



CENSUS TRANSPORTATION PLANNING PACKAGE (CTPP 2000)

Table 1. Profile of Selected 1990 and 2000 Characteristics

Geographic Area: Benton town, Kennebec County, Maine

Subject	1990 Census		Census 2000		Change 1990 to 2000	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
POPULATION						
Total population	2,312	100.0	2,557	100.0	245	10.6
In households	2,312	100.0	2,557	100.0	245	10.6
HOUSEHOLD SIZE						
Total households	854	100.0	1,023	100.0	169	19.8
1-person household	137	16.0	200	19.6	63	46.0
2-person household	323	37.8	402	39.3	79	24.5
3-person household	161	18.9	200	19.6	39	24.2
4-person household	164	19.2	150	14.7	-14	-8.5
5-or-more-person household	69	8.1	71	6.9	2	2.9
Mean number of persons per household	2.71	(X)	2.50	(X)	-0.21	(X)
VEHICLES AVAILABLE¹						
Total households	854	100.0	1,023	100.0	169	19.8
No vehicle available	37	4.3	55	5.4	18	48.6
1 vehicle available	249	29.2	308	30.1	59	23.7
2 vehicles available	397	46.5	417	40.8	20	5.0
3 vehicles available	115	13.5	180	17.6	65	56.5
4 vehicles available	35	4.1	56	5.5	21	60.0
5 or more vehicles available	21	2.5	7	0.7	-14	-66.7
Mean vehicles per household	1.92	(X)	1.90	(X)	-0.02	(X)
WORKERS BY SEX¹						
Workers 16 years and over	1,146	100.0	1,190	100.0	44	3.8
Male	605	52.8	625	52.5	20	3.3
Female	541	47.2	565	47.5	24	4.4
MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK						
Workers 16 years and over	1,146	100.0	1,192	100.0	46	4.0
Drove alone	911	79.5	1,032	86.6	121	13.3
Carpooled	163	14.2	71	6.0	-92	-56.4
Public transportation (including taxicab)	8	0.7	15	1.3	7	87.5
Bicycle or walked	9	0.8	48	4.0	39	433.3
Motorcycle or other means	9	0.8	7	0.6	-2	-22.2
Worked at home	46	4.0	19	1.6	-27	-58.7
TRAVEL TIME TO WORK						
Workers who did not work at home	1,100	100.0	1,173	100.0	73	6.6
Less than 5 minutes	33	3.0	57	4.9	24	72.7
5 to 9 minutes	139	12.6	150	12.8	11	7.9
10 to 14 minutes	254	23.1	214	18.2	-40	-15.7
15 to 19 minutes	262	23.8	290	24.7	28	10.7
20 to 29 minutes	217	19.7	206	17.6	-11	-5.1
30 to 44 minutes	109	9.9	156	13.3	47	43.1
45 or more minutes	86	7.8	100	8.5	14	16.3
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	19.0	(X)	21.7	(X)	2.7	(X)
TIME LEAVING HOME TO GO TO WORK						
Workers who did not work at home	1,100	100.0	1,173	100.0	73	6.6
5:00 a.m. to 6:59 a.m.	441	40.1	371	31.6	-70	-15.9
7:00 a.m. to 7:59 a.m.	259	23.5	311	26.5	52	20.1
8:00 a.m. to 8:59 a.m.	135	12.3	117	10.0	-18	-13.3
9:00 a.m. to 9:59 a.m.	26	2.4	39	3.3	13	50.0
10:00 a.m. to 11:59 a.m.	27	2.5	95	8.1	68	251.9
12:00 p.m. to 11:59 p.m.	168	15.3	120	10.2	-48	-28.6
12:00 a.m. to 4:59 a.m.	44	4.0	120	10.2	76	172.7

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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: Benton town, Kennebec County, Maine

Subject	Census 2000	
	Number	Percent
POPULATION BY AGE		
Total population	2,557	100.0
Under 16 years	609	23.8
16 to 20 years	88	3.4
21 to 24 years	90	3.5
25 to 44 years	797	31.2
45 to 64 years	672	26.3
65 years and over	301	11.8
Mean age (years)	36.7	(X)
HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999¹		
Total households	1,023	100.0
Less than \$15,000	171	16.7
\$15,000 to 19,999	91	8.9
\$20,000 to 24,999	80	7.8
\$25,000 to 49,999	335	32.7
\$50,000 to 74,999	164	16.0
\$75,000 to 99,999	129	12.6
\$100,000 or more	53	5.2
Mean household income (dollars)	45,320	(X)
Median household income (dollars)	38,613	(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	1.90	1,025	55	310	415	180	65
Row percent	(X)	100.0	5.4	30.2	40.5	17.6	6.3
Column percent	(X)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1-person household	1.10	200	35	125	25	15	0
Row percent	(X)	100.0	17.5	62.5	12.5	7.5	0.0
Column percent	(X)	19.5	63.6	40.3	6.0	8.3	0.0
2-person household	2.03	400	15	95	195	70	30
Row percent	(X)	100.0	3.8	23.8	48.8	17.5	7.5
Column percent	(X)	39.0	27.3	30.6	47.0	38.9	46.2
3-person household	2.22	200	4	45	85	40	25
Row percent	(X)	100.0	2.0	22.5	42.5	20.0	12.5
Column percent	(X)	19.5	7.3	14.5	20.5	22.2	38.5
4-or-more-person household	2.12	220	0	45	115	55	10
Row percent	(X)	100.0	0.0	20.5	52.3	25.0	4.5
Column percent	(X)	21.5	0.0	14.5	27.7	30.6	15.4

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	21.7	1,175	205	505	205	155	100
Row percent	(X)	100.0	17.4	43.0	17.4	13.2	8.5
Column percent	(X)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Drove alone	18.3	1,030	165	485	185	140	55
Row percent	(X)	100.0	16.0	47.1	18.0	13.6	5.3
Column percent	(X)	87.7	80.5	96.0	90.2	90.3	55.0
Carpooled	81.5	70	0	15	4	10	45
Row percent	(X)	100.0	0.0	21.4	5.7	14.3	64.3
Column percent	(X)	6.0	0.0	3.0	2.0	6.5	45.0
Public transportation (including taxicab)	26.7	15	0	0	10	4	0
Row percent	(X)	100.0	0.0	0.0	66.7	26.7	0.0
Column percent	(X)	1.3	0.0	0.0	4.9	2.6	0.0
Bicycle or walked	4.5	50	40	0	4	0	0
Row percent	(X)	100.0	80.0	0.0	8.0	0.0	0.0
Column percent	(X)	4.3	19.5	0.0	2.0	0.0	0.0
Motorcycle or other means	15.0	4	0	4	0	0	0
Row percent	(X)	100.0	0.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Column percent	(X)	0.3	0.0	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0

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