

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

Geographic area: Fort Myers city, Florida

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	48,208	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
SEX AND AGE			Total population	48,208	100.0
Male.....	23,806	49.4	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	6,984	14.5
Female.....	24,402	50.6	Mexican.....	2,588	5.4
Under 5 years.....	3,895	8.1	Puerto Rican.....	2,258	4.7
5 to 9 years.....	3,529	7.3	Cuban.....	261	0.5
10 to 14 years.....	3,382	7.0	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	1,877	3.9
15 to 19 years.....	3,295	6.8	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	41,224	85.5
20 to 24 years.....	4,080	8.5	White alone.....	23,700	49.2
25 to 34 years.....	7,636	15.8	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	6,996	14.5	Total population	48,208	100.0
45 to 54 years.....	5,193	10.8	In households.....	45,901	95.2
55 to 59 years.....	1,783	3.7	Householder.....	19,107	39.6
60 to 64 years.....	1,516	3.1	Spouse.....	6,171	12.8
65 to 74 years.....	2,991	6.2	Child.....	13,118	27.2
75 to 84 years.....	2,408	5.0	Own child under 18 years.....	10,712	22.2
85 years and over.....	1,504	3.1	Other relatives.....	3,277	6.8
Median age (years).....	32.4	(X)	Under 18 years.....	1,476	3.1
18 years and over.....	35,532	73.7	Nonrelatives.....	4,228	8.8
Male.....	17,334	36.0	Unmarried partner.....	1,567	3.3
Female.....	18,198	37.7	In group quarters.....	2,307	4.8
21 years and over.....	33,315	69.1	Institutionalized population.....	2,205	4.6
62 years and over.....	7,794	16.2	Noninstitutionalized population.....	102	0.2
65 years and over.....	6,903	14.3	HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Male.....	2,673	5.5	Total households	19,107	100.0
Female.....	4,230	8.8	Family households (families).....	10,735	56.2
RACE			With own children under 18 years.....	5,515	28.9
One race.....	46,707	96.9	Married-couple family.....	6,171	32.3
White.....	27,166	56.4	With own children under 18 years.....	2,555	13.4
Black or African American.....	16,095	33.4	Female householder, no husband present.....	3,517	18.4
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	181	0.4	With own children under 18 years.....	2,424	12.7
Asian.....	471	1.0	Nonfamily households.....	8,372	43.8
Asian Indian.....	197	0.4	Householder living alone.....	6,459	33.8
Chinese.....	72	0.1	Householder 65 years and over.....	2,380	12.5
Filipino.....	60	0.1	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	6,310	33.0
Japanese.....	11	-	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	4,785	25.0
Korean.....	31	0.1	Average household size.....	2.40	(X)
Vietnamese.....	27	0.1	Average family size.....	3.10	(X)
Other Asian ¹	73	0.2	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	49	0.1	Total housing units	21,836	100.0
Native Hawaiian.....	3	-	Occupied housing units.....	19,107	87.5
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	33	0.1	Vacant housing units.....	2,729	12.5
Samoan.....	3	-	For seasonal, recreational, or		
Other Pacific Islander ²	10	-	occasional use.....	804	3.7
Some other race.....	2,745	5.7	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	3.7	(X)
Two or more races.....	1,501	3.1	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	10.0	(X)
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: ³			HOUSING TENURE		
White.....	27,877	57.8	Occupied housing units	19,107	100.0
Black or African American.....	16,989	35.2	Owner-occupied housing units.....	7,593	39.7
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	351	0.7	Renter-occupied housing units.....	11,514	60.3
Asian.....	623	1.3	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.50	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	107	0.2	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	2.34	(X)
Some other race.....	3,826	7.9			

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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: Fort Myers city, Florida

[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	11,782	100.0	Total population	48,046	100.0
Nursery school, preschool	794	6.7	Native	41,618	86.6
Kindergarten	642	5.4	Born in United States	40,067	83.4
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	5,815	49.4	State of residence	17,929	37.3
High school (grades 9-12)	2,702	22.9	Different state	22,138	46.1
College or graduate school	1,829	15.5	Born outside United States	1,551	3.2
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT			Foreign born	6,428	13.4
Population 25 years and over	29,875	100.0	Entered 1990 to March 2000	4,200	8.7
Less than 9th grade	2,904	9.7	Naturalized citizen	1,647	3.4
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	5,836	19.5	Not a citizen	4,781	10.0
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	8,674	29.0	REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN		
Some college, no degree	5,441	18.2	Total (excluding born at sea)	6,428	100.0
Associate degree	1,561	5.2	Europe	673	10.5
Bachelor's degree	3,484	11.7	Asia	435	6.8
Graduate or professional degree	1,975	6.6	Africa	61	0.9
Percent high school graduate or higher	70.7	(X)	Oceania	7	0.1
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	18.3	(X)	Latin America	5,022	78.1
MARITAL STATUS			Northern America	230	3.6
Population 15 years and over	37,450	100.0	LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME		
Never married	12,582	33.6	Population 5 years and over	44,313	100.0
Now married, except separated	14,657	39.1	English only	34,962	78.9
Separated	1,508	4.0	Language other than English	9,351	21.1
Widowed	3,281	8.8	Speak English less than "very well"	4,817	10.9
Female	2,572	6.9	Spanish	5,700	12.9
Divorced	5,422	14.5	Speak English less than "very well"	2,875	6.5
Female	2,926	7.8	Other Indo-European languages	3,176	7.2
GRANDPARENTS AS CAREGIVERS			Speak English less than "very well"	1,732	3.9
Grandparent living in household with one or more own grandchildren under 18 years	985	100.0	Asian and Pacific Island languages	236	0.5
Grandparent responsible for grandchildren	553	56.1	Speak English less than "very well"	145	0.3
VETERAN STATUS			ANCESTRY (single or multiple)		
Civilian population 18 years and over ..	35,556	100.0	Total population	48,046	100.0
Civilian veterans	4,387	12.3	Total ancestries reported	46,553	96.9
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION			Arab	233	0.5
Population 5 to 20 years	10,822	100.0	Czech ¹	161	0.3
With a disability	975	9.0	Danish	62	0.1
Population 21 to 64 years	25,220	100.0	Dutch	521	1.1
With a disability	6,573	26.1	English	3,823	8.0
Percent employed	58.2	(X)	French (except Basque) ¹	1,064	2.2
No disability	18,647	73.9	French Canadian ¹	235	0.5
Percent employed	76.1	(X)	German	5,138	10.7
Population 65 years and over	6,080	100.0	Greek	222	0.5
With a disability	3,061	50.3	Hungarian	288	0.6
RESIDENCE IN 1995			Irish ¹	3,718	7.7
Population 5 years and over	44,313	100.0	Italian	1,779	3.7
Same house in 1995	16,740	37.8	Lithuanian	71	0.1
Different house in the U.S. in 1995	24,659	55.6	Norwegian	416	0.9
Same county	14,933	33.7	Polish	793	1.7
Different county	9,726	21.9	Portuguese	164	0.3
Same state	3,658	8.3	Russian	205	0.4
Different state	6,068	13.7	Scotch-Irish	533	1.1
Elsewhere in 1995	2,914	6.6	Scottish	567	1.2
			Slovak	73	0.2
			Subsaharan African	462	1.0
			Swedish	284	0.6
			Swiss	68	0.1
			Ukrainian	65	0.1
			United States or American	3,068	6.4
			Welsh	290	0.6
			West Indian (excluding Hispanic groups)	2,509	5.2
			Other ancestries	19,741	41.1

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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: Fort Myers city, Florida

[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	21,837	100.0	OCCUPANTS PER ROOM		
UNITS IN STRUCTURE			Occupied housing units	19,160	100.0
1-unit, detached	7,830	35.9	1.00 or less	17,410	90.9
1-unit, attached	527	2.4	1.01 to 1.50	959	5.0
2 units	977	4.5	1.51 or more	791	4.1
3 or 4 units	1,429	6.5			
5 to 9 units	2,029	9.3	Specified owner-occupied units	5,800	100.0
10 to 19 units	2,372	10.9	VALUE		
20 or more units	5,767	26.4	Less than \$50,000	1,077	18.6
Mobile home	866	4.0	\$50,000 to \$99,999	2,958	51.0
Boat, RV, van, etc	40	0.2	\$100,000 to \$149,999	740	12.8
			\$150,000 to \$199,999	333	5.7
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT			\$200,000 to \$299,999	327	5.6
1999 to March 2000	705	3.2	\$300,000 to \$499,999	255	4.4
1995 to 1998	824	3.8	\$500,000 to \$999,999	62	1.1
1990 to 1994	1,609	7.4	\$1,000,000 or more	48	0.8
1980 to 1989	5,015	23.0	Median (dollars)	76,700	(X)
1970 to 1979	4,687	21.5			
1960 to 1969	4,597	21.1	MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED		
1940 to 1959	3,253	14.9	MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
1939 or earlier	1,147	5.3	With a mortgage	4,135	71.3
			Less than \$300	27	0.5
ROOMS			\$300 to \$499	430	7.4
1 room	778	3.6	\$500 to \$699	1,123	19.4
2 rooms	2,268	10.4	\$700 to \$999	1,324	22.8
3 rooms	3,877	17.8	\$1,000 to \$1,499	680	11.7
4 rooms	5,589	25.6	\$1,500 to \$1,999	236	4.1
5 rooms	3,837	17.6	\$2,000 or more	315	5.4
6 rooms	2,679	12.3	Median (dollars)	796	(X)
7 rooms	1,387	6.4	Not mortgaged	1,665	28.7
8 rooms	810	3.7	Median (dollars)	272	(X)
9 or more rooms	612	2.8			
Median (rooms)	4.2	(X)	SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS		
			AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD		
Occupied housing units	19,160	100.0	INCOME IN 1999		
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT			Less than 15.0 percent	2,187	37.7
1999 to March 2000	6,913	36.1	15.0 to 19.9 percent	903	15.6
1995 to 1998	5,653	29.5	20.0 to 24.9 percent	690	11.9
1990 to 1994	2,400	12.5	25.0 to 29.9 percent	483	8.3
1980 to 1989	2,179	11.4	30.0 to 34.9 percent	413	7.1
1970 to 1979	1,072	5.6	35.0 percent or more	1,065	18.4
1969 or earlier	943	4.9	Not computed	59	1.0
VEHICLES AVAILABLE			Specified renter-occupied units	11,565	100.0
None	3,467	18.1	GROSS RENT		
1	9,293	48.5	Less than \$200	1,001	8.7
2	4,985	26.0	\$200 to \$299	582	5.0
3 or more	1,415	7.4	\$300 to \$499	2,338	20.2
			\$500 to \$749	5,018	43.4
HOUSE HEATING FUEL			\$750 to \$999	1,483	12.8
Utility gas	139	0.7	\$1,000 to \$1,499	363	3.1
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	226	1.2	\$1,500 or more	553	4.8
Electricity	18,256	95.3	No cash rent	227	2.0
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	76	0.4	Median (dollars)	588	(X)
Coal or coke	-	-			
Wood	23	0.1	GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF		
Solar energy	5	-	HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999		
Other fuel	39	0.2	Less than 15.0 percent	1,700	14.7
No fuel used	396	2.1	15.0 to 19.9 percent	1,430	12.4
			20.0 to 24.9 percent	1,467	12.7
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS			25.0 to 29.9 percent	1,385	12.0
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	132	0.7	30.0 to 34.9 percent	919	7.9
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	137	0.7	35.0 percent or more	4,093	35.4
No telephone service	1,159	6.0	Not computed	571	4.9

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