



## CENSUS TRANSPORTATION PLANNING PACKAGE (CTPP 2000)

**Table 1. Profile of Selected 1990 and 2000 Characteristics**

**Geographic Area: Mecosta County, Michigan**

Subject	1990 Census		Census 2000		Change 1990 to 2000	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>POPULATION</b>						
<b>Total population</b> .....	37,308	100.0	40,553	100.0	3,245	8.7
In households .....	32,674	87.6	37,167	91.7	4,493	13.8
In group quarters .....	4,634	12.4	3,386	8.3	-1,248	-26.9
<b>HOUSEHOLD SIZE</b>						
<b>Total households</b> .....	12,365	100.0	14,898	100.0	2,533	20.5
1-person household .....	2,555	20.7	3,648	24.5	1,093	42.8
2-person household .....	4,405	35.6	5,779	38.8	1,374	31.2
3-person household .....	2,042	16.5	2,141	14.4	99	4.8
4-person household .....	1,977	16.0	1,895	12.7	-82	-4.1
5-or-more-person household .....	1,386	11.2	1,435	9.6	49	3.5
Mean number of persons per household .....	2.64	(X)	2.49	(X)	-0.15	(X)
<b>VEHICLES AVAILABLE<sup>1</sup></b>						
<b>Total households</b> .....	12,365	100.0	14,898	100.0	2,533	20.5
No vehicle available .....	801	6.5	912	6.1	111	13.9
1 vehicle available .....	4,247	34.3	5,121	34.4	874	20.6
2 vehicles available .....	4,947	40.0	5,997	40.3	1,050	21.2
3 vehicles available .....	1,539	12.4	2,049	13.8	510	33.1
4 vehicles available .....	609	4.9	653	4.4	44	7.2
5 or more vehicles available .....	222	1.8	166	1.1	-56	-25.2
Mean vehicles per household .....	1.81	(X)	1.80	(X)	-0.01	(X)
<b>WORKERS BY SEX<sup>1</sup></b>						
<b>Workers 16 years and over</b> .....	14,677	100.0	17,070	100.0	2,393	16.3
Male .....	7,967	54.3	9,075	53.2	1,108	13.9
Female .....	6,710	45.7	7,995	46.8	1,285	19.2
<b>MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK</b>						
<b>Workers 16 years and over</b> .....	14,677	100.0	17,071	100.0	2,394	16.3
Drove alone .....	10,301	70.2	12,642	74.1	2,341	22.7
Carpooled .....	1,753	11.9	2,206	12.9	453	25.8
Public transportation (including taxicab) .....	54	0.4	159	0.9	105	194.4
Bicycle or walked .....	1,623	11.1	1,099	6.4	-524	-32.3
Motorcycle or other means .....	129	0.9	133	0.8	4	3.1
Worked at home .....	817	5.6	832	4.9	15	1.8
<b>TRAVEL TIME TO WORK</b>						
<b>Workers who did not work at home</b> .....	13,860	100.0	16,239	100.0	2,379	17.2
Less than 5 minutes .....	1,166	8.4	1,314	8.1	148	12.7
5 to 9 minutes .....	3,129	22.6	2,783	17.1	-346	-11.1
10 to 14 minutes .....	2,676	19.3	3,010	18.5	334	12.5
15 to 19 minutes .....	2,089	15.1	2,310	14.2	221	10.6
20 to 29 minutes .....	1,856	13.4	2,034	12.5	178	9.6
30 to 44 minutes .....	1,315	9.5	1,925	11.9	610	46.4
45 or more minutes .....	1,629	11.8	2,863	17.6	1,234	75.8
Mean travel time to work (minutes) .....	18.9	(X)	24.4	(X)	5.6	(X)
<b>TIME LEAVING HOME TO GO TO WORK</b>						
<b>Workers who did not work at home</b> .....	13,860	100.0	16,239	100.0	2,379	17.2
5:00 a.m. to 6:59 a.m. ....	2,873	20.7	3,824	23.5	951	33.1
7:00 a.m. to 7:59 a.m. ....	3,723	26.9	4,707	29.0	984	26.4
8:00 a.m. to 8:59 a.m. ....	2,205	15.9	2,156	13.3	-49	-2.2
9:00 a.m. to 9:59 a.m. ....	757	5.5	808	5.0	51	6.7
10:00 a.m. to 11:59 a.m. ....	722	5.2	590	3.6	-132	-18.3
12:00 p.m. to 11:59 p.m. ....	3,112	22.5	3,352	20.6	240	7.7
12:00 a.m. to 4:59 a.m. ....	468	3.4	802	4.9	334	71.4

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 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: Mecosta County, Michigan

Subject	Census 2000	
	Number	Percent
<b>POPULATION BY AGE</b>		
<b>Total population</b> .....	40,553	100.0
Under 16 years .....	8,064	19.9
16 to 20 years .....	5,359	13.2
21 to 24 years .....	3,816	9.4
25 to 44 years .....	9,330	23.0
45 to 64 years .....	8,664	21.4
65 years and over .....	5,320	13.1
Mean age (years) .....	35.4	(X)
<b>HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999<sup>1</sup></b>		
<b>Total households</b> .....	14,898	100.0
Less than \$15,000 .....	3,082	20.7
\$15,000 to 19,999 .....	1,191	8.0
\$20,000 to 24,999 .....	1,216	8.2
\$25,000 to 49,999 .....	4,883	32.8
\$50,000 to 74,999 .....	2,611	17.5
\$75,000 to 99,999 .....	996	6.7
\$100,000 or more .....	919	6.2
Mean household income (dollars) .....	43,167	(X)
Median household income (dollars) .....	33,849	(X)

### Household Size by Vehicles Available<sup>1</sup>

Household Size	Mean vehicles per household	Vehicles available					
		Total households	No vehicle	1 vehicle	2 vehicles	3 vehicles	4 or more vehicles
<b>Total households</b> .....	<b>1.80</b>	<b>14,900</b>	<b>910</b>	<b>5,120</b>	<b>5,995</b>	<b>2,050</b>	<b>820</b>
Row percent .....	(X)	100.0	6.1	34.4	40.2	13.8	5.5
Column percent .....	(X)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
<b>1-person household</b> .....	<b>1.05</b>	<b>3,650</b>	<b>545</b>	<b>2,545</b>	<b>465</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>40</b>
Row percent .....	(X)	100.0	14.9	69.7	12.7	1.5	1.1
Column percent .....	(X)	24.5	59.9	49.7	7.8	2.7	4.9
<b>2-person household</b> .....	<b>1.84</b>	<b>5,780</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>1,565</b>	<b>3,230</b>	<b>660</b>	<b>145</b>
Row percent .....	(X)	100.0	3.0	27.1	55.9	11.4	2.5
Column percent .....	(X)	38.8	19.2	30.6	53.9	32.2	17.7
<b>3-person household</b> .....	<b>2.14</b>	<b>2,140</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>485</b>	<b>800</b>	<b>620</b>	<b>145</b>
Row percent .....	(X)	100.0	4.2	22.7	37.4	29.0	6.8
Column percent .....	(X)	14.4	9.9	9.5	13.3	30.2	17.7
<b>4-or-more-person household</b> .....	<b>2.33</b>	<b>3,330</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>525</b>	<b>1,500</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>485</b>
Row percent .....	(X)	100.0	3.2	15.8	45.0	21.5	14.6
Column percent .....	(X)	22.3	11.5	10.3	25.0	34.9	59.1

### Means of Transportation to Work by Travel Time to Work<sup>1</sup>

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
<b>Workers who did not work at home</b> .....	<b>24.4</b>	<b>16,240</b>	<b>4,095</b>	<b>5,320</b>	<b>2,035</b>	<b>1,925</b>	<b>2,865</b>
Row percent .....	(X)	100.0	25.2	32.8	12.5	11.9	17.6
Column percent .....	(X)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
<b>Drove alone</b> .....	<b>24.1</b>	<b>12,640</b>	<b>3,015</b>	<b>4,275</b>	<b>1,640</b>	<b>1,590</b>	<b>2,120</b>
Row percent .....	(X)	100.0	23.9	33.8	13.0	12.6	16.8
Column percent .....	(X)	77.8	73.6	80.4	80.6	82.6	74.0
<b>Carpooled</b> .....	<b>33.4</b>	<b>2,205</b>	<b>305</b>	<b>670</b>	<b>310</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>645</b>
Row percent .....	(X)	100.0	13.8	30.4	14.1	12.7	29.3
Column percent .....	(X)	13.6	7.4	12.6	15.2	14.5	22.5
<b>Public transportation (including taxicab)</b> .....	<b>33.5</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>45</b>
Row percent .....	(X)	100.0	6.2	34.4	2.5	28.1	28.1
Column percent .....	(X)	1.0	0.2	1.0	0.2	2.3	1.6
<b>Bicycle or walked</b> .....	<b>8.0</b>	<b>1,100</b>	<b>740</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>20</b>
Row percent .....	(X)	100.0	67.3	25.5	5.0	0.4	1.8
Column percent .....	(X)	6.8	18.1	5.3	2.7	0.2	0.7
<b>Motorcycle or other means</b> .....	<b>30.9</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>35</b>
Row percent .....	(X)	100.0	22.2	29.6	18.5	3.0	25.9
Column percent .....	(X)	0.8	0.7	0.8	1.2	0.2	1.2

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