

Total population.....	9,518
SEX	
Male.....	4,670
Female.....	4,848
AGE	
Under 5 years.....	635
5 to 17 years.....	1,828
18 to 20 years.....	367
21 to 24 years.....	442
25 to 44 years.....	2,625
45 to 54 years.....	1,074
55 to 59 years.....	475
60 to 64 years.....	494
65 to 74 years.....	890
75 to 84 years.....	536
85 years and over.....	152
Median age.....	36.0
Under 18 years.....	2,463
Percent of total population.....	25.9
65 years and over.....	1,578
Percent of total population.....	16.6
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE	
Total households.....	3,661
Family households (families).....	2,716
Married-couple families.....	2,285
Percent of total households.....	62.4
Other family, male householder.....	104
Other family, female householder.....	327
Nonfamily households.....	945
Percent of total households.....	25.8
Householder living alone.....	881
Householder 65 years and over.....	507
Persons living in households.....	9,429
Persons per household.....	2.58
GROUP QUARTERS	
Persons living in group quarters.....	89
Institutionalized persons.....	89
Other persons in group quarters.....	0
RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN	
White.....	8,170
Black.....	1,294
Percent of total population.....	13.6
American Indian, Eskimo, or Aleut.....	38
Percent of total population.....	0.4
Asian or Pacific Islander.....	4
Percent of total population.....	0.0
Other race.....	12
Hispanic origin (of any race).....	38
Percent of total population.....	0.4

Total housing units.....	4,340
OCCUPANCY AND TENURE	
Occupied housing units.....	3,661
Owner occupied.....	2,679
Percent owner occupied.....	73.2
Renter occupied.....	982
Vacant housing units.....	679
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use.....	235
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	1.8
Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	7.4
Persons per owner-occupied unit.....	2.57
Persons per renter-occupied unit.....	2.60
Units with over 1 person per room.....	117
UNITS IN STRUCTURE	
1-unit, detached.....	3,252
1-unit, attached.....	44
2 to 4 units.....	105
5 to 9 units.....	23
10 or more units.....	44
Mobile home, trailer, other.....	872
VALUE	
Specified owner-occupied units.....	1,601
Less than \$50,000.....	1,171
\$50,000 to \$99,000.....	388
\$100,000 to \$149,000.....	33
\$150,000 to \$199,999.....	8
\$200,000 to \$299,999.....	1
\$300,000 or more.....	0
Median (dollars).....	35,200
CONTRACT RENT	
Specified renter-occupied units paying cash rent.....	625
Less than \$250.....	586
\$250 to \$499.....	38
\$500 to \$749.....	1
\$750 to \$999.....	0
\$1,000 or more.....	0
Median (dollars).....	131
RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER	
Occupied housing units.....	3,661
White.....	3,234
Black.....	408
Percent of occupied units.....	11.1
American Indian, Eskimo, or Aleut.....	13
Percent of occupied units.....	0.4
Asian or Pacific Islander.....	1
Percent of occupied units.....	0.0
Other race.....	5
Hispanic origin (of any race).....	12
Percent of occupied units.....	0.3

URBAN AND RURAL RESIDENCE

Total population.....	9,518
Urban population.....	0
Percent of total population.....	0.0
Rural population.....	9,518
Percent of total population.....	100.0
Farm population.....	875

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

Persons 3 years and over enrolled in school.....	2,121
Preprimary school.....	77
Elementary or high school.....	1,717
Percent in private school.....	2.2
College.....	327

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

Persons 25 years and over.....	6,236
Less than 9th grade.....	1,444
9th to 12th grade, no diploma.....	1,283
High school graduate.....	2,174
Some college, no degree.....	723
Associates degree.....	161
Bachelor's degree.....	312
Graduate or professional degree.....	139
Percent high school graduate or higher.....	56.3
Percent bachelor's degree or higher.....	7.2

RESIDENCE IN 1985

Persons 5 years and over.....	8,885
Lived in same house.....	5,876
Lived in different house in U.S.....	2,987
Same State.....	2,486
Same county.....	1,689
Different county.....	797
Different State.....	501
Lived abroad.....	22

DISABILITY OF CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED PERSONS

Persons 16 to 64 years.....	5,761
With a mobility or self-care limitation.....	287
With a mobility limitation.....	160
With a self-care limitation.....	194
With a work disability.....	652
In labor force.....	217
Prevented from working.....	387
Persons 65 years and over.....	1,514
With a mobility or self-care limitation.....	359
With a mobility limitation.....	296
With a self-care limitation.....	229

CHILDREN EVER BORN PER 1,000 WOMEN

Women 15 to 24 years.....	485
Women 25 to 34 years.....	1,725
Women 35 to 44 years.....	2,318

VETERAN STATUS

Civilian veterans 16 years and over.....	1,012
65 years and over.....	310

NATIVITY AND PLACE OF BIRTH

Native population.....	9,507
Percent born in state of residence.....	86.2
Foreign-born population.....	11
Entered the U.S. 1980 to 1990.....	3

LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME

Persons 5 years and over.....	8,885
Speak a language other than English.....	200
Do not speak English 'very well'.....	75
Speak Spanish.....	82
Do not speak English 'very well'.....	25
Speak Asian or Pacific Island language.....	15
Do not speak English 'very well'.....	0

ANCESTRY

Total ancestries reported.....	9,235
Arab.....	0
Austrian.....	1
Belgian.....	5
Canadian.....	23
Czech.....	40
Danish.....	6
Dutch.....	332
English.....	893
Finnish.....	3
French (except Basque).....	198
French Canadian.....	23
German.....	1,507
Greek.....	2
Hungarian.....	0
Irish.....	1,876
Italian.....	26
Lithuanian.....	0
Norwegian.....	10
Polish.....	28
Portuguese.....	0
Romanian.....	0
Russian.....	6
Scotch-Irish.....	215

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Scottish.....	71
Slovak.....	245
Subsaharan African.....	5
Swedish.....	7
Swiss.....	5
Ukrainian.....	5
United States or American.....	1,177
Welsh.....	34
West Indian (excluding Hispanic origin groups).....	0
Yugoslavian.....	0
Other ancestries.....	2,492

LABOR FORCE STATUS

Persons 16 years and over.....	7,376
In labor force.....	4,175
Percent in labor force.....	56.6
Civilian labor force.....	4,159
Employed.....	3,906
Unemployed.....	253
Percent unemployed.....	6.1
Armed Forces.....	16
Not in labor force.....	3,201
Males 16 years and over.....	3,565
In labor force.....	2,345
Percent in labor force.....	65.8
Civilian labor force.....	2,329
Employed.....	2,190
Unemployed.....	139
Percent unemployed.....	6.0
Armed Forces.....	16
Not in labor force.....	1,220
Females 16 years and over.....	3,811
In labor force.....	1,830
Percent in labor force.....	48.0
Civilian labor force.....	1,830
Employed.....	1,716
Unemployed.....	114
Percent unemployed.....	6.2
Armed Forces.....	0
Not in labor force.....	1,981
Females 16 years and over.....	3,811
With own children under 6 years.....	560
Percent in labor force.....	66.4
With own children 6 to 17 years only.....	757
Percent in labor force.....	81.2
Own children under 6 years in families and subfamilies...	763
All parents present in household in labor force.....	468
Own children 6 to 17 years in families and subfamilies.....	1,612
All parents present in household in labor force.....	1,193
Persons 16 to 19 years.....	571
Not enrolled in school and not high school graduate.....	62
Employed or in Armed Forces.....	24
Unemployed.....	9
Not in labor force.....	29

COMMUTING TO WORK

Workers 16 years and over.....	3,856
Percent drove alone.....	69.3
Percent in carpools.....	19.4
Percent using public transportation.....	0.5
Percent using other means.....	1.8
Percent walked or worked at home.....	9.0
Mean travel time to work (minutes).....	20.8

OCCUPATION

Employed persons 16 years and over.....	3,906
Executive, administrative, and managerial occupations.....	224
Professional specialty occupations.....	277
Technicians and related support occupations.....	66
Sales occupations.....	396
Administrative support occupations, including clerical.....	399
Private household occupations.....	24
Protective service occupations.....	35
Service occupations, except protective and household.....	387
Farming, forestry, and fishing occupations.....	658
Precision production, craft, and repair occupations.....	463
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors.....	450
Transportation and material moving occupations.....	207
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers.....	320

INDUSTRY

Employed person 16 years and over.....	3,906
Agriculture, forestry, and fisheries.....	787
Mining.....	0
Construction.....	218
Manufacturing, nondurable goods.....	297
Manufacturing, durable goods.....	511
Transportation.....	195
Communications and other public utilities.....	67
Wholesale trade.....	151
Retail trade.....	649
Finance, insurance, and real estate.....	138
Business and repair services.....	109
Personal services.....	102
Entertainment, and recreation services.....	25
Health services.....	168
Educational services.....	278
Other professional and related services.....	106
Public administration.....	105

CLASS OF WORKER

Employed persons 16 years and over.....	3,906
Private wage and salary workers.....	2,769
Government workers.....	550
Local government workers.....	257
State government workers.....	184
Federal government workers.....	109
Self-employed workers.....	536
Unpaid family workers.....	51

INCOME IN 1989

Households.....	3,643
Less than \$5,000.....	468
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	591
\$10,000 to \$14,999.....	545
\$15,000 to \$24,999.....	771
\$25,000 to \$34,999.....	626
\$35,000 to \$49,999.....	397
\$50,000 to \$74,999.....	153
\$75,000 to \$99,999.....	63
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	17
\$150,000 or more.....	12
Median household income (dollars).....	17,044
Families.....	2,734
Less than \$5,000.....	193
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	333
\$10,000 to \$14,999.....	402
\$15,000 to \$24,999.....	644
\$25,000 to \$34,999.....	580
\$35,000 to \$49,999.....	353
\$50,000 to \$74,999.....	143
\$75,000 to \$99,999.....	57
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	17
\$150,000 or more.....	12
Median family income (dollars).....	21,658
Nonfamily households.....	909
Less than \$5,000.....	293
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	258
\$10,000 to \$14,999.....	137
\$15,000 to \$24,999.....	125
\$25,000 to \$34,999.....	45
\$35,000 to \$49,999.....	38
\$50,000 to \$74,999.....	7
\$75,000 to \$99,999.....	6
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	0
\$150,000 or more.....	0
Median nonfamily household income (dollars).....	7,373
Per capita income (dollars).....	8,642

INCOME TYPE IN 1989

Households.....	3,643
With wage and salary income.....	2,384
Mean wage and salary income (dollars).....	21,493
With nonfarm self-employment income.....	440
Mean nonfarm self-employment income (dollars).....	12,621
With farm self-employment income.....	376
Mean farm self-employment income (dollars).....	14,377
With Social Security income.....	1,362
Mean Social Security income (dollars).....	6,366
With public assistance income.....	396
Mean public assistance income (dollars).....	3,001
With retirement income.....	403
Mean retirement income (dollars).....	6,192

POVERTY STATUS IN 1989

All persons for whom poverty status is determined.....	9,425
Below poverty level.....	2,141
Persons 18 years and over.....	6,962
Below poverty level.....	1,508
Persons 65 years and over.....	1,514
Below poverty level.....	461
Related children under 18 years.....	2,453
Below poverty level.....	623
Related children under 5 years.....	631
Below poverty level.....	196
Related children 5 to 17 years.....	1,822
Below poverty level.....	427
Unrelated individuals.....	1,015
Below poverty level.....	426
All families.....	2,734
Below poverty level.....	525
With related children under 18 years.....	1,378
Below poverty level.....	313
With related children under 5 years.....	486
Below poverty level.....	137
Female householder families.....	343
Below poverty level.....	163
With related children under 18 years.....	226
Below poverty level.....	120
With related children under 5 years.....	85
Below poverty level.....	58

Percent below poverty level:  
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All persons.....	22.7
Persons 18 years and over.....	21.7
Persons 65 years and over.....	30.4
Related children under 18 years.....	25.4
Related children under 5 years.....	31.1
Related children 5 to 17 years.....	23.4
Unrelated individuals.....	42.0
All families.....	19.2
With related children under 18 years.....	22.7
With related children under 5 years.....	28.2
Female householder families.....	47.5
With related children under 18 years.....	53.1
With related children under 5 years.....	68.2

Total housing units.....	4,340
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT	
1989 to March 1990.....	97
1985 to 1988.....	293
1980 to 1984.....	418
1970 to 1979.....	1,062
1960 to 1969.....	777
1950 to 1959.....	496
1940 to 1949.....	509
1939 or earlier.....	688
BEDROOMS	
No bedroom.....	63
1 bedroom.....	338
2 bedrooms.....	1,610
3 bedrooms.....	2,010
4 bedrooms.....	269
5 or more bedrooms.....	50
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	
Lacking complete plumbing facilities.....	224
Lacking complete kitchen facilities.....	201
Condominium housing units.....	0
SOURCE OF WATER	
Public system or private company.....	3,177
Individual drilled well.....	1,032
Individual dug well.....	52
Some other source.....	79
SEWAGE DISPOSAL	
Public sewer.....	2,105
Septic tank or cesspool.....	2,081
Other means.....	154
Occupied housing units.....	3,661
HOUSE HEATING FUEL	
Utility gas.....	1,158
Bottled, tank, or LP gas.....	755
Electricity.....	935
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.....	20
Coal or coke.....	0
Wood.....	793
Solar energy.....	0
Other fuel.....	0
No fuel used.....	0

YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT

1989 to March 1990.....	545
1985 to 1988.....	809
1980 to 1984.....	558
1970 to 1979.....	727
1960 to 1969.....	558
1959 or earlier.....	464

TELEPHONE

No telephone in unit.....	656
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VEHICLES AVAILABLE

Occupied housing units.....	3,661
None.....	397
1.....	1,169
2.....	1,417
3 or more.....	678

MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS

Specified owner-occupied housing units.....	1,628
With a mortgage.....	756
Less than \$300.....	194
\$300 to \$499.....	314
\$500 to \$699.....	184
\$700 to \$999.....	50
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	11
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	3
\$2,000 or more.....	0
Median (dollars).....	418
Not mortgaged.....	872
Less than \$100.....	99
\$100 to \$199.....	422
\$200 to \$299.....	237
\$300 to \$399.....	82
\$400 or more.....	32
Median (dollars).....	181

SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1989

Specified owner-occupied housing units.....	1,628
Less than 20 percent.....	923
20 to 24 percent.....	155
25 to 29 percent.....	161
30 to 34 percent.....	80
35 percent or more.....	287
Not computed.....	22

GROSS RENT

Specified renter-occupied housing units.....	857
Less than \$200.....	206
\$200 to \$299.....	262
\$300 to \$499.....	171
\$500 to \$749.....	29
\$750 to \$999.....	0
\$1,000 or more.....	0
No cash rent.....	189
Median (dollars).....	248

GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1989

Specified renter-occupied housing units.....	857
Less than 20 percent.....	252
20 to 24 percent.....	115
25 to 29 percent.....	84
30 to 34 percent.....	74
35 percent or more.....	134
Not computed.....	198