



CENSUS TRANSPORTATION PLANNING PACKAGE (CTPP 2000)

Table 1. Profile of Selected 1990 and 2000 Characteristics

Geographic Area: Chester town, Middlesex County, Connecticut

Subject	1990 Census		Census 2000		Change 1990 to 2000	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
POPULATION						
Total population	3,422	100.0	3,743	100.0	321	9.4
In households	3,270	95.6	3,589	95.9	319	9.8
In group quarters	152	4.4	154	4.1	2	1.3
HOUSEHOLD SIZE						
Total households	1,310	100.0	1,501	100.0	191	14.6
1-person household	313	23.9	427	28.4	114	36.4
2-person household	459	35.0	534	35.6	75	16.3
3-person household	261	19.9	223	14.9	-38	-14.6
4-person household	176	13.4	211	14.1	35	19.9
5-or-more-person household	101	7.7	106	7.1	5	5.0
Mean number of persons per household	2.50	(X)	2.39	(X)	-0.11	(X)
VEHICLES AVAILABLE¹						
Total households	1,310	100.0	1,501	100.0	191	14.6
No vehicle available	50	3.8	65	4.3	15	30.0
1 vehicle available	376	28.7	431	28.7	55	14.6
2 vehicles available	595	45.4	627	41.8	32	5.4
3 vehicles available	223	17.0	259	17.3	36	16.1
4 vehicles available	46	3.5	101	6.7	55	119.6
5 or more vehicles available	20	1.5	18	1.2	-2	-10.0
Mean vehicles per household	1.92	(X)	1.97	(X)	0.05	(X)
WORKERS BY SEX¹						
Workers 16 years and over	1,753	100.0	2,010	100.0	257	14.7
Male	934	53.3	1,060	52.7	126	13.5
Female	819	46.7	950	47.3	131	16.0
MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK						
Workers 16 years and over	1,753	100.0	2,010	100.0	257	14.7
Drove alone	1,461	83.3	1,698	84.5	237	16.2
Carpooled	153	8.7	132	6.6	-21	-13.7
Public transportation (including taxicab)	11	0.6	19	0.9	8	72.7
Bicycle or walked	66	3.8	50	2.5	-16	-24.2
Worked at home	62	3.5	111	5.5	49	79.0
TRAVEL TIME TO WORK						
Workers who did not work at home	1,691	100.0	1,899	100.0	208	12.3
Less than 5 minutes	142	8.4	150	7.9	8	5.6
5 to 9 minutes	268	15.8	218	11.5	-50	-18.7
10 to 14 minutes	274	16.2	315	16.6	41	15.0
15 to 19 minutes	261	15.4	295	15.5	34	13.0
20 to 29 minutes	338	20.0	333	17.5	-5	-1.5
30 to 44 minutes	239	14.1	370	19.5	131	54.8
45 or more minutes	169	10.0	218	11.5	49	29.0
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	19.5	(X)	23.5	(X)	4.1	(X)
TIME LEAVING HOME TO GO TO WORK						
Workers who did not work at home	1,691	100.0	1,899	100.0	208	12.3
5:00 a.m. to 6:59 a.m.	404	23.9	494	26.0	90	22.3
7:00 a.m. to 7:59 a.m.	537	31.8	617	32.5	80	14.9
8:00 a.m. to 8:59 a.m.	374	22.1	439	23.1	65	17.4
9:00 a.m. to 9:59 a.m.	115	6.8	97	5.1	-18	-15.7
10:00 a.m. to 11:59 a.m.	57	3.4	42	2.2	-15	-26.3
12:00 p.m. to 11:59 p.m.	199	11.8	205	10.8	6	3.0
12:00 a.m. to 4:59 a.m.	5	0.3	5	0.3	0	0.0

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(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: Chester town, Middlesex County, Connecticut

Subject	Census 2000	
	Number	Percent
POPULATION BY AGE		
Total population	3,743	100.0
Under 16 years	747	20.0
16 to 20 years	152	4.1
21 to 24 years	84	2.2
25 to 44 years	1,137	30.4
45 to 64 years	978	26.1
65 years and over	645	17.2
Mean age (years)	40.7	(X)
HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999¹		
Total households	1,501	100.0
Less than \$15,000	94	6.3
\$15,000 to 19,999	69	4.6
\$20,000 to 24,999	79	5.3
\$25,000 to 49,999	344	22.9
\$50,000 to 74,999	293	19.5
\$75,000 to 99,999	218	14.5
\$100,000 or more	404	26.9
Mean household income (dollars)	79,285	(X)
Median household income (dollars)	65,156	(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	1.97	1,500	65	430	625	260	120
Row percent	(X)	100.0	4.3	28.7	41.7	17.3	8.0
Column percent	(X)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1-person household	1.20	425	20	325	75	0	10
Row percent	(X)	100.0	4.7	76.5	17.6	0.0	2.4
Column percent	(X)	28.3	30.8	75.6	12.0	0.0	8.3
2-person household	1.99	535	40	85	275	105	25
Row percent	(X)	100.0	7.5	15.9	51.4	19.6	4.7
Column percent	(X)	35.7	61.5	19.8	44.0	40.4	20.8
3-person household	2.63	225	0	10	105	75	35
Row percent	(X)	100.0	0.0	4.4	46.7	33.3	15.6
Column percent	(X)	15.0	0.0	2.3	16.8	28.8	29.2
4-or-more-person household	2.53	315	4	10	175	80	50
Row percent	(X)	100.0	1.3	3.2	55.6	25.4	15.9
Column percent	(X)	21.0	6.2	2.3	28.0	30.8	41.7

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	23.5	1,900	370	610	335	370	220
Row percent	(X)	100.0	19.5	32.1	17.6	19.5	11.6
Column percent	(X)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Drove alone	23.3	1,700	315	545	285	360	195
Row percent	(X)	100.0	18.5	32.1	16.8	21.2	11.5
Column percent	(X)	89.5	85.1	89.3	85.1	97.3	88.6
Carpooled	23.6	130	15	45	45	10	15
Row percent	(X)	100.0	11.5	34.6	34.6	7.7	11.5
Column percent	(X)	6.8	4.1	7.4	13.4	2.7	6.8
Public transportation (including taxicab)	91.6	20	0	10	0	0	10
Row percent	(X)	100.0	0.0	50.0	0.0	0.0	50.0
Column percent	(X)	1.1	0.0	1.6	0.0	0.0	4.5
Bicycle or walked	4.0	50	40	10	0	0	0
Row percent	(X)	100.0	80.0	20.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Column percent	(X)	2.6	10.8	1.6	0.0	0.0	0.0

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