

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

Geographic Area: Van Buren County, Iowa

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	7,809	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
SEX AND AGE			Total population	7,809	100.0
Male.....	3,894	49.9	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	60	0.8
Female.....	3,915	50.1	Mexican.....	38	0.5
Under 5 years.....	435	5.6	Puerto Rican.....	7	0.1
5 to 9 years.....	538	6.9	Cuban.....	1	-
10 to 14 years.....	606	7.8	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	14	0.2
15 to 19 years.....	543	7.0	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	7,749	99.2
20 to 24 years.....	359	4.6	White alone.....	7,659	98.1
25 to 34 years.....	805	10.3	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	1,099	14.1	Total population	7,809	100.0
45 to 54 years.....	1,074	13.8	In households.....	7,682	98.4
55 to 59 years.....	438	5.6	Householder.....	3,181	40.7
60 to 64 years.....	421	5.4	Spouse.....	1,854	23.7
65 to 74 years.....	690	8.8	Child.....	2,235	28.6
75 to 84 years.....	556	7.1	Own child under 18 years.....	1,815	23.2
85 years and over.....	245	3.1	Other relatives.....	146	1.9
Median age (years).....	40.8	(X)	Under 18 years.....	66	0.8
18 years and over.....	5,875	75.2	Nonrelatives.....	266	3.4
Male.....	2,907	37.2	Unmarried partner.....	145	1.9
Female.....	2,968	38.0	In group quarters.....	127	1.6
21 years and over.....	5,606	71.8	Institutionalized population.....	87	1.1
62 years and over.....	1,737	22.2	Noninstitutionalized population.....	40	0.5
65 years and over.....	1,491	19.1	HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Male.....	661	8.5	Total households	3,181	100.0
Female.....	830	10.6	Family households (families).....	2,164	68.0
RACE			With own children under 18 years.....	912	28.7
One race.....	7,759	99.4	Married-couple family.....	1,854	58.3
White.....	7,701	98.6	With own children under 18 years.....	713	22.4
Black or African American.....	5	0.1	Female householder, no husband present.....	191	6.0
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	14	0.2	With own children under 18 years.....	125	3.9
Asian.....	22	0.3	Nonfamily households.....	1,017	32.0
Asian Indian.....	3	-	Householder living alone.....	891	28.0
Chinese.....	1	-	Householder 65 years and over.....	499	15.7
Filipino.....	6	0.1	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	966	30.4
Japanese.....	1	-	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	1,040	32.7
Korean.....	6	0.1	Average household size.....	2.41	(X)
Vietnamese.....	1	-	Average family size.....	2.96	(X)
Other Asian ¹	4	0.1	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	5	0.1	Total housing units	3,581	100.0
Native Hawaiian.....	2	-	Occupied housing units.....	3,181	88.8
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	-	-	Vacant housing units.....	400	11.2
Samoan.....	3	-	For seasonal, recreational, or		
Other Pacific Islander ²	-	-	occasional use.....	151	4.2
Some other race.....	12	0.2	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	1.7	(X)
Two or more races.....	50	0.6	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	6.1	(X)
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: ³			HOUSING TENURE		
White.....	7,746	99.2	Occupied housing units	3,181	100.0
Black or African American.....	15	0.2	Owner-occupied housing units.....	2,535	79.7
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	48	0.6	Renter-occupied housing units.....	646	20.3
Asian.....	25	0.3	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.46	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	8	0.1	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	2.25	(X)
Some other race.....	22	0.3			

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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: Van Buren County, Iowa

[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	7,809	100.0
Nursery school, preschool.....	105	6.0	Native.....	7,760	99.4
Kindergarten.....	89	5.1	Born in United States.....	7,747	99.2
Elementary school (grades 1-8).....	933	53.2	State of residence.....	6,225	79.7
High school (grades 9-12).....	455	26.0	Different state.....	1,522	19.5
College or graduate school.....	171	9.8	Born outside United States.....	13	0.2
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT			Foreign born.....	49	0.6
Population 25 years and over			Entered 1990 to March 2000.....	7	0.1
Less than 9th grade.....	408	7.7	Naturalized citizen.....	33	0.4
9th to 12th grade, no diploma.....	512	9.6	Not a citizen.....	16	0.2
High school graduate (includes equivalency).....	2,462	46.3	REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN		
Some college, no degree.....	958	18.0	Total (excluding born at sea)	49	100.0
Associate degree.....	353	6.6	Europe.....	23	46.9
Bachelor's degree.....	438	8.2	Asia.....	18	36.7
Graduate or professional degree.....	191	3.6	Africa.....	-	-
Percent high school graduate or higher.....	82.7	(X)	Oceania.....	-	-
Percent bachelor's degree or higher.....	11.8	(X)	Latin America.....	8	16.3
MARITAL STATUS			Northern America.....	-	-
Population 15 years and over			LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME		
Never married.....	1,211	19.4	Population 5 years and over	7,380	100.0
Now married, except separated.....	3,827	61.4	English only.....	6,995	94.8
Separated.....	63	1.0	Language other than English.....	385	5.2
Widowed.....	541	8.7	Speak English less than "very well".....	161	2.2
Female.....	432	6.9	Spanish.....	47	0.6
Divorced.....	594	9.5	Speak English less than "very well".....	14	0.2
Female.....	253	4.1	Other Indo-European languages.....	328	4.4
GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS			Speak English less than "very well".....	147	2.0
Grandparent living in household with one or more own grandchildren under 18 years			Asian and Pacific Island languages.....	10	0.1
Grandparent responsible for grandchildren.....	76	73.1	Speak English less than "very well".....	-	-
VETERAN STATUS			ANCESTRY (single or multiple)		
Civilian population 18 years and over			Total population	7,809	100.0
Civilian veterans.....	849	14.4	<i>Total ancestries reported</i>	<i>6,759</i>	<i>86.6</i>
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION			Arab.....	-	-
Population 5 to 20 years			Czech ¹	42	0.5
With a disability.....	113	6.4	Danish.....	33	0.4
Population 21 to 64 years			Dutch.....	283	3.6
With a disability.....	816	19.8	English.....	884	11.3
Percent employed.....	61.5	(X)	French (except Basque) ¹	233	3.0
No disability.....	3,303	80.2	French Canadian ¹	20	0.3
Percent employed.....	82.8	(X)	German.....	1,638	21.0
Population 65 years and over			Greek.....	23	0.3
With a disability.....	572	40.9	Hungarian.....	2	-
RESIDENCE IN 1995			Irish ¹	683	8.7
Population 5 years and over			Italian.....	23	0.3
Same house in 1995.....	4,807	65.1	Lithuanian.....	-	-
Different house in the U.S. in 1995.....	2,563	34.7	Norwegian.....	82	1.1
Same county.....	1,208	16.4	Polish.....	48	0.6
Different county.....	1,355	18.4	Portuguese.....	7	0.1
Same state.....	911	12.3	Russian.....	7	0.1
Different state.....	444	6.0	Scotch-Irish.....	191	2.4
Elsewhere in 1995.....	10	0.1	Scottish.....	139	1.8
			Slovak.....	-	-
			Subsaharan African.....	-	-
			Swedish.....	173	2.2
			Swiss.....	83	1.1
			Ukrainian.....	3	-
			United States or American.....	1,600	20.5
			Welsh.....	48	0.6
			West Indian (excluding Hispanic groups).....	5	0.1
			Other ancestries.....	509	6.5

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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: Van Buren County, Iowa

[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	6,118	100.0	Households	3,180	100.0
In labor force	3,907	63.9	Less than \$10,000	391	12.3
Civilian labor force	3,903	63.8	\$10,000 to \$14,999	259	8.1
Employed	3,760	61.5	\$15,000 to \$24,999	577	18.1
Unemployed	143	2.3	\$25,000 to \$34,999	578	18.2
Percent of civilian labor force	3.7	(X)	\$35,000 to \$49,999	631	19.8
Armed Forces	4	0.1	\$50,000 to \$74,999	526	16.5
Not in labor force	2,211	36.1	\$75,000 to \$99,999	126	4.0
Females 16 years and over	3,073	100.0	\$100,000 to \$149,999	53	1.7
In labor force	1,782	58.0	\$150,000 to \$199,999	15	0.5
Civilian labor force	1,782	58.0	\$200,000 or more	24	0.8
Employed	1,719	55.9	Median household income (dollars)	31,094	(X)
Own children under 6 years	497	100.0	With earnings	2,374	74.7
All parents in family in labor force	358	72.0	Mean earnings (dollars) ¹	37,202	(X)
COMMUTING TO WORK			With Social Security income	1,176	37.0
Workers 16 years and over	3,700	100.0	Mean Social Security income (dollars) ¹	10,492	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	2,601	70.3	With Supplemental Security Income	105	3.3
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	559	15.1	Mean Supplemental Security Income		
Public transportation (including taxicab)	12	0.3	(dollars) ¹	6,928	(X)
Walked	149	4.0	With public assistance income	78	2.5
Other means	36	1.0	Mean public assistance income (dollars) ¹	1,877	(X)
Worked at home	343	9.3	With retirement income	543	17.1
Mean travel time to work (minutes) ¹	23.9	(X)	Mean retirement income (dollars) ¹	14,447	(X)
Employed civilian population			Families	2,176	100.0
16 years and over	3,760	100.0	Less than \$10,000	123	5.7
OCCUPATION			\$10,000 to \$14,999	91	4.2
Management, professional, and related occupations	1,024	27.2	\$15,000 to \$24,999	368	16.9
Service occupations	539	14.3	\$25,000 to \$34,999	456	21.0
Sales and office occupations	679	18.1	\$35,000 to \$49,999	502	23.1
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	63	1.7	\$50,000 to \$74,999	444	20.4
Construction, extraction, and maintenance occupations	383	10.2	\$75,000 to \$99,999	107	4.9
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	1,072	28.5	\$100,000 to \$149,999	46	2.1
INDUSTRY			\$150,000 to \$199,999	15	0.7
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	390	10.4	\$200,000 or more	24	1.1
Construction	198	5.3	Median family income (dollars)	36,420	(X)
Manufacturing	981	26.1	Per capita income (dollars) ¹	15,748	(X)
Wholesale trade	96	2.6	Median earnings (dollars):		
Retail trade	386	10.3	Male full-time, year-round workers	27,379	(X)
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	188	5.0	Female full-time, year-round workers	20,925	(X)
Information	78	2.1			
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	117	3.1			
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste management services	152	4.0			
Educational, health and social services	715	19.0			
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation and food services	145	3.9			
Other services (except public administration)	182	4.8			
Public administration	132	3.5			
CLASS OF WORKER					
Private wage and salary workers	2,745	73.0			
Government workers	453	12.0			
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	530	14.1			
Unpaid family workers	32	0.9			
			POVERTY STATUS IN 1999		
			Families	189	8.7
			With related children under 18 years	106	11.1
			With related children under 5 years	54	15.3
			Families with female householder, no husband present	34	19.2
			With related children under 18 years	30	23.4
			With related children under 5 years	20	51.3
			Individuals	975	12.7
			18 years and over	700	12.1
			65 years and over	218	15.6
			Related children under 18 years	264	14.0
			Related children 5 to 17 years	184	12.5
			Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	346	27.1

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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: Van Buren County, Iowa

[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	3,581	100.0	OCCUPANTS PER ROOM		
UNITS IN STRUCTURE			Occupied housing units	3,181	100.0
1-unit, detached	2,827	78.9	1.00 or less	3,126	98.3
1-unit, attached	45	1.3	1.01 to 1.50	48	1.5
2 units	42	1.2	1.51 or more	7	0.2
3 or 4 units	170	4.7			
5 to 9 units	32	0.9	Specified owner-occupied units	1,427	100.0
10 to 19 units	2	0.1	VALUE		
20 or more units	7	0.2	Less than \$50,000	826	57.9
Mobile home	451	12.6	\$50,000 to \$99,999	472	33.1
Boat, RV, van, etc	5	0.1	\$100,000 to \$149,999	108	7.6
			\$150,000 to \$199,999	8	0.6
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT			\$200,000 to \$299,999	9	0.6
1999 to March 2000	95	2.7	\$300,000 to \$499,999	-	-
1995 to 1998	144	4.0	\$500,000 to \$999,999	4	0.3
1990 to 1994	198	5.5	\$1,000,000 or more	-	-
1980 to 1989	275	7.7	Median (dollars)	43,100	(X)
1970 to 1979	559	15.6			
1960 to 1969	286	8.0	MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED		
1940 to 1959	366	10.2	MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
1939 or earlier	1,658	46.3	With a mortgage	664	46.5
			Less than \$300	28	2.0
ROOMS			\$300 to \$499	205	14.4
1 room	18	0.5	\$500 to \$699	243	17.0
2 rooms	64	1.8	\$700 to \$999	144	10.1
3 rooms	314	8.8	\$1,000 to \$1,499	36	2.5
4 rooms	480	13.4	\$1,500 to \$1,999	6	0.4
5 rooms	772	21.6	\$2,000 or more	2	0.1
6 rooms	797	22.3	Median (dollars)	581	(X)
7 rooms	475	13.3	Not mortgaged	763	53.5
8 rooms	383	10.7	Median (dollars)	236	(X)
9 or more rooms	278	7.8			
Median (rooms)	5.7	(X)	SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
			AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD		
Occupied housing units	3,181	100.0	INCOME IN 1999		
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT			Less than 15.0 percent	757	53.0
1999 to March 2000	426	13.4	15.0 to 19.9 percent	240	16.8
1995 to 1998	752	23.6	20.0 to 24.9 percent	141	9.9
1990 to 1994	582	18.3	25.0 to 29.9 percent	73	5.1
1980 to 1989	516	16.2	30.0 to 34.9 percent	74	5.2
1970 to 1979	443	13.9	35.0 percent or more	136	9.5
1969 or earlier	462	14.5	Not computed	6	0.4
VEHICLES AVAILABLE			Specified renter-occupied units	541	100.0
None	173	5.4	GROSS RENT		
1	904	28.4	Less than \$200	80	14.8
2	1,195	37.6	\$200 to \$299	101	18.7
3 or more	909	28.6	\$300 to \$499	222	41.0
			\$500 to \$749	33	6.1
HOUSE HEATING FUEL			\$750 to \$999	13	2.4
Utility gas	690	21.7	\$1,000 to \$1,499	1	0.2
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	1,744	54.8	\$1,500 or more	-	-
Electricity	419	13.2	No cash rent	91	16.8
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	73	2.3	Median (dollars)	334	(X)
Coal or coke	-	-			
Wood	255	8.0	GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF		
Solar energy	-	-	HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999		
Other fuel	-	-	Less than 15.0 percent	141	26.1
No fuel used	-	-	15.0 to 19.9 percent	79	14.6
			20.0 to 24.9 percent	55	10.2
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS			25.0 to 29.9 percent	68	12.6
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	68	2.1	30.0 to 34.9 percent	23	4.3
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	48	1.5	35.0 percent or more	73	13.5
No telephone service	127	4.0	Not computed	102	18.9

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