



CENSUS TRANSPORTATION PLANNING PACKAGE (CTPP 2000)

Table 1. Profile of Selected 1990 and 2000 Characteristics

Geographic Area: Kent County, Michigan

Subject	1990 Census		Census 2000		Change 1990 to 2000	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
POPULATION						
Total population	500,631	100.0	574,335	100.0	73,704	14.7
In households	488,524	97.6	561,551	97.8	73,027	14.9
In group quarters	12,107	2.4	12,784	2.2	677	5.6
HOUSEHOLD SIZE						
Total households	182,318	100.0	213,124	100.0	30,806	16.9
1-person household	41,541	22.8	54,400	25.5	12,859	31.0
2-person household	57,723	31.7	67,061	31.5	9,338	16.2
3-person household	30,932	17.0	33,307	15.6	2,375	7.7
4-person household	29,763	16.3	31,913	15.0	2,150	7.2
5-or-more-person household	22,359	12.3	26,443	12.4	4,084	18.3
Mean number of persons per household	2.68	(X)	2.63	(X)	-0.04	(X)
VEHICLES AVAILABLE¹						
Total households	182,318	100.0	213,124	100.0	30,806	16.9
No vehicle available	14,215	7.8	14,873	7.0	658	4.6
1 vehicle available	59,390	32.6	71,563	33.6	12,173	20.5
2 vehicles available	77,856	42.7	90,764	42.6	12,908	16.6
3 vehicles available	22,618	12.4	25,736	12.1	3,118	13.8
4 vehicles available	6,096	3.3	7,335	3.4	1,239	20.3
5 or more vehicles available	2,143	1.2	2,853	1.3	710	33.1
Mean vehicles per household	1.75	(X)	1.76	(X)	0.01	(X)
WORKERS BY SEX¹						
Workers 16 years and over	242,899	100.0	284,235	100.0	41,336	17.0
Male	131,067	54.0	152,510	53.7	21,443	16.4
Female	111,832	46.0	131,725	46.3	19,893	17.8
MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK						
Workers 16 years and over	242,899	100.0	284,236	100.0	41,337	17.0
Drove alone	200,016	82.3	236,947	83.4	36,931	18.5
Carpooled	24,790	10.2	27,040	9.5	2,250	9.1
Public transportation (including taxicab)	3,605	1.5	3,260	1.1	-345	-9.6
Bicycle or walked	6,710	2.8	6,614	2.3	-96	-1.4
Motorcycle or other means	1,251	0.5	1,873	0.7	622	49.7
Worked at home	6,527	2.7	8,502	3.0	1,975	30.3
TRAVEL TIME TO WORK						
Workers who did not work at home	236,372	100.0	275,734	100.0	39,362	16.7
Less than 5 minutes	8,379	3.5	8,941	3.2	562	6.7
5 to 9 minutes	31,255	13.2	31,777	11.5	522	1.7
10 to 14 minutes	47,531	20.1	49,714	18.0	2,183	4.6
15 to 19 minutes	52,346	22.1	55,365	20.1	3,019	5.8
20 to 29 minutes	57,617	24.4	70,802	25.7	13,185	22.9
30 to 44 minutes	26,889	11.4	40,281	14.6	13,392	49.8
45 or more minutes	12,355	5.2	18,854	6.8	6,499	52.6
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	18.3	(X)	20.7	(X)	2.5	(X)
TIME LEAVING HOME TO GO TO WORK						
Workers who did not work at home	236,372	100.0	275,734	100.0	39,362	16.7
5:00 a.m. to 6:59 a.m.	62,001	26.2	67,440	24.5	5,439	8.8
7:00 a.m. to 7:59 a.m.	70,896	30.0	84,316	30.6	13,420	18.9
8:00 a.m. to 8:59 a.m.	38,686	16.4	42,643	15.5	3,957	10.2
9:00 a.m. to 9:59 a.m.	10,482	4.4	12,391	4.5	1,909	18.2
10:00 a.m. to 11:59 a.m.	6,606	2.8	8,205	3.0	1,599	24.2
12:00 p.m. to 11:59 p.m.	42,805	18.1	51,194	18.6	8,389	19.6
12:00 a.m. to 4:59 a.m.	4,896	2.1	9,545	3.5	4,649	95.0

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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: Kent County, Michigan

Subject	Census 2000	
	Number	Percent
POPULATION BY AGE		
Total population	574,335	100.0
Under 16 years	144,762	25.2
16 to 20 years	43,799	7.6
21 to 24 years	33,899	5.9
25 to 44 years	179,200	31.2
45 to 64 years	112,886	19.7
65 years and over	59,789	10.4
Mean age (years)	33.6	(X)
HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999¹		
Total households	213,124	100.0
Less than \$15,000	24,854	11.7
\$15,000 to 19,999	12,299	5.8
\$20,000 to 24,999	13,591	6.4
\$25,000 to 49,999	65,169	30.6
\$50,000 to 74,999	48,092	22.6
\$75,000 to 99,999	24,731	11.6
\$100,000 or more	24,388	11.4
Mean household income (dollars)	57,512	(X)
Median household income (dollars)	45,980	(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	1.76	213,125	14,875	71,565	90,765	25,735	10,190
Row percent	(X)	100.0	7.0	33.6	42.6	12.1	4.8
Column percent	(X)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1-person household	1.00	54,400	8,870	38,585	5,715	770	460
Row percent	(X)	100.0	16.3	70.9	10.5	1.4	0.8
Column percent	(X)	25.5	59.6	53.9	6.3	3.0	4.5
2-person household	1.80	67,060	2,755	17,275	39,685	5,875	1,475
Row percent	(X)	100.0	4.1	25.8	59.2	8.8	2.2
Column percent	(X)	31.5	18.5	24.1	43.7	22.8	14.5
3-person household	2.06	33,305	1,410	7,125	15,015	7,960	1,800
Row percent	(X)	100.0	4.2	21.4	45.1	23.9	5.4
Column percent	(X)	15.6	9.5	10.0	16.5	30.9	17.7
4-or-more-person household	2.24	58,355	1,835	8,585	30,350	11,130	6,455
Row percent	(X)	100.0	3.1	14.7	52.0	19.1	11.1
Column percent	(X)	27.4	12.3	12.0	33.4	43.2	63.3

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	20.7	275,735	40,720	105,080	70,800	40,280	18,855
Row percent	(X)	100.0	14.8	38.1	25.7	14.6	6.8
Column percent	(X)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Drove alone	20.4	236,945	33,100	92,670	62,745	33,855	14,575
Row percent	(X)	100.0	14.0	39.1	26.5	14.3	6.2
Column percent	(X)	85.9	81.3	88.2	88.6	84.0	77.3
Carpooled	23.1	27,040	3,730	9,320	6,545	4,815	2,635
Row percent	(X)	100.0	13.8	34.5	24.2	17.8	9.7
Column percent	(X)	9.8	9.2	8.9	9.2	12.0	14.0
Public transportation (including taxicab)	32.4	3,260	105	675	660	880	940
Row percent	(X)	100.0	3.2	20.7	20.2	27.0	28.8
Column percent	(X)	1.2	0.3	0.6	0.9	2.2	5.0
Bicycle or walked	12.3	6,615	3,485	1,875	545	440	270
Row percent	(X)	100.0	52.7	28.3	8.2	6.7	4.1
Column percent	(X)	2.4	8.6	1.8	0.8	1.1	1.4
Motorcycle or other means	36.3	1,875	300	545	310	290	430
Row percent	(X)	100.0	16.0	29.1	16.5	15.5	22.9
Column percent	(X)	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.7	2.3

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