



CENSUS TRANSPORTATION PLANNING PACKAGE (CTPP 2000)

Table 1. Profile of Selected 1990 and 2000 Characteristics

Geographic Area: Macon County, North Carolina

Subject	1990 Census		Census 2000		Change 1990 to 2000	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
POPULATION						
Total population	23,499	100.0	29,811	100.0	6,312	26.9
In households	22,991	97.8	29,278	98.2	6,287	27.3
In group quarters	508	2.2	533	1.8	25	4.9
HOUSEHOLD SIZE						
Total households	9,843	100.0	12,855	100.0	3,012	30.6
1-person household	2,368	24.1	3,450	26.8	1,082	45.7
2-person household	4,086	41.5	5,380	41.9	1,294	31.7
3-person household	1,662	16.9	1,953	15.2	291	17.5
4-person household	1,188	12.1	1,337	10.4	149	12.5
5-or-more-person household	539	5.5	735	5.7	196	36.4
Mean number of persons per household	2.34	(X)	2.28	(X)	-0.06	(X)
VEHICLES AVAILABLE¹						
Total households	9,843	100.0	12,855	100.0	3,012	30.6
No vehicle available	784	8.0	815	6.3	31	4.0
1 vehicle available	3,169	32.2	4,329	33.7	1,160	36.6
2 vehicles available	3,783	38.4	5,328	41.4	1,545	40.8
3 vehicles available	1,518	15.4	1,785	13.9	267	17.6
4 vehicles available	403	4.1	418	3.3	15	3.7
5 or more vehicles available	186	1.9	180	1.4	-6	-3.2
Mean vehicles per household	1.82	(X)	1.79	(X)	-0.03	(X)
WORKERS BY SEX¹						
Workers 16 years and over	9,923	100.0	12,575	100.0	2,652	26.7
Male	5,514	55.6	6,585	52.4	1,071	19.4
Female	4,409	44.4	5,990	47.6	1,581	35.9
MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK						
Workers 16 years and over	9,923	100.0	12,576	100.0	2,653	26.7
Drove alone	7,588	76.5	10,086	80.2	2,498	32.9
Carpooled	1,703	17.2	1,628	12.9	-75	-4.4
Public transportation (including taxicab)	20	0.2	29	0.2	9	45.0
Bicycle or walked	207	2.1	186	1.5	-21	-10.1
Motorcycle or other means	55	0.6	68	0.5	13	23.6
Worked at home	350	3.5	579	4.6	229	65.4
TRAVEL TIME TO WORK						
Workers who did not work at home	9,573	100.0	11,997	100.0	2,424	25.3
Less than 5 minutes	475	5.0	655	5.5	180	37.9
5 to 9 minutes	1,675	17.5	1,834	15.3	159	9.5
10 to 14 minutes	1,907	19.9	2,808	23.4	901	47.2
15 to 19 minutes	2,194	22.9	2,184	18.2	-10	-0.5
20 to 29 minutes	1,531	16.0	1,650	13.8	119	7.8
30 to 44 minutes	1,090	11.4	1,661	13.8	571	52.4
45 or more minutes	701	7.3	1,205	10.0	504	71.9
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	17.6	(X)	20.0	(X)	2.5	(X)
TIME LEAVING HOME TO GO TO WORK						
Workers who did not work at home	9,573	100.0	11,997	100.0	2,424	25.3
5:00 a.m. to 6:59 a.m.	1,941	20.3	2,477	20.6	536	27.6
7:00 a.m. to 7:59 a.m.	3,521	36.8	4,648	38.7	1,127	32.0
8:00 a.m. to 8:59 a.m.	1,970	20.6	2,152	17.9	182	9.2
9:00 a.m. to 9:59 a.m.	565	5.9	840	7.0	275	48.7
10:00 a.m. to 11:59 a.m.	202	2.1	384	3.2	182	90.1
12:00 p.m. to 11:59 p.m.	1,236	12.9	1,213	10.1	-23	-1.9
12:00 a.m. to 4:59 a.m.	138	1.4	283	2.4	145	105.1

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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: Macon County, North Carolina

Subject	Census 2000	
	Number	Percent
POPULATION BY AGE		
Total population	29,811	100.0
Under 16 years	5,270	17.7
16 to 20 years	1,699	5.7
21 to 24 years	934	3.1
25 to 44 years	6,968	23.4
45 to 64 years	8,258	27.7
65 years and over	6,682	22.4
Mean age (years)	43.2	(X)
HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999¹		
Total households	12,855	100.0
Less than \$15,000	2,655	20.7
\$15,000 to 19,999	1,274	9.9
\$20,000 to 24,999	1,059	8.2
\$25,000 to 49,999	4,546	35.4
\$50,000 to 74,999	1,907	14.8
\$75,000 to 99,999	684	5.3
\$100,000 or more	730	5.7
Mean household income (dollars)	42,712	(X)
Median household income (dollars)	32,139	(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	1.79	12,855	815	4,330	5,330	1,785	600
Row percent	(X)	100.0	6.3	33.7	41.5	13.9	4.7
Column percent	(X)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1-person household	1.08	3,450	600	2,170	555	100	25
Row percent	(X)	100.0	17.4	62.9	16.1	2.9	0.7
Column percent	(X)	26.8	73.6	50.1	10.4	5.6	4.2
2-person household	1.87	5,380	140	1,500	2,865	725	150
Row percent	(X)	100.0	2.6	27.9	53.3	13.5	2.8
Column percent	(X)	41.9	17.2	34.6	53.8	40.6	25.0
3-person household	2.25	1,955	10	355	960	440	185
Row percent	(X)	100.0	0.5	18.2	49.1	22.5	9.5
Column percent	(X)	15.2	1.2	8.2	18.0	24.6	30.8
4-or-more-person household	2.31	2,070	70	305	950	515	235
Row percent	(X)	100.0	3.4	14.7	45.9	24.9	11.4
Column percent	(X)	16.1	8.6	7.0	17.8	28.9	39.2

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	20.0	11,995	2,490	4,990	1,650	1,660	1,205
Row percent	(X)	100.0	20.8	41.6	13.8	13.8	10.0
Column percent	(X)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Drove alone	19.4	10,085	2,130	4,380	1,360	1,375	840
Row percent	(X)	100.0	21.1	43.4	13.5	13.6	8.3
Column percent	(X)	84.1	85.5	87.8	82.4	82.8	69.7
Carpooled	25.8	1,630	195	575	265	240	355
Row percent	(X)	100.0	12.0	35.3	16.3	14.7	21.8
Column percent	(X)	13.6	7.8	11.5	16.1	14.5	29.5
Public transportation (including taxicab)	25.2	30	0	0	15	15	0
Row percent	(X)	100.0	0.0	0.0	50.0	50.0	0.0
Column percent	(X)	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.9	0.0
Bicycle or walked	7.6	185	135	25	4	15	4
Row percent	(X)	100.0	73.0	13.5	2.2	8.1	2.2
Column percent	(X)	1.5	5.4	0.5	0.2	0.9	0.3
Motorcycle or other means	14.1	70	30	15	10	15	0
Row percent	(X)	100.0	42.9	21.4	14.3	21.4	0.0
Column percent	(X)	0.6	1.2	0.3	0.6	0.9	0.0

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