



CENSUS TRANSPORTATION PLANNING PACKAGE (CTPP 2000)

Table 1. Profile of Selected 1990 and 2000 Characteristics

Geographic Area: Shelton town, Fairfield County, Connecticut

Subject	1990 Census		Census 2000		Change 1990 to 2000	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
POPULATION						
Total population	35,418	100.0	38,101	100.0	2,683	7.6
In households	34,745	98.1	37,537	98.5	2,792	8.0
In group quarters	673	1.9	564	1.5	-109	-16.2
HOUSEHOLD SIZE						
Total households	12,443	100.0	14,180	100.0	1,737	14.0
1-person household	2,260	18.2	3,100	21.9	840	37.2
2-person household	3,861	31.0	4,713	33.2	852	22.1
3-person household	2,412	19.4	2,473	17.4	61	2.5
4-person household	2,462	19.8	2,466	17.4	4	0.2
5-or-more-person household	1,448	11.6	1,428	10.1	-20	-1.4
Mean number of persons per household	2.79	(X)	2.65	(X)	-0.15	(X)
VEHICLES AVAILABLE¹						
Total households	12,443	100.0	14,180	100.0	1,737	14.0
No vehicle available	625	5.0	558	3.9	-67	-10.7
1 vehicle available	2,834	22.8	3,842	27.1	1,008	35.6
2 vehicles available	5,580	44.8	6,256	44.1	676	12.1
3 vehicles available	2,334	18.8	2,397	16.9	63	2.7
4 vehicles available	724	5.8	796	5.6	72	9.9
5 or more vehicles available	346	2.8	331	2.3	-15	-4.3
Mean vehicles per household	2.08	(X)	2.01	(X)	-0.06	(X)
WORKERS BY SEX¹						
Workers 16 years and over	18,683	100.0	20,045	100.0	1,362	7.3
Male	10,386	55.6	10,615	53.0	229	2.2
Female	8,297	44.4	9,425	47.0	1,128	13.6
MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK						
Workers 16 years and over	18,683	100.0	20,043	100.0	1,360	7.3
Drove alone	15,916	85.2	17,461	87.1	1,545	9.7
Carpooled	1,826	9.8	1,485	7.4	-341	-18.7
Public transportation (including taxicab)	186	1.0	309	1.5	123	66.1
Bicycle or walked	249	1.3	209	1.0	-40	-16.1
Motorcycle or other means	148	0.8	46	0.2	-102	-68.9
Worked at home	358	1.9	533	2.7	175	48.9
TRAVEL TIME TO WORK						
Workers who did not work at home	18,325	100.0	19,510	100.0	1,185	6.5
Less than 5 minutes	353	1.9	424	2.2	71	20.1
5 to 9 minutes	1,924	10.5	2,024	10.4	100	5.2
10 to 14 minutes	2,767	15.1	2,785	14.3	18	0.7
15 to 19 minutes	3,013	16.4	3,349	17.2	336	11.2
20 to 29 minutes	4,885	26.7	5,160	26.4	275	5.6
30 to 44 minutes	3,619	19.7	2,983	15.3	-636	-17.6
45 or more minutes	1,764	9.6	2,785	14.3	1,021	57.9
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	22.2	(X)	24.8	(X)	2.7	(X)
TIME LEAVING HOME TO GO TO WORK						
Workers who did not work at home	18,325	100.0	19,510	100.0	1,185	6.5
5:00 a.m. to 6:59 a.m.	4,896	26.7	4,855	24.9	-41	-0.8
7:00 a.m. to 7:59 a.m.	5,874	32.1	6,115	31.3	241	4.1
8:00 a.m. to 8:59 a.m.	3,900	21.3	4,647	23.8	747	19.2
9:00 a.m. to 9:59 a.m.	937	5.1	1,084	5.6	147	15.7
10:00 a.m. to 11:59 a.m.	405	2.2	543	2.8	138	34.1
12:00 p.m. to 11:59 p.m.	2,139	11.7	1,906	9.8	-233	-10.9
12:00 a.m. to 4:59 a.m.	174	0.9	360	1.8	186	106.9

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 (X) Not applicable.
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Table 2. Profile of Selected 2000 Characteristics

Geographic Area: Shelton town, Fairfield County, Connecticut

Subject	Census 2000	
	Number	Percent
POPULATION BY AGE		
Total population	38,101	100.0
Under 16 years	7,966	20.9
16 to 20 years	1,849	4.9
21 to 24 years	1,273	3.3
25 to 44 years	11,550	30.3
45 to 64 years	9,861	25.9
65 years and over	5,602	14.7
Mean age (years)	39.0	(X)
HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999¹		
Total households	14,180	100.0
Less than \$15,000	1,023	7.2
\$15,000 to 19,999	486	3.4
\$20,000 to 24,999	539	3.8
\$25,000 to 49,999	2,815	19.9
\$50,000 to 74,999	3,229	22.8
\$75,000 to 99,999	2,369	16.7
\$100,000 or more	3,719	26.2
Mean household income (dollars)	79,476	(X)
Median household income (dollars)	67,292	(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	2.01	14,180	560	3,840	6,255	2,395	1,125
Row percent	(X)	100.0	3.9	27.1	44.1	16.9	7.9
Column percent	(X)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1-person household	1.08	3,100	360	2,260	375	75	30
Row percent	(X)	100.0	11.6	72.9	12.1	2.4	1.0
Column percent	(X)	21.9	64.3	58.9	6.0	3.1	2.7
2-person household	1.93	4,715	130	995	2,850	625	110
Row percent	(X)	100.0	2.8	21.1	60.4	13.3	2.3
Column percent	(X)	33.3	23.2	25.9	45.6	26.1	9.8
3-person household	2.35	2,475	40	295	1,110	840	185
Row percent	(X)	100.0	1.6	11.9	44.8	33.9	7.5
Column percent	(X)	17.5	7.1	7.7	17.7	35.1	16.4
4-or-more-person household	2.64	3,895	25	290	1,920	860	800
Row percent	(X)	100.0	0.6	7.4	49.3	22.1	20.5
Column percent	(X)	27.5	4.5	7.6	30.7	35.9	71.1

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	24.8	19,510	2,450	6,135	5,160	2,985	2,785
Row percent	(X)	100.0	12.6	31.4	26.4	15.3	14.3
Column percent	(X)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Drove alone	24.0	17,460	2,110	5,560	4,720	2,745	2,325
Row percent	(X)	100.0	12.1	31.8	27.0	15.7	13.3
Column percent	(X)	89.5	86.1	90.6	91.5	92.0	83.5
Carpooled	25.2	1,485	210	465	415	170	225
Row percent	(X)	100.0	14.1	31.3	27.9	11.4	15.2
Column percent	(X)	7.6	8.6	7.6	8.0	5.7	8.1
Public transportation (including taxicab)	73.2	310	15	30	10	35	220
Row percent	(X)	100.0	4.8	9.7	3.2	11.3	71.0
Column percent	(X)	1.6	0.6	0.5	0.2	1.2	7.9
Bicycle or walked	10.7	210	115	55	15	25	0
Row percent	(X)	100.0	54.8	26.2	7.1	11.9	0.0
Column percent	(X)	1.1	4.7	0.9	0.3	0.8	0.0
Motorcycle or other means	67.6	45	0	20	0	4	20
Row percent	(X)	100.0	0.0	44.4	0.0	8.9	44.4
Column percent	(X)	0.2	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.7

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