

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

Geographic area: Wales town, Hampden County, Massachusetts

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	1,737	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
SEX AND AGE			Total population	1,737	100.0
Male.....	865	49.8	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	11	0.6
Female.....	872	50.2	Mexican.....	-	-
Under 5 years.....	104	6.0	Puerto Rican.....	8	0.5
5 to 9 years.....	105	6.0	Cuban.....	-	-
10 to 14 years.....	141	8.1	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	3	0.2
15 to 19 years.....	126	7.3	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	1,726	99.4
20 to 24 years.....	70	4.0	White alone.....	1,692	97.4
25 to 34 years.....	231	13.3	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	329	18.9	Total population	1,737	100.0
45 to 54 years.....	313	18.0	In households.....	1,737	100.0
55 to 59 years.....	110	6.3	Householder.....	660	38.0
60 to 64 years.....	81	4.7	Spouse.....	379	21.8
65 to 74 years.....	80	4.6	Child.....	518	29.8
75 to 84 years.....	34	2.0	Own child under 18 years.....	382	22.0
85 years and over.....	13	0.7	Other relatives.....	68	3.9
Median age (years).....	38.0	(X)	Under 18 years.....	23	1.3
18 years and over.....	1,302	75.0	Nonrelatives.....	112	6.4
Male.....	638	36.7	Unmarried partner.....	45	2.6
Female.....	664	38.2	In group quarters.....	-	-
21 years and over.....	1,243	71.6	Institutionalized population.....	-	-
62 years and over.....	164	9.4	Noninstitutionalized population.....	-	-
65 years and over.....	127	7.3	HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Male.....	55	3.2	Total households	660	100.0
Female.....	72	4.1	Family households (families).....	481	72.9
RACE			With own children under 18 years.....	221	33.5
One race.....	1,721	99.1	Married-couple family.....	379	57.4
White.....	1,698	97.8	With own children under 18 years.....	169	25.6
Black or African American.....	9	0.5	Female householder, no husband present.....	73	11.1
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	5	0.3	With own children under 18 years.....	40	6.1
Asian.....	3	0.2	Nonfamily households.....	179	27.1
Asian Indian.....	-	-	Householder living alone.....	134	20.3
Chinese.....	2	0.1	Householder 65 years and over.....	34	5.2
Filipino.....	-	-	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	242	36.7
Japanese.....	-	-	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	103	15.6
Korean.....	1	0.1	Average household size.....	2.63	(X)
Vietnamese.....	-	-	Average family size.....	3.01	(X)
Other Asian ¹	-	-	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	-	-	Total housing units	796	100.0
Native Hawaiian.....	-	-	Occupied housing units.....	660	82.9
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	-	-	Vacant housing units.....	136	17.1
Samoan.....	-	-	For seasonal, recreational, or		
Other Pacific Islander ²	-	-	occasional use.....	106	13.3
Some other race.....	6	0.3	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	2.3	(X)
Two or more races.....	16	0.9	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	5.7	(X)
Race alone or in combination with one			HOUSING TENURE		
or more other races: ³			Occupied housing units	660	100.0
White.....	1,714	98.7	Owner-occupied housing units.....	561	85.0
Black or African American.....	15	0.9	Renter-occupied housing units.....	99	15.0
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	13	0.7	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.64	(X)
Asian.....	3	0.2	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	2.58	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	-	-			
Some other race.....	10	0.6			

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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: Wales town, Hampden County, Massachusetts

[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	1,737	100.0
Nursery school, preschool	57	12.6	Native	1,713	98.6
Kindergarten	25	5.5	Born in United States	1,709	98.4
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	201	44.6	State of residence	1,162	66.9
High school (grades 9-12)	108	23.9	Different state	547	31.5
College or graduate school	60	13.3	Born outside United States	4	0.2
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT			Foreign born	24	1.4
Population 25 years and over			Entered 1990 to March 2000	2	0.1
Less than 9th grade	32	2.7	Naturalized citizen	15	0.9
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	143	12.0	Not a citizen	9	0.5
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	459	38.4	REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN		
Some college, no degree	290	24.3	Total (excluding born at sea)	24	100.0
Associate degree	93	7.8	Europe	9	37.5
Bachelor's degree	110	9.2	Asia	-	-
Graduate or professional degree	67	5.6	Africa	-	-
Percent high school graduate or higher	85.3	(X)	Oceania	-	-
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	14.8	(X)	Latin America	3	12.5
MARITAL STATUS			Northern America	12	50.0
Population 15 years and over			LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME		
Never married	310	22.3	Population 5 years and over	1,630	100.0
Now married, except separated	806	58.0	English only	1,547	94.9
Separated	28	2.0	Language other than English	83	5.1
Widowed	65	4.7	Speak English less than "very well"	38	2.3
Female	54	3.9	Spanish	33	2.0
Divorced	180	13.0	Speak English less than "very well"	16	1.0
Female	121	8.7	Other Indo-European languages	48	2.9
GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS			Speak English less than "very well"	22	1.3
Grandparent living in household with one or more own grandchildren under 18 years			Asian and Pacific Island languages	-	-
Grandparent responsible for grandchildren	2	10.5	Speak English less than "very well"	-	-
VETERAN STATUS			ANCESTRY (single or multiple)		
Civilian population 18 years and over			Total population	1,737	100.0
Civilian veterans	211	16.2	<i>Total ancestries reported</i>	<i>2,127</i>	<i>122.5</i>
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION			Arab	2	0.1
Population 5 to 20 years			Czech ¹	6	0.3
With a disability	30	7.8	Danish	5	0.3
Population 21 to 64 years			Dutch	9	0.5
With a disability	184	16.5	English	191	11.0
Percent employed	54.9	(X)	French (except Basque) ¹	365	21.0
No disability	932	83.5	French Canadian ¹	156	9.0
Percent employed	83.0	(X)	German	197	11.3
Population 65 years and over			Greek	3	0.2
With a disability	40	31.3	Hungarian	12	0.7
RESIDENCE IN 1995			Irish ¹	350	20.1
Population 5 years and over			Italian	185	10.7
Same house in 1995	959	58.8	Lithuanian	9	0.5
Different house in the U.S. in 1995	666	40.9	Norwegian	8	0.5
Same county	377	23.1	Polish	182	10.5
Different county	289	17.7	Portuguese	18	1.0
Same state	126	7.7	Russian	10	0.6
Different state	163	10.0	Scotch-Irish	65	3.7
Elsewhere in 1995	5	0.3	Scottish	74	4.3
			Slovak	8	0.5
			Subsaharan African	-	-
			Swedish	51	2.9
			Swiss	3	0.2
			Ukrainian	3	0.2
			United States or American	76	4.4
			Welsh	2	0.1
			West Indian (excluding Hispanic groups)	3	0.2
			Other ancestries	134	7.7

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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: Wales town, Hampden County, Massachusetts

[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	796	100.0	OCCUPANTS PER ROOM		
UNITS IN STRUCTURE			Occupied housing units	660	100.0
1-unit, detached	629	79.0	1.00 or less	635	96.2
1-unit, attached	13	1.6	1.01 to 1.50	21	3.2
2 units	66	8.3	1.51 or more	4	0.6
3 or 4 units	4	0.5			
5 to 9 units	-	-	Specified owner-occupied units	400	100.0
10 to 19 units	-	-	VALUE		
20 or more units	-	-	Less than \$50,000	8	2.0
Mobile home	84	10.6	\$50,000 to \$99,999	149	37.3
Boat, RV, van, etc	-	-	\$100,000 to \$149,999	193	48.3
			\$150,000 to \$199,999	44	11.0
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT			\$200,000 to \$299,999	4	1.0
1999 to March 2000	13	1.6	\$300,000 to \$499,999	2	0.5
1995 to 1998	38	4.8	\$500,000 to \$999,999	-	-
1990 to 1994	60	7.5	\$1,000,000 or more	-	-
1980 to 1989	158	19.8	Median (dollars)	108,900	(X)
1970 to 1979	114	14.3			
1960 to 1969	100	12.6	MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED		
1940 to 1959	147	18.5	MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
1939 or earlier	166	20.9	With a mortgage	341	85.3
			Less than \$300	-	-
ROOMS			\$300 to \$499	16	4.0
1 room	1	0.1	\$500 to \$699	47	11.8
2 rooms	8	1.0	\$700 to \$999	121	30.3
3 rooms	37	4.6	\$1,000 to \$1,499	118	29.5
4 rooms	232	29.1	\$1,500 to \$1,999	30	7.5
5 rooms	240	30.2	\$2,000 or more	9	2.3
6 rooms	136	17.1	Median (dollars)	960	(X)
7 rooms	76	9.5	Not mortgaged	59	14.8
8 rooms	39	4.9	Median (dollars)	341	(X)
9 or more rooms	27	3.4			
Median (rooms)	5.0	(X)	SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
			AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD		
Occupied housing units	660	100.0	INCOME IN 1999		
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT			Less than 15.0 percent	110	27.5
1999 to March 2000	95	14.4	15.0 to 19.9 percent	80	20.0
1995 to 1998	153	23.2	20.0 to 24.9 percent	59	14.8
1990 to 1994	129	19.5	25.0 to 29.9 percent	59	14.8
1980 to 1989	152	23.0	30.0 to 34.9 percent	27	6.8
1970 to 1979	78	11.8	35.0 percent or more	65	16.3
1969 or earlier	53	8.0	Not computed	-	-
VEHICLES AVAILABLE			Specified renter-occupied units	89	100.0
None	15	2.3	GROSS RENT		
1	178	27.0	Less than \$200	2	2.2
2	326	49.4	\$200 to \$299	2	2.2
3 or more	141	21.4	\$300 to \$499	3	3.4
			\$500 to \$749	52	58.4
HOUSE HEATING FUEL			\$750 to \$999	25	28.1
Utility gas	7	1.1	\$1,000 to \$1,499	3	3.4
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	75	11.4	\$1,500 or more	-	-
Electricity	87	13.2	No cash rent	2	2.2
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	384	58.2	Median (dollars)	711	(X)
Coal or coke	21	3.2			
Wood	82	12.4	GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF		
Solar energy	-	-	HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999		
Other fuel	-	-	Less than 15.0 percent	22	24.7
No fuel used	4	0.6	15.0 to 19.9 percent	11	12.4
			20.0 to 24.9 percent	17	19.1
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS			25.0 to 29.9 percent	9	10.1
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	-	-	30.0 to 34.9 percent	7	7.9
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	-	-	35.0 percent or more	21	23.6
No telephone service	8	1.2	Not computed	2	2.2

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