b>RESIDENCE IN 1995</b>			French Canadian <sup>1</sup>		
<b>Population 5 years and over</b>			German		
Same house in 1995	10,275	52.6	Greek		
Different house in the U.S. in 1995	7,672	39.3	Hungarian		
Same county	2,838	14.5	Irish <sup>1</sup>		
Different county	4,834	24.8	Italian		
Same state	3,915	20.1	Lithuanian		
Different state	919	4.7	Norwegian		
Elsewhere in 1995	1,579	8.1	Polish		
			Portuguese		
			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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<sup>1</sup>The 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: North Plainfield borough, New Jersey

[Data based on a sample. For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS</b>			<b>INCOME IN 1999</b>		
<b>Population 16 years and over</b> .....			<b>Households</b> .....		
In labor force .....	16,180	100.0	Less than \$10,000 .....	7,242	100.0
Civilian labor force .....	11,554	71.4	\$10,000 to \$14,999 .....	272	3.8
Employed .....	10,967	67.8	\$15,000 to \$24,999 .....	316	4.4
Unemployed .....	587	3.6	\$25,000 to \$34,999 .....	642	8.9
Percent of civilian labor force .....	5.1	(X)	\$35,000 to \$49,999 .....	770	10.6
Armed Forces .....	-	-	\$50,000 to \$74,999 .....	1,173	16.2
Not in labor force .....	4,626	28.6	\$75,000 to \$99,999 .....	1,683	23.2
<b>Females 16 years and over</b> .....			\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	1,124	15.5
In labor force .....	8,266	100.0	\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	903	12.5
Civilian labor force .....	5,342	64.6	\$200,000 or more .....	254	3.5
Employed .....	5,342	64.6	Median household income (dollars) .....	105	1.4
Own children under 6 years .....	1,743	100.0	With earnings .....	55,322	(X)
All parents in family in labor force .....	1,005	57.7	Mean earnings (dollars) <sup>1</sup> .....	6,432	88.8
<b>COMMUTING TO WORK</b>			With Social Security income .....	64,208	(X)
<b>Workers 16 years and over</b> .....			Mean Social Security income (dollars) <sup>1</sup> .....	1,413	19.5
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone .....	10,722	100.0	With Supplemental Security Income .....	11,694	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled .....	8,240	76.9	Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars) <sup>1</sup> .....	187	2.6
Public transportation (including taxicab) .....	1,371	12.8	<b>Families</b> .....		
Walked .....	471	4.4	Less than \$10,000 .....	5,147	100.0
Other means .....	197	1.8	\$10,000 to \$14,999 .....	88	1.7
Worked at home .....	230	2.1	\$15,000 to \$24,999 .....	156	3.0
Mean travel time to work (minutes) <sup>1</sup> .....	213	2.0	\$25,000 to \$34,999 .....	417	8.1
	29.5	(X)	\$35,000 to \$49,999 .....	430	8.4
<b>Employed civilian population 16 years and over</b> .....			\$50,000 to \$74,999 .....	854	16.6
	10,967	100.0	\$75,000 to \$99,999 .....	1,186	23.0
<b>OCCUPATION</b>			\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	931	18.1
Management, professional, and related occupations .....	3,386	30.9	\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	787	15.3
Service occupations .....	1,389	12.7	\$200,000 or more .....	214	4.2
Sales and office occupations .....	2,908	26.5	Median family income (dollars) .....	84	1.6
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations .....	29	0.3	Per capita income (dollars) <sup>1</sup> .....	62,875	(X)
Construction, extraction, and maintenance occupations .....	955	8.7	<b>Median earnings (dollars):</b>		
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations .....	2,300	21.0	Male full-time, year-round workers .....	39,662	(X)
<b>INDUSTRY</b>			Female full-time, year-round workers .....	30,816	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining .....	43	0.4	Subject		
Construction .....	687	6.3	Number below poverty level		
Manufacturing .....	2,087	19.0	Percent below poverty level		
Wholesale trade .....	470	4.3	<b>POVERTY STATUS IN 1999</b>		
Retail trade .....	1,216	11.1	<b>Families</b> .....		
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities .....	665	6.1	With related children under 18 years .....	229	4.4
Information .....	549	5.0	With related children under 5 years .....	193	6.5
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing .....	779	7.1	With related children under 5 years .....	78	6.3
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste management services .....	1,403	12.8	<b>Families with female householder, no husband present</b> .....		
Educational, health and social services .....	1,798	16.4	With related children under 18 years .....	80	10.1
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation and food services .....	542	4.9	With related children under 5 years .....	76	16.3
Other services (except public administration) .....	382	3.5	With related children under 5 years .....	35	25.5
Public administration .....	346	3.2	<b>Individuals</b> .....		
<b>CLASS OF WORKER</b>			18 years and over .....	1,340	6.4
Private wage and salary workers .....	9,165	83.6	65 years and over .....	983	6.3
Government workers .....	1,233	11.2	Related children under 18 years .....	204	10.4
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business .....	561	5.1	Related children 5 to 17 years .....	346	6.5
Unpaid family workers .....	8	0.1	Unrelated individuals 15 years and over .....	248	6.6
				512	15.0

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<sup>1</sup>If 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: North Plainfield borough, New Jersey

[Data based on a sample. For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
<b>Total housing units</b> .....	<b>7,393</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>OCCUPANTS PER ROOM</b>		
<b>UNITS IN STRUCTURE</b>			<b>Occupied housing units</b> .....	<b>7,202</b>	<b>100.0</b>
1-unit, detached .....	3,623	49.0	1.00 or less .....	6,447	89.5
1-unit, attached .....	275	3.7	1.01 to 1.50 .....	376	5.2
2 units .....	1,282	17.3	1.51 or more .....	379	5.3
3 or 4 units .....	697	9.4			
5 to 9 units .....	517	7.0	<b>Specified owner-occupied units</b> .....	<b>3,357</b>	<b>100.0</b>
10 to 19 units .....	314	4.2	<b>VALUE</b>		
20 or more units .....	675	9.1	Less than \$50,000 .....	5	0.1
Mobile home .....	10	0.1	\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	162	4.8
Boat, RV, van, etc .....	-	-	\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	1,509	45.0
			\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	1,409	42.0
<b>YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT</b>			\$200,000 to \$299,999 .....	237	7.1
1999 to March 2000 .....	6	0.1	\$300,000 to \$499,999 .....	31	0.9
1995 to 1998 .....	82	1.1	\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	4	0.1
1990 to 1994 .....	68	0.9	\$1,000,000 or more .....	-	-
1980 to 1989 .....	213	2.9	Median (dollars) .....	150,100	(X)
1970 to 1979 .....	784	10.6			
1960 to 1969 .....	1,202	16.3	<b>MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED</b>		
1940 to 1959 .....	2,898	39.2	<b>MONTHLY OWNER COSTS</b>		
1939 or earlier .....	2,140	28.9	With a mortgage .....	2,510	74.8
			Less than \$300 .....	-	-
<b>ROOMS</b>			\$300 to \$499 .....	13	0.4
1 room .....	196	2.7	\$500 to \$699 .....	49	1.5
2 rooms .....	229	3.1	\$700 to \$999 .....	212	6.3
3 rooms .....	1,050	14.2	\$1,000 to \$1,499 .....	822	24.5
4 rooms .....	1,223	16.5	\$1,500 to \$1,999 .....	1,066	31.8
5 rooms .....	1,133	15.3	\$2,000 or more .....	348	10.4
6 rooms .....	1,348	18.2	Median (dollars) .....	1,537	(X)
7 rooms .....	1,137	15.4	Not mortgaged .....	847	25.2
8 rooms .....	645	8.7	Median (dollars) .....	553	(X)
9 or more rooms .....	432	5.8			
Median (rooms) .....	5.4	(X)	<b>SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS</b>		
			<b>AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD</b>		
<b>Occupied housing units</b> .....	<b>7,202</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>INCOME IN 1999</b>		
<b>YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT</b>			Less than 15.0 percent .....	780	23.2
1999 to March 2000 .....	1,344	18.7	15.0 to 19.9 percent .....	580	17.3
1995 to 1998 .....	2,337	32.4	20.0 to 24.9 percent .....	568	16.9
1990 to 1994 .....	1,075	14.9	25.0 to 29.9 percent .....	395	11.8
1980 to 1989 .....	1,048	14.6	30.0 to 34.9 percent .....	304	9.1
1970 to 1979 .....	577	8.0	35.0 percent or more .....	695	20.7
1969 or earlier .....	821	11.4	Not computed .....	35	1.0
<b>VEHICLES AVAILABLE</b>			<b>Specified renter-occupied units</b> .....	<b>2,964</b>	<b>100.0</b>
None .....	572	7.9	<b>GROSS RENT</b>		
1 .....	2,519	35.0	Less than \$200 .....	-	-
2 .....	2,954	41.0	\$200 to \$299 .....	19	0.6
3 or more .....	1,157	16.1	\$300 to \$499 .....	35	1.2
			\$500 to \$749 .....	932	31.4
<b>HOUSE HEATING FUEL</b>			\$750 to \$999 .....	1,398	47.2
Utility gas .....	5,242	72.8	\$1,000 to \$1,499 .....	489	16.5
Bottled, tank, or LP gas .....	115	1.6	\$1,500 or more .....	58	2.0
Electricity .....	488	6.8	No cash rent .....	33	1.1
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc .....	1,289	17.9	Median (dollars) .....	828	(X)
Coal or coke .....	-	-			
Wood .....	6	0.1	<b>GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF</b>		
Solar energy .....	-	-	<b>HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999</b>		
Other fuel .....	35	0.5	Less than 15.0 percent .....	561	18.9
No fuel used .....	27	0.4	15.0 to 19.9 percent .....	562	19.0
			20.0 to 24.9 percent .....	388	13.1
<b>SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS</b>			25.0 to 29.9 percent .....	266	9.0
Lacking complete plumbing facilities .....	47	0.7	30.0 to 34.9 percent .....	237	8.0
Lacking complete kitchen facilities .....	71	1.0	35.0 percent or more .....	896	30.2
No telephone service .....	72	1.0	Not computed .....	54	1.8

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