



CENSUS TRANSPORTATION PLANNING PACKAGE (CTPP 2000)

Table 1. Profile of Selected 1990 and 2000 Characteristics

Geographic Area: Desha County, Arkansas

Subject	1990 Census		Census 2000		Change 1990 to 2000	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
POPULATION						
Total population	16,798	100.0	15,341	100.0	-1,457	-8.7
In households	16,634	99.0	15,204	99.1	-1,430	-8.6
In group quarters	164	1.0	137	0.9	-27	-16.5
HOUSEHOLD SIZE						
Total households	6,039	100.0	5,942	100.0	-97	-1.6
1-person household	1,463	24.2	1,586	26.7	123	8.4
2-person household	1,709	28.3	1,803	30.3	94	5.5
3-person household	1,050	17.4	1,079	18.2	29	2.8
4-person household	947	15.7	864	14.5	-83	-8.8
5-or-more-person household	870	14.4	610	10.3	-260	-29.9
Mean number of persons per household	2.75	(X)	2.56	(X)	-0.20	(X)
VEHICLES AVAILABLE¹						
Total households	6,039	100.0	5,942	100.0	-97	-1.6
No vehicle available	1,153	19.1	1,042	17.5	-111	-9.6
1 vehicle available	2,095	34.7	2,107	35.5	12	0.6
2 vehicles available	1,918	31.8	2,093	35.2	175	9.1
3 vehicles available	635	10.5	557	9.4	-78	-12.3
4 vehicles available	194	3.2	115	1.9	-79	-40.7
5 or more vehicles available	44	0.7	28	0.5	-16	-36.4
Mean vehicles per household	1.47	(X)	1.44	(X)	-0.02	(X)
WORKERS BY SEX¹						
Workers 16 years and over	5,695	100.0	5,340	100.0	-355	-6.2
Male	3,284	57.7	2,905	54.4	-379	-11.5
Female	2,411	42.3	2,435	45.6	24	1.0
MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK						
Workers 16 years and over	5,695	100.0	5,340	100.0	-355	-6.2
Drove alone	4,122	72.4	4,035	75.6	-87	-2.1
Carpooled	922	16.2	990	18.5	68	7.4
Public transportation (including taxicab)	7	0.1	0	0.0	-7	-100.0
Bicycle or walked	305	5.4	105	2.0	-200	-65.6
Motorcycle or other means	161	2.8	71	1.3	-90	-55.9
Worked at home	178	3.1	139	2.6	-39	-21.9
TRAVEL TIME TO WORK						
Workers who did not work at home	5,517	100.0	5,201	100.0	-316	-5.7
Less than 5 minutes	672	12.2	390	7.5	-282	-42.0
5 to 9 minutes	1,482	26.9	1,350	26.0	-132	-8.9
10 to 14 minutes	1,129	20.5	914	17.6	-215	-19.0
15 to 19 minutes	771	14.0	715	13.7	-56	-7.3
20 to 29 minutes	647	11.7	692	13.3	45	7.0
30 to 44 minutes	561	10.2	660	12.7	99	17.6
45 or more minutes	255	4.6	480	9.2	225	88.2
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	14.3	(X)	18.9	(X)	4.5	(X)
TIME LEAVING HOME TO GO TO WORK						
Workers who did not work at home	5,517	100.0	5,201	100.0	-316	-5.7
5:00 a.m. to 6:59 a.m.	1,981	35.9	1,905	36.6	-76	-3.8
7:00 a.m. to 7:59 a.m.	1,958	35.5	1,769	34.0	-189	-9.7
8:00 a.m. to 8:59 a.m.	734	13.3	532	10.2	-202	-27.5
9:00 a.m. to 9:59 a.m.	169	3.1	144	2.8	-25	-14.8
10:00 a.m. to 11:59 a.m.	79	1.4	142	2.7	63	79.7
12:00 p.m. to 11:59 p.m.	502	9.1	590	11.3	88	17.5
12:00 a.m. to 4:59 a.m.	94	1.7	119	2.3	25	26.6

¹ See the entry for this item in the Technical Notes in the root directory or state subdirectories (filename: tech_notes.txt).
 (X) Not applicable.
 Source: U.S. Census Bureau. Census of Population and Housing, 1990 and 2000 long-form (sample) data.

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Table 2. Profile of Selected 2000 Characteristics

Geographic Area: Desha County, Arkansas

Subject	Census 2000	
	Number	Percent
POPULATION BY AGE		
Total population	15,341	100.0
Under 16 years	3,868	25.2
16 to 20 years	1,172	7.6
21 to 24 years	727	4.7
25 to 44 years	3,920	25.6
45 to 64 years	3,455	22.5
65 years and over	2,199	14.3
Mean age (years)	36.3	(X)
HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999¹		
Total households	5,942	100.0
Less than \$15,000	1,988	33.5
\$15,000 to 19,999	537	9.0
\$20,000 to 24,999	535	9.0
\$25,000 to 49,999	1,511	25.4
\$50,000 to 74,999	801	13.5
\$75,000 to 99,999	311	5.2
\$100,000 or more	259	4.4
Mean household income (dollars)	34,514	(X)
Median household income (dollars)	24,121	(X)

Household Size by Vehicles Available¹

Household Size	Mean vehicles per household	Vehicles available					
		Total households	No vehicle	1 vehicle	2 vehicles	3 vehicles	4 or more vehicles
Total households	1.44	5,940	1,040	2,105	2,095	555	145
Row percent	(X)	100.0	17.5	35.4	35.3	9.3	2.4
Column percent	(X)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1-person household	0.86	1,585	495	880	170	30	4
Row percent	(X)	100.0	31.2	55.5	10.7	1.9	0.3
Column percent	(X)	26.7	47.6	41.8	8.1	5.4	2.8
2-person household	1.56	1,805	230	545	835	170	20
Row percent	(X)	100.0	12.7	30.2	46.3	9.4	1.1
Column percent	(X)	30.4	22.1	25.9	39.9	30.6	13.8
3-person household	1.66	1,080	135	330	425	145	40
Row percent	(X)	100.0	12.5	30.6	39.4	13.4	3.7
Column percent	(X)	18.2	13.0	15.7	20.3	26.1	27.6
4-or-more-person household	1.77	1,475	180	350	655	210	75
Row percent	(X)	100.0	12.2	23.7	44.4	14.2	5.1
Column percent	(X)	24.8	17.3	16.6	31.3	37.8	51.7

Means of Transportation to Work by Travel Time to Work¹

Means of Transportation	Mean travel time to work (minutes)	Travel time to work					
		Workers who did not work at home	Less than 10 minutes	10 to 19 minutes	20 to 29 minutes	30 to 44 minutes	45 or more minutes
Workers who did not work at home	18.9	5,200	1,740	1,630	690	660	480
Row percent	(X)	100.0	33.5	31.3	13.3	12.7	9.2
Column percent	(X)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Drove alone	18.4	4,035	1,370	1,285	515	520	345
Row percent	(X)	100.0	34.0	31.8	12.8	12.9	8.6
Column percent	(X)	77.6	78.7	78.8	74.6	78.8	71.9
Carpooled	22.0	990	275	295	170	135	120
Row percent	(X)	100.0	27.8	29.8	17.2	13.6	12.1
Column percent	(X)	19.0	15.8	18.1	24.6	20.5	25.0
Bicycle or walked	6.2	105	70	30	0	4	0
Row percent	(X)	100.0	66.7	28.6	0.0	3.8	0.0
Column percent	(X)	2.0	4.0	1.8	0.0	0.6	0.0
Motorcycle or other means	21.8	70	25	20	10	0	15
Row percent	(X)	100.0	35.7	28.6	14.3	0.0	21.4
Column percent	(X)	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.4	0.0	3.1

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