



CENSUS TRANSPORTATION PLANNING PACKAGE (CTPP 2000)

Table 1. Profile of Selected 1990 and 2000 Characteristics

Geographic Area: Union County, New Jersey

Subject	1990 Census		Census 2000		Change 1990 to 2000	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
POPULATION						
Total population	493,819	100.0	522,541	100.0	28,722	5.8
In households	487,223	98.7	514,735	98.5	27,512	5.6
In group quarters	6,596	1.3	7,806	1.5	1,210	18.3
HOUSEHOLD SIZE						
Total households	179,966	100.0	186,093	100.0	6,127	3.4
1-person household	41,070	22.8	43,846	23.6	2,776	6.8
2-person household	54,536	30.3	52,933	28.4	-1,603	-2.9
3-person household	33,612	18.7	33,390	17.9	-222	-0.7
4-person household	29,000	16.1	30,853	16.6	1,853	6.4
5-or-more-person household	21,748	12.1	25,071	13.5	3,323	15.3
Mean number of persons per household	2.71	(X)	2.77	(X)	0.06	(X)
VEHICLES AVAILABLE¹						
Total households	179,966	100.0	186,093	100.0	6,127	3.4
No vehicle available	21,537	12.0	23,455	12.6	1,918	8.9
1 vehicle available	62,488	34.7	65,314	35.1	2,826	4.5
2 vehicles available	67,108	37.3	69,463	37.3	2,355	3.5
3 vehicles available	20,069	11.2	20,280	10.9	211	1.1
4 vehicles available	6,482	3.6	5,726	3.1	-756	-11.7
5 or more vehicles available	2,282	1.3	1,855	1.0	-427	-18.7
Mean vehicles per household	1.64	(X)	1.60	(X)	-0.04	(X)
WORKERS BY SEX¹						
Workers 16 years and over	247,205	100.0	238,605	100.0	-8,600	-3.5
Male	133,362	53.9	126,370	53.0	-6,992	-5.2
Female	113,843	46.1	112,235	47.0	-1,608	-1.4
MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK						
Workers 16 years and over	247,205	100.0	238,606	100.0	-8,599	-3.5
Drove alone	178,839	72.3	169,325	71.0	-9,514	-5.3
Carpooled	31,007	12.5	27,686	11.6	-3,321	-10.7
Public transportation (including taxicab)	20,670	8.4	25,294	10.6	4,624	22.4
Bicycle or walked	10,278	4.2	8,460	3.5	-1,818	-17.7
Motorcycle or other means	1,755	0.7	2,149	0.9	394	22.5
Worked at home	4,656	1.9	5,692	2.4	1,036	22.3
TRAVEL TIME TO WORK						
Workers who did not work at home	242,549	100.0	232,914	100.0	-9,635	-4.0
Less than 5 minutes	6,096	2.5	5,766	2.5	-330	-5.4
5 to 9 minutes	26,905	11.1	21,148	9.1	-5,757	-21.4
10 to 14 minutes	37,425	15.4	31,290	13.4	-6,135	-16.4
15 to 19 minutes	37,925	15.6	33,957	14.6	-3,968	-10.5
20 to 29 minutes	49,252	20.3	43,938	18.9	-5,314	-10.8
30 to 44 minutes	48,207	19.9	48,834	21.0	627	1.3
45 or more minutes	36,739	15.1	47,981	20.6	11,242	30.6
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	24.3	(X)	28.7	(X)	4.4	(X)
TIME LEAVING HOME TO GO TO WORK						
Workers who did not work at home	242,549	100.0	232,914	100.0	-9,635	-4.0
5:00 a.m. to 6:59 a.m.	52,568	21.7	54,430	23.4	1,862	3.5
7:00 a.m. to 7:59 a.m.	80,919	33.4	72,099	31.0	-8,820	-10.9
8:00 a.m. to 8:59 a.m.	56,589	23.3	50,134	21.5	-6,455	-11.4
9:00 a.m. to 9:59 a.m.	13,919	5.7	14,364	6.2	445	3.2
10:00 a.m. to 11:59 a.m.	7,354	3.0	7,717	3.3	363	4.9
12:00 p.m. to 11:59 p.m.	27,338	11.3	28,618	12.3	1,280	4.7
12:00 a.m. to 4:59 a.m.	3,862	1.6	5,552	2.4	1,690	43.8

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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: Union County, New Jersey

Subject	Census 2000	
	Number	Percent
POPULATION BY AGE		
Total population	522,541	100.0
Under 16 years	116,682	22.3
16 to 20 years	30,206	5.8
21 to 24 years	23,750	4.5
25 to 44 years	165,454	31.7
45 to 64 years	114,323	21.9
65 years and over	72,126	13.8
Mean age (years)	36.9	(X)
HOUSEHOLD INCOME IN 1999¹		
Total households	186,093	100.0
Less than \$15,000	21,672	11.6
\$15,000 to 19,999	8,831	4.7
\$20,000 to 24,999	8,903	4.8
\$25,000 to 49,999	44,605	24.0
\$50,000 to 74,999	36,653	19.7
\$75,000 to 99,999	24,363	13.1
\$100,000 or more	41,066	22.1
Mean household income (dollars)	74,986	(X)
Median household income (dollars)	55,339	(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	1.60	186,095	23,455	65,315	69,465	20,280	7,580
Row percent	(X)	100.0	12.6	35.1	37.3	10.9	4.1
Column percent	(X)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1-person household	0.86	43,845	11,510	28,195	3,465	390	285
Row percent	(X)	100.0	26.3	64.3	7.9	0.9	0.7
Column percent	(X)	23.6	49.1	43.2	5.0	1.9	3.8
2-person household	1.56	52,935	4,825	18,065	26,260	3,220	565
Row percent	(X)	100.0	9.1	34.1	49.6	6.1	1.1
Column percent	(X)	28.4	20.6	27.7	37.8	15.9	7.5
3-person household	1.86	33,390	2,940	8,180	14,340	6,840	1,090
Row percent	(X)	100.0	8.8	24.5	42.9	20.5	3.3
Column percent	(X)	17.9	12.5	12.5	20.6	33.7	14.4
4-or-more-person household	2.07	55,925	4,175	10,880	25,395	9,830	5,640
Row percent	(X)	100.0	7.5	19.5	45.4	17.6	10.1
Column percent	(X)	30.1	17.8	16.7	36.6	48.5	74.4

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	28.7	232,915	26,915	65,245	43,940	48,835	47,980
Row percent	(X)	100.0	11.6	28.0	18.9	21.0	20.6
Column percent	(X)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Drove alone	25.4	169,325	19,890	51,645	34,900	37,690	25,195
Row percent	(X)	100.0	11.7	30.5	20.6	22.3	14.9
Column percent	(X)	72.7	73.9	79.2	79.4	77.2	52.5
Carpooled	27.7	27,685	2,880	8,235	5,510	5,950	5,110
Row percent	(X)	100.0	10.4	29.7	19.9	21.5	18.5
Column percent	(X)	11.9	10.7	12.6	12.5	12.2	10.7
Public transportation (including taxicab)	56.7	25,295	385	1,885	2,030	4,020	16,975
Row percent	(X)	100.0	1.5	7.5	8.0	15.9	67.1
Column percent	(X)	10.9	1.4	2.9	4.6	8.2	35.4
Bicycle or walked	13.4	8,460	3,600	2,890	1,020	720	230
Row percent	(X)	100.0	42.6	34.2	12.1	8.5	2.7
Column percent	(X)	3.6	13.4	4.4	2.3	1.5	0.5
Motorcycle or other means	35.7	2,150	160	590	475	450	475
Row percent	(X)	100.0	7.4	27.4	22.1	20.9	22.1
Column percent	(X)	0.9	0.6	0.9	1.1	0.9	1.0

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