



CENSUS TRANSPORTATION PLANNING PACKAGE (CTPP 2000)

Table 1. Profile of Selected 1990 and 2000 Characteristics

Geographic Area: Catawba County, North Carolina

Subject	1990 Census		Census 2000		Change 1990 to 2000	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
POPULATION						
Total population	118,412	100.0	141,685	100.0	23,273	19.7
In households	116,379	98.3	139,545	98.5	23,166	19.9
In group quarters	2,033	1.7	2,140	1.5	107	5.3
HOUSEHOLD SIZE						
Total households	45,774	100.0	55,540	100.0	9,766	21.3
1-person household	10,243	22.4	13,696	24.7	3,453	33.7
2-person household	15,587	34.1	19,381	34.9	3,794	24.3
3-person household	9,215	20.1	9,987	18.0	772	8.4
4-person household	7,312	16.0	7,805	14.1	493	6.7
5-or-more-person household	3,417	7.5	4,671	8.4	1,254	36.7
Mean number of persons per household	2.54	(X)	2.51	(X)	-0.03	(X)
VEHICLES AVAILABLE¹						
Total households	45,774	100.0	55,540	100.0	9,766	21.3
No vehicle available	2,798	6.1	3,137	5.6	339	12.1
1 vehicle available	13,378	29.2	16,700	30.1	3,322	24.8
2 vehicles available	18,264	39.9	22,375	40.3	4,111	22.5
3 vehicles available	7,995	17.5	9,506	17.1	1,511	18.9
4 vehicles available	2,379	5.2	2,720	4.9	341	14.3
5 or more vehicles available	960	2.1	1,102	2.0	142	14.8
Mean vehicles per household	1.93	(X)	1.92	(X)	-0.01	(X)
WORKERS BY SEX¹						
Workers 16 years and over	65,744	100.0	73,985	100.0	8,241	12.5
Male	34,824	53.0	40,060	54.1	5,236	15.0
Female	30,920	47.0	33,925	45.9	3,005	9.7
MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK						
Workers 16 years and over	65,744	100.0	73,984	100.0	8,240	12.5
Drove alone	52,455	79.8	60,374	81.6	7,919	15.1
Carpooled	10,278	15.6	10,669	14.4	391	3.8
Public transportation (including taxicab)	180	0.3	210	0.3	30	16.7
Bicycle or walked	1,499	2.3	859	1.2	-640	-42.7
Motorcycle or other means	472	0.7	600	0.8	128	27.1
Worked at home	860	1.3	1,272	1.7	412	47.9
TRAVEL TIME TO WORK						
Workers who did not work at home	64,884	100.0	72,712	100.0	7,828	12.1
Less than 5 minutes	2,409	3.7	1,933	2.7	-476	-19.8
5 to 9 minutes	9,656	14.9	8,165	11.2	-1,491	-15.4
10 to 14 minutes	13,998	21.6	14,368	19.8	370	2.6
15 to 19 minutes	15,442	23.8	16,583	22.8	1,141	7.4
20 to 29 minutes	13,419	20.7	17,392	23.9	3,973	29.6
30 to 44 minutes	6,668	10.3	8,681	11.9	2,013	30.2
45 or more minutes	3,292	5.1	5,590	7.7	2,298	69.8
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	17.4	(X)	20.7	(X)	3.3	(X)
TIME LEAVING HOME TO GO TO WORK						
Workers who did not work at home	64,884	100.0	72,712	100.0	7,828	12.1
5:00 a.m. to 6:59 a.m.	25,509	39.3	26,330	36.2	821	3.2
7:00 a.m. to 7:59 a.m.	17,334	26.7	21,351	29.4	4,017	23.2
8:00 a.m. to 8:59 a.m.	8,650	13.3	9,047	12.4	397	4.6
9:00 a.m. to 9:59 a.m.	2,194	3.4	2,685	3.7	491	22.4
10:00 a.m. to 11:59 a.m.	1,284	2.0	1,530	2.1	246	19.2
12:00 p.m. to 11:59 p.m.	8,612	13.3	10,141	13.9	1,529	17.8
12:00 a.m. to 4:59 a.m.	1,301	2.0	1,628	2.2	327	25.1

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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: Catawba County, North Carolina

Subject	Census 2000	
	Number	Percent
POPULATION BY AGE		
Total population	141,685	100.0
Under 16 years	30,897	21.8
16 to 20 years	8,755	6.2
21 to 24 years	7,286	5.1
25 to 44 years	43,936	31.0
45 to 64 years	33,508	23.6
65 years and over	17,303	12.2
Mean age (years)	36.3	(X)
HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999¹		
Total households	55,540	100.0
Less than \$15,000	7,498	13.5
\$15,000 to 19,999	3,567	6.4
\$20,000 to 24,999	3,819	6.9
\$25,000 to 49,999	19,189	34.5
\$50,000 to 74,999	12,170	21.9
\$75,000 to 99,999	4,714	8.5
\$100,000 or more	4,583	8.3
Mean household income (dollars)	51,421	(X)
Median household income (dollars)	40,536	(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	1.92	55,540	3,135	16,700	22,375	9,505	3,820
Row percent	(X)	100.0	5.6	30.1	40.3	17.1	6.9
Column percent	(X)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1-person household	1.14	13,695	1,845	8,875	2,410	460	105
Row percent	(X)	100.0	13.5	64.8	17.6	3.4	0.8
Column percent	(X)	24.7	58.9	53.1	10.8	4.8	2.7
2-person household	2.01	19,380	630	4,170	10,165	3,425	995
Row percent	(X)	100.0	3.3	21.5	52.5	17.7	5.1
Column percent	(X)	34.9	20.1	25.0	45.4	36.0	26.0
3-person household	2.25	9,985	345	1,720	4,275	2,720	925
Row percent	(X)	100.0	3.5	17.2	42.8	27.2	9.3
Column percent	(X)	18.0	11.0	10.3	19.1	28.6	24.2
4-or-more-person household	2.38	12,475	320	1,930	5,525	2,905	1,795
Row percent	(X)	100.0	2.6	15.5	44.3	23.3	14.4
Column percent	(X)	22.5	10.2	11.6	24.7	30.6	47.0

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	72,710	10,100	30,950	17,390	8,680	5,990
Row percent	(X)	100.0	13.9	42.6	23.9	11.9	7.7
Column percent	(X)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Drove alone	20.3	60,375	8,410	26,005	14,530	7,005	4,425
Row percent	(X)	100.0	13.9	43.1	24.1	11.6	7.3
Column percent	(X)	83.0	83.3	84.0	83.6	80.7	79.2
Carpooled	22.3	10,670	990	4,440	2,670	1,595	975
Row percent	(X)	100.0	9.3	41.6	25.0	14.9	9.1
Column percent	(X)	14.7	9.8	14.3	15.4	18.4	17.4
Public transportation (including taxicab)	34.6	210	25	55	65	0	65
Row percent	(X)	100.0	11.9	26.2	31.0	0.0	31.0
Column percent	(X)	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.0	1.2
Bicycle or walked	11.7	860	540	215	25	35	45
Row percent	(X)	100.0	62.8	25.0	2.9	4.1	5.2
Column percent	(X)	1.2	5.3	0.7	0.1	0.4	0.8
Motorcycle or other means	32.2	600	140	235	100	45	80
Row percent	(X)	100.0	23.3	39.2	16.7	7.5	13.3
Column percent	(X)	0.8	1.4	0.8	0.6	0.5	1.4

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